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Installation & Hardware Reference Manual

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1 Overview of the 5345/5445 Microstep Indexer/Drive

- In this Chapter** This Chapter introduces the 5345/5445 Microstep Indexer/Drive. Topics covered are:
- 5345/5445 definition
 - System diagram
 - How to use this manual

1.1 5345/5445 Definition

- Overview** The Pacific Scientific® 5345/5445 Microstep Indexer/Drive combines a high-performance, bipolar chopper drive with a Pacific Scientific StepperBASIC™ programmable indexer for stepper motor motion control.
- Drive features**
- Output current** - 5.0 Amps per phase in full step mode (2.5 Amps per phase for the 5345) and 3.5 Amps per phase in microstep mode (1.75 Amps per phase for the 5345).
- Bipolar chopper drive** -controls motor current at 20 KHz chopper frequency.
- Internal power supplies** -operates from either the 120 or 230 Vac input. The main motor supply consists of a full wave bridge rectifier into a capacitive input filter.
- Shunt regulator circuitry** -protects the drive by removing energy from the supply if the dc bus voltage exceeds 84 volts. This feature protects the circuitry from excessive voltage that may be generated under certain motor deceleration conditions.
- Short circuit protection circuitry** - latches the drive off and lights the DISABLE LED if a short circuit occurs on the motor outputs. After removing the short circuit, the DISABLE LED will go off. Reset the 5345/5445 by cycling power.



Microstep power boost switch - increases the drive current in microstep mode at speeds above 500 Full Steps/sec. The rms microstep current level while microstepping is 70% of the full step rated current, the current boost feature boosts current by a factor of 1.4 and brings winding current back to rated levels.

Status indicators - LEDs for operation and troubleshooting information.

User-defined functions

Mid-range instability control - eliminates loss of torque and possible motor stalling when operating at mid-range speeds. This instability is a phenomenon of the electronic, magnetic, and mechanical characteristics of a stepping motor system. When enabled, mid-range instability control damps mid-range oscillations by advancing or delaying the switching of the output transistors relative to the incoming pulse train.

Step size - sets the amount of rotation per step. The five settings range from full step to fractions of a full step (microsteps). The microstep settings range from 1/2 to 1/125 microsteps per step for up to 25,000 steps/revolution with a standard 1.8° stepper motor.

Idle current reduction (ICR) - reduces motor winding current by 50% during motor dwell periods. ICR begins one second after the last input step pulse occurs.

Indexer features

The indexer circuitry provides programmable motion control and allows flexible interfacing to the application.

Pacific Scientific StepperBASIC - programming language with over 100 instructions, combines the ease of the programming language BASIC with sophisticated motion control features.

Serial port RS-232 or RS-422/485 communications -interfacing the user computer or terminal for programming and/or computer control. RS-422/485 control allows multiple 5345/5445 units to be controlled from a single computer or terminal.

Indexer features (cont'd)

12 outputs - user programmable outputs to external devices. One output is program-selectable to indicate motor moving.

16 inputs - user programmable inputs from external devices. Six inputs can be pre-defined for limit, start, stop, and jog functions.

Encoder inputs - for position verification, or for electronic gearing. Alternatively, these inputs can be redefined for external step and direction control.

Step and direction outputs - outputs step and direction signals for control of another drive.

Memory - indexer memory capacity is 12K bytes (battery-backed RAM).

Typical applications

Typical applications for the 5345/5445 microstep indexer/drive include:

- X-Y tables and slides
- Packaging machinery
- Feed to length
- Labeling machines

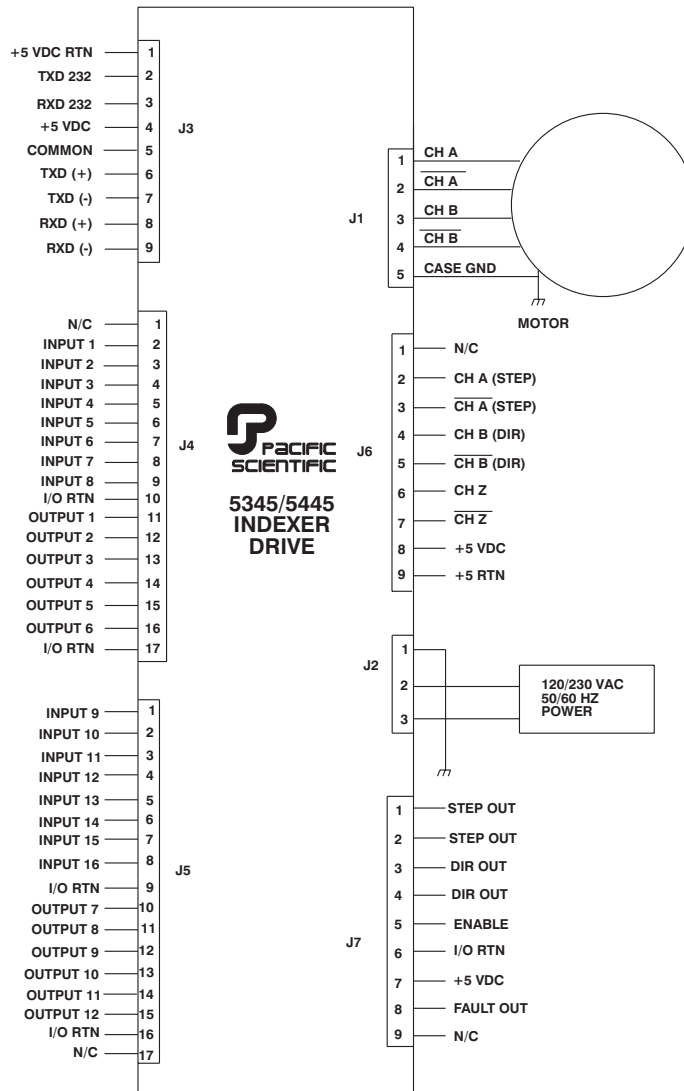
1.2 System Diagram

The following diagram shows an installation of the drive in a typical system. Your installation may vary from this configuration. Typical components used with the 5345/5445 include:

- Motor
- Computer or terminal
- External switches

Selection and installation guidelines for these components are described in Chapter 2, “Installing the 5345/5445 Microstep Indexer/Drive.”

System Diagram



Note: 230 Vac is for use with 5345-230 and 5445-230 **ONLY**.

1.3 How to Use this Manual

This manual contains information and procedures to install, set up, test with simple commands, and troubleshoot the 5345/5445. Refer to the StepperBASIC Programming Manual for programming instructions and reference.

2 Installing the 5345/5445 Microstep Indexer/Drive

In this Chapter This Chapter explains how to install the 5345/5445 Microstep Indexer/Drive. Topics covered are:

- Unpacking and inspecting the 5345/5445
- Selecting a motor
- 5345/5445 safety
- Mounting the 5345/5445 in your installation
- Connecting input/output cabling
- Selecting switch functions

2.1 Unpacking and Inspecting the 5345/5445

Unpacking procedure

1. Remove the 5345/5445 from the shipping carton. Make sure all packing materials are removed from the unit.
2. Check the items against the packing list. A label located on the side of the unit identifies the unit by model number, serial number, and date code.

Inspection procedure Inspect the unit for any physical damage that may have been sustained during shipment.

If you find damage, either concealed or obvious, contact your buyer to make a claim with the shipper. Do this as soon as possible after receipt of the unit.

Storing the unit Store the 5345/5445 in a clean, dry place. The storage temperature must be between -55 degrees C and 70 degrees C. To prevent damage during storage, replace the unit in the original shipping carton.

2.2 Selecting a Motor

Selecting a motor

The 5345/5445 is designed for use with Pacific Scientific's line of hybrid stepper motors. The drive works with either the standard line or the enhanced high performance line of stepper motors. Use the system Torque/Speed curves for the 5345/5445 shown in the Pacific Scientific "Motion Control Solutions" Catalog to select the right motor for your application.

To use a motor not included in the system selections, observe the following rules:

- The motor winding current rating must be equal or greater than the drive's output current:
 - 5345 - 2.5 Amps RMS (3.55 Amps peak)
 - 5445 - 5.0 Amps RMS (7.1 Amps peak)
- The electrical and magnetic losses of the motor must not exceed the motor power dissipation rating. This is of special concern at high speed and with low inductance motors. The motor case temperature should not exceed 100 degrees C.

If you need help in selecting a motor, contact your local Pacific Scientific distributor for sizing and motor compatibility assistance.

2.2.1 Selecting System Components

Introduction

Match your 5345/5445 unit to your other components.

Serial communications interfaces

The 5345/5445 requires a serial communication link in order to develop StepperBASIC software (using PacCom). A serial interface may be used under software control to interface the 5345/5445 with other user-supplied equipment such as:

- Operator displays
- Host computers
- Programmable controllers (PLC)

The 5345/5445 uses serial communication interfaces supported by the RS-232 and RS-485 hardware specifications.

Single- and Multi-unit control

For controlling a single 5345/5445, use RS-232 communications and install cable as described in section 2.5.3.1 “J3 Serial Port - RS-232 Connection.”

For controlling multiple 5345/5445s, use RS-422 or RS-485 communications, which permit a single PC to host from 1 to 31 5345/5445s (each requiring a unique switch selectable address). For detailed information on setup refer to section 2.5.3.2 “Serial Port - RS-422 or RS-485 Connection.”

Digital I/O

Enable input - One dedicated input to enable the controller. Connecting this input to I/O Return enables the 5345/5445.

Fault output - An open collector (NPN) dedicated output showing controller fault status. This output turns off to indicate a fault. Maximum current sinking capability is 50 milliamperes and maximum off voltage is 24 volts.

General inputs - 16 inputs to support logic type interfaces. The input circuitry is intended to be operated with open collector type circuitry. These inputs can be polled under software control. Seven of the 16 inputs can be pre-defined for specific functions: LIMIT +/-, START/STOP, JOG +/- and mechanical HOME SWITCH.

General outputs - 12 open collector discrete outputs under software control. Each output can sink a maximum of 50 milliamperes. Maximum off voltage is 24 volts. One of the 12 outputs can be pre-defined for MOTOR MOVING status.

Encoder I/O - The external encoder I/O port permits interfacing to quadrature type encoder signals for applications such as electronic gearing. This input can also be configured by software as a step and direction input.

Note: *Factory default is for quadrature encoder inputs.*

Step/Dir Out - The Step/Dir output permits controlling external devices so they can follow step and direction from the 5345/5445. This output signal is present as long as the 5345/5445 is enabled and executing any motion profile.

2.3 5345/5445 Safety

Your responsibility

As the user or person applying this unit, you are responsible for determining the suitability of this product for any application you intend. In no event will Pacific Scientific Company be responsible or liable for indirect or consequential damage resulting from the use of this product.



Safety guidelines

WARNING

The circuits in the 5345/5445 are a potential source of severe electrical shock. Follow the safety guidelines to avoid shock.

To avoid possible personal injury whenever you are working with the 5345/5445:

- Do not power up the unit without the cover on and the chassis tied to earth ground.
- Do not operate the unit without the motor case tied to earth ground.
- Always remove power before making or removing connections from the unit.
- Before removing the cover of the unit, shut off power and allow the unit to sit for 5 minutes to discharge the bus capacitors.
- Be careful of the motor terminals when disconnected from the motor. With the motor disconnected and power applied to the drive, the motor terminals have high voltage present.
- Do not use the enable input as a safety shutdown. Always remove power to the drive for a safety shutdown.

2.4 Mounting the 5345/5445 in Your Installation

Cabinet selection

Select a standard 8-inch (205 mm) deep or greater NEMA (National Electrical Manufacturers Association) enclosure appropriate for industrial applications.



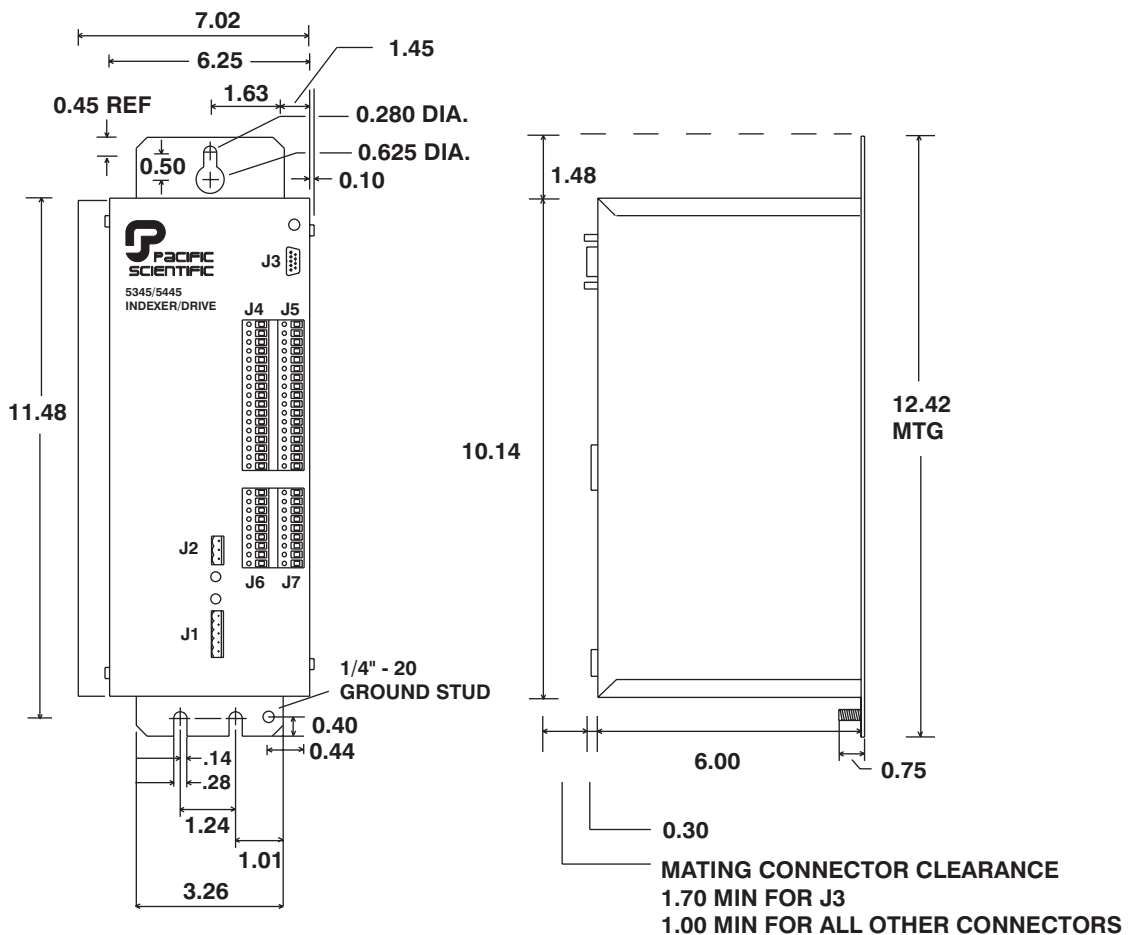
CAUTION

The internal cabinet temperature should not exceed 50°C (60°C with derating). If the cabinet is ventilated by filtered or conditioned air make sure to prevent the accumulation of dust and dirt on the unit's electronic components. The air should also be free of corrosive or electrically conductive contaminants.

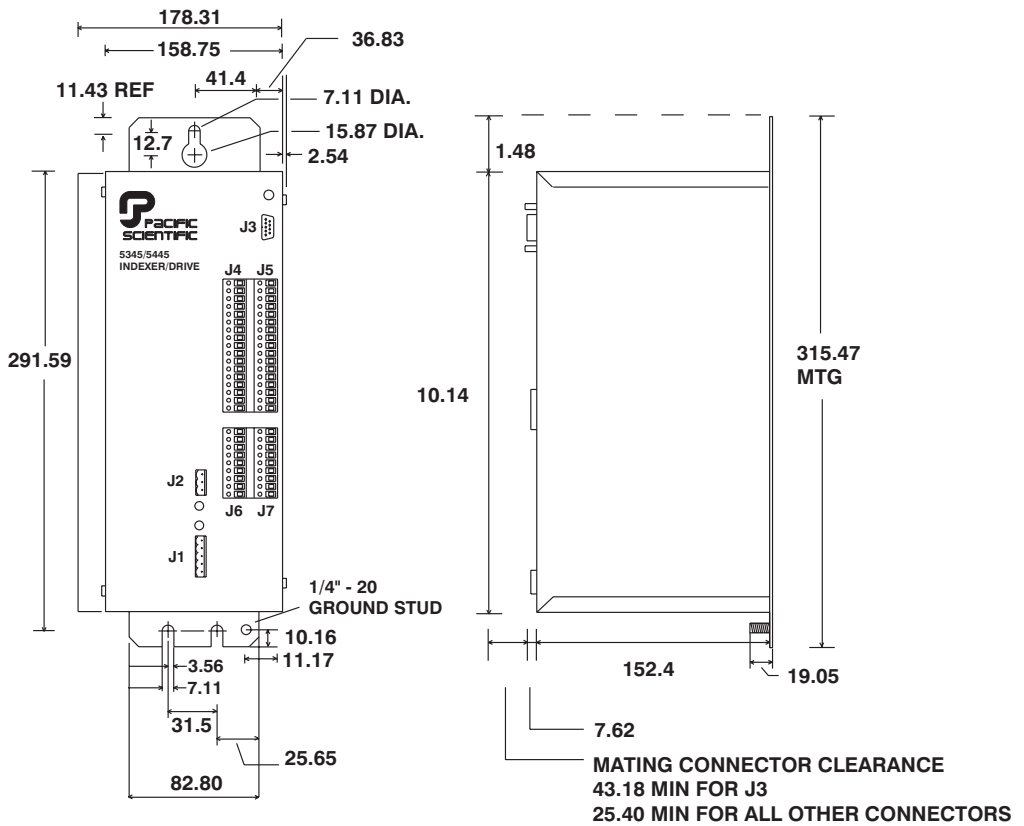
Mounting dimensions

Prepare the cabinet for the 5345/5445 using the dimensions in inches or millimeters as shown in the following figures.

(in inches)



Mounting
dimensions
(in millimeters)



Mounting guidelines

Select a cabinet position that meets these guidelines:

- Flat, solid surface capable of supporting the approximate 9.75 pound (4.423 kilogram) weight of the unit.
- Free of excessive vibration or shock.
- Minimum unobstructed space of two inches (50 mm) at the fan input on the unit bottom and the exhaust on the unit top.
- Operating temperature of:
 - 5445** - 0 to 50 degrees C at full rated current
 - 5345** - 0 to 60 degrees C at full rated current
 - 0 to 60 degrees C with idle current reduction enabled (microstep mode).

Mounting procedure

Bolt the unit to the cabinet using the three slots (refer to the dimensions figure) using a 1/4 - 20 or #10 (M6 metric equivalent) bolt.

Power dissipation for cabinet

The 5345/5445 dissipates power causing cabinet heating. Power dissipation is determined by a number of factors, such as output current, motor winding impedance, input step rates, and idle current reduction. The 5345 is factory preset for 2.5 amps/phase current and idle current reduction enabled. The 5445 is factory preset for 5 amps/phase current and idle current reduction enabled.

For an estimate of the power dissipation for use in calculating cabinet cooling requirements, use the values shown:

For an RMS current of (amps):	Use a value of (watts):
5.0	50
2.5	20

2.5 Connecting the Seven Input/Output Cables

Introduction

The seven input/output connectors are:

- J1-Motor
- J2-120 or 230 Vac power
- J3-RS-232/RS-485 serial port
- J4-Discrete inputs and outputs
- J5-Discrete inputs and outputs
- J6-Encoder/Step and direction inputs
- J7-Step and direction outputs, fault output, and enable input

Note: *These inputs and outputs are shown on the next page.*

Wiring is application specific

Wiring sizes, wiring practices, and grounding/shielding techniques described in the following section represent common wiring practices and should prove satisfactory in the majority of applications.

CAUTION

Non-standard applications, local electrical codes, special operating conditions, and system configuration wiring needs take precedence over the information included here. Therefore, you may need to wire the drive differently than described here.



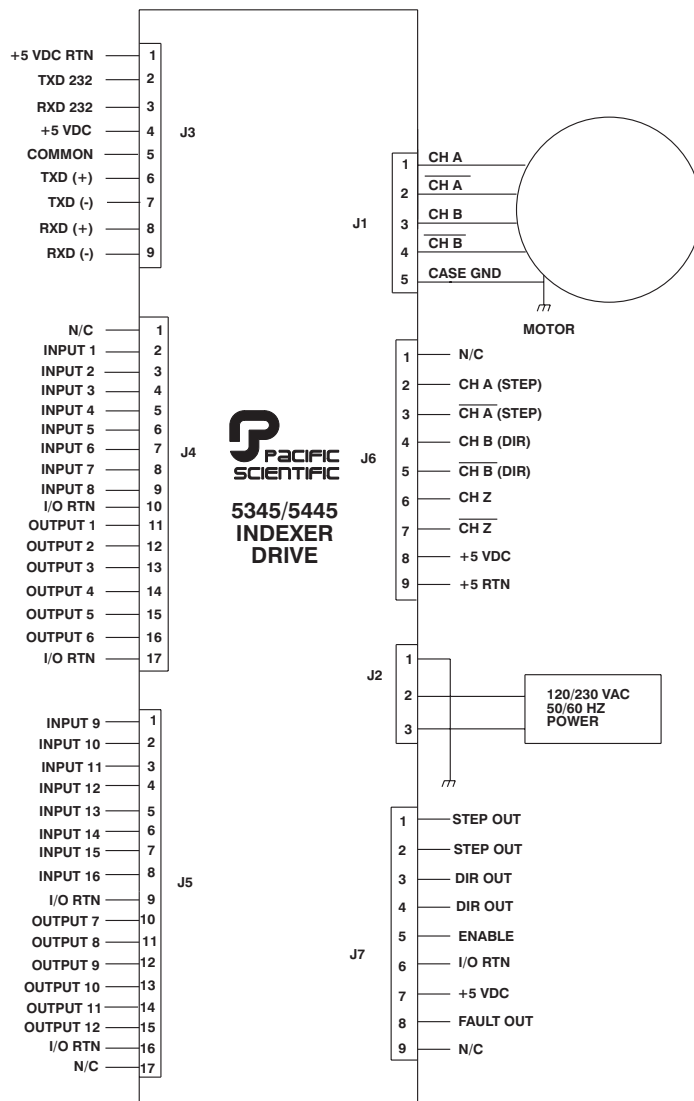
Noise pickup reduction

Use shielded and twisted cabling for the signal and power cables. This precaution reduces electrical noise.

Shock hazard reduction

Refer to section 2.3 for safety information that must be followed to reduce shock hazard.

Connection diagram



Note: 230 Vac is for use with 5345-230 and 5445-230 **ONLY**.

In this section

To install connector:	Refer to Section:
J1	2.5.1
J2	2.5.2
J3	2.5.3
J4 and J5	2.5.4
J6	2.5.6
J7	2.5.7

2.5.1 J1 Motor Connection

Introduction

The J1 motor cable connects the drive to the motor windings. Motor cables are available from Pacific Scientific, or you can make your own.

Note: Refer to Appendix C, “Series/Parallel Connections” for additional information.

Mating connector

The J1 motor connector is for a PCD 5-pin screw mating connector. The mating connector, supplied with the unit, is type ELFH05110.

Making your own cable

If you need to build the cable, refer to the appropriate subsection as follows:

To build the cable for motor type:	Refer to Section:
4-lead	2.5.1.1
8-lead series	2.5.1.2
8-lead parallel	2.5.1.3

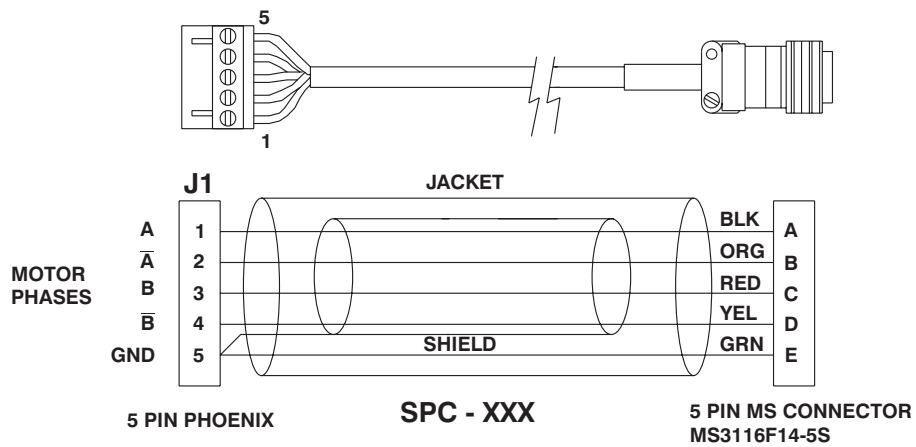
Pacific Scientific cable

If the motor cable is purchased from Pacific Scientific, install as follows. The Pacific Scientific order number is SPC-xxx, where “xxx” is the length in one-foot increments up to 50 feet. For example, SPC-050 is a cable 50 feet long.

Pacific Scientific cabling installation

Pacific Scientific cable diagram

If you are using Pacific Scientific motor cable with the mating connectors already attached, install as follows:



Procedure



1. Remove power from the 5345/5445.

WARNING

Always remove power before making or removing connections to the unit. The motor terminals have high voltage present when the 5345/5445 is On.

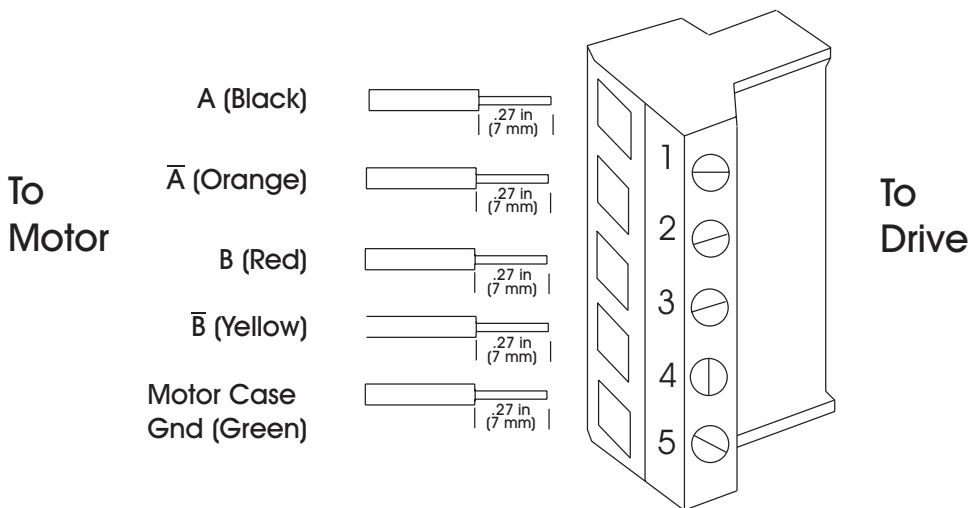
2. Plug the mating connector firmly into the 5345/5445.
3. Plug the other mating connector into the motor and screw down the retaining collar.
4. Reconnect power to the 5345/5445.

2.5.1.1 4-Lead Motor

Introduction For the 4-lead standard systems motor with MS connector, build and install the cable using guidelines that follow.

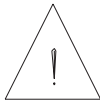
Cable requirements Use 16- to 14-gauge stranded wire for the cabling. Obtain cable with each winding pair (refer to diagram) twisted at about 3 to 4 turns per inch (1 to 1.5 turns per centimeter). Make sure the cable contains a lead for grounding. As an option, the cable may be shielded to reduce radiated noise. If a shield is used, connect as shown for pre-built cables.

Cabling diagram The colors referenced in the diagram follow the Pacific Scientific stepper motor color code.



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- Procedure**
1. Strip the wires to 0.27 inch (7 mm).
 2. Attach the wires to the connector as indicated in the diagram.

Note: Make sure the screws on the PCD connector are tightened down firmly to the wiring.



CAUTION

Do not pre-tin (solder) the tips of the cables going into the PCD connector. This can result in a loose connection.

3. Remove power from the 5345/5445.



WARNING

Always remove power before making or removing connections to the unit. The motor terminals have high voltage present when the 5345/5445 is On.

4. Plug the mating connector firmly into the 5345/5445.
5. Connect the cable shield to 5345/5445 ground, if applicable.
6. Plug the other mating connector into the motor.
7. Switch On the 5345/5445.

2.5.1.2 8-Lead Motor, Series Connected

Introduction

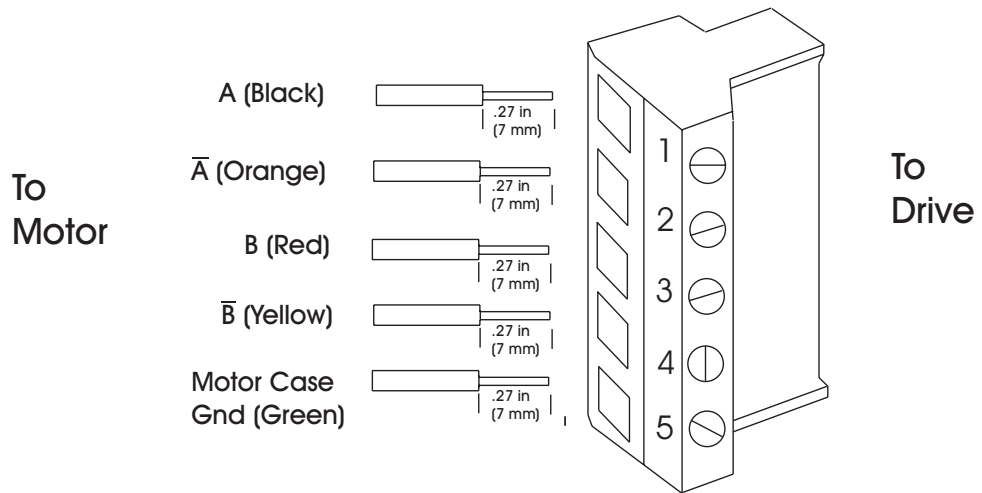
For an 8-lead motor to be wired in series, build and install the cable using guidelines that follow.

Cable requirements

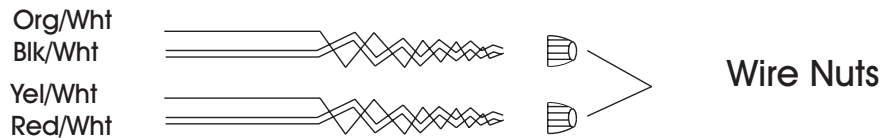
Use 16- to 14- gauge stranded wire for the cabling. Obtain cable with each winding pair (see diagram) twisted at about 3 to 4 turns per inch (1 to 1.5 turns per centimeter). Make sure the cable contains a lead for grounding. As an option, the cable may be shielded to reduce radiated noise.

Cabling diagram

The colors referenced in the diagram follow the Pacific Scientific stepper motor color code.



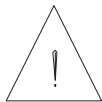
In addition, make the following connections at the motor:



Procedure

1. Strip the wires to 0.27 inch (7 mm).
2. Referring to the diagram, attach the wires to the connector. Connect the white-striped leads with wire nuts as shown.

Note: Make sure the screws on the PCD connector are tightened down firmly on the wiring.



CAUTION

Do not pre-tin (solder) the tips of the cables going into the PCD connector. This can result in a loose connection.



3. Remove power from the 5345/5445.

WARNING

Always remove power before making or removing connections to the unit. The motor terminals have high voltage present when the 5345/5445 is On.

4. Plug the mating connector firmly into the 5345/5445.
5. Connect the cable shield to 5345/5445 ground, if applicable.
6. Plug the other mating connector into the motor.
7. Switch On the 5345/5445.

2.5.1.3 8-Lead Motor, Parallel Connected

Introduction

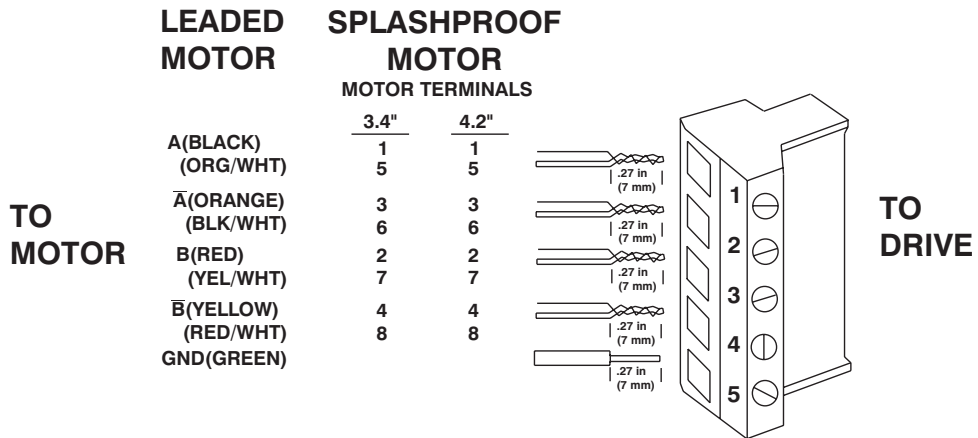
For an 8-lead motor to be wired in parallel, build and install the cable using guidelines that follow.

Cable requirements

Use 16- to 14- gauge stranded wire for the cabling. Obtain cable with each winding pair (see diagram) twisted at about 3 to 4 turns per inch (1 to 1.5 turns per centimeter). Make sure the cable contains a lead for grounding. As an option, the cable may be shielded to reduce radiated noise.

Cabling diagram

The colors referenced in the diagram follow the Pacific Scientific stepper motor color code.



Procedure

1. Strip the wires so that the twisted ends will be the length shown.
2. Referring to the diagram, twist the striped and solid lead ends and attach the wires to the connector.

Note: Make sure the screws on the PCD connector are tightened down firmly on the wiring.



CAUTION

Do not pre-tin (solder) the tips of the cables going into the PCD connector. This can result in a loose connection.

3. Remove power from the 5345/5445.



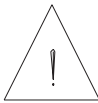
WARNING

Always remove power before making or removing connections to the unit. The motor terminals have high voltage present when the 5345/5445 is On.

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4. Plug the mating connector firmly into the 5345/5445.
 5. Connect the cable shield to 5345/5445 ground, if applicable.
 6. Switch On the 5345/5445.

2.5.2 J2 120/230 Vac Power Connection

Introduction



The J2 120/230 Vac power cable connects voltage to the logic and the motor power supplies.

Note: *DO NOT* apply 230 Vac to models 5345/5445. Use 230 Vac with 5345-230 and 5445-230 units only.

Mating Connector

The J2 120/230 Vac power input is for a PCD 3-pin screw mating connector. The connector, supplied with the unit, is ELFH03110.

Cable requirements

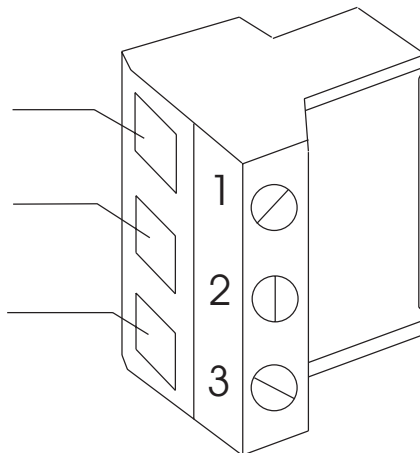
Use 16-to 14-gauge shielded wire for the cabling.

Cabling diagram

Green - Chassis Ground

White 120/230 Vac fused

Black 120/230 Vac fused



Procedure

1. Strip the wires 0.27 inch (7 mm).
2. Attach the wires to the connector as indicated in the diagram.

Note: *Make sure the screws on the PCD connector are tightened down firmly on the wiring.*



CAUTION

Do not pre-tin (solder) the tips of the cables going into the PCD connector. This can result in a loose connection.



WARNING

The chassis ground must be tied to earth ground. Failure to do this leaves the potential for severe hazard. Make sure the ground is connected via the ground stud on the front of the 5345/5445.

3. Plug the mating connector firmly into the 5345/5445.

2.5.3 J3 Serial I/O Connections

Introduction

The serial port transmits and receives RS-232 or RS485-multidrop serial communication for the user interface of your unit. You can configure to control single or multiple 5345/5445s.

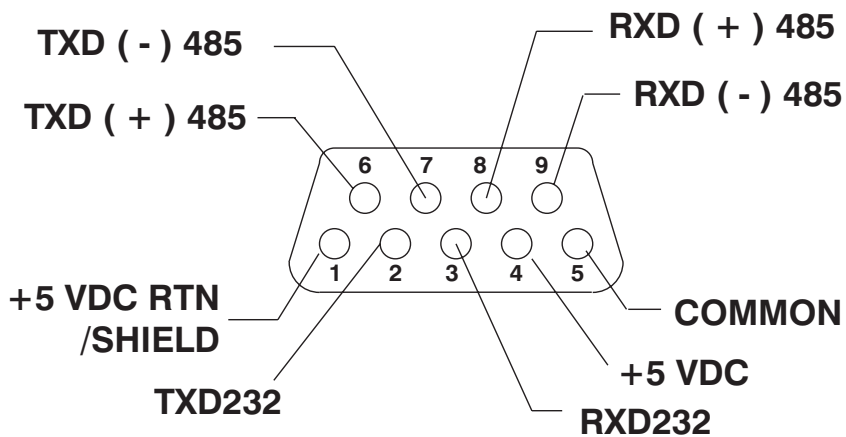
Single- and multi-unit control

- For controlling a single 5345/5445, use RS-232 communications. DIP switch S2 must be set to Address 31 for RS-232 Communications as described in Section 2.6.2.
- For controlling multiple 5345/5445s, RS-422 or RS-485 communications permits a single PC to host from 1 to 31 5345/5445s (each requiring a unique address ranging from 0 to 30, set using DIP switch S2 as described in Section 2.6.2).
- The 5345/5445 utilizes 9600 baud communications with one start bit/one stop bit and eight bit word length in either RS-232 or multidrop format.
- For controlling a single 5345/5445 from a T10 terminal, use RS-232 communications and install cabling as described in section 2.5.3.3, "J3 Serial Port - T10 Connection".

**Serial
input/output
table - J3**

Input/Output	Pin Number	Explanation
+5V Return/ Shield	J3-1	Common/shield - serial port interface.
Txd 232	J3-2	RS-232 transmitter output (from 5345/5445).
Rxd 232	J3-3	RS-232 receiver input (to 5345/5445).
+5 V dc	J3-4	5 Vdc output <i>Note: The total 5 Vdc current from pins J3-4, J6-8 and J7-7 must be less than 450 mA.</i>
+5 V Common	J3-5	Common - serial port interface.
Txd (+) 485	J3-6	RS-485 transmitter output (from 5345/5445).
Txd (-) 485	J3-7	
Rxd (+) 485	J3-8	RS-485 transmitter input (to 5345/5445)
Rxd (-) 485	J3-9	

Cabling diagram



Mating connector

The J3 serial port mating connector, supplied with the unit, is an ITT Cannon DE-9P 9-pin plug-in female D connector.

Cable requirements

Use 22-gauge wire for the cabling. Obtain cable with each I/O pair (refer to the diagram) twisted at about 3 to 4 turns per inch (1 to 1.5 turns per centimeter). As an option, the cable may be shielded to reduce noise pickup.



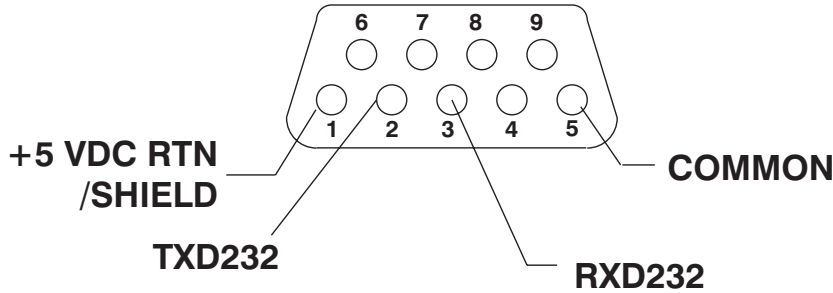
CAUTION

To avoid ground loops, connect ground shield to indexer ground (J3-1) only.

2.5.3.1 J3 Serial Port - RS-232 Connection

Introduction This section shows how to connect your PC's RS-232 port to the 5345/5445.

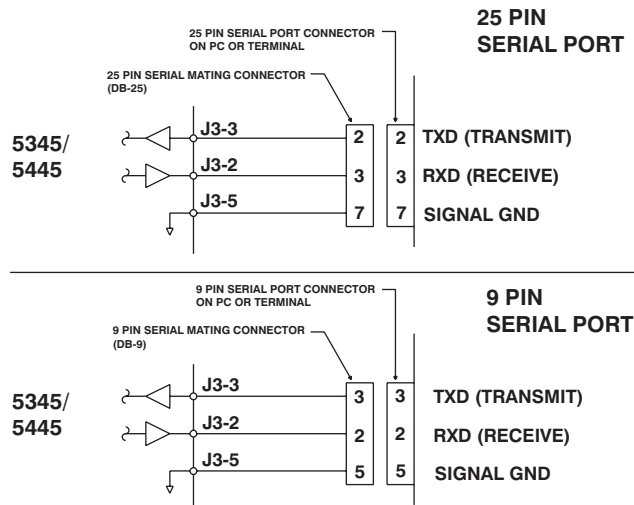
J3 Connections



Build the cable to connect to your computer or terminal by referring to the documentation for the device. Standard RS-232 pinouts for IBM compatible personal computers are shown as follows.

Note: *Pinouts vary among computer manufacturers. Check the hardware reference manual for your machine before wiring the serial port.*

RS-232 Connection



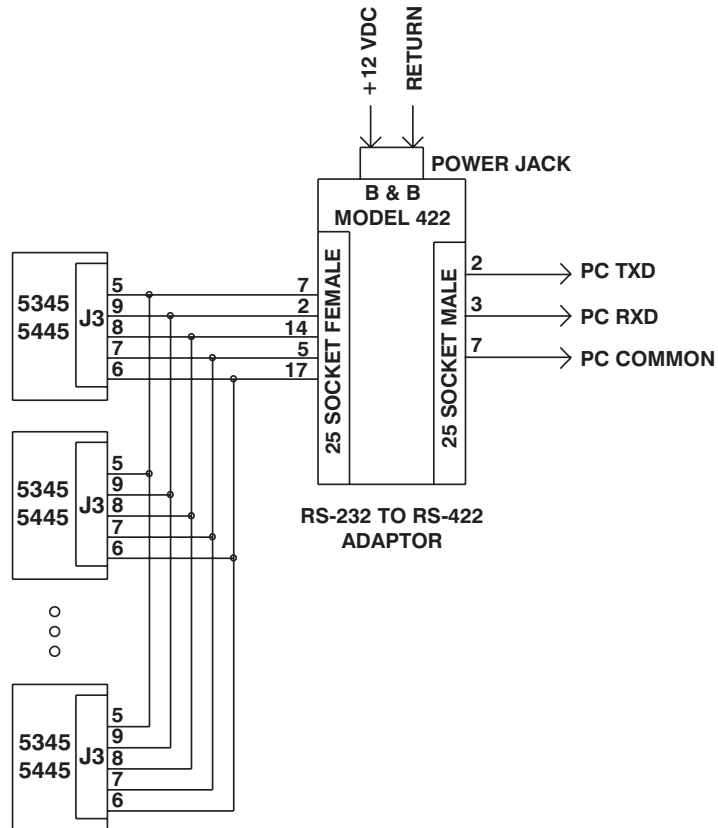
2.5.3.2 J3 Serial Port - RS-422 or RS-485 Connection

Introduction This section describes how to connect your 5345/5445 to devices supporting RS-422/RS-485 communications.

RS-485/RS-422 Connections Up to 31 5345/5445s can be connected in parallel to a multidrop master. The 5345/5445s must each have a unique address, set using DIP switch S2 as described in Section 2.6.2.

RS-485/RS-422 connections to J3 are shown below. A multidrop interconnection diagram, showing multiple axes connected to a single host is also included.

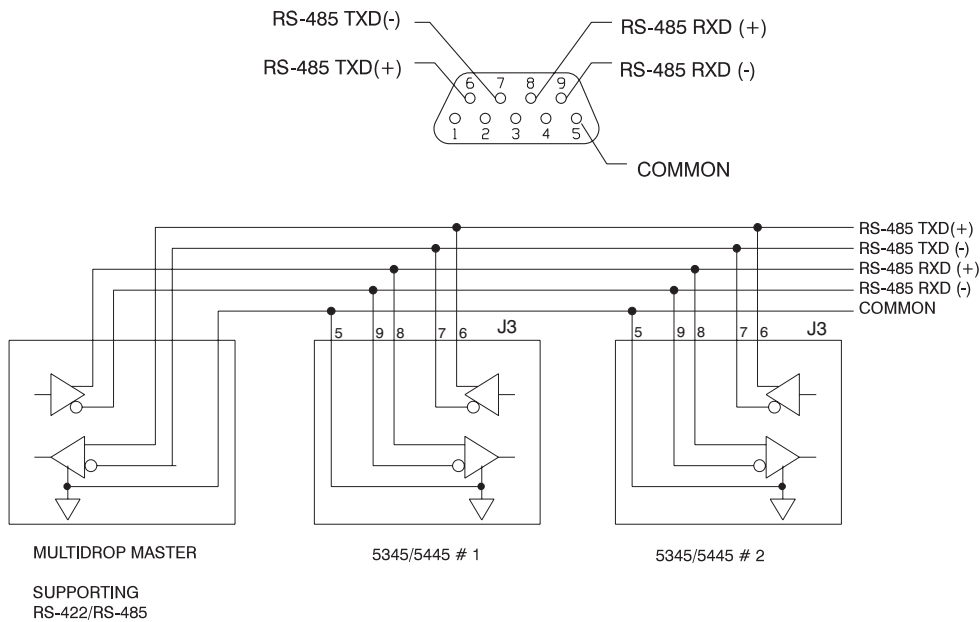
Diagram



**RS-232/RS-485
Converter
installation**

It is often convenient to use an RS-232 to RS-485/RS-422 converter so that an RS-232 port, available on all PCs, can be used to connect multiple axes. The figure below shows a typical installation, using the B & B Model 422 RS-232 to RS-422 adapter. RS-232 to RS-485/RS-422 adapters are available from many sources.

**RS-485/RS-422
pin out diagram**



2.5.3.3 J3 Serial Port - T10 Connection

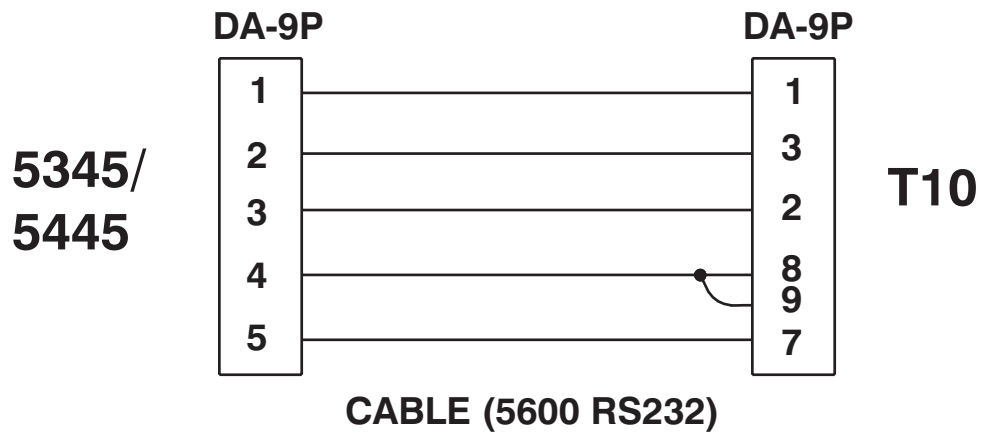
Introduction

This section shows how to connect your 5345/5445 to Pacific Scientific's T10 Terminal.

Note: *The T10 terminal requires a DA-9P 9-pin plug-in male D connector.*

Connection Diagram

Connections between the 5345/5445 and the T10 terminal are shown below:



Parameter Setup

Set up the T10 terminal as follows:

1. Enter the setup mode by pressing the “.” key while power is applied to the T10 (wait until the two letter prompt appears). Refer to the terminal manual for more information.
2. Enter the following values:

VW = 4	default	LE = 0	Local Echo OFF
TM = 0	character mode	EN = 1	Line Terminator (CR)
TD = 0	turnaround delay	KC = 2	Key Click
BR = 2	baud rate (9600)	KR = 1	Key Repeat
DF = 4	8 bits, no parity	CU = 2	Cursor
HS = 0	default (DTR asserted)		

Note: *The 5345/5445 is always configured for 9600 baud, 8 bit, no parity data formats.*

2.5.4 J4 and J5 Discrete Input/Output Connection

Introduction

Connectors J4 and J5 contain all the programmable inputs and outputs for the 5345/5445:

- The 16 inputs are for external discrete switch-type devices. Inputs are used with functions and variables from the program. Seven of the 16 inputs can be used for dedicated functions. The 5345/5445 discrete input circuit is shown at the end of this section, in addition to several driver circuits.
- The 12 outputs are programmable for sending out signals. Output 12 can be dedicated to indicate when the motor is moving. These outputs are driven by open collector NPN transistors and can sink up to 50 ma. Several load configurations are shown at the end of this section.

For information on using the inputs and outputs, refer to the specific variable in the StepperBASIC Programming Manual.

Output table

The following table lists the discrete outputs on connectors J4 and J5.

Output Signal	Pin Number	Explanation
OUT 1	J4-11	Outputs are controlled by the user's program. To turn On an output, set the variable OUTn to 0; to turn it Off, set to 1. For example, if you set OUT6 to 0 in your program, output 6 is active (low), displayed as OUT6 = 0. If you program the pre-defined variable PREDEF.OUT = 1, output 12 (J5-15) will be active (low) whenever the motor is moving.
OUT 2	J4-12	
OUT 3	J4-13	
OUT 4	J4-14	
OUT 5	J4-15	
OUT 6	J4-16	
OUT 7	J5-10	
OUT 8	J5-11	
OUT 9	J5-12	
OUT 10	J5-13	
OUT 11	J5-14	
OUT 12	J5-15	

Input table

The following table lists the discrete inputs on connectors J4 and J5.

Input Signal	Pin Number	Explanation
INP1	J4-2	Inputs 1 to 9 are general purpose inputs. For example, if INP6 is connected to I/O Return (J4-10), then INP6 = 0. You can use inputs to signal events, display messages, go to other programming lines, and so on.
INP2	J4-3	
INP3	J4-4	
INP4	J4-5	
INP5	J4-6	
INP6	J4-7	
INP7	J4-8	
INP8	J4-9	
INP9	J5-1	
INP10	J5-2	Note: <i>Inputs 10 to 16 can be programmed for specific functions. If these inputs are not pre-defined, they act as general purpose inputs. The factory default settings for these inputs are pre-defined, but they can be used as general purpose inputs by setting PREDEF.INPn equal to 0. Functionality of the pre-defined inputs is given below.</i>
INP11	J5-3	
INP12	J5-4	
INP13	J5-5	
INP14	J5-6	
INP15	J5-7	
INP16	J5-8	

Functionality of the pre-defined inputs is given below.

Input or Output Signal	Pin Number	Explanation
Input 10 (Limit +, cw) Input 11 (Limit -, ccw)	J5-2 J5-3	These inputs limit rotation direction. To set: Limit+ (clockwise), program PREDEF.INP10 = 1 Limit -(counter-clockwise), program PREDEF.INP11 = 1
Input 12 (Start)	J5-4	This input starts motor motion using the GO statement, or starts the program using the RUN command. Activate this input by programming PREDEF. INP12 = 1. Change the value of RMT.START for other options.
Input 13 (Stop)	J5-5	This input stops program execution. Any motion in progress is stopped immediately. Activate this input by programming PREDEF.INP13 = 1. Note: <i>Do not use Input 13 for an emergency stop to prevent personal injury. Use a hard-wired switch connected to the power source for an emergency stop.</i>
Input 14 (Jog+, cw) Input 15 (Jog-, ccw)	J5-6 J5-7	These inputs control rotation direction and speed. This function is useful for testing because it only requires an enable signal for automatic motor running; a program is not needed. To set: Jog +, program PREDEF.INP14 = 1 Jog -, program PREDEF.INP15 = 1 Note: <i>Jog inputs will not initiate jogging if a program is running.</i>
Input 16 (Mechanical home switch)	J5-8	This input determines the location of mechanical home. Activate this input by programming SEEK.HOME after connecting a mechanical home switch to the input.

**Functionality
table (cont'd)**

Input or Output Signal	Pin Number	Explanation
No connect	J4-1, J5-17	These pins are not used.
I/O Return	J4-10, J4-17, J5-9, J5-16	These pins provide the ground for the input and output signals.

**Mating
connector**

The J4 and J5 discrete I/O cables are for a PCD 17-pin screw mating connector. The connectors, supplied with the unit, are ELFH17110.

**Cable
requirements**

Use 22- to 14-gauge wire for the cabling.



CAUTION

To avoid ground loops, connect ground shield to user interface only.

Procedure

Connect discrete devices to the 5345/5445 as follows:

1. Refer to the table and connector figure for the desired connections to your discrete devices. Select an I/O RTN for the return to ground for each device. For connection to input or output differential drivers, refer to the following sections.
2. Strip the wires to 0.27 inch (7 mm).
3. Attach the wires to the connector as indicated in the cabling diagram.

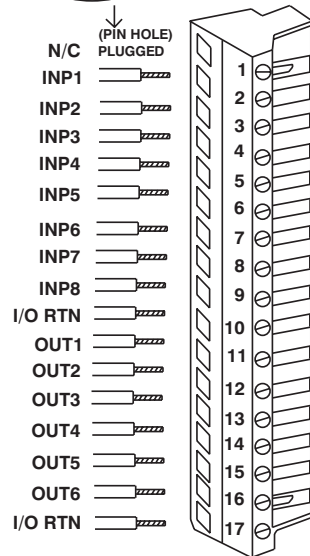
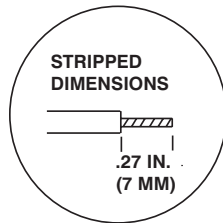
Note: *Make sure the screws on the PCD connector are tightened down firmly on the wiring.*



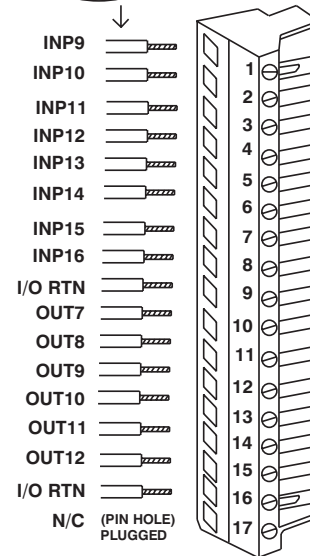
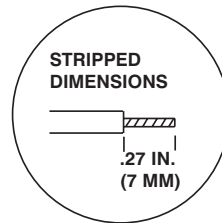
CAUTION

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4. Plug the connector firmly into the 5345/5445.

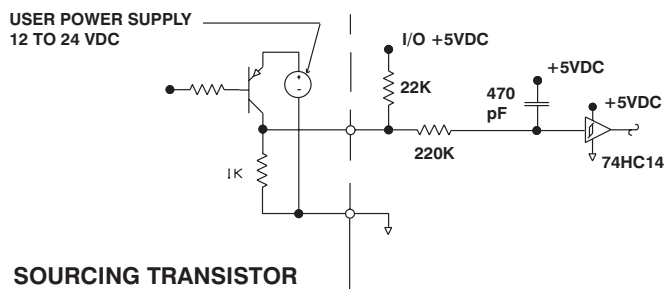
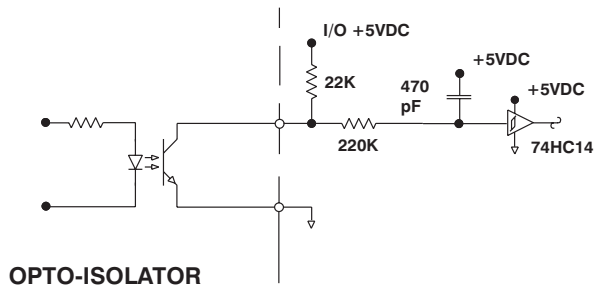
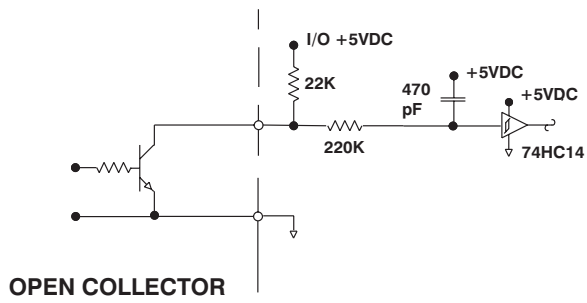
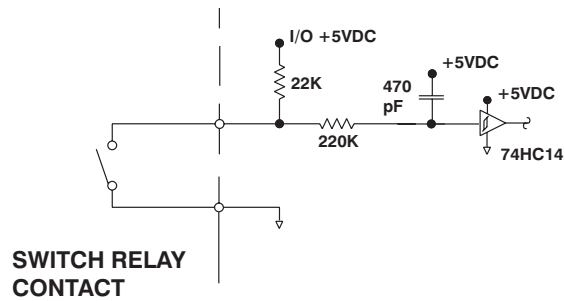


J4 DISCRETE I/O

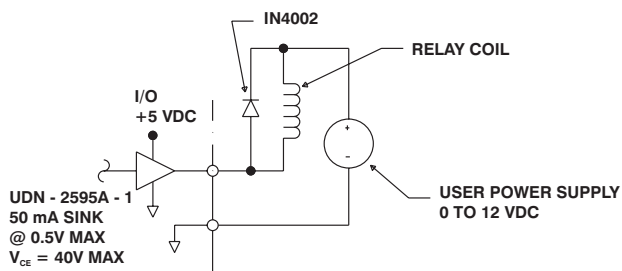


J5 DISCRETE I/O

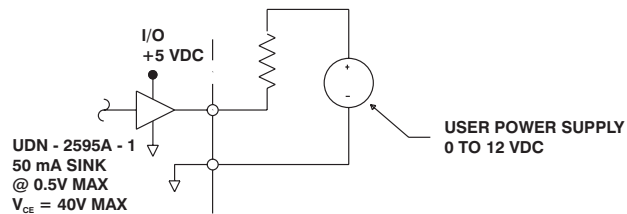
Driving the discrete inputs



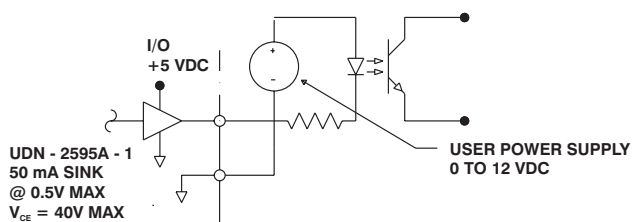
Output differential wiring



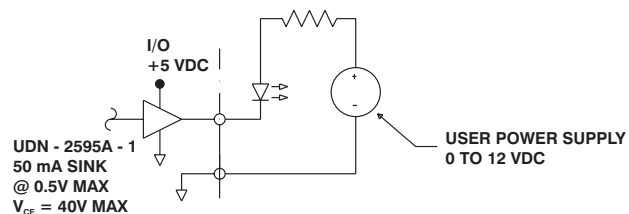
RELAY LOAD



RESISTIVE LOAD



OPTO-ISOLATOR LOAD



LED INDICATOR LOAD

2.5.5 J6 Encoder/Step and Direction Input Connection

Introduction Connector J6 accepts encoder quadrature inputs for A, \bar{A} , B, \bar{B} , Z and \bar{Z} which can be used for electronic gearing, encoder position verification, and stall detection.

Alternatively, a program variable can be set to switch the encoder inputs to external step and direction inputs. These converted inputs are DIR, \bar{DIR} , STEP, and \bar{STEP} .

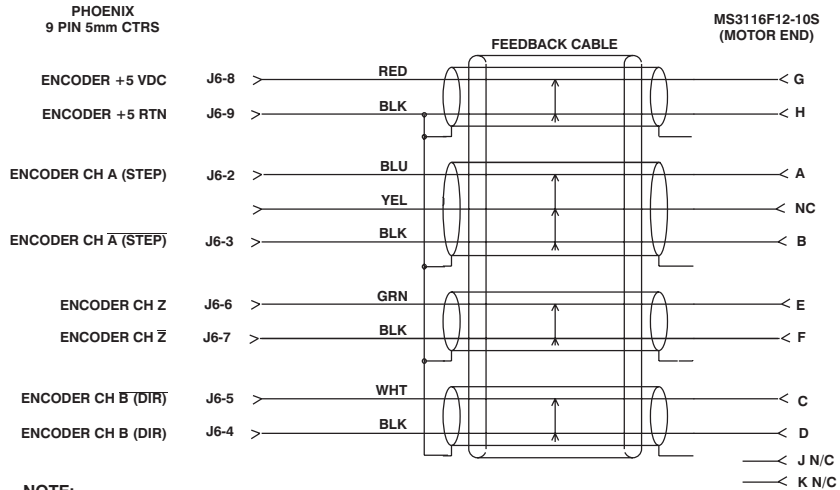
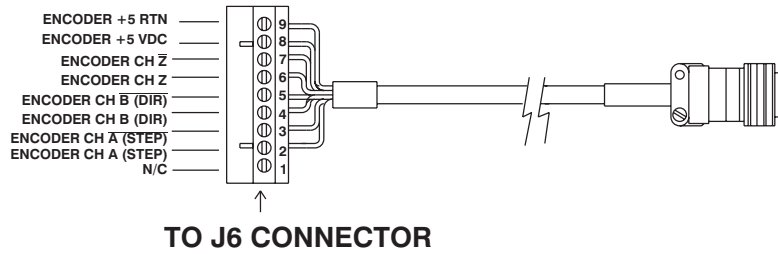
Encoder requirement The encoder must provide quadrature differential, line driver outputs. The receiver IC is an SM75175.

Input table The following table lists the inputs on connector J6:

Input	Pin Number	Explanation
No connect	J6-1	This pin is not used.
Channel A and \bar{A}	J6-2 and J6-3	For the A and \bar{A} quadrature encoder inputs.
Channel B and \bar{B}	J6-4 and J6-5	For the B and \bar{B} quadrature encoder inputs.
Channel Z and \bar{Z}	J6-6 and J6-7	For the Z and \bar{Z} quadrature inputs.
+ 5 V dc	J6-8	To provide power for the encoder. The maximum allowable load on this pin must be an amount that, when added to the load on pins J3-4 and J7-7, totals to less than 450 mA.
+5 V return	J6-9	To provide 5 volt ground. Note: <i>If using external power, you must connect the power supply ground here.</i>
Step and \bar{step}	J6-2 and J6-3	Alternative input used with STEP.DIR.INPUT = 1 to input step signals for external control.
Direction and $\bar{direction}$	J6-4 and J6-5	Alternative input used with STEP.DIR.INPUT = 1 to input direction signals for external control.

Pacific Scientific cable diagram

If the encoder cable is purchased from Pacific Scientific, install as follows. The Pacific Scientific order number is SEC-xxx, where "xxx" is the length in one-foot increments. For example, SEC-050 is a cable 50 feet long. This cable connects the 5345/5445 to the encoders on Pacific Scientific system stepper motors.



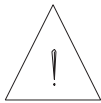
- NOTE:**
1. INDIVIDUALLY INSULATE SHIELD DRAIN AT MOTOR END.
 2. INDIVIDUALLY INSULATE UNUSE WIRE AT BOTH ENDS.

Mating connector

The J6 discrete I/O cables are for a PCD 9-pin screw mating connector. The connector, supplied with the unit, is ELFH09110.

Cable requirements

Use 22- to 14-gauge wire for the cabling.

**CAUTION**

To avoid ground loops, connect ground shield to user interface only.

Procedure

Connect the encoder or step and direction inputs to the 5345/5445 as follows:

1. Refer to the table and connector figure for the desired input connections. Connect the +5 RTN if using the +5 V dc for the encoder.
2. Strip the wires to 0.27 inch (7 mm).
3. Attach the wires to the connector as indicated in the cabling diagram.

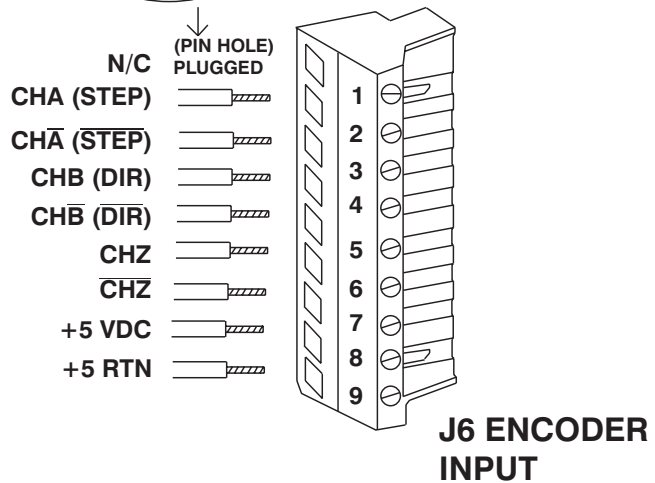
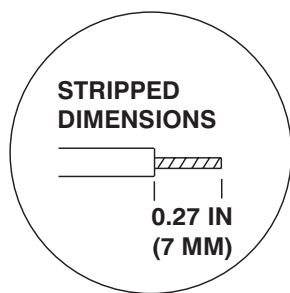
Note: *Make sure the screws on the PCD connector are tightened down firmly on the wiring.*

**CAUTION**

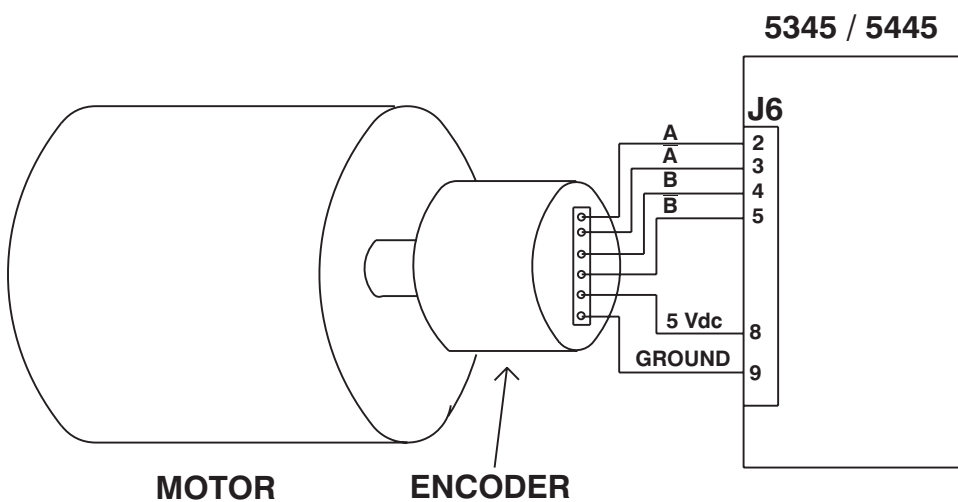
Do not pre-tin (solder) the tips of the cables going into the PCD connector. This can result in a loose connection.

4. Plug the connector firmly into the 5345/5445.

**Cabling
diagram**



**Typical
encoder
connection**



2.5.6 J7 Step and Direction Output Connection

Introduction

Connector J7 outputs step and direction pulses so that external devices can follow step and direction from the 5345/5445. Using these outputs you may control up to two 5645, 5630, 5445 or 5430 drives. The enable input and the fault outputs for the 5345/5445 are also located on J7.

Note: *The Step and Direction outputs are active if the controller is enabled and motion is being commanded.*

Output table

The following table lists the outputs on connector J7:

Output	Pin Number	Explanation
<u>Step out and step out</u>	J7-1 and J7-2	Outputs step signals for controlling external devices. Sinks up to 24 mA.
<u>Direction out and direction out</u>	J7-3 and J7-4	Outputs direction signals for controlling external devices. Sinks up to 24 mA.
Enable	J7-5	Input to enable the 5345/5445 for operation. Connect this input to the I/O Return to enable the 5345/5445.
I/O return	J7-6	Provides ground for the enable input and 5 V output.
+5 V dc	J7-7	Provides power for an external device. The maximum allowable load on this pin must be an amount that, when added to the load on pins J3-4 and J6-8, totals to less than 450 mA.
Fault out	J7-8	This open collector NPN transistor output is ON (low) if no fault and OFF (high) if fault.
No connect	J7-9	This pin is not used.

Mating connector

The J7 discrete output cables are for a PCD 9-pin screw mating connector. The connector, supplied with the unit, is ELFH09110.

Cable requirements

Use 22- to 14-gauge wire for the cabling. Obtain cable for output pairs (refer to table) twisted at about 3 to 4 turns per inch (1 to 1.5 turns per centimeter). As an option, the cable may be shielded to reduce noise pickup.

**CAUTION**

To avoid ground loops, connect ground shield to user interface only.

Procedure

Connect the step and direction outputs to the 5345/5445 as follows:

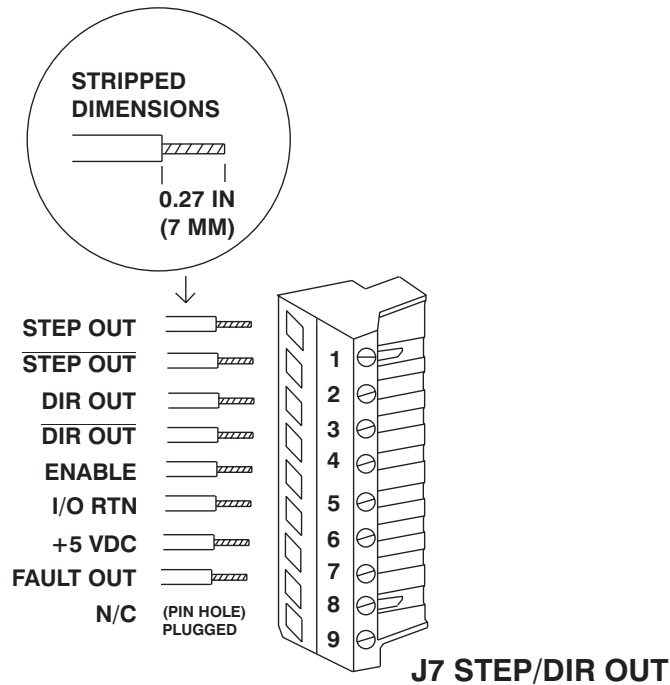
1. Refer to the table and connector figure for the desired input connections. Use the I/O RTN with the enable and if using the +5 V dc for a device.
2. Strip the wires to 0.27 inch (7 mm).
3. Attach the wires to the connector as indicated in the cabling diagram.

Note: Make sure the screws on the PCD connector are tightened down firmly on the wiring.

**CAUTION**

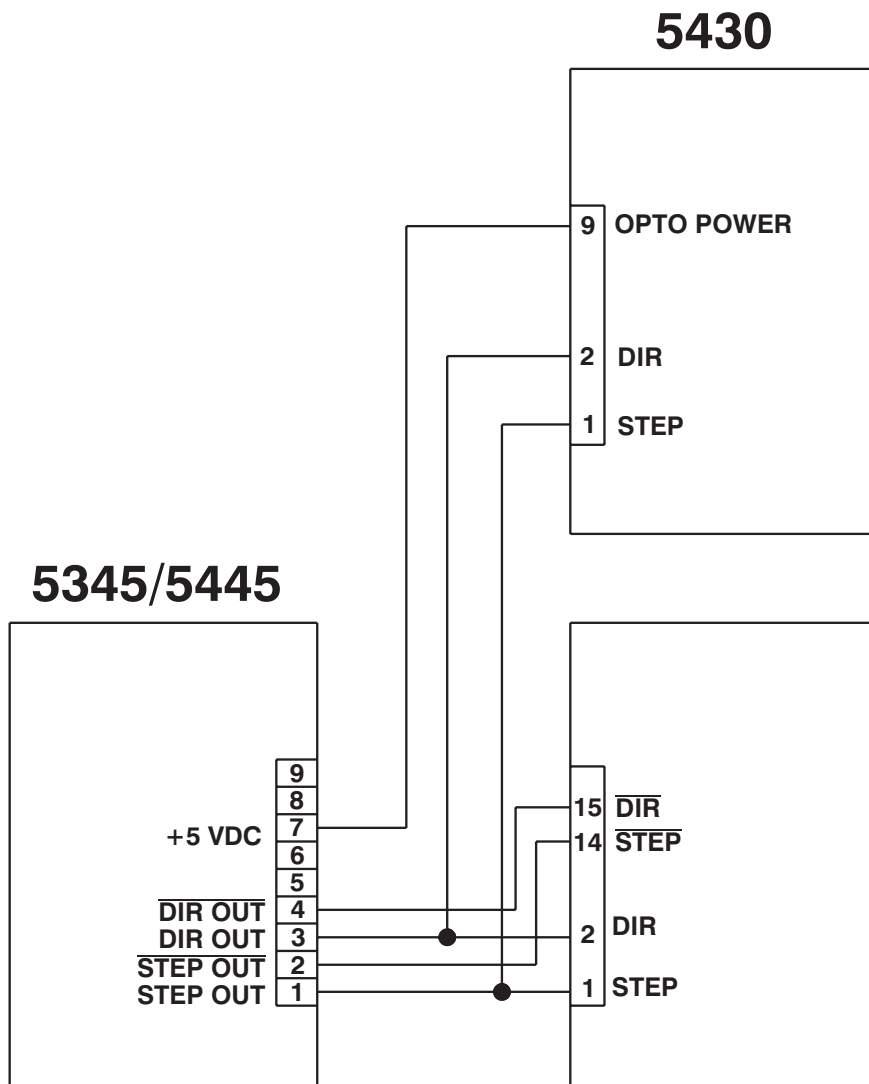
Do not pre-tin (solder) the tips of the cables going into the PCD connector. This can result in a loose connection.

4. Plug the connector firmly into the 5345/5445.
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Step and direction inputs for other drives

Pin outputs for other units are shown as follows:



NOTE: THE 5345/5445 STEP/DIR OUTPUTS CAN DRIVE TWO 5630 OR 5430 STEP/DIR INPUTS MAXIMUM

2.6 Setting the Switches

Introduction

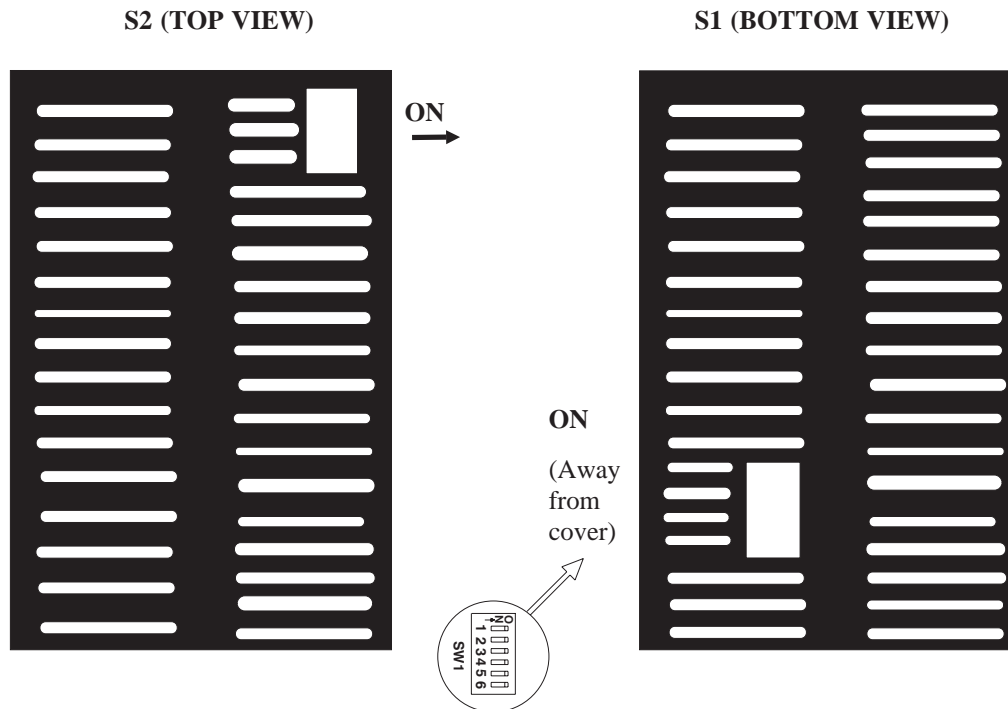
Two switches are used to define functions and set the serial address

- S1 - sets step size, mid-range instability control, idle current reduction and current setting as described in section 2.6.1, “Setting Up Functions Using Switch S1.”
- S2 - sets serial addresses for multiple 5345/5445 operation with RS-485 and RS-422 communication as described in section 2.6.2., “Setting Up Functions Using Switch S2.”

Groups of individual switches on switch S1 enable or disable these functions.

Location

The switches are accessed through the top and bottom cover of the 5345/5445 as shown:



Note: The arrows show the “ON” switch position referenced in the tables that follow.

2.6.1 Setting Up Functions Using Switch S1

In this section

To understand and set up function:	Refer to section
Step Size	2.6.1.1
Mid-range Instability Control	2.6.1.2
Idle Current Reduction	2.6.1.3
Microstep Current Boost	2.6.1.4

2.6.1.1 Step Set Up Using Switch S1

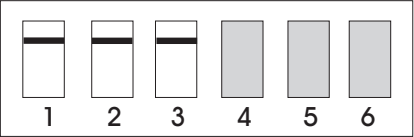
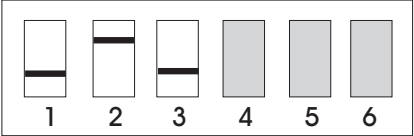
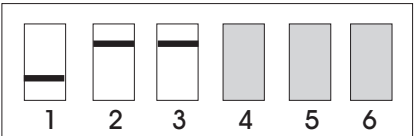
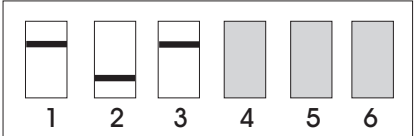
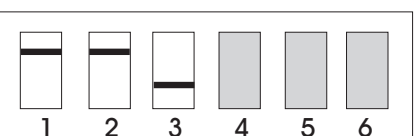
Definition The step size sets the amount of rotation per input step. You may select from among five step sizes.

Benefits Selecting a microstep size of 1/5 or smaller results in:

- Higher resolution
- Smoother low speed operation
- In some applications, ability to operate in low-speed resonance region

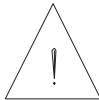
Procedure

With the power Off, select the step size you desire by setting the switch positions 1, 2 and 3 as follows:

To set step size as ...	Move switch SW1 settings to
full- 200 steps/motor rev.	
1/2 - 400 steps/motor rev.	
1/5 - 1,000 steps/motor rev.	
1/25 - 5,000 steps/motor rev. (Default factory setting)	
1/125 - 25,000 steps/motor rev.	

CAUTION

Do not set the switches to non-specified positions. A non-specified step size position will disable the unit and cause the FAULT LED to light.

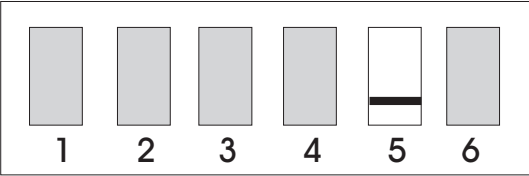
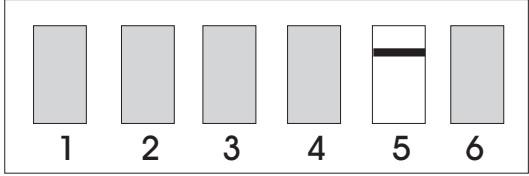


2.6.1.2 Mid-Range Instability Control Set Up Using Switch S1

Definition Mid-range instability and the resulting loss of torque occurs in any step motor/drive system due to the motor back EMF modulating the motor winding currents at certain speeds. Enable the mid-range instability function if your application is affected by loss of torque at mid-range speeds. When enabled, the circuitry advances or delays the switching of the output transistors with respect to the incoming pulse to damp the instability.

Benefit This feature controls torque at mid-range speeds. When enabled, the motor maintains torque at mid-range operation, provided the torque load does not exceed motor torque ratings.

Procedure With the power OFF, enable or disable mid-range instability by setting switch position 5 as follows:

To set control to ...	Move switch SW1 settings to
Enable (Default factory setting)	
Disable	

2.6.1.3 Idle Current Reduction Set Up Using Switch S1

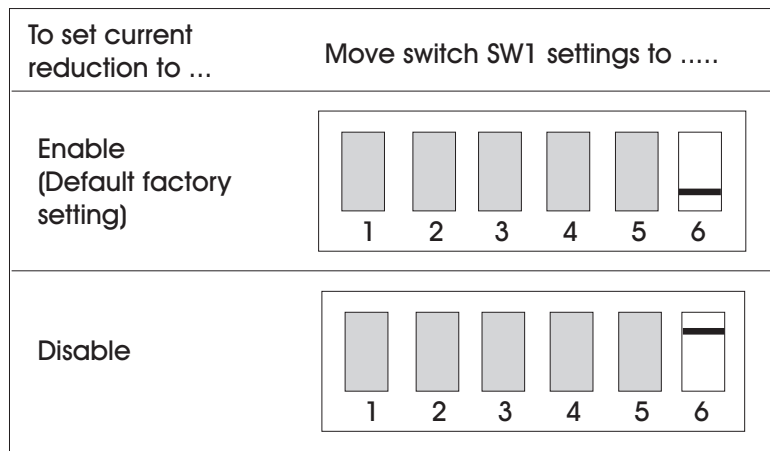
Definition The Idle Current Reduction (ICR) function reduces the phase current at times when the motor motion is commanded. Current to both windings is reduced to one-half nominal value.

This function requires approximately one second without a step input before reducing power. Current is maintained at this level until a step pulse is received. Then the drive returns the phase currents to the previously set value and the step occurs.

Note: *When ICR is enabled, the holding torque generated by the motor is reduced by approximately 50%.*

- Benefits** The ICR function:
- Reduces motor and drive heating during stand-by operation.
 - Reduces 5345/5445 power dissipation.
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Procedure With the power OFF, enable or disable idle current reduction by setting position 6 as follows:

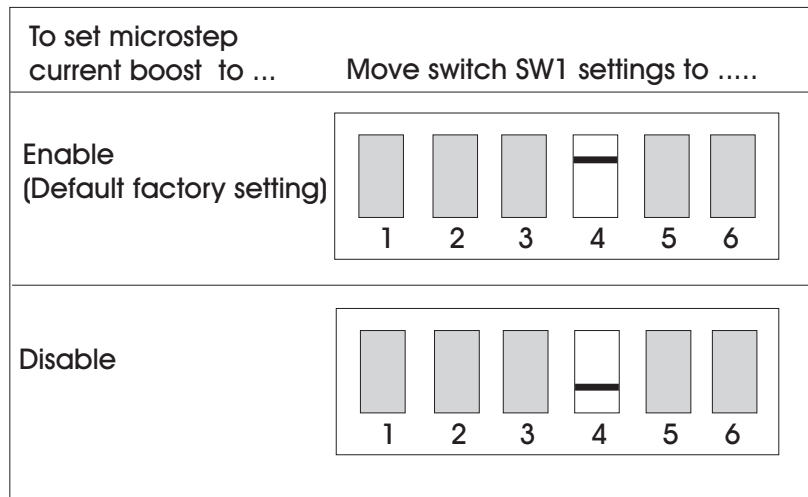


2.6.1.4 Microstep Current Boost Set Up

Definition The current boost selection sets the drive current in microstep mode at speeds above 500 Full Steps/sec. With current boost enabled, driver microstep current is boosted 1.4 times rate microstepping current at step rates above 500 full steps per second. With current boost enabled, driver supplies rated microstep current at all step rates.

Benefit Due to sine/cosine current excitation in the microstepping mode, the actual RMS current level while microstepping is 70% of the full step rated current. The microstep current boost feature allows the motor microstep current to be boosted 1.4 times at step rates above 500 full steps per second.

Procedure With the power OFF, enable or disable microstep current boost by moving the switches to the appropriate positions as follows:



2.6.2 Setting Up the Serial Address Using Switch S2

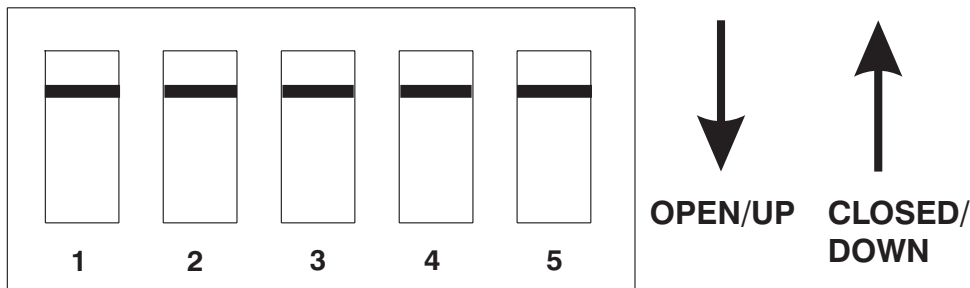
Definition

This switch:

- determines if you are using RS-232 or RS-422/RS-485 communications.
 - sets the address required for each 5345/5445 on the RS-422 or RS-485 bus.
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Procedure

The following diagram shows switch S2.



The switches are:

- ON in the closed/down position
- OFF in the open/up position

1. Remove power from the 5345/5445.
2. Refer to the table to set the 5345/5445 to the appropriate address.

Note: Addresses 0 to 30 are for RS-422/485 operation. Address 31 is for RS-232 operation.

1. Each 5345/5445 sub-system connected to the multidrop master must have a unique serial address. Addresses 0 to 30 are for RS-422/RS-485 operation.
2. RS-232 requires that all switches are in the up position (address 31).

S1 Address Table

Address	1	2	3	4	5	Address	1	2	3	4	5
0	On	On	On	On	On	16	On	On	On	On	Off
1	Off	On	On	On	On	17	Off	On	On	On	Off
2	On	Off	On	On	On	18	On	Off	On	On	Off
3	Off	Off	On	On	On	19	Off	Off	On	On	Off
4	On	On	Off	On	On	20	On	On	Off	On	Off
5	Off	On	Off	On	On	21	Off	On	Off	On	Off
6	On	Off	Off	On	On	22	On	Off	Off	On	Off
7	Off	Off	Off	On	On	23	Off	Off	Off	On	Off
8	On	On	On	Off	On	24	On	On	On	Off	Off
9	Off	On	On	Off	On	25	Off	On	On	Off	Off
10	On	Off	On	Off	On	26	On	Off	On	Off	Off
11	Off	Off	On	Off	On	27	Off	Off	On	Off	Off
12	On	On	Off	Off	On	28	On	On	Off	Off	Off
13	Off	On	Off	Off	On	29	Off	On	Off	Off	Off
14	On	Off	Off	Off	On	30	On	Off	Off	Off	Off
15	Off	Off	Off	Off	On	31*	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off

* For RS-232 operation (factory default)

4. Reconnect power to the 5345/5445.
5. Repeat steps 1 through 4 for other 5345/5445 units on the bus. Make sure to give the other units unique addresses.

3 Powering Up the 5345/5445 Microstep Indexer/Drive

In this Chapter This chapter explains how to power up the 5345/5445 after installation. Topics are:

- Testing the installation
- Troubleshooting
- Repairing or replacing the 5345/5445

3.1 Testing the Installation

Background Perform the following test procedure to verify that the 5345/5445 is installed properly, and that it was not damaged internally during shipment.

Configuration The installation test power-up procedure requires a motor and computer or terminal to test the basic functionality of the 5345/5445. A computer or terminal is required for complete testing.

Procedure First, connect the computer or terminal by referring to Chapter 1 in the Programming Manual, “Setting up for Programming” (use the “Terminal Emulator” Mode for this test). Test your installation as follows:

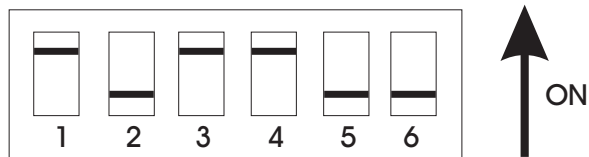


WARNING

Perform this initial power-up with the motor shaft disconnected from the load. Improper wiring or undiscovered shipping damage could result in undesired motor motion. Be prepared to remove power if excessive motion occurs.

Connections test

1. Check over all wiring and mounting and verify correct installation. Especially check the 120/230 Vac connections, the motor connections, and the grounding.
2. With the power Off, verify that the switch S1 settings are set as follows. The 5345/5445 leaves the factory with these settings.



These settings enable the mid-range instability control, enable idle current reduction, set the step size to 1/25 step, and enable microstep current boost.



WARNING

Make sure the 120/230 Vac power is removed before proceeding.

3. Unplug the J1 motor connector.
4. Switch On the 120/230 Vac power. Check that the POWER LED is the only LED On.
5. Again switch the power Off.
6. Connect the J1 motor connector.
7. Switch On the 120/230 Vac power. Check that the POWER LED is the only LED On. If the POWER LED is On, the connections to the motor are OK.

Signals test

1. Enable the 5345/5445 (connect input pin 5 to pin 6 on J7).
2. Verify that the motor has holding torque by attempting to rotate the motor shaft. The energized motor shaft is either immovable or very resistant to rotation when the 5345/5445 is enabled.
3. Jog the motor (connect input pin 7 to pin 9 on J5). The motor moves at the default jog speed.
4. Remove the jog input.
5. From the terminal or computer, type GO.VEL <enter>. This moves the motor at the default run speed.
6. Type DIR = 1 <enter>. This changes the default direction (if DIR = 0 was the initial setting).
Repeat Step 5. The motor should run in the reverse direction.
7. Continue exercising the unit, testing it in your application.

Getting help

If you need further help with your installation, contact Pacific Scientific at 978-988-9800 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, or contact your Pacific Scientific distributor.

3.2 Troubleshooting

Introduction The LEDs located on the front panel indicate unit status and are useful for troubleshooting. A table of the LEDs referencing the appropriate section for troubleshooting is located below.

Fault output The fault output is located on pin 8 of the J7 connector. This output is active when the unit is enabled and no fault condition is present.

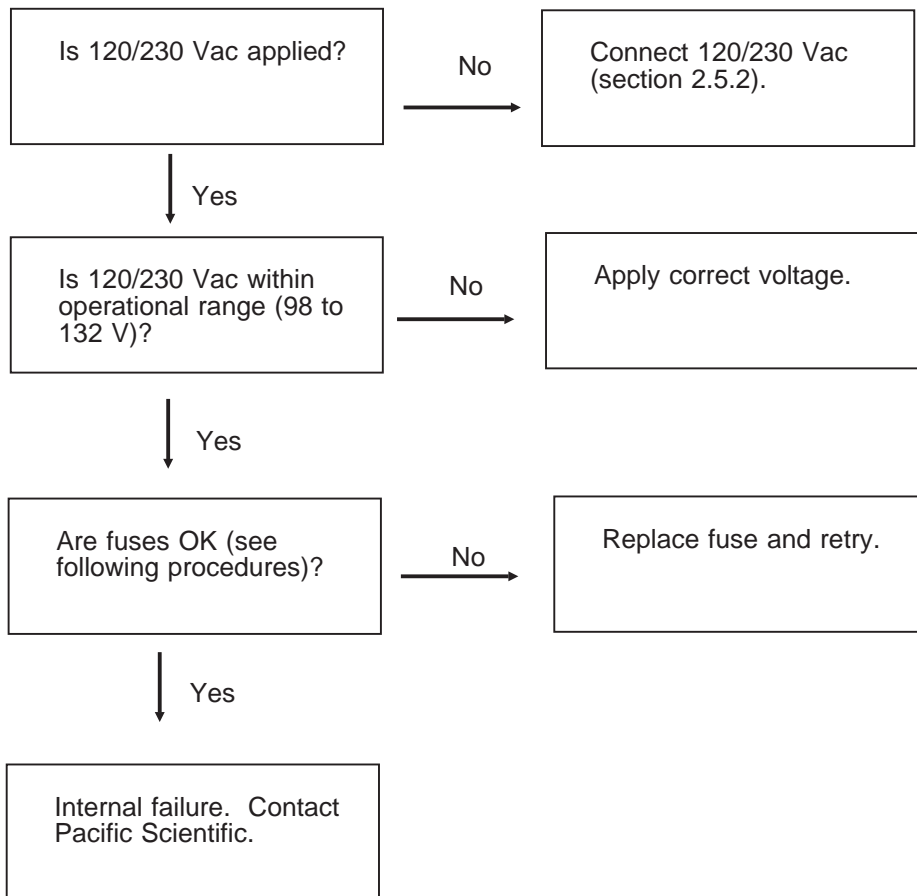
LED Indicators

When this LED is On...	It signifies...	Troubleshoot using section...
POWER	Connection to 120/230 Vac power is within operational levels	3.2.1
DISABLE	DS1 LED illuminates for internal drive disable conditions.	3.2.2

Note: *If the LEDs are not affected by commands over the serial link, there may be a communications problem. See Section 3.2.3.*

3.2.1 POWER LED Not On - 5345/5445 Does Not Power Up

Procedure Follow this procedure if the 5345/5445 POWER LED will not light when power is applied:



Fuse replacement



If an open fuse is suspected, replace the fuse as follows. Usually a fuse failure indicates a problem requiring factory repair.

1. Remove power and wait five minutes to allow the charge on the capacitors to dissipate.

WARNING

Do not operate the unit with the cover removed. Contact with energized components causes severe shock or burn.

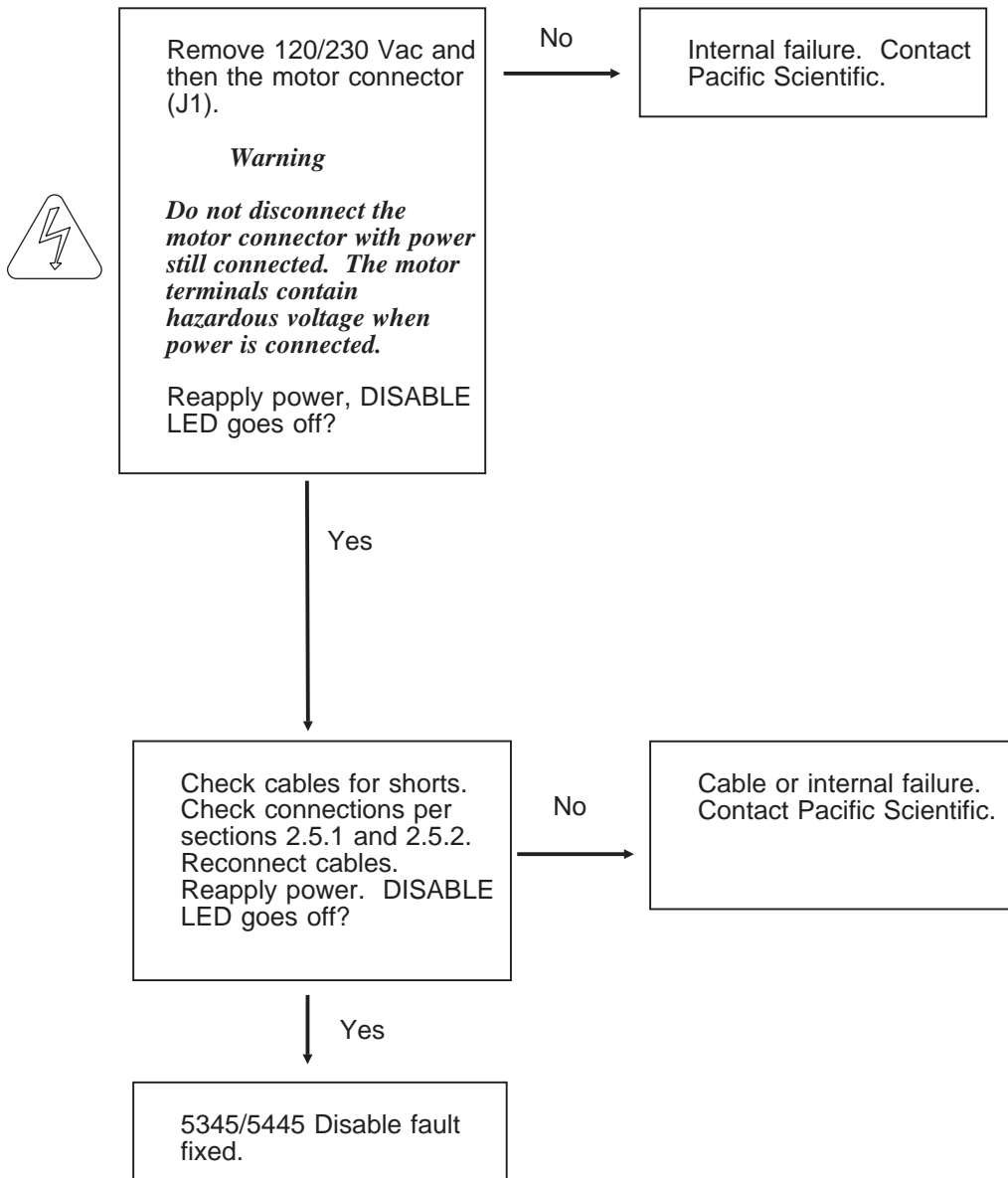
2. Remove the 10 phillips-head screws located on the sides of the 5345/5445.
3. Remove the cover.
4. Check the fuses, F1 and F2, located by the J1 120/230 Vac connector. Replace open fuses as follows:

Replace fuse...	With Buss [®] type...
F1	MDA 10 amp
F2	MDA 10 amp

5. Replace the cover.

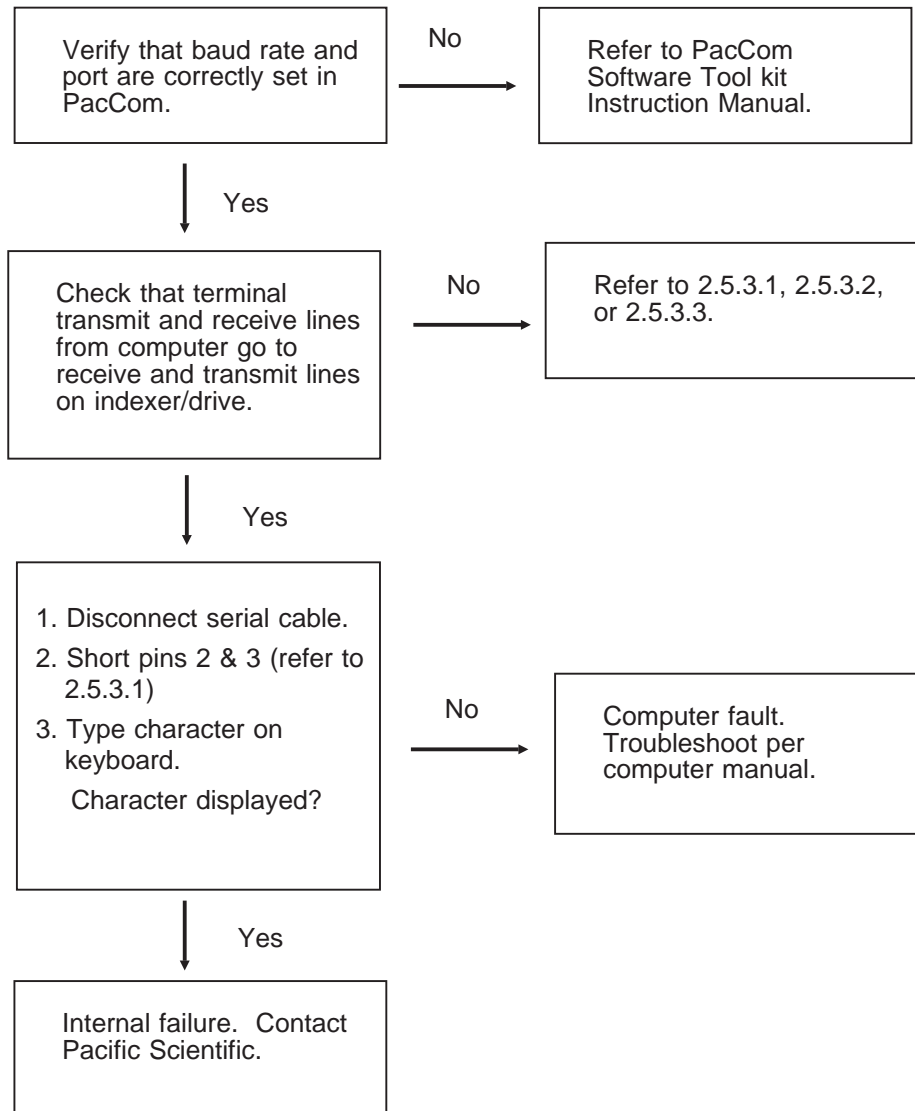
3.2.2 DISABLE FAULT LED On - 5345/5445 Disable Fault

Procedure Follow this procedure if the 5345/5445 DISABLE LED lights during operation:



3.2.3 Communications Interface Fault

Procedure Follow this procedure if the terminal does not communicate with the indexer/drive:



**5345/5445
defective**

If you cannot correct the problem, return the drive to Pacific Scientific for replacement.

**Return
procedure**

1. Call Pacific Scientific at (978) 988-9800 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time to get a Returned Materials Authorization Number (RMA#).

Note: *Do not attempt to return the drive, motor or any other equipment without a valid RMA#. Returns received without a valid RMA# are not accepted and are returned to the sender.*

2. Pack the drive in its original shipping carton. Pacific Scientific is not responsible or liable for damage resulting from improper packaging or shipment.
3. Ship the 5345/5445 to:

Pacific Scientific

Motion Technology Division

110 Fordham Road

Wilmington, MA 01887

Attn: Repair Department, RMA# _____

Note: *Do not ship Pacific Scientific motors to the above address. The correct address for motor returns is:*

Pacific Scientific

Motor Products Division

4301 Kishwaukee Street

Rockford, IL 61105

Attn: Motor Repair Department, RMA# _____

Shipment of your 5345/5445 or motor to Pacific Scientific constitutes authorization to repair the unit. Refer to Pacific Scientific's repair policy for standard repair charges. Your unit will be repaired and return-shipped via UPS Ground delivery. If another means of shipping is desired, please specify this at the time of receiving an RMA#.

Appendix A - Specifications

Electrical

Input voltage 120 Vac ($\pm 15\%$) 50/60 Hz

OR

230 Vac ($\pm 10\%$) single phase, 50/60 Hz
(5345-230/5445-230 ONLY)

Input current	<u>5345</u>	<u>5445</u>
	2.5 A RMS maximum	5 A RMS maximum

Fuse Buss MDA 10 on Vac line
Buss MDA 10 on Vac line

Drive circuit Two-phase bipolar, chopper current regulated

Bus voltage 65 Vdc nominal at input voltage

Rated current	<u>5345</u>	<u>5445</u>
	2.5 A rms (full step)	5 A rms (full step)
	1.75 A rms (microstepping)	3.5 A rms (microstepping)

Step size	<u>Switch selectable</u>	<u>Steps/motor (1.8° stepper motor)</u>
	Full	200
	1/2	400
	1/5	1,000
	1/25	5,000
	1/125	25,000

- Step input-output lag**
1. With mid-range instability control **enabled** and with step frequencies less than 500 full steps per second, input-to-output lag is **less than 500 microseconds**.
At step frequencies greater than 500 full steps per second, input-to-output lag is **less than 270 degrees** of the input step pulse period.
 2. With mid-range instability control **disabled**, input-to-output lag is **less than 10 microseconds** for all step frequencies.
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Chopper frequency 20 kHz, nominal (inaudible)

Maximum pulse rate	<u>Switch selectable:</u>	<u>Pulses/second:</u>
	full step	40,000 pulses/second
	1/2 step	80,000 pulses/second
	1/5	100,000 pulses/second
	1/25	500,000 pulses/second
	1/125	500,000 pulses/second

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- Minimum ramp time**
1. With mid-range instability control enabled -**50 milliseconds to 20,000 full steps/sec.**
 2. With mid-range instability control disabled -**no minimum.**

Environmental

Operating temperature

5445 - 0 to 50 degrees C at full rated current
5345 - 0 to 60 degrees C at full rated current
0 to 60 degrees C with idle current reduction enabled (microstep mode)

Storage temperature

-25 degrees to 85 degrees C

Humidity

10 to 90%, noncondensing

Altitude

5,000 feet (1500 meters)

Mechanical

Power dissipation

For an estimate of the power dissipation for use in cabinet cooling requirements, use the values shown:

For an RMS current of (amps):	Use a value of (watts):
5.0	50
2.5	20

Dimensions

Refer to section 2.4

Weight

17 lbs.

Appendix B - Order Number & Ordering Information

Background This appendix lists the 5345/5445 part numbers and gives information on ordering.

5345/5445 part number table

Part	Order Number	Comment
Microstep Indexer/Drive	5345/5445	5345 - 2.5 A RMS 5445 - 5.0 A RMS
Connector kit	106-564500-01	PCD 3-, 5-, 9-, and 17-pin connectors and 9-pin D connector with housing.
Installation Manual	903-544501-04	
Programming Manual	903-564502-02	
Motor cable	SPC-xxx	xxx represents length in feet; for example, SPC-005 is a cable 5 feet long. For lengths over 50 feet, contact Pacific Scientific. The connectors are MS on the motor end and PCD on the drive end to connect Pacific Scientific motors.
Encoder Cable	SEC-xxx	xxx represents length in feet; for example, SEC-010 is a cable 10 feet long. For cable lengths over 50 feet, contact Pacific Scientific. The connectors are MS.



How to order	Contact Pacific Scientific to order these parts.
Call	978-988-9800 from 8am to 5pm Eastern Standard Time.
Fax	978-988-9940
Write	Pacific Scientific Motion Technology Division 110 Fordham Road Wilmington, MA 01887

Appendix C - Series/Parallel Connections

Introduction

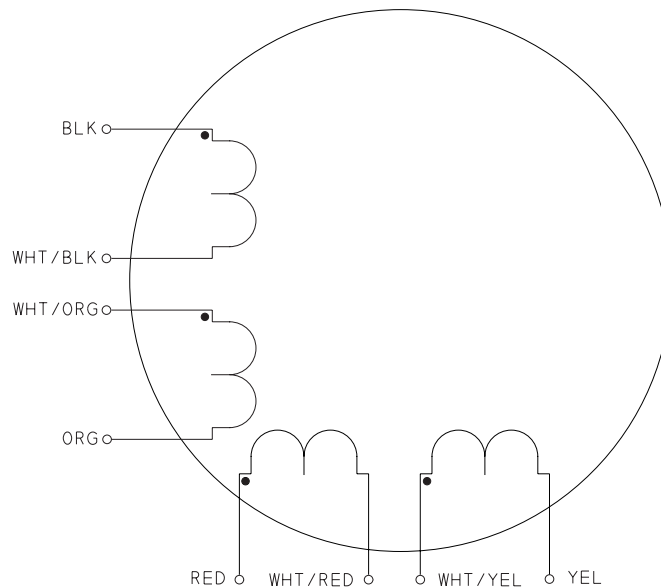
Several motor connections are possible when using a bipolar drive.

- 8-lead motor
- 6-lead motor
- 4-lead motor

The various connection schemes produce different torque/speed characteristics. They also affect the current rating in the motor.

8-lead motor

The 8-lead motor is the most versatile configuration. It can be connected by the user in either an 8-lead, 4-lead (series or parallel) or 6-lead configuration.



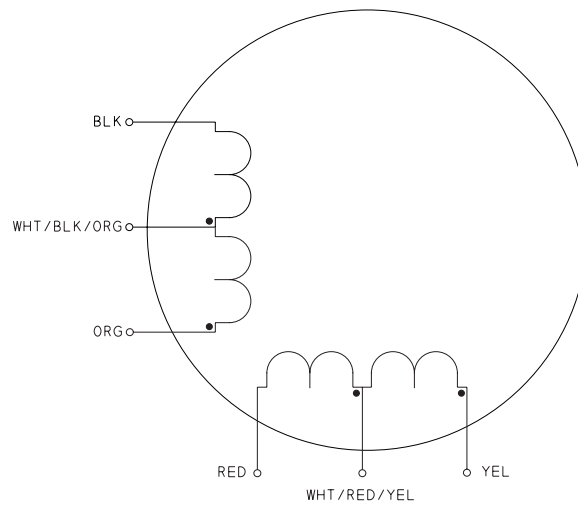
**Connection
table**

Refer to the table below for detailed connection information.

Connection	Terminal #	Lead Color	Driver Connection
4-lead bipolar series	1	Black (Blk)	A
	3	Orange (Org)	\bar{A}
	2	Red	B
	4	Yellow (Yel)	\bar{B}
	6 & 5	Wht/Blk & Wht/Org	none
	7 & 8	Wht/Red & Wht/Yel	none
4-lead bipolar parallel	1 & 5	Blk & Wht/Org	A
	3 & 6	Org & Wht/Blk	\bar{A}
	2 & 7	Red & Wht/Yel	B
	4 & 8	Yel & Wht/Red	\bar{B}
6-lead unipolar	1	Black (Blk)	A
	3	Orange (Org)	\bar{A}
	2	Red	B
	4	Yellow (Yel)	\bar{B}
	6 & 5	Wht/Blk & Wht/Org	none
	7 & 8	Wht/Red & Wht/Yel	none

6-lead motor

The 6-lead motor is normally used with unipolar drives. In some cases, the 6-lead motor can be used in a 4-lead series configuration for use with bipolar drives.



Connection table

Refer to the table below for detailed connection information.

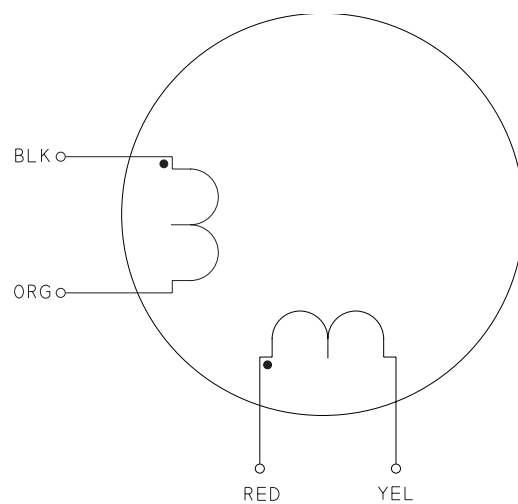
Connection	Terminal #	Lead Color	Driver Connection
6-lead unipolar	1	Black (Blk)	A
	3	Orange (Org)	\bar{A}
	2	Red	B
	4	Yellow (Yel)	\bar{B}
	5	Wht/Blk/Org	open
	6	Wht/Red/Yel	open

Connection	Terminal #	Lead Color	Driver Connection
4-lead bipolar series	1	Black (Blk)	A
	3	Orange (Org)	\bar{A}
	2	Red	B
	4	Yellow (Yel)	\bar{B}
	5	Wht/Blk/Org	None
	6	Wht/Red/Yel	None

Note: Terminals 7 and 8 are not used.

4-lead motor

The 4-lead motor is for use only with bipolar drives.



Connection table

Refer to the table below for detailed connection information.

Connection	Terminal #	Lead Color	Driver Connection
4-lead bipolar	1	Black (Blk)	A
	2	Orange (Org)	\bar{A}
	3	Red	B
	4	Yellow (Yel)	\bar{B}

Note: *Terminals 5, 6, 7 and 8 are not used.*

Winding Connections**Series**

Connecting both halves in series results in the drive current flowing through twice as many turns compared with using one half-winding only. For identical currents, this doubles the “amp-turn” and produces a corresponding increase in torque. In practice, the torque increase is seldom 100% due to the non-linearity of the magnetic material. Equally, the same torque will be produced at half the drive current when the windings are in series.

Doubling the effective number of turns in the windings means that the inductance increases by a factor of four. This causes the torque to drop off much more rapidly as speed increases. As a result, the series mode is only useful at low speeds. The maximum shaft power obtainable in series is typically half that available in parallel using the same current setting on the drive.

Conversely, connecting the windings in series will double the total resistance and the current rating is reduced by a factor of 1.4. This provides a safe current of 3.5 amps for a 5.0 amp motor series.

Parallel

A winding that can be connected in parallel is either an 8-lead motor or 6-lead motor.

8-lead

Connecting the two half-windings of an 8-lead motor in parallel allows the current to divide itself between the two coils. It does not change the effective number of turns and therefore the inductance remains the same. At a given drive current, the torque characteristics will be the same for the two half-windings in parallel as it is for one of the windings on its own.

Connecting the windings of an 8-lead motor in parallel has the same effect as halving the total resistance. For the same power dissipation in the motor, the current may now be increased by 40%. Therefore, the 5 amp motor will accept 7 amps with the winding in parallel. This provides a significant increase in the available torque.

6-lead

“Parallel” in a 6-lead motor refers to the use of one half-winding only. The current rating of a stepper motor is determined by allowable temperature rise. Unless the motor manufacturer’s data states otherwise, the rating is a “unipolar” value and assumes both phases of the motor are energized simultaneously. Therefore, a current of 5 amps means that the motor will accept 5 amps flowing in each half-winding.

Summary

As a general rule, parallel connection is preferred over the other options. It produces a flatter torque curve and greater shaft power. Series connection is useful when a high torque is required at low speeds. It allows the motor to produce full torque at low speeds from lower current drives.

Care should be taken to avoid overheating the motor using series connection since its current rating is lower in this mode. Series connection also carries a greater likelihood of resonance problems due to high torque produced in the low speed region.

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