



StepIM Integrated Closed-Loop Stepper Motors

With a cost-effective design and superior closed loop servo drive by Servotronix Motion Control, the stepIM provides an efficient and economical solution for applications that require the performance of a servo at the price level of a stepper.

- → High torque/ low speed eliminating the need for a gear
- High speed in low torque ranges
- ▶ Can function as distributed I/O points reducing machine complexity

Integrated components reduce cost, space and machine complexity

In decentralized architectures, wiring and assembly time can be reduced thus enabling significant cost savings for machine builders. Decentralized drives that integrate motor, control and power electronics also free up space and reduce heating in the cabinet.

Benefits of closed loop vs. open loop operation

	Closed loop	Open loop		
No step loss	Encoder feedback with closed loop control guarantees accurate motion	Abrupt changes in load may cause lost steps, creating a position error		
High dynamics	Load dependent current control Optimal torque utilization for any speed and any load Eliminating the effect of midband resonance	Constant current control at all speed ranges without considering load variations		
Torque & force control modes of operation	Supported	Not supported		
Maximum torque utilization	Utilizing 100% of the full range of rated motor torque	Practical limitation of about 50% of rated motor torque due to risk of synchronization loss		
Low noise & vibration	Silent operation due to reduced stepping vibration and low speed resonance	Stepping vibration and high speed resonance cause noisy operation		
Energy efficiency	Provides current based on actual load. This reduces heating of the motor and saves energy	Maximum current is applied irrespective of required torque, leading to high losses and respective heating of the motor and drive		



Product Highlights

- Sophisticated closed loop control enhances motor performance with no step loss
- Operates in torque, velocity, and position modes
- Efficient torque utilization optimizes motor sizing
- Integrated design minimizes component and wiring requirements
- Fieldbus: CANopen, EtherCAT
- 3 x digital inputs, 1 x digital output
- 1 x Analog differential input
- 12 Bit absolute encoder, 4096 ppr and update rate 16kHz
- Up to IP65 protection class
- Maintenance free
- CE and cUL certifications

With a 12 bit absolute encoder 4096 count per revolution and an update rate of 16 kHz, the stepIM precisely controls the magnetic flux generated based on actual load, ensuring accurate positioning and maximum machine efficiency.

ServoStudio™ for simple commissioning

- Step-by-step guidance through the setup and tuning process
- ▶ Real-time data recording and plotting
- ▶ Easy integration of servo axes
- ▶ Plug-and-play motor and feedback wiring



Rating and dimensions

	Frame Size (mm)	IP rating	Bus-Voltage (VDC)	Holding Torque (Nm)	Inertia (g*cm2)
IST - 17S	42.3	20 / 65	14-48	0.35	57
IST - 17M	42.3	20 / 65	14-48	0.45	82
IST - 17L	42.3	20 / 65	14-48	0.65	123
IST - 23S	56.4	20 / 65	14-48	1.1	260
IST - 23M	56.4	20 / 65	14-48	1.8	460
IST - 23L	56.4	20 / 65	14-48	2.6	750
IST - 34M	86.5	stepiM	14-75	5.0	1850
IST - 34L	86.5	Powered by SERVOTRONIX	14-75	7.7	2750

Ordering information

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	Integrated Stepper Motor											
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	Туре											
T	High torque				_							
	Frame Size and Length											
17S	NEMA 17 Short											
	NEMA 17 Medium											
17L	NEMA 17 Long											
235	NEMA 23 Short											
23M	NEMA 23 Medium											
23L	NEMA 23 Long											
34M	NEMA 34 Medium											
34L	NEMA 34 Long					_						
	Shaft											
1	Single flat (Frame size 17 and 23 only)											
2	Double flat (Frame size 34 only)											
3	Keyway											
4	Full round						_					
	Connector and Degree of Protection											
2	Crimp connectors, IP20											
6	M-connectors, IP65 (Frame size 23, 34 only)											
	Communication											
СО	CANopen (Frame size 17, IP20 only)											
EC	EtherCAT (Frame size 17, IP65 only)											
	Feedback											
1	Standard – 12-bit absolute single turn											
	Brake											
0	No brake											
1	With brake (Frame size 23, 34 only)											
	Options											
0	Standard:											
1	NEMA 34, 14-48V, 4.5A (IP20 only)											

I/Os

Digital (IP20): 4 x Input, 2 x output Digital (IP65): 3 x Input, 1 x output Analog: 1 x Differential Input

Motor feedback

12 bit absolute encoder









