

Simplex Motions SC-Serie is a compact integrated servomotor series that incorporates brushless DC motor and control electronics in an open frame configuration.

This enables a simple to use and cost optimized solution for OEM motion control applications.

Description:

The motor is of outer rotor design to optimize high torque and efficiency, thus eliminating the gearbox in many applications. The dynamic capabilities are substantially higher than continuous operation, which makes this product especially suitable for dynamic loads with high acceleration rates.

The control electronics is based on a digital signal processor to enable precise closed loop control of motor position and speed. The PID regulator also applies feed forward control to optimize performance. Ramping of position moves are supported with specified maximum speed, acceleration and deceleration. Output torque is limited to a configurable value.

Control input can be obtained through several different interfaces:

- RS485 serial bus Modbus RTU protocol
- CANOpen 301 protocol (depending on model),
- Quadrature encoder
- Step/dir interface (e.g. step motor emulation)
- Analog input.

There are also a number of digital and analog inputs available to connect external sensors and actuators.

The Modbus and CANOpen interfaces are used for control and configuration of the motors. The interfaces allows for a robust means of connecting several units to the same interface bus.

Setup and configuration is further simplified with a PC software, Simplex Motion Tool, that enables readout and setting of all configuration data, as well as easy testing of drive functions. Together with a built-in signal recorder it is possible to investigate dynamic behavior closely.

Integration of motor and electronics into the same unit minimizes issues with electromagnetic interference and cabling, and also simplifies configuration and initial setup. In a minimal setup for external control only 2 wires of power and 3 wires of serial communication have to be routed to the motor.



By utilizing the motor's micro processor it is possible to run the motor as a stand alone device, replacing costly and complicated PLC and control systems. Use the built in Events programming or make more advanced C-code Applications, to get full control of the motor and its behavior.

- Integrated drive and position electronics
- PID regulator for control of torque, speed or position.
- Ramp controlled moves in position with set speed and acceleration
- Protection features for current, torque, voltage and temperature
- Serial RS485 (or RS232) interface with Modbus RTU protocol.
- CANOpen 301 interface (depending on model)
- Step/direction interface. (step motor emulation)
- Up to 8 digital inputs and 4 analog inputs
- 4 digital outputs capable of 30V/1A, with pulse, PWM or RC servo pulse output.
- PC based software for setup and testing
- Replaces PLC and control systems
- Simple Event programming for controlling behavior of I/Os, functions etc.
- C-code applications for more complex functionality
- Cost efficient

For more information on the control of the motors, download the Technical Manual from www.simplexmotion.com

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2 Technical data

Important characteristics and limits for the Simplex Motion SC010A, SC020B and SC040B products.

Motor specifications		SC010A	SC020B	SC040B
Torque	At nominal rpm	60 mNm (8.5 oz-in)	120 mNm (17 oz-in)	280 mNm (30 oz-in)
	Continuous stall	50 mNm (7.1 oz-in)	100 mNm (14 oz-in)	280 mNm (30 oz-in)
	Peak	200 mNm (28.0 oz-in)	400 mNm (46 oz-in)	800 mNm (113 oz-in)
Speed	Nominal	4000 rpm	4000 rpm	4000 rpm
	Peak	6000 rpm	6000 rpm	6000 rpm
Power	Continuous	25 W (in open air)	50 W (in open air)	120 W (in open air)
	Peak	75 W	150 W	360 W
Efficiency	Up to	70%	75%	80%
Rotor inertia		3.43 E-6 kgm2	12.60 E-6 kgm2	33.00 E-6 kgm2
Electrical specifications				
Supply voltage	Min	8 V	8 V	8 V
	Typical	12 V	24 V	24 V
	Max	15 V (absolute maximum 20V)	28 V (absolute maximum 30V)	28 V (absolute maximum 30V)
Supply Current	Idle	0.05 A	0.03 A	0.05 A
	Continuous	3.0 A	2.8 A	4.2 A
	Peak	9.0 A	9.0 A	12.5 A
Controller specifications				
Integrated incremental encoder solution	Counts per revolution	4096		
	Resolution	0.09°		
Switching frequency		32 kHz		
Motor commutation	Method	space vector modulation with field orientation control		
	Rate	16 kHz		
PID controller	Sample rate	2 kHz		
	Control	Torque, Position, Speed		
Ramping control	Speed	speed limit + controlled acceleration/deceleration		
	Position	controlled speed + acceleration/deceleration		
Protection		overcurrent, torque, voltage, temperature, locked shaft		
Status indicator		green + red light, blink pattern provides status		
Interfaces	RS485/RS232 TTL	max 115kbit/s, Modbus RTU protocol		
	CANOpen	N/A	N/A	max 1Mbit/s, CiA DS 301
	Step/direction	Step/direction inputs, 5V logic inputs, max 2.2MHz.		
	Quadrature encoder	5V logic inputs, max 2.2MHz		
	Analog control	voltage 0...+3.3V		
Digital Inputs, IN1-4	Maximum voltage	-0.5..+30V		
	Low/high threshold	Configurable 0..+3.3V		
	Pull up/down resistor	10kOhm to +3.3V or GND, or disabled		
Digital inputs, IN5-8	Maximum voltage	-0.5..+6.0V		
	Low/high threshold	Low < 0.7V, high > 2.4V		
	Pull up resistor	None		
Analog inputs, IN1-4	Maximum voltage	-0.5..+30V		
	Input range	0..+3.3V		
	Resolution	16bits		
	Accuracy	10bits		
	Input impedance	300kOhm with pullup/down disabled		
Digital outputs, OUT1-4	Control	Logic, single pulse, PWM, RC servo control		
	Output circuit	Open collector, transistor.		
	Maximum voltage	-0.5..+30V		
	Maximum current	1A		
	Pull up/down resistor	10kOhm to +3.3V or GND, or disabled		
Mechanical specifications				
Dimensions	Body (L x W x H)	38 x 28 x 36 mm	46 x 35 x 45 mm	54 x 42 x 52.5 mm
	Shaft	D4 x 16 mm	D4 x 16 mm	D5 x 24 mm
Mounting/recommended fastening torque		M2.5 screws in front / 0.6 Nm	M3 screws in front / 1.7 Nm	M3 screws in front / 1.7 Nm
Weight		80 g (2.85 oz)	160 g (5.65 oz)	280 g (8.9 oz)
Shaft loading	Radial load	75N	100N	125N
	Axial load	20N	30N	40N
Ambient specifications				
Protection class		IP00, needs external protection	IP00, needs external protection	IP00, needs external protection
Temperature	Operating	0..+40°C	0..+40°C	0..+40°C
	Derating of output power	0.42 W/C.	0.84 W/C.	1.34 W/C
	Storage	-40..+85 °C	-40..+85 °C	-40..+85 °C

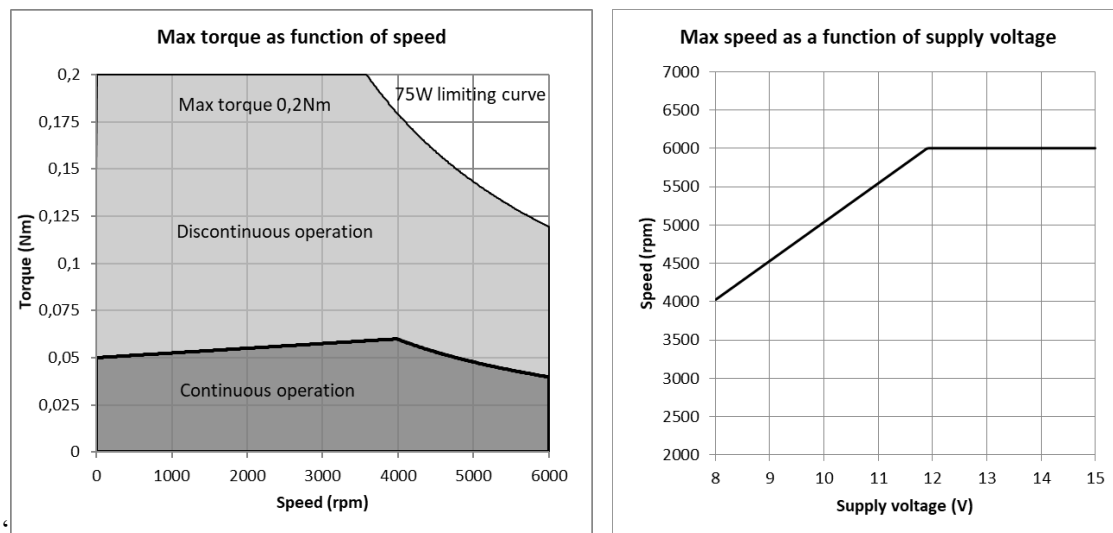
2.1 SC010A Technical data

2.1.1 SC010A Motor output power

The SC010A handles up to 25W continuous mechanical output power in normal conditions (mounted with free flowing air around the unit, ambient temperature below 40°C). But it is possible to extract several times more power during short intervals. These higher power ratings are limited by:

- Total power limited to 75W (3 times nominal continuous operating limits)
- The maximum provided torque from the motor (0.2Nm)
- The maximum rotational speed, dependent on supply voltage.

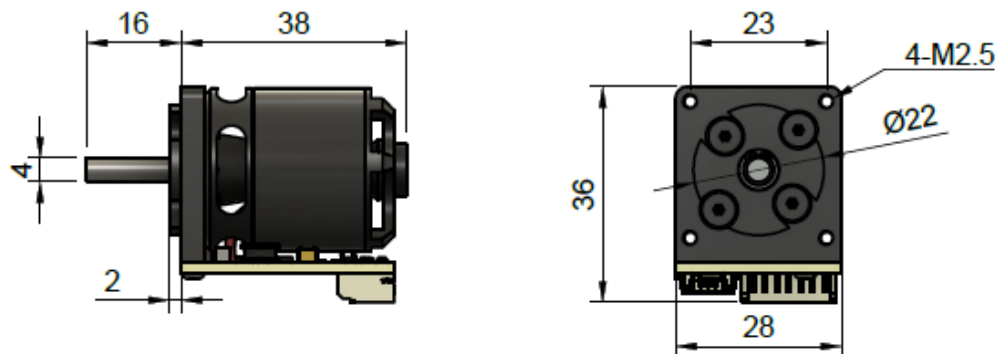
The diagram below shows the operating region of the unit.



It is possible to extract higher continuous output power levels if the cooling is optimized, for example by fixing the unit to a large metallic structure that can conduct heat away from the unit.

2.1.2 SC010A Physical dimensions

The mechanical implementation utilizes an aluminum extrusion that holds the motor and electronics and allows mounting of the unit. Mounting should be done to facilitate free air moving around the unit to allow sufficient cooling. Thermal properties can also be enhanced by mounting the unit onto a large metallic structure that can conduct heat away from the drive. Specified technical data has been verified with minimal heat conduction and free air flowing around the drive. With efficient conduction of heat from the drive it is possible to extract higher output power ratings. Make sure to use the thermal protection feature to not damage the drive when running close to its limits.



Positive rotational direction is clockwise rotation when looking at the motor front plate (as shown above in the picture to the right).

Unit is mounted by M2.5 screws in the front. There are 4pcs of M2.5 threaded holes for this purpose.

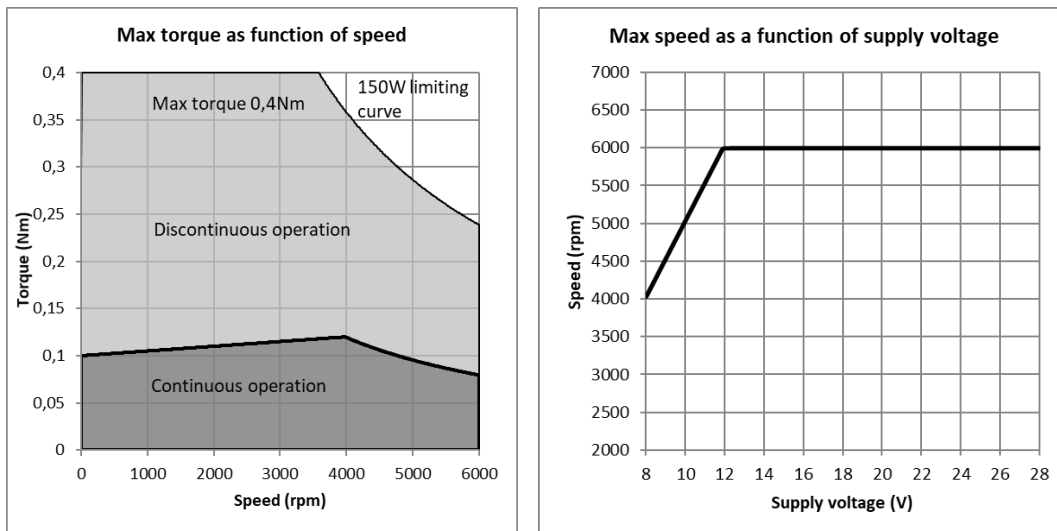
2.2 SC020B Technical data

2.2.1 SC020B Motor output power

The SC020B handles up to 50W continuous mechanical output power in normal conditions (mounted with free flowing air around the unit, ambient temperature below 40°C). But it is possible to extract several times more power during short intervals. These higher power ratings are limited by:

- Total power limited to 150W (3 times nominal continuous operating limits)
- The maximum provided torque from the motor (0.4Nm)
- The maximum rotational speed, dependent on supply voltage.

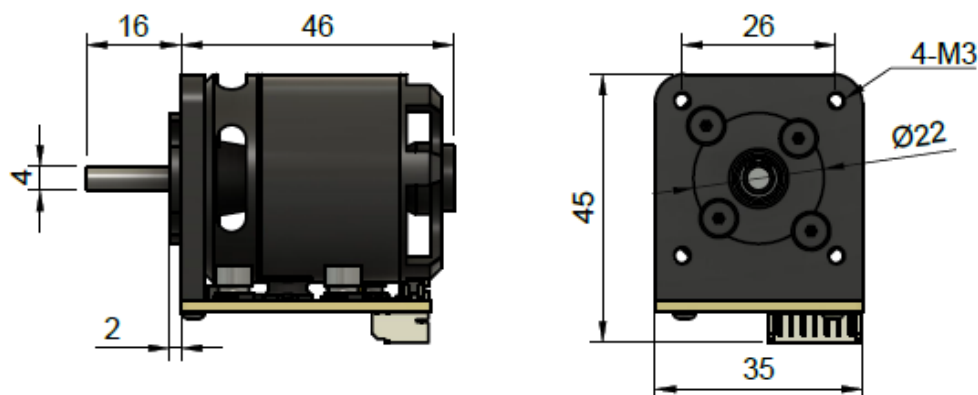
The diagram below shows the operating region of the unit.



It is possible to extract higher continuous output power levels if the cooling is optimized, for example by fixing the unit to a large metallic structure that can conduct heat away from the unit.

2.2.2 SC020B Physical dimensions

The mechanical implementation utilizes an aluminum extrusion that holds the motor and electronics and allows mounting of the unit. Mounting should be done to facilitate free air moving around the unit to allow sufficient cooling. Thermal properties can also be enhanced by mounting the unit onto a large metallic structure that can conduct heat away from the drive. Specified technical data has been verified with minimal heat conduction and free air flowing around the drive. With efficient conduction of heat from the drive it is possible to extract higher output power ratings. Make sure to use the thermal protection feature to not damage the drive when running close to its limits.



Positive rotational direction is clockwise rotation when looking at the motor front plate (as shown above in the picture to the right). Unit is mounted by M3 screws in the front. There are 4pcs of M3 threaded holes for this purpose.

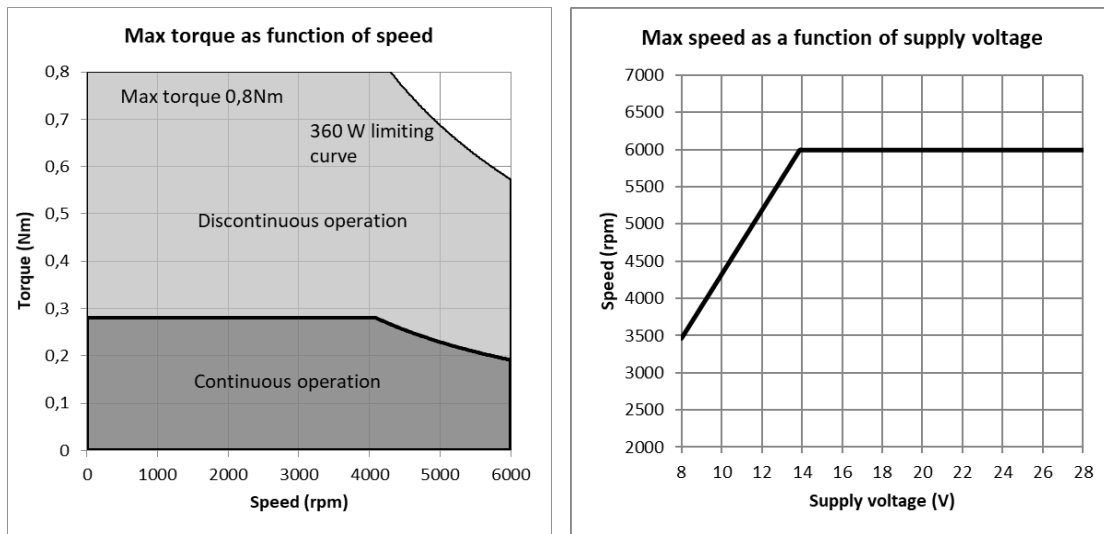
2.3 SC040B Technical data

2.3.1 SC040B Motor output power

The SC040B handles up to 120W continuous mechanical output power in normal conditions (mounted with free flowing air around the unit, ambient temperature below 40°C). But it is possible to extract several times more power during short intervals. These higher power ratings are limited by:

- Total power limited to 360W (3 times nominal continuous operating limits)
- The maximum provided torque from the motor (0.8Nm)
- The maximum rotational speed, dependent on supply voltage.

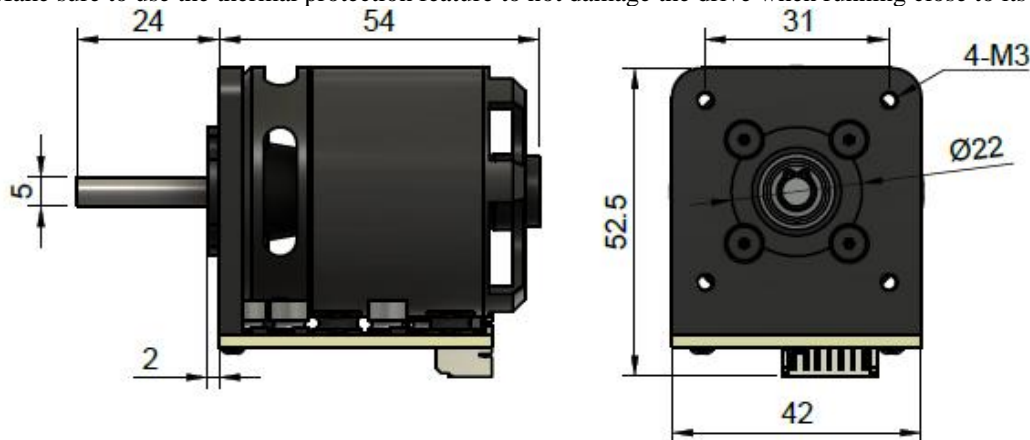
The diagram below shows the operating region of the unit.



It is possible to extract higher continuous output power levels if the cooling is optimized, for example by fixing the unit to a large metallic structure that can conduct heat away from the unit.

2.3.2 SC040B Physical dimensions

The mechanical implementation utilizes an aluminum extrusion that holds the motor and electronics and allows mounting of the unit. Mounting should be done to facilitate free air moving around the unit to allow sufficient cooling. Thermal properties can also be enhanced by mounting the unit onto a large metallic structure that can conduct heat away from the drive. Specified technical data has been verified with minimal heat conduction and free air flowing around the drive. With efficient conduction of heat from the drive it is possible to extract higher output power ratings. Make sure to use the thermal protection feature to not damage the drive when running close to its limits.

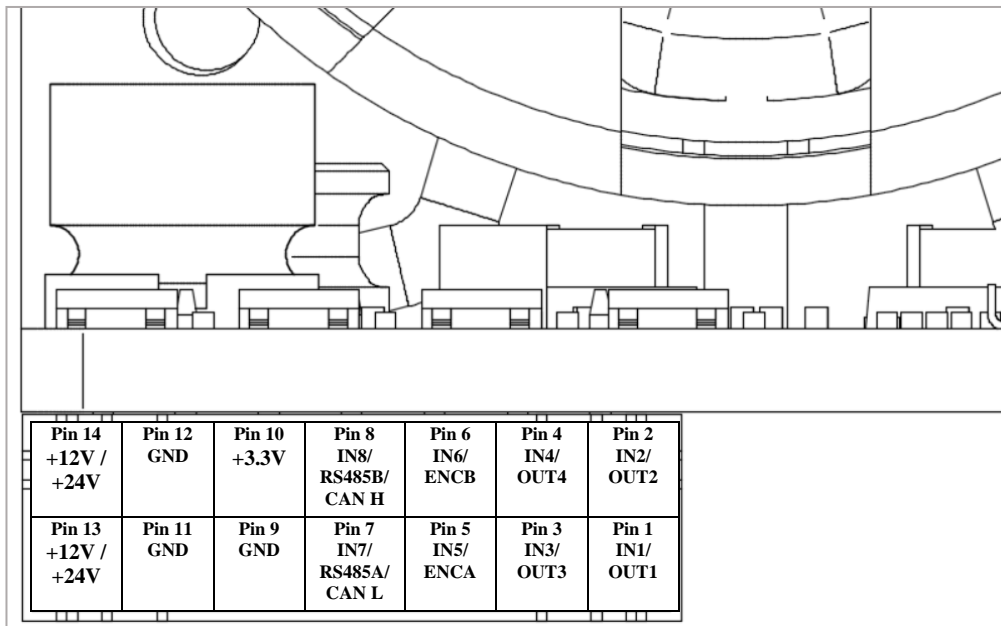


Positive rotational direction is clockwise rotation when looking at the motor front plate (as shown above in the picture to the right). Unit is mounted by M3 screws in the front. There are 4pcs of M3 threaded holes for this purpose.

2.4 Electrical connections

There are one electrical connection to the SC-Series:

- 14 polarity housing connector



The housing connector is from JST Sales America Inc, part number PHDR-14VS (Available as 455-1172-ND from www.digikey.com).

Pin	Name	SC010A	SC020B	SC040B
1	IN1/OUT1	Digital/Analog input and/or output (open collector type, max 30V/1A)		
2	IN2/OUT2	Digital/Analog input and/or output (open collector type, max 30V/1A)		
3	IN3/OUT3	Digital/Analog input and/or output (open collector type, max 30V/1A)		
4	IN4/OUT4	Digital/Analog input and/or output (open collector type, max 30V/1A)		
5	IN5/ENCA	Digital input or Encoder input/output signal A (0...+3.3V)		
6	IN6/ENCB	Digital input or Encoder input/output signal B (0...+3.3V)		
7	IN7	Digital input (0...+3.3V)		
	RS485A	RS485 Modbus signal A (-7...+12 V)		
	RS232 TTL	RX (0...+3.3V)		
	CAN L	N/A	N/A	CAN L
8	IN8	Digital input (0...+3.3V)		
	RS485B	RS485 Modbus signal B (-7...+12 V)		
	RS232 TTL	TX (0...+3.3V)		
	CAN H	N/A	N/A	CAN H
9	GND	Ground reference for all input/outputs		
10	+3.3V	+3.3V supply voltage output, max 100mA. (Not intended as voltage input).		
11	GND	Power supply ground		
12	GND	Power supply ground		
13	+12V / +24V	Power supply input +12V	Power supply input +24V	Power supply input +24V
14	+12V / +24V	Power supply input +12V	Power supply input +24V	Power supply input +24V

3 Change history

Revision	Note
200121	SC020A is replaced by SC020B. SC020B supply voltage is increased from 12 to 24V and the specifications were changed accordingly. No mechanical changes.
210630	SC040A is replaced by SC040B. In the new version CAN has been added. No other changes to the specifications were made. -General description of SC series is updated and CAN is added -CAN description is added for the SC040B -Mounting torque added for all models -Electrical connection chart is updated and CAN is added