

# JC 120 Single-axis Fingertip Joystick



# Conductive Plastic Technology JOYSTICK CONTROLLERS

Developed for applications where ergonomics and system integrity are paramount, the JC120 is a minimum width, low profile joystick that provides smooth, precise fingertip control in one axis. The low profile lever makes the JC120 less susceptible to unintentional operation and the minimal under panel space makes it ideal for mounting in panels and operator arm rests. The JC120 is sealed to IP66 to enable it to operate in extreme environments.

- Slim profile
- Simple to install
- Long operating life
- Superior reliability
- Rapid despatch

#### Innovative design

Designed for use with electronic controllers the joystick generates analogue and switched reference signals proportional to the distance and direction over which the handle is moved. The output is configured to provide signals for fault detection circuits and a centre tap provides an accurate voltage reference for the lever in its released position, or a zero point for a bipolar supply voltage. An electrically independent switch operates with separate contacts each side of the lever centre position.

Typical applications include remote control chest packs and the control of off-highway or material handling equipment.

#### Total reliability

the JC120 joystick incorporates conductive plastic track technology which provides absolute position control and facilitates a maintenance free operating life in excess of five million cycles.



#### **Features**

#### **Benefits**

- Width only 26.5mm
- Ergonomic design
- Choice of low profile lever heights
  - Long life
  - Sealed to IP66
  - Choice of output voltage ranges
- · Increased control density
- Reduced operator fatigue
- Unintentional operation reduced
- · Maintenance free operation
- · Operation in hostile environments
- · Maximum interface flexibility

# JOYSTICK CONTROLLERS SINGLE-AXIS

### Selection Guide

Penny+Giles offers the widest choice of options to suit your application.



Rapid Despatch



JC 120 -Short lever

The JC 120 supplied with the short lever presents the lowest profile, ensuring less susceptibility to unintentional operation.



JC 120 -Long lever

The JC 120 supplied with the long lever provides increased fingertip control, but still ensures a lower lever profile than the JC 100 model.



#### JC 120 -Connector

The JC 120 is supplied with a 7 pin latching connector for easy installation. The mating connector assembly is ordered separately.



EMC Directive 89/336/EEC

The products detailed in this document are supplied as **components** for installation into an electrical apparatus or system. They are outside the scope of the EEC directive and will not be CE marked.

#### **PERFORMANCE**

MECHANICAL	Short handle	Long handle
Breakout force (at handle tip)	3.1N	2.3N
Operating force (at tip, full	5.1N	3.4N
deflection)		
Maximum allowable force	50N	35N

Lever operating angle  $\pm 30^{\circ}$   $\pm 30^{\circ}$  Lever action self centring  $\pm 30^{\circ}$  Self centring

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

Operating temperature -25° to +70°C
Storage temperature -40° to +85°C
Environmental sealing

above the flange IP66 - BS EN 60529<sup>†</sup>

#### **ELECTRICAL**

Analogue track

Electrical angle of movement ±28°

Total track resistance  $4k\Omega$  or  $5k\Omega$  (±20%)

Supply voltage - maximum (Vs) 35Vd.c.

Wiper current - maximum 5mA (non derangement)

Power dissipation - maximum0.25W at  $20^{\circ}$ CWiper circuit impedance200kΩ minimum

Output voltage 0% to 100%Vs 10% to 90%Vs 25% to 75%Vs

Resolution Virtually infinite Centre tap voltage (no load) Virtually infinite 50%Vs ±2%

Centre tap angle ±2.5° either side of centre (±1° tolerance)

Insulation resistance  $>50M\Omega$  at 500Vd.c.

Switch

Connection7 pin Molex series latching maleMating Connector7 pin Molex series latching female, with 0.5m leads (order separately as SA301649)

#### **CUSTOM BUILD OPTIONS**

#### ORDERING CODES

Lever return to one end.

 Short handle
 0% to 100% output voltage range
 JC120-0001 (4k)

 10% to 90% output voltage range
 JC120-0002 (5k)

 25% to 75% output voltage range
 JC120-0003 (5k)

 Long handle
 0% to 100% output voltage range
 JC120-0004 (4k)

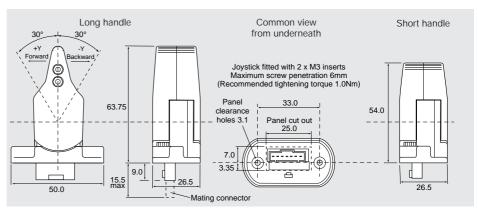
 10% to 90% output voltage range
 JC120-0005 (5k)

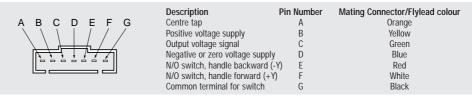
 25% to 75% output voltage range
 JC120-0006 (5k)

Connector 7 way mating connector with 0.5m flyleads SA301649 (order separately)

## DIMENSIONS AND MOUNTING OPTIONS

# ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS





<sup>†</sup>Seal integrity can only be achieved when using sealing gasket supplied and screws are tightened to 1Nm (9lbf/in)

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