

### ThumbPointer™ (Stick Controller)

# Compact size, standard type. Also available with lever return mechanism





#### ■ Typical Specifications (Potentiometer)

Items	ms RKJXK RKJXV RI							
Rated power	0.0125W							
Maximum operating voltage	50V AC	50V AC, 5V DC 5V DC						
Operating angle	60°±6°	23° max. in each direction*	23° max. in each direction					
Operating force	8mN·m max. (Not lever return type) 6±4mN·m (Lever return type)	14±10mN·m	7 <sup>+5</sup> mN·m					
Operating life	100,000 cycles	2,000,000 cycles						

#### Note

 $\divideontimes$  If the lever is tilted more than 23° from the vertical position, operating feel irregularities or return mechanism errors may occur. Therefore, please do not tilt more than 23°.

#### ■ Typical Specifications (Center-push)

Items	RKJXK	RKJXV	RKJX2				
Ratings (max.)	(max.) 50mA 12V DC						
Operating force	5.2±2.6N	7.4±3N	6.0±2.5N				
Travel	vel 0.5 +0.5 mm 0.4 +0.5 mm						
Operating life	100,000 cycles	500,000 cycles					

#### Product Line

	Product No.	Lever return	Center-push	Total resistance	Resistance	Minimum ord		Drawing
		mechanism	Conton paon	(kΩ)	taper	Japan	Export	No.
$\triangle$	RKJXK122400Y	With	With					1
$\triangle$	RKJXK122000D	VVICII	Without			500	1,000	2
$\triangle$	RKJXK1210002	Without	Without	10	B(OB)			
	RKJXV122400R		With		В(ОВ)	1.420	1.420	3
	RKJXV1220001	With	Without			1,420	1,420	4
	RKJX21224001		With	5		1,484	1,484	5

#### Packing Specifications

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Product No.	Number of pa	Export package measurements (mm)					
	1 case / Japan 1 case / export packing						
RKJXK	500	1,000	540×373×225				
RKJXV	1,420	1,420	544×364×178				
RKJX2	1,484	1,484	344^304^176				

\*Products marked with a <u></u> are not recommended for new designs



Prohibited wiring area

No.	Photo	Style	PC board mounting hole dimensions (Viewed from mounting side)
1	RKJXK1224	25.4  16  0 9 2 8  NReturn position  Return position	15.5  9  5.02.6  No. 100e  15.5  9  15.5  15.5  9  15.5  15.
2	RKJXK1210 RKJXK1220	22.7 16 00 All directions Return position	15.5 9 5 Mar. A. 22.6 A. 22.6 A. 22.6 Prohibited wiring area
3	RKJXV1224	18.2  13.15  WR2  13.15  SW1  Lever return position 18.95  12.45  2.9  Dimension of VR  10.8  2.6	2. \alpha 1 6 hole 3 2 \alpha 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 6 \cdot 6 \cdot 6 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 6 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 6 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot

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# Dimensions PC board mounting hole dimensions (Viewed from mounting side) Photo No. Style RKJXV1220 3.Ø1.6 hole (10.8) 2.6 8.6 8.73 Prohibited wiring area Height of boss RKJX21224 Operation angle of knob Output Max VR1 Output Min 5 Mounting surface

VR2

➤ Output Max

Output Min



# **Multi Control Devices**

## List of Varieties

# \*Products marked with a extstyle extstyle

	Туре	Potentiometer type							
(	Series	RKJXK	RKJXV	RKJX2	RKJXU				
	Photo		0	NEW NEW					
Dimensions	W	20.7	17.8	13.7	18.6				
(typical value		25.4	21.3	14.6	24.3				
(mm)	Н	12.9	11.2	7.8	5.2				
Shaf	t material	Metal		Resin					
Directio	nal resolution		Contir	nuous					
	operating feeling ile feeling)		With	nout					
Lever ret	urn mechanism	With / Without		With					
Center-	push switch	With / V	Vithout	With	Without				
Eı	ncoder		With	nout					
Operating t	emperature range	−10°C to	+70℃	-10°C to +50°C	-10°C to +70°C				
Operating	Directional operation	100,000 cycles	2,000,000 cycles	2,000,000 cycles	2,000,000 cycles				
life	Center-push	100,000 cycles	500,000 cycles	500,000 cycles	_				
Autor	notive use	_	_	_	_				
Life cycl	e (availability)	<b>*</b> 2	*2	2	<b>*</b> 2				
	Insulation resistance		100MΩ min. 250V DC		_				
Electrical performance	Voltage proof		250V AC for 1 minute		_				
portormanoo	Slider noise	300mV p-p max	. by JIS method	300mV p-p max.	300mV p-p max. by JIS method				
	Directional operating force	8mN·m max. Without Lever return mechanism 6±4mN·m With Lever return mechanism	14±10mN·m	7 <sup>+5</sup> mN·m	0.75±0.3N				
Masharias	Push operating force	ng force 5.2±2.6N 7.4±3N		6±2.5N	_				
Mechanical - performance	Lever return precision		±5°		±0.1mm				
	Actuator Push / pull directions	50N min. (Push/Pull)	98N min. (Push)	, 50N min. (Pull)	100N min. (Push), 30N min. (Pull)				
	strength Operating	50N							
	Cold		-30°	96h	1				
Environmental performance	Dry heat		208	96h					
ponumanoe L	Damp heat		60°C, 90 to 9	95%RH 96h					
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### Potentiometer Type Multi Control Devices / Soldering Conditions

#### ■ Reference for Manual Soldering

Series	Tip temperature	Soldering time	No. of solders			
RKJXK, RKJXV	350°Cmax.	3s max.	1 time			

#### Reference for Dip Soldering

Series	Prehe	eating	Dip so	No. of solders		
Jenes	Soldering surface temperature	Heating time	Soldering temperature	Soldering time	INO. OF SOIDERS	
RKJXK	90 to 100℃	45s max.	255 to 260℃	2 to 3s	1 time	
RKJXV	90 to 120℃	60s max.	260℃	5s	1 time	

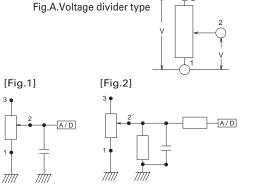
### Potentiometer Type Multi Control Devices / Cautions

#### (Circuit Used for Analog Stick Controller)

We recommend you use the potentiometer type in a voltage divider type as shown in Fig. A.

#### (Impedance on the Output Side)

Since this pot is designed to use with its output is connected directly to A/D port. Impedance is considered to be mega ohm level. Then contact resistance in the pot is higher. Please refer to [Fig. 1]. So when you use it in the circuit like [Fig. 2].Please make sure that impedance should be over than 1 M-ohm.

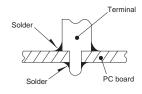


#### (Dew Condensation)

Avoid using the product when condensation or drops of water might occur inside the product. Otherwise, insulation deterioration or shorting may occur.

#### (Soldering)

Do not employ wiring designs and soldering methods as illustrated in the schematic drawing. Molten solder flowing over the upper surface of PC board can cause imperfect contacts. Solder all metal inserted fixing including terminals & metal lugs into a substrate.



#### (Stress Being Applied to the Terminals)

Always be careful not to apply excessive stress on the terminals. Design appropriate soldering conditions.

#### (Handling of Variable Resistors Equipped with Switches)

Exercise care when packing or storing. Packaging or storing while load is applied to the shaft may cause a malfunction in performance.

#### (Storage)

- ① Store the products as delivered, at a normal temperature and humidity, without direct sunshine and corrosive gas ambient. Use them at an earliest possible timing, not later than six months upon receipt.
- ② After breaking the seal, keep the products in a plastic bag to shut out ambient air, store them in the same environment as above, and use them up as soon as possible.
- 3 Do not stack too many switches.

The above operation notes are quoted from the

"Precaution and Guideline of Potentiometer for Electrical Devices", a technical report issued by the Japan Electronics and Information Technology Industries Association EIAJ RCR-2191A (in March 2002).

For details, refer to the original technical report.

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