



# AF-6 Series Drives ED.02

Built-in features  
Built-in simplicity



GE imagination at work



## AF-6 Series Drives

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## Highlight of benefits

### One family

- Designed for general purpose applications
- For both constant and variable torque applications
- Just one drive series to run an entire production line
- Broad range: 180W to 1.4 MW, 230 V – 690 V

### Designed for lifetime

- Built-in DC chokes increase the lifetime of the capacitors
- Conformal coating available

### Low operating costs

- Low energy consumption – up to 98% efficiency
- Less energy needed for cooling
- Automatic Energy Optimizer (AEO) potentially saves up to 5% energy compared to standard drives
- Low cost of ownership – no periodic maintenance/ replacement cost
- Energy saving up to 40% depending on the application

## Constant torque applications Heavy Duty

Constant torque applications include those where the load does not change significantly with the speed as conveyors, lifting gear and mixers.

A motor block on a conveyor will always weight the same, regardless of whether the conveyor is running at low or high speed.

The torque required to move this motor block is always the same. Although friction and acceleration torques will vary depending on the operating state, the torque requirement for the load remains constant.

The power required by a system of this type is proportional to the torque required and to the speed of the motor.

Savings can be achieved directly if the speed can be reduced at constant load. Adapting the speed of the belt to the quantity of goods to be transported not only enables those goods to be processed without interruption but also leads to a reduction on the energy required.

Even if it is not possible or desirable to adapt the speed, most speed drives will still bring about reductions in energy consumption, since they regulate the motor's output voltage depending on load and as the load rises, it will increase the voltage.



## Variable torque applications Light Duty

Often involve pumps and fans. However, a distinction has to be made in the case of pumps. Although the most popular types of centrifugal pump have a quadratic torque characteristic but eccentric, vacuum or positive displacement pumps have a constant torque characteristic. Pumps and fans have a significant share of all power consumed by industrial applications, with consumption levels approximately at 40%. Speed control is a simple yet very effective way of saving energy where fans and pumps with variable load torques are concerned.

Reducing the speed generates a cubic reduction in energy requirements. This significant potential for savings makes all applications with variable torque ideal candidates for the implementation of energy saving. Operators need to take into account that changes in speed alter the operating point and affect the efficiency. If the difference between the maximum power required and average part-load operation is too great, systems should be cascaded. It is often the case that investments pay for themselves relatively quickly when existing systems are converted.

## Built-in class A2 RFI filter

- Drive is ready to use and faults due to incorrect installation or wrong filter selection are avoided
- No over sizing of drive necessary – with motor cables of up to 300m, depending of the power rating of the drive
- Immunity from electrical interference and minimal emission
- Saves panel space and installation costs
- A1 and B1 filter also available as factory option
- Facilitates meeting CE EMC directives (requirement for EU markets)

## Built-in DC link reactor

- Low harmonic emission: THDi < 48%
- No voltage drop => full output voltage
- Reduces installation cost
- Fulfls EN 61000-3-2/3-12
- True power factor 0.9

## Reliable operation in harsh environment

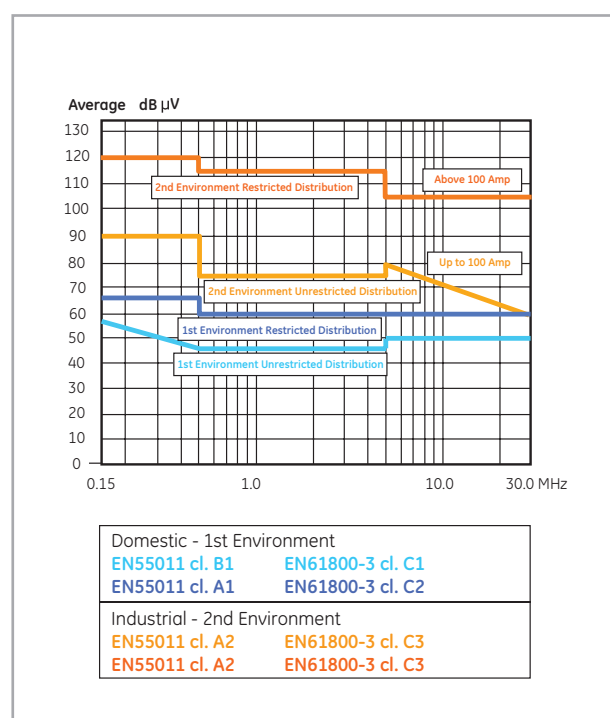
- Protection against environmental pollution, aggressive gasses, moisture and dust
- Reduces the probability of failure resulting in less down-time
- Increases the lifetime of the drive
- High protection Class 3C2 **as standard** and increased protection in harsh environments with Class 3C3 **as optional**
- Optional conformal coating is tested to ANSI/ISA S71.04-1985 Class G3 (airborne gasses - harsh) and Class GX (airborne gasses - severe)

## Intelligent heat management

- Cooling fans are easily cleaned without touching the electronics
- 100% cooling air via segregated rear heat-sink– protects the electronic against aggressive environments
- Temperature controlled fan

## High immunity

- Immunity to fluctuating supply voltage (+/- 10%)
- Efficient overvoltage protection
- Fully short-circuit- and earth-leakage proof
- 100kA prospective short-circuit current capability



## AF-600 FP - Special pump functions

### No flow detection

- No flow detection is based on speed and power
- Two sets of data must be programmed into the drive
- Manual or auto set up
- Used to enable sleep mode in closed loop systems for energy savings

### End-of-curve protection

- If there is a water leak in the pipe, it will not produce pressure
- The pump is delivering a large volume of water but cannot maintain the static head
- Drive will go to full flow to try producing pressure (set point)
- The drive running at high speed with a feedback signal less than 97.5% of the set point pressure causes End of Curve action

### Dry pump protection

- Special no-flow condition, where pressure can not be produced, if there is no water
- Drive will go to full speed to try producing full pressure
- Low power consumption at high speed causes Dry Pump action



## PC software tool DCT-10

One PC tool for all tasks

- Explorer-like view
- On and offline commission
- Help description for each drive parameter
- Oscilloscope function
- Option programming
- Logging of alarms and warnings for improved system performance and documentation

Interacts with process management

Communicates through USB, RS485 or Network

## Plug-in option modules

- Tailored for specific application needs
- Low handling cost
- Easy service/ upgrade with a wide range of options
- Field installable Plug n' Play and self configuring



1 A slot : Network option modules

2 B slot : I/O option modules

3 24Vdc External supply option module

## Control wiring and PC connections

- Reduced installation time - Pluggable terminal block for easy installation
- Improved installation quality
- Spring terminals provide better contact than screw terminals
- Thin or thick wires (1.5mm<sup>2</sup> solid/1.0mm<sup>2</sup> stranded wire)

## Built-in control card I/O

### Inputs / Outputs

- 6 digital I/O (0-24Vdc)
  - 2 configurable as Digital Outputs
  - 2 configurable as Pulse I/O
  - Configurable as PNP or NPN
- 2 form C relay outputs with on/off delays
- 2 analogue Input (0-10V or 0/4-20mA)
- 1 analogue Output (0/4-20mA)

### Serial ports

- RS 485 Port
  - Supports multi-drop connections
  - Supports 1.2 km cables
  - Switchable network termination
  - Modbus RTU
- USB Port
  - Simple USB direct cable connection ~3m max.
  - Point - to - point

## Network option modules

- Support for all leading protocols
- Easy installation and commissioning
  - Top cable entry -or-
  - Bottom cable entry (if used you cannot add I/O option modules)
- Built-in Networks: Modbus RTU

Only for AF650 GP and AF600 FP

- Network option modules: Profibus DP, DeviceNet, Ethernet IP, Modbus TCP, Profinet RT
- Additional Option Modules for AF-600 FP: BACnet and LonWorks



### Inquiry customer data for dimensioning of variable speed drives

**Nominal Motor Data (Type Plate)**

Motor Type :	Manufacturer:		
Nominal Power P <sub>n</sub> :	kW		
Nominal Voltage U <sub>n</sub> (Y/Δ):	V	Nominal Current I <sub>N</sub> (Y/Δ):	A
Nominal Speed:	min <sup>-1</sup>	cos φ	
Specifications:			
<b>Grid Voltage:</b>		Grid Type (IT/TT/TN):	
Length of Motorcable:		Degree of EMC :	
Application Area (Industry / Residential) :			
Special Exigencies:			
<b>Application Description:</b>			
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Torque characteristics (Constant/Quadratic):			
Overload (110/160%):			
Speed Range:			
Braking Torque:			
Desired Functionalities:			
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Specification:			
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<b>Communication System:</b>			
<b>Protection Degree:</b>	IP	Special Ambient Conditions	



Notes

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## AF-60 LP - Micro Drives

The Micro Drive AF-60 LP is a compact but powerful and easy to use AC variable frequency drive.

The drive is available in its standard configuration that includes built-in Brake chopper for 1.5kW and above, single-turn potentiometer for speed reference and LCD keypad display that can be remotely mounted.

Following models are available:

- Single-phase, 230Vac, from 0.18 to 2.2kW
- Three-phase, 230Vac, from 0.25 to 3.7kW
- Three-phase, 400Vac, from 0.37 to 22kW

### Features

#### Ready to start from the beginning

- Self-protecting features
- 150% current overload up to 1 minute
- "Pick up" start (catch a spinning motor)
- Potentiometer on keypad
- Keypad is hot pluggable and can be password protected
- RS485 communication, Modbus protocol
- RFI class A1 filter built-in
- Dynamic brake incorporated from 1,5kW
- High level functions, PID for feedback systems, mechanical brake control for lifts
- Easy to use PC software
- Integrated logic control, PLC

#### Built-in durability

- Robust housing (IP20) protects the drive and allows side-by-side mounting
- Conformal coated circuit boards and high quality capacitors maximize uptime
- Intelligent heat management leads to long life

#### Built-in simplicity speeds installation and set-up

- Installation and set-up immediate
- Wiring diagram, template and quick guide
- DIN-rail kit optional, to 2.2kW (unit size M1 and M2)

### Approvals / Marking

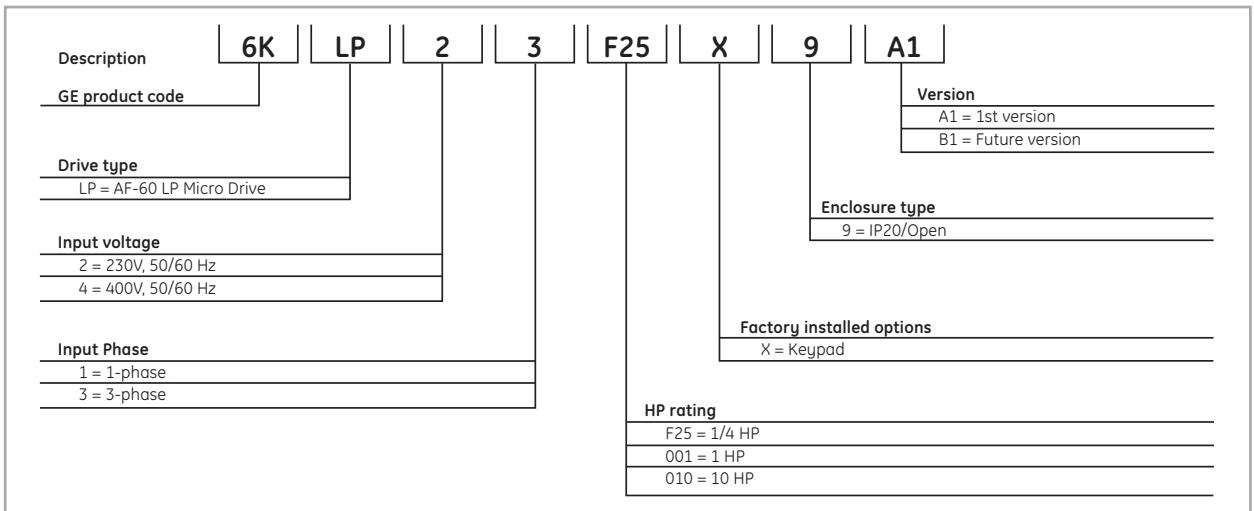


UL, cUL, C-Tick

### Applications

- Fans
- Pumps
- Mixers
- Conveyors
- Material handling
- Industrial machinery, including: agitators, lathes, spinning machines, machine tools, packaging equipment, plastics and woodworking

### Product numbering system diagram



Product number for illustrative purposes only



**IP20****230 Vac, 1-phase, 50/60 Hz input**

Nominal motor ratings		Cat. No.	Ref. No.	Unit Size	Efficiency (%) <sup>(1)</sup>	Losses (W) <sup>(1)</sup>	IP21 kit	DIN-rail mounting kit
Power kW	Current A							
0.18	1.2	6KLP21F25X9A1	404774	M1	94.5	15.5	NEMA1ACLP1	RMACLP1
0.37	2.2	6KLP21F50X9A1	404775	M1	95.6	25.0	NEMA1ACLP1	RMACLP1
0.75	4.2	6KLP21001X9A1	404776	M1	96.0	44.0	NEMA1ACLP1	RMACLP1
1.5	6.8	6KLP21002X9A1	404777	M2	96.7	67.0	NEMA1ACLP2	RMACLP1
2.2	9.6	6KLP21003X9A1	404778	M3	97.1	85.1	NEMA1ACLP3	N/A

**230 Vac, 3-phase, 50/60 Hz input**

0.25	1.5	6KLP23F33X9A1	404779	M1	94.9	20.0	NEMA1ACLP1	RMACLP1
0.37	2.2	6KLP23F50X9A1	404780	M1	95.8	24.0	NEMA1ACLP1	RMACLP1
0.75	4.2	6KLP23001X9A1	404781	M1	96.3	39.5	NEMA1ACLP1	RMACLP1
1.5	6.8	6KLP23002X9A1	404782	M2	97.2	57.0	NEMA1ACLP2	RMACLP1
2.2	9.6	6KLP23003X9A1	404783	M3	97.4	77.1	NEMA1ACLP3	N/A
3.7	15.2	6KLP23005X9A1	404784	M3	97.4	122.8	NEMA1ACLP3	N/A

**400 Vac, 3-phase, 50/60 Hz input**

0.37	1.2	6KLP43F50X9A1	404785	M1	95.5	25.5	NEMA1ACLP1	RMACLP1
0.75	2.2	6KLP43001X9A1	404786	M1	96.0	43.5	NEMA1ACLP1	RMACLP1
1.5	3.7	6KLP43002X9A1	404787	M2	97.2	56.5	NEMA1ACLP2	RMACLP1
2.2	5.3	6KLP43003X9A1	404788	M2	97.1	81.5	NEMA1ACLP2	RMACLP1
4	9	6KLP43005X9A1	404789	M3	98.0	133.5	NEMA1ACLP3	N/A
5.5	12	6KLP43007X9A1	404790	M3	98.0	166.8	NEMA1ACLP3	N/A
7.5	15.5	6KLP43010X9A1	404791	M3	98.0	217.5	NEMA1ACLP3	N/A
11	23	6KLP43015X9A1	404792	M4	97.4	342	NEMA1ACLP4	N/A
15	31	6KLP43020X9A1	404793	M4	97.4	454	NEMA1ACLP4	N/A
18.5	37	6KLP43025X9A1	404794	M5	98.0	428	NEMA1ACLP5	N/A
22	43	6KLP43030X9A1	404795	M5	97.9	520	NEMA1ACLP5	N/A

Brake chopper is included with 1.5kW drives and above

(1) At rated load conditions

## Options and accessories

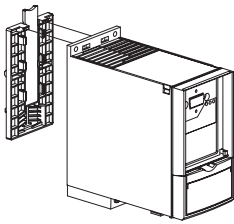
### Remote mounting kit for keypad



Remote mounting kit for mounting keypad on enclosure doors.  
Kit includes gasket, mounting brackets, and cable. Keypad is rated IP21.

Description	Cat. No.	Ref. No.
Remote mounting kit for keypad cable (3m)	RMKYPDACLP1	404797

### DIN-rail mounting kit

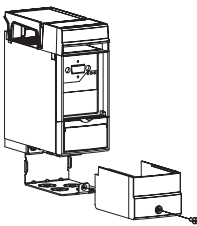


This adapter can be used to mount AF-60 LP Micro Drives at 0.75kW and below to 35mm DIN-rail.

Description	Cat. No.	Ref. No.
DIN-rail mounting kit for unit size M1 or M2 <sup>(1)</sup>	RMACLP1	404806

(2) Please note that these DIN-rail mounting kits only include bottom cover.

### IP21 kit

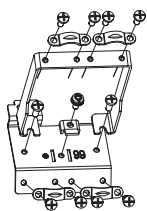


This kit can be mounted to the IP20 protected AF-60 LP Micro Drives to provide IP21 protection.

Description	Cat. No.	Ref. No.
For 0.75kW and below drives (unit size M1)	NEMA1ACL1	404798
For 1.5kW at 230V, 2.2kW at 400V and below drives (unit size M2)	NEMA1ACL2	404799
For 2.2kW at 230V, 3.7kW at 400V and above drives (unit size M3)	NEMA1ACL3	404800
For 11kW and 15kW at 400V drives (unit size M4)	NEMA1ACL4 <sup>(2)</sup>	404801
For 18.5kW and 22kW at 400V drives (unit size M5)	NEMA1ACL5 <sup>(2)</sup>	404802

(2) Please note that these IP21 kits only include bottom cover.

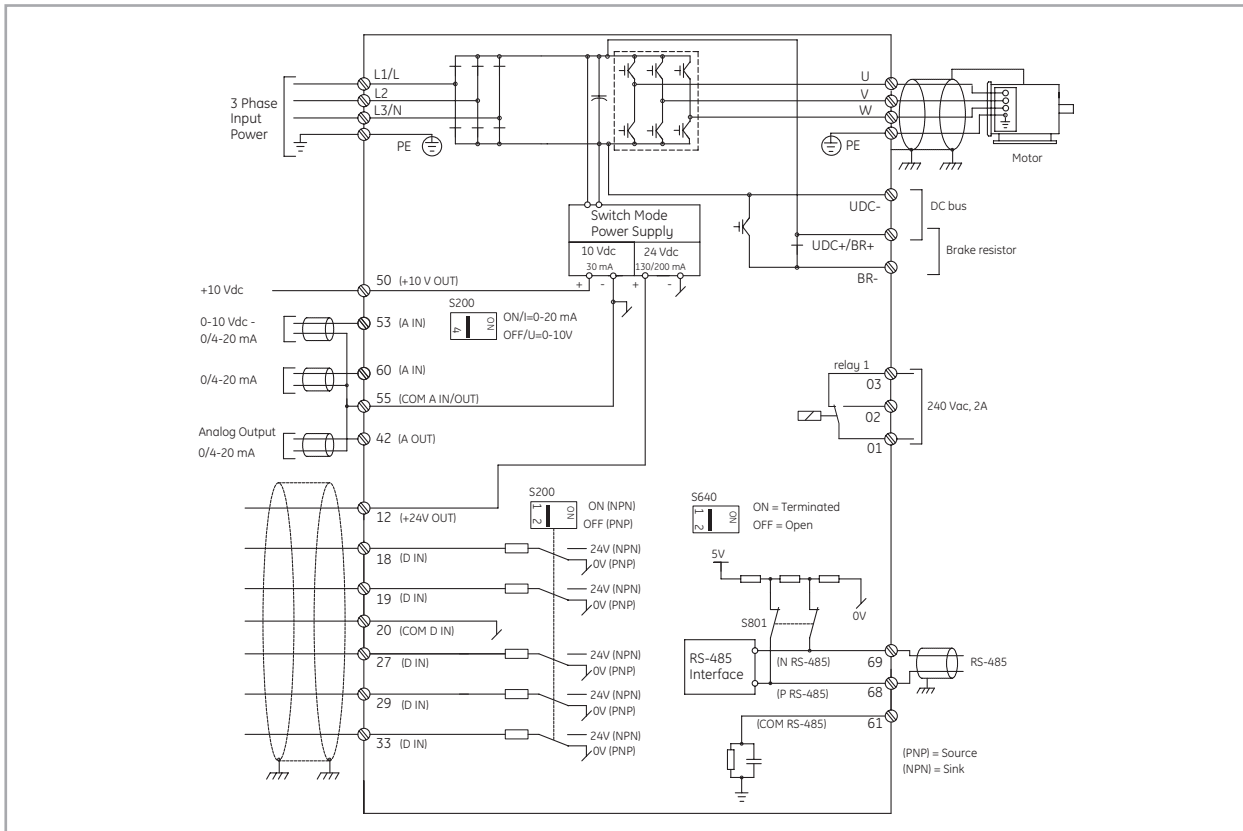
### De-coupling plate kit



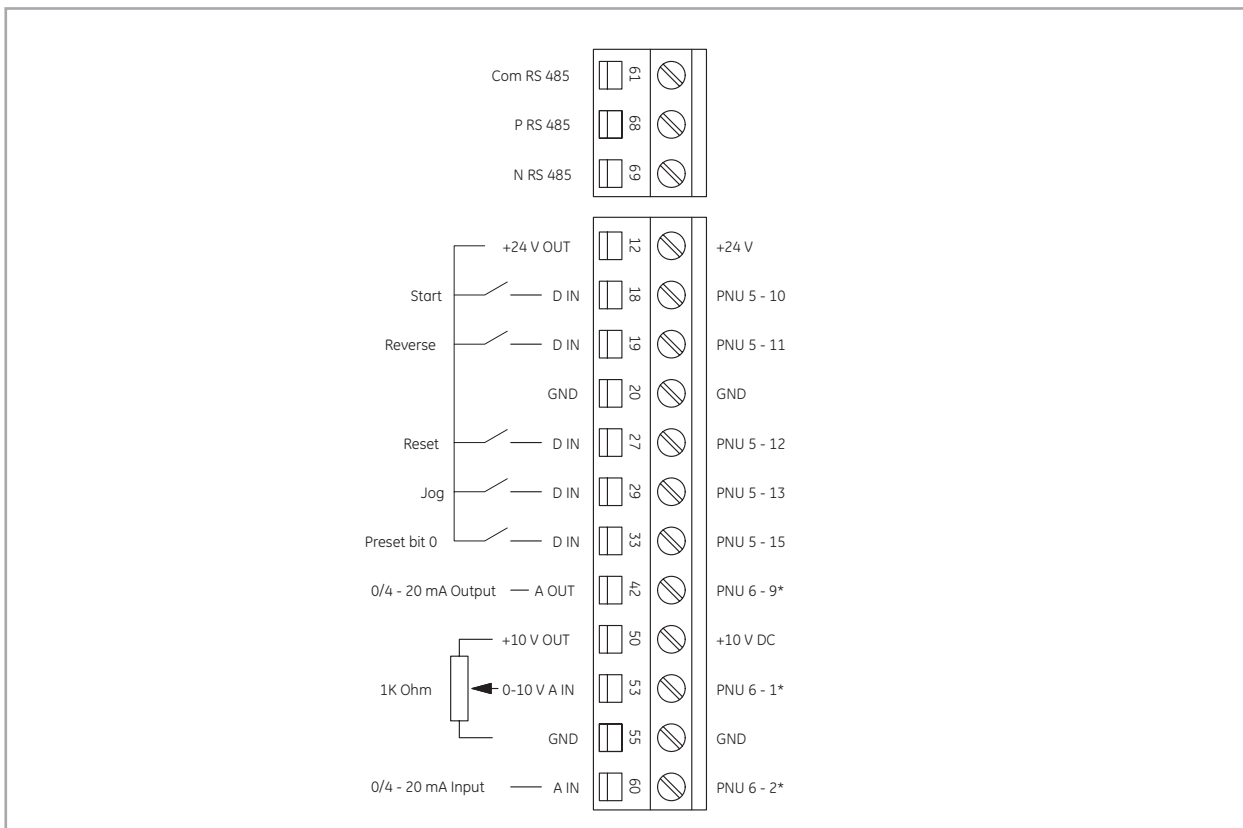
For EMC applications and strain relief for drive wiring.

Description	Cat. No.	Ref. No.
For 1.5kW at 230V, 2.2kW at 400V and below drives (unit size M1 and M2)	DEPLTACL1	404804
For 2.2kW at 230V, 3.7kW at 400V and above drives (unit size M3)	DEPLTACL2	404805
For 11kW at 400V and above drives (unit size M4 and M5)	DEPLTACL3	404803

Basic wiring diagrams



Basic control terminal (PNP configuration and drive factory default settings)



## Specifications

### Environmental conditions

Enclosure	IP20 (IP21 with optional kit)
Installation location	For use at altitudes of (1000m) or less without derating.
Ambient temperature	-10° to +50° C for above 45°C, there will be derating; please consult GE
Ambient humidity	5 to 95% RH (non-condensing)
Vibration	1.0G
Storage temperature	-25° to 65° C

### Standards

Approvals	CE, UL, cUL, and C-Tick Suitable for use on a circuit capable of delivering not more than 100,000 rms symmetrical amperes for 230V and 400V. WEEE and RoHS Compliant
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### Input power supply

Rated Input AC voltage	200-240 Vac, 1-phase, 50-60 Hz, +/- 10% V 200-240 Vac, 3-phase, 50-60 Hz, +/- 10% V 380-480 Vac, 3-phase, 50-60 Hz, +/- 10% V
Maximum voltage imbalance	3% of rated supply voltage
True power factor	> 0.4 nominal at rated load
Displacement power factor	> 0.98
Switching on input power supply	Maximum twice/minute
Environment according to EN60664-1	Overvoltage category III/pollution degree 2

### Output

Rated output voltage	0-100% of supply voltage
Output frequency	0-200Hz (Adv. Vector Control Plus Mode), 0-400 Hz (Volts/Hertz Mode)
Switching on output	Unlimited
Accel/decel times	0.05-3600 seconds
Overload current rating	150% of drive rated current for 1 minute

### Control

Control method	Sinusoidal PWM Control (V/Hz with torque vector control)
Switching frequency select	2, 4, 8, 12, 16 kHz
Operation method	Keypad operation: Hand, Off, Auto Digital Input: Programmable for Start/Stop, Forward/Reverse, Jog Timer operation: Stop after predetermined time frame Link operation: RS-485 Modbus RTU
Frequency reference setting	Up or Down buttons on keypad or external reference
Analog input	Built in potentiometer 0-10 Vdc analogue input 4-20 mA analogue input
Preset speeds	8 presets via digital inputs
Link operation	Drive RS-485 or Modbus RTU
Second reference setting	Switch from speed reference 1 to reference 2 via digital input
Trim reference setting	Available for speed reference offset via potentiometer, voltage input, or current input
Acceleration/deceleration time	0.05-3600 seconds (two acceleration and deceleration rates are selectable via digital inputs. Acceleration and deceleration patterns can be selected from linear or S-curve)
DC injection braking	Starting frequency: 0.0-400 Hz Braking level: 0-150% of rated current Braking time: 0.0-60.0 seconds
Frequency limit	0-400 Hz
Jump frequency control	Two jump (or skip) frequencies via parameter set to avoid mechanical vibration
Jogging operation	Operation via On key or digital input (Fwd or Rev)
Auto-restart after power failure	Restarts the drive without stopping after instantaneous power failure
Slip compensation	Maintains motor at constant speed with load fluctuations
Energy savings	Controls output voltage to minimize motor loss during constant speed operation
Start mode function	This functionality smoothly catches a spinning motor

### Logic controller (LC)

Logic controller events	Over 23 types of programmable events
Comparators	Array of 4 comparators
Timers	Array of 3 timers, adjustable from 0.0 to 3600 sec
Logic rules	Array of 4 boolean logic rules
Logic controller states	Array of 20 logic controller action states

### Process controller (PID)

Feedback select	No function, analogue input 1, analogue input 2, pulse input, local bus reference
Control	Normal or inverse
Anti windup	Disabled or enabled
Start speed	0.0-200 Hz
Proportional gain	0.00-10.00
Integral gain	0.10-9999 seconds
Feed forward factor	0-400%
On reference bandwidth	0-200%

### Indication

LEDs	Green - drive is on Yellow - indicates a warning Red - indicates an alarm
Monitor Units Available	Frequency, current, voltage, power, horsepower, % load, speed, or time

### Trip codes

2	Live zero error
4	Line phase loss
7	DC overvoltage
8	DC undervoltage
9	Drive overload
10	Motor overtemperature
11	Motor thermistor overtemperature
12	Torque limit
13	Overcurrent
14	Ground fault
16	Short circuit
17	Control word timeout
25	Brake resistor short-circuited
27	Brake chopper short-circuited
28	Brake check
29	Power board overtemperature
30	Missing U phase
31	Missing V phase
32	Missing W phase
38	Internal fault
47	Control voltage fault
51	Auto tune check - wrong motor parameters
52	Auto tune low inom - motor current is too low
59	Current limit
63	Mechanical brake low
80	Drive restored to factory settings

### Monitoring parameters available

Power	kW
Power	HP
Motor voltage	V
Frequency	Hz
Motor current	A
Frequency	%
Motor thermal	%
DC link voltage	V
Drive current	A
Drive max current	A
Logic controller state	ON/OFF

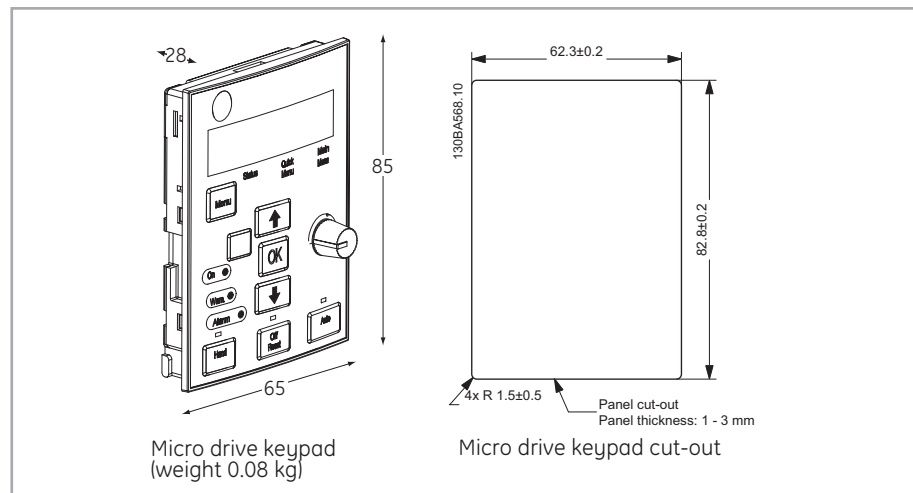
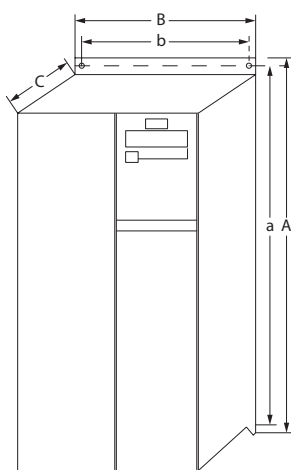


## Dimensional drawings

### Micro drives

Unit size	Nominal motor power ratings (kW)			Height (mm)			Width (mm)		Depth (mm)	Weight
	230 V 1ph	230 V 3ph	400 V 3ph	A	A (including decoupling plate)	a	B	b	C	kg
M1	0.18 - 0.75	0.25 - 0.75	0.37 - 0.75	150	205	140.4	70	55	148	1.1
M2	1.5	1.5	1.5 - 2.2	176	230	166.4	75	59	168	1.6
M3	2.2	2.2 - 3.7	4 - 7.5	239	294	226	90	69	194	3.0
M4	-	-	11 - 15	292	347.5	272.4	125	97	249	6.0
M5	-	-	18.5 - 22	335	387.5	315	165	140	256	9.5

### Micro drive keypad



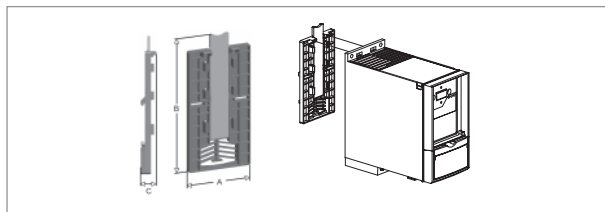
Micro drive keypad (weight 0.08 kg)

Micro drive keypad cut-out

Note: Please allow 5 cm between drives with field installed IP21 kits. Also, please consult the relevant AF-6 Series drives Operating Instructions for recommended clearance above and below each drive rating.

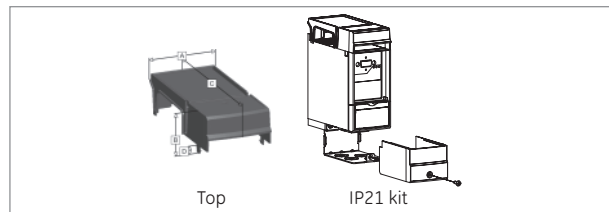
### DIN-rail mounting kit for 0.75kW and below drives (unit size M1 and M2)

Cat. No.	Ref. No.	A (mm)	B (mm)	C (mm)
RMACLP1	404806	60	129	13.5



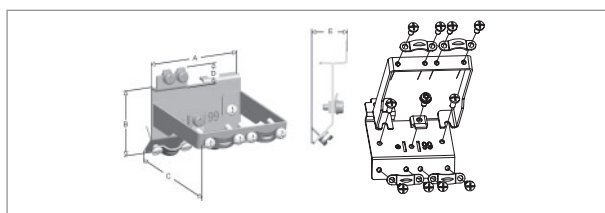
### IP21 field installed kit – top

Cat. No.	Ref. No.	A (mm)	B (mm)	C (mm)	D (mm)
NEMA1ACLP1	404798	72	43	151	8
NEMA1ACLP2	404799	77	43	172	8
NEMA1ACLP3	404800	92	43	199	8



### De-coupling plate kit

Cat. No.	Ref. No.	A (mm)	B (mm)	C (mm)	D (mm)	E (mm)
DEPLTACLP1	404804	70	52	100	14	22.6
DEPLTACLP2	404805	70	52	N/A	14	22.6



### IP21 field installed kit – bottom

Cat. No.	Ref. No.	A (mm)	B (mm)	C (mm)	D (mm)
NEMA1ACLP1	404798	70	55	107	8
NEMA1ACLP2	404799	75	55	114	8
NEMA1ACLP3	404800	90	55	121	8

