

Standard Interface

User Manual



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Preface

Dear User,

We are delighted that you have chosen a LINAK® product.

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Introduction

All actuators without Integrated Controller (IC) contain a standard interface. These are available with a variety of optional position feedback systems and an endstop reached signal output.

All Standard actuators are driven by powering the Brown and Blue wires in the following way:

- To extend actuator: Connect Brown to positive, connect Blue to negative
- To retract actuator: Connect Brown to negative, connect Blue to positive

The simplest method for controlling a permanent magnetic DC motor is via the use of a rocker switch, which allows for direction changes based on the activation of the switch. Rocker switches are commonly employed for basic forward and reverse control, eliminating the need for a PLC or power electronics.

In contrast, power electronics, often used in conjunction with various feedback options, are typically paired with PLCs for applications where smooth motor control and position feedback are essential.

There are several standard interfaces available for position feedback including Signal Hall, Dual Hall, and analogue feedback options such as 0-10 V, 4-20 mA and PWM. For additional details, please refer to the connection diagrams and I/O specifications.

Safety instructions

Please read this safety information carefully.

Be aware of the following three symbols throughout the document:



Warning!

Failing to follow these instructions can cause accidents resulting in serious personal injury.



Recommendations

Failing to follow these instructions can result in the actuator suffering damage or being ruined.



Additional information

Usage tips or additional information that is important in connection with the use of the actuator.

Furthermore, ensure that all staff who are to connect, mount, or use the actuator are in possession of the necessary information and that they have access to this user manual.

Persons who do not have the necessary experience or knowledge of the product/products must not use the product/products. Besides, persons with reduced physical or mental abilities must not use the product/products, unless they are under surveillance or they have been thoroughly instructed in the use of the apparatus by a person who is responsible for the safety of these persons.

Moreover, children must be under surveillance to ensure that they do not play with the product.



Before you start mounting/dismounting, ensure that the following points are observed:

- The actuator is not in operation.
- The actuator is free from loads that could be released during this work.

Before you put the actuator into operation, check the following:

- The actuator is correctly mounted as indicated in the relevant user instructions.
- The equipment can be freely moved over the actuator's whole working area.
- The actuator is connected to a supply/transformer/battery with the correct voltage and which is dimensioned and adapted to the actuator in question.
- Ensure that the voltage applied matches the voltage specified on the actuator label.
- Ensure that the connection bolts can withstand the wear.
- Ensure that the connection bolts are secured safely.

During operation, please be aware of the following:

- Listen for unusual sounds and watch out for uneven running. Stop the actuator immediately if anything unusual is observed.
- Only use the actuator within the specified working limits.
- Do not step on or kick the actuator.

When the equipment is not in use:

- Switch off the mains supply in order to prevent unintentional operation.
- Check regularly for extraordinary wear.

Classification

The equipment is not suitable for use in the presence of a flammable anaesthetic mixture with air or with oxygen or nitrous oxide.



Warnings

- Do not side-load the actuator.
- When mounting the actuator in the application, ensure that the bolts can withstand the wear and that they are secured safely.
- If irregularities are observed, the actuator must be replaced.
- The Standard actuator (without Integrated Controller) without clutch is not allowed to run into a mechanical block before reaching the end of stroke.



Recommendations

- Do not place load on the actuator housing.
- Prevent impact, blows or any other form of stress to the housing.
- Ensure that the cable cover is mounted correctly.

For LA25: Use 1.5 +/- 0.5 Nm torque.

For LA14: Use 3.6 +/- 0.2 Nm torque.

For LA33, LA36 and LA37: Use 3.5 +/- 0.2 Nm torque.

- Ensure that the duty cycle and the usage temperatures for the actuators are respected.
- Ensure that the cable cannot be squeezed, pulled or subjected to any other stress.
- Furthermore, it is good practice to ensure that the actuator is fully retracted in the "rest" position. The reason is that there will be a negative pressure inside the actuator if it is extended which over time can lead to water entering the actuator.



Compatible actuators

The Standard interface is offered for the following LINAK® actuators:

LA14



The actuator LA14 is a very tough actuator with a high IP degree and aluminium housing, making it ideal for use in harsh and demanding environments.

The LA14 offers top quality in every detail and ensures reliable performance in temperatures ranging from -40°C to +85°C. With its small size the LA14 is well suited to applications that require short linear movements.

Max. load: 750 N
Max. speed: 45 mm/s
Stroke length: 19-130 mm
Motor voltage: 12 or 24 V DC

LA25



With its robust design, high IP degree and aluminium housing, the actuator LA25 is ideal for harsh environments where operation under extreme conditions is required.

Furthermore, the compact dimensions of this actuator makes it applicable for confined spaces.

Max. load: 2,500 N
Max. speed: 25 mm/s
Stroke length: 20-600 mm
Motor voltage: 12 or 24 V DC

LA33



The actuator LA33 combines compact design and high power in a solution fit for use in industrial settings and for demanding applications that require customised interfaces, faster, or silent operation and to work in harsh and extreme environments.

A thorough and demanding testing programme is behind the maintenance-free and long-lasting performance of this solid and high-quality actuator.

Max. load: 5,000 N
Max. speed: 70 mm/s
Stroke length: 25-600 mm
Motor voltage: 12 or 24 V DC

LA36



The actuator LA36 is one of the most solid and powerful LINAK® actuators, designed to operate under extreme conditions.

The LA36 is a maintenance-free product with a long service life and a high IP degree. It is also available with an extra-long service life.

This high-quality actuator offers a very strong alternative to hydraulic solutions.

Max. load: 6,800 NMax. speed: 168 mm/s

• Stroke length: 25-1,200 mm

• Motor voltage: 12, 24 or 48 V DC

LA37



The actuator LA37 is specifically developed for heavy-duty applications in harsh environments, where there is a need for high lifting capacity and holding force.

The LA37 offers the well-known LINAK quality, guaranteeing you a maintenance-free product with a long lifetime.

Max. load: 15,000 NMax. speed: 10 mm/s

Stroke length: 100-1,000 mmMotor voltage: 12, 24 or 48 V DC

Without feedback

Connection diagram

Power

BROWN

Motor +/-

BLUE

Motor -/+

I/O specifications

Input/Output	Specification	Comments
Description	Permanent magnetic DC motor.	
Brown	Nominal Voltage 12/24/48* V DC According to the Actuator label	To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND
Blue	*48 V only for LA36 and LA37	To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC



Endstop reached

VIOLET

WHITE

Connection diagram

Power	
BROWN	Motor +/-
BLUE	Motor -/+
Signal	
RED	Signal power supply
BLACK	Signal power supply GND
YELLOW	Endstop reached inwards
GREEN	Endstop reached outwards

Not to be connected

Not to be connected



If you wish to use the endstop signals, you will have to keep power on the Brown, Blue, Red and Black wires at all times when the actuator is running, and minimum one second before it starts to run, otherwise the signal will be lost.

Endstop reached

I/O specifications

Input/Output	Specification	Comments	
Description	The actuator can be equipped with electronically controlled Endstop reached out.		
Brown	Nominal Voltage 12/24/48* V DC According to the Actuator label	To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND	
Blue	*48 V only for LA36 and LA37	To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC	
Red	Signal power supply 12/24 V DC	Active and standby current consumption: Max. 40 mA	
Black	Signal power supply GND	Higher peak currents due to the input capacitance of max. 3 mF	
Yellow	Endstop reached inwards	Min. output voltage: V _{IN} (Red wire) - 2 V	
Green	Endstop reached outwards	Max. source current: 100 mA NOT potential free	
Violet	Not to be connected		
White	Not to be connected		



Dual Hall - Relative positioning

Connection diagram

Applicable for: LA36 and LA37

Power	
BROWN	Motor +/-
BLUE	Motor -/+
Signal	
RED	Signal power supply
BLACK	Signal power supply GND
YELLOW	Hall A feedback
GREEN	Hall B feedback
VIOLET	Not to be connected
WHITE	Not to be connected



If you wish to use the endstop signals, you will have to keep power on the Brown, Blue, Red and Black wires at all times when the actuator is running, and minimum one second before it starts to run, otherwise the signal will be lost.



Dual Hall - Relative positioning

I/O specifications

Applicable for: LA36 and LA37

Input/Output		Specification	Comments
Description	The actuator can be equipped with Dual Hall that gives a relative positioning feedback signal when the actuator moves. The Dual Hall output is on two wires with a phase shift of 90° between the two quadrature signals.		Running outwards: Positive rising edge of Hall A will be first. Running inwards: Positive rising edge of Hall B will be first.
Brown	Nominal Voltage 12/24/48 V DC According to the Actuator label		To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND
Blue			To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC
Red			Active and standby current consumption: Max. 40 mA
Black	Signal pov	Signal power supply GND Higher peak currents due to the in capacitance of max. 3 mF	
Yellow	Hall A feedback	For more info, see Technical	The Hall sensor signals are generated by the turning of the actuator gearing. These signals can be fed into a PLC (Programmable Logic Controller). In the PLC the quadrature signals can be used to register the direction and position of the
Green	Hall B feedback	specifications in the data sheet	piston rod. Min. output voltage: V _{IN} (Red wire) - 2 V Max. current output: 12 mA Increasing the voltage supplied to the motor (Brown and Blue) can lead to shorter pulse durations.
Violet	Not to be	connected	
White	Not to be	connected	
	Input to μc Hall Output from μc	I A I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I	
A Hall pulse consists of two Hall counts. A Hall count occurs every time the signal changes direction, either upwards or downwards.			



Dual Hall and Endstop reached - Relative positioning

Connection diagram

Applicable for: LA36 and LA37

Power	
BROWN	Motor +/-
BLUE	Motor -/+
Signal	
RED	Signal power supply
BLACK	Signal power supply GND
YELLOW	Hall A feedback
GREEN	Hall B feedback
VIOLET	Endstop reached inwards
WHITE	Endstop reached outwards



If you wish to use the endstop signals, you will have to keep power on the Brown, Blue, Red and Black wires at all times when the actuator is running, and minimum one second before it starts to run, otherwise the signal will be lost.

Dual Hall and Endstop reached - Relative positioning

I/O specifications

Applicable for: LA36 and LA37

Input/Output		Specification	Comments
Description	The actuator can be equipped with Dual Hall that gives a relative positioning feedback signal when the actuator moves. The Dual Hall output is on two wires with a phase shift of 90° between the two quadrature signals.		Running outwards - Positive rising edge of Hall A will be first. Running inwards - Positive rising edge of Hall B will be first.
Brown	Nominal Voltage 12/24/48 V DC		To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND
Blue	According to the Actuator label		To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC
Red			Active and standby current consumption: Max. 40 mA
Black	Signal pow	ower supply GND Higher peak currents due to the inpu capacitance of max. 3 mF	
Yellow	Hall A feedback	For more info, see Technical	The Hall sensor signals are generated by the turning of the actuator gearing. These signals can be fed into a PLC (Programmable Logic Controller). In the PLC the quadrature signals can be used to register the direction and position of the
Green	Hall B feedback	specifications in the data sheet	piston rod. Min. output voltage: V _{IN} (Red wire) - 2 V Max. current output: 12 mA Increasing the voltage supplied to the motor (Brown and Blue) can lead to shorter pulse durations.
Violet	Endstop re	ached inwards	Min. output voltage: V _{IN} (Red wire) - 2 V
White	Endstop reached outwards Max. source current: 30 mA NOT potential free		
	Input to μc $ \begin{array}{c} $	I A I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I	
		e consists of two Hall counts. nt occurs every time the signal changes dire	ction, either upwards or downwards.



Single Hall - Relative positioning

Connection diagram

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BROWN

Motor +/-

BLUE

Motor -/+

Signal

RED

Signal power supply

BLACK

Signal power supply GND

YELLOW

Not to be connected

GREEN

Not to be connected

VIOLET

Single Hall feedback

WHITE

Not to be connected

Single Hall - Relative positioning

I/O specifications

Input/Output	Specification	Comments
Description	The actuator can be equipped with Single Hall that gives a relative positioning feedback signal when the actuator moves.	
Brown	Nominal Voltage 12/24/48* V DC According to the Actuator label	To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND
Blue	*48 V only for LA36 and LA37	To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC
Red	Signal power supply 12/24 V DC	Active and standby current consumption: Max. 40 mA
Black	Signal power supply GND	Higher peak currents due to the input capacitance of max. 3 mF
Yellow	Not to be connected	
Green	Not to be connected	
	Single Hall feedback For more info, see Technical specifications in the data sheet	Min. output voltage: V _{IN} (Red wire) - 2 V Max. current output: 12 mA Max. 680 nF PNP output Low frequency with a high load. Higher frequency with no load.
Violet	Input Hall A count	
	Output from µc Single Hall	
	A Hall pulse consists of two Hall counts. A Hall count occurs every time the signal changes dir	rection, either upwards or downwards.
White	Not to be connected	



Single Hall and Endstop reached - Relative positioning

Connection diagram

Power	
BROWN	Motor +/-
BLUE	Motor -/+
Signal	
RED	Signal power supply
BLACK	Signal power supply GND
YELLOW	Endstop reached inwards
GREEN	Endstop reached outwards
VIOLET	Single Hall feedback
WHITE	Not to be connected



If you wish to use the endstop signals, you will have to keep power on the Brown, Blue, Red and Black wires at all times when the actuator is running, and minimum one second before it starts to run, otherwise the signal will be lost.

Single Hall and Endstop reached - Relative positioning

I/O specifications

Input/Output	Specification	Comments
Description	The actuator can be equipped with Single Hall that gives a relative positioning feedback signal when the actuator moves.	
Brown	Nominal Voltage 12/24/48* V DC According to the Actuator label	To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND
Blue	*48 V only for LA36 and LA37	To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC
Red	Signal power supply 12/24 V DC	Active and standby current consumption: Max. 40 mA
Black	Signal power supply GND	Higher peak currents due to the input capacitance of max. 3 mF
Yellow	Endstop reached inwards	Min. output voltage: V _{IN} (Red wire) - 2 V Max. source current: 100 mA
Green	Endstop reached outwards	NOT potential free
	For more info, see Technical specifications in the data sheet Increasing the voltage supplied to the motor (Brown and Blue) can lead to shorter pulse durations.	Min. output voltage: V _{IN} (Red wire) - 2 V Max. current output: 12 mA Max. 680 nF PNP output Low frequency with a high load. Higher frequency with no load.
Violet	Input to μc Output from μc A Hall pulse consists of two Hall counts. A Hall count occurs every time the signal changes dir	ection, either upwards or downwards.
White	Not to be connected	



Analogue position feedback

Connection diagram

Power	
BROWN	Motor +/-
BLUE	Motor -/+
Signal	
RED	Signal power supply
BLACK	Signal power supply GND
YELLOW	Not to be connected
GREEN	Not to be connected
VIOLET	Analogue feedback
WHITE	Not to be connected



The signal power must be turned on at all times when the actuator is running, and minimum one second before it starts to run.

Analogue position feedback

I/O specifications

Input/Output	Specification	Comments
Description	The actuator can be equipped with an electronic circuit that gives an analogue feedback signal when the actuator moves.	
Brown	Nominal Voltage 12/24/48* V DC According to the Actuator label	To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND
Blue	*48 V only for LA36 and LA37	To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC
Red	Signal power supply 12/24 V DC	Active and standby current consumption: Max. 60 mA
Black	Signal power supply GND	Higher peak currents due to the input capacitance of max. 3 mF
Green	Not to be connected	
Yellow	Not to be connected	
	Analogue feedback Can be set in any interval within the range of: 0-10 V	Voltage feedback: Tolerances: +/- 0.2 V Max. current output: 1 mA Ripple: max. 200 mV Transaction delay: 100 ms Linear feedback: 0.5 %
Violet	4-20 mA For example: 0.5-4.5 V 8-16 mA	Current feedback: Tolerances: +/- 0.2 mA Transaction delay: 20 ms Linear feedback: 0.5% Output: Source Serial resistance: 12 V: max. 300 ohm 24 V: max. 900 ohm
White	Not to be connected	



For actuators with analogue feedback it is recommended to fully extract and retract the actuator on a regular basis (thereby activating the limit switches) in order to ensure precise positioning.



Analogue position feedback and Endstop reached

Connection diagram

Power	
BROWN	Motor +/-
BLUE	Motor -/+
Signal	
RED	Signal power supply
BLACK	Signal power supply GND
YELLOW	Endstop reached inwards
GREEN	Endstop reached outwards
VIOLET	Analogue feedback
WHITE	Not to be connected



If you wish to use the endstop signals, you will have to keep power on the Brown, Blue, Red and Black wires at all times when the actuator is running, and minimum one second before it starts to run, otherwise the signal will be lost.

Analogue position feedback and Endstop reached

I/O specifications

Input/Output	Specification	Comments
Description	The actuator can be equipped with an electronic circuit that gives an analogue feedback signal when the actuator moves.	
Brown	Nominal Voltage 12/24/48* V DC According to the Actuator label	To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND
Blue	*48 V only for LA36 and LA37	To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC
Red	Signal power supply 12/24 V DC	Active and standby current consumption:
Black	Signal power supply GND	Max. 60 mA
Yellow	Endstop reached inwards	Min. output voltage: V _{IN} (Red wire) - 2 V Max. source current: 100 mA
Green	Endstop reached outwards	NOT potential free
Violet	Analogue feedback Can be set in any interval within the range of 0-10 V 4-20 mA For example: 0.5-4.5 V 8-16 mA	Voltage feedback: Tolerances: +/- 0.2 V Max. current output: 1 mA Ripple: max. 200 mV Transaction delay: 100 ms Linear feedback: 0.5 % Current feedback: Tolerances: +/- 0.2 mA Transaction delay: 20 ms Linear feedback: 0.5% Output: Source Serial resistance: 12 V: max. 300 ohm 24 V: max. 900 ohm
White	Not to be connected	I.



For actuators with analogue feedback it is recommended to fully extract and retract the actuator on a regular basis (thereby activating the limit switches) in order to ensure precise positioning.



PWM position feedback

Connection diagram

Power	
BROWN	Motor +/-
BLUE	Motor -/+
Signal	
RED	Signal power supply
BLACK	Signal power supply GND
YELLOW	Not to be connected
GREEN	Not to be connected
VIOLET	PWM feedback
WHITE	Not to be connected



WHITE

The signal power must be turned on at all times when the actuator is running, and minimum one second before it starts to run.

PWM position feedback

I/O specifications

Input/Output	Specification	Comments
Description	The actuator can be equipped with an electronic circuit that gives PWM feedback signal when the actuator moves.	
Brown	Nominal Voltage 12/24/48* V DC According to the Actuator label	To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND
Blue	*48 V only for LA36 and LA37	To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC
Red	Signal power supply 12/24 V DC	Active and standby current consumption: Max. 60 mA
Black	Signal power supply GND	Higher peak currents due to the input capacitance of max. 3 mF
Green	Not to be connected	
Yellow	Not to be connected	
Violet	PWM feedback Can be set in any interval within the range of 0-100% For example: 10-90% 20-80%	Min. output voltage: V _{IN} (Red wire) - 2 V Tolerances: +/- 2% Max. current output: 12 mA Frequency: 75 Hz PNP output
White	Not to be connected	



PWM position feedback and Endstop reached

Connection diagram

Power	
BROWN	Motor +/-
BLUE	Motor -/+
Signal	
RED	Signal power supply
BLACK	Signal power supply GND
YELLOW	Endstop reached inwards
GREEN	Endstop reached outwards
VIOLET	PWM feedback
WHITE	Not to be connected



If you wish to use the endstop signals, you will have to keep power on the Brown, Blue, Red and Black wires at all times when the actuator is running, and minimum one second before it starts to run otherwise the signal will be lost.

PWM position feedback and Endstop reached

I/O specifications

Input/Output	Specification	Comments
Description	The actuator can be equipped with an electronic circuit that gives PWM feedback signal when the actuator moves.	
Brown	Nominal Voltage 12/24/48* V DC According to the Actuator label	To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND
Blue	*48 V only for LA36 and LA37	To retract actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND
Red	Signal power supply 12/24 V DC	Active and standby current consumption: Max. 60 mA
Black	Signal power supply GND	Higher peak currents due to the input capacitance of max. 3 mF
Yellow	Endstop reached inwards	Min. output voltage: V _{IN} (Red wire) - 2 V
Green	Endstop reached outwards	Max. source current: 100 mA NOT potential free
Violet	PWM feedback Can be set in any interval within the range of 0-100% For example: 10-90% 20-80%	Min. output voltage: V _{IN} (Red wire) - 2 V Tolerances: +/- 2% Max. current output: 12 mA Frequency: 75 Hz PNP output
White	Not to be connected	1



For actuators with analogue feedback it is recommended to fully extract and retract the actuator on a regular basis (thereby activating the limit switches) in order to ensure precise positioning.



Connection diagram

Power	
BROWN	Motor +/-
BLUE	Motor -/+
Signal	
RED	Potentiometer power supply
BLACK	Potentiometer power supply GND
YELLOW	Not to be connected
GREEN	Not to be connected
VIOLET	Potentiometer feedback
WHITE	Not to be connected

I/O specifications

Input/Output	Specification	Comments	
Description	The actuator can be equipped with a mechanical potentiometer, 10 k Ω .	0 - 10 kΩ, 5%	
	Max. stroke length: 100 mm		
		To extend actuator:	
Brown	Nominal voltage 12/24 V DC According to actuator label	Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND	
Blue		To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC	
Red	Potentiometer power supply	D 1140VDC	
Black	Potentiometer power supply GND	Recommended 10 V DC	
Green	Not to be connected		
Yellow	Not to be connected		
Violet	Mechanical potentiometer feedback Slide potentiometer, $10 \text{ k}\Omega$ $1 \text{ k}\Omega = 0 \text{ mm stroke}$ $11 \text{ k}\Omega = 100 \text{ mm stroke}$ The maximum effect: 0.1 W	Linearity: \pm 20% Min. lifetime: 15,000 cycles Average lifetime: 40,000 cycles Max. current output: 1 mA Output protection: 1 k Ω protection resistor in series with the potentiometer.	
White	Not to be connected		



Connection diagram

Power	
BROWN	Motor +/-
BLUE	Motor -/+
Signal	
RED	Not to be connected
BLACK	Potentiometer power supply GND
YELLOW	Not to be connected
GREEN	Not to be connected
VIOLET	Potentiometer feedback
WHITE	Potentiometer power supply

I/O specifications

Input/Output	Specification	Comments	
Description	The actuator can be equipped with a mechanical potentiometer, $10 \text{ k}\Omega$. $0 - 10 \text{ k}\Omega$, 5% , 10 -turn		
Brown	Nominal voltage 12/24/48 V DC	To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND	
Blue	According to actuator label	To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC	
Red	Not to be connected		
Black	Potentiometer power supply GND		
Green	Not to be connected		
Yellow	Not to be connected		
Violet	Mechanical potentiometer feedback Output range with 12 mm spindle pitch: $1 \text{ k}\Omega = 0 \text{ mm stroke}$ $11 \text{ k}\Omega = 500 \text{ mm stroke}$ Output range with 16 mm spindle pitch: $1 \text{ k}\Omega = 0 \text{ mm stroke}$ $11 \text{ k}\Omega = 666 \text{ mm stroke}$ Output range with 20 mm spindle pitch: $1 \text{ k}\Omega = 0 \text{ mm stroke}$ $1 \text{ k}\Omega = 0 \text{ mm stroke}$ $1 \text{ k}\Omega = 0 \text{ mm stroke}$	Output protection: 1 $k\Omega$ protection resistor in series with the potentiometer Linearity: \pm 0.25%	
White	Potentiometer power supply	Recommended 10 V DC	



Mechanical potentiometer and Endstop reached - Absolute positioning

Connection diagram

Applicable for: LA36

Power	
BROWN	Motor +/-
BLUE	Motor -/+
Signal	
RED	Signal power supply
BLACK	Signal power supply GND
YELLOW	Endstop reached inwards
GREEN	Endstop reached outwards
VIOLET	Potentiometer feedback
WHITE	Potentiometer power supply



If you wish to use the endstop signals, you will have to keep power on the Brown, Blue, Red and Black wires at all times when the actuator is running, and minimum one second before it starts to run, otherwise the signal will be lost.

Mechanical potentiometer and Endstop reached - Absolute positioning

I/O specifications

Input/Output	Specification	Comments		
Description	The actuator can be equipped with a mechanical potentiometer, $10\ k\Omega$.	0 - 10 kΩ, 5%, 10-turn		
Brown	Nominal voltage 12/24/48 V DC	To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND		
Blue	According to actuator label	To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC		
Red	Signal power supply 12/24 V DC	Fan and the circula		
Black	Signal/Potentiometer power supply GND	For endstop signals		
Yellow	Endstop reached inwards	Min. output voltage: V _{IN} - 2 V		
Green	Endstop reached outwards	Max. source current: 100 mA NOT potential free		
Violet	Mechanical potentiometer feedback Output range with 12 mm spindle pitch: $1 \text{ k}\Omega = 0 \text{ mm stroke}$ $11 \text{ k}\Omega = 500 \text{ mm stroke}$ Output range with 16 mm spindle pitch: $1 \text{ k}\Omega = 0 \text{ mm stroke}$ $11 \text{ k}\Omega = 666 \text{ mm stroke}$ Output range with 20 mm spindle pitch: $1 \text{ k}\Omega = 0 \text{ mm stroke}$ $1 \text{ k}\Omega = 0 \text{ mm stroke}$ $1 \text{ k}\Omega = 0 \text{ mm stroke}$	Output protection: 1 $k\Omega$ protection resistor in series with the potentiometer Linearity: \pm 0.25%		
White	Potentiometer power supply	Recommended 10 V DC		



Potential-free endstop reached

Connection diagram

Applicable for: LA36 (Special article numbers only)

Power	
BROWN	Motor +/-
BLUE	Motor -/+
Signal	
RED	Normally Closed Outwards (NC)
WHITE	Common Contact (C)
BLACK	Normally Open Outwards (NO)
YELLOW	Normally Closed Inwards (NC)
GREEN	Common Contact (C)
VIOLET	Normally Open Inwards (NO)



Please note that the actuator will move to the mechanical end of stroke when it reaches a potentialfree endstop. Therefore, an external controller is essential for monitoring current consumption and ensuring that the actuator stops properly.

Potential-free endstop reached

I/O specifications

Applicable for: LA36 (Special article numbers only)

Input/Output	Specification	Comments		
Description	The actuator can be equipped with potential-free endstop switches.	Please note that potential-free options cannot be combined with any other type of feedback.		
Brown	Nominal voltage 12/24/48 V DC	To extend actuator: Connect Brown to V DC Connect Blue to GND		
Blue	According to actuator label	To retract actuator: Connect Brown to GND Connect Blue to V DC		
Red	Normally Closed Outwards (NC)	NC		
White	Common Contact (C)			
Black	Normally Open Outwards (NO)	NO		
Yellow	Normally Closed Inwards (NC)	NC		
Green	Common Contact (C)			
Violet	Normally Open Outwards (NO)	• NO		



Please note that the actuator will move to the mechanical end of stroke when it reaches a potentialfree endstop. Therefore, an external controller is essential for monitoring current consumption and ensuring that the actuator stops properly.



Connection overview

LA14 and LA25

	AMP 2-pin	Deutsch 2-pin	AMP 5-pin	Deutsch 6-pin	Deutsch 8-pin
	2 - 1		5	6 7777	XXXXX
Wire colour			Pin		
BROWN	2	2	2	2	2
BLUE	1	1	1	1	1
RED	-	-	4	4	4
BLACK	-	-	3	3	3
YELLOW	-	-	5	6	7
GREEN	-	-	-	-	8
VIOLET	-	-	-	-	6
WHITE	-	-	-	-	5

LA33, LA36 and LA37

	AMP 2-pin	Deutsch 2-pin	AMP 6-pin	Deutsch 6-pin	
	2 -1	2	6		
Wire colour	Pin				
BROWN	2		-		
BLUE	1		-		
RED	-		2		
BLACK	-		1		
YELLOW	-		- 5		
GREEN	-		- 6		
VIOLET	-		4		
WHITE	-		3		

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