

Computer Weld Technology, Inc.

MODULAR WELD CONTROL

MWC[™]

The microprocessor based Modular Weld Controller is the main control module and provides all control and communication functions and can program external motion control axis via the Local Area network (LAN) port. The controller can support up to four stepper motor controlled axis, using the MSC-1000[™] Micro-Step Controller, and four DC servo controls, using the DMC-1000[™] DC Servo Controller. The MWC[™] provides all external Input / Output control interface and electrical connections to user supplied components. The MWC[™] consists of two major control systems. The first is a Programmable Logic Controller (PLC) and the second is the Modular Weld Control (MWC[™]). The PLC is the main controlling element and provides the interface between the MWC[™]



and the external I/O functions. The PLC is configured by using the terminal serial port. The user can define up to 150 sequences that will be executed by the specified switch inputs. The MWC[™] control provides all of the weld control functions and can be programmed for up to 40 weld schedules via the terminal serial port or remote pendant port.

The following parameters are programmable:

- Prepurge Gas Flow Time
- Arc Start Parameter Time
- Arc Active Delay Time
- Ramp Up Time
- Weld Time (spot or manual)

- Ramp Down Time
- Crater Fill Time
- Wire Retract Time
- Burn Back Time
- Post Purge Time
 - * For Pulse TIG Applications

- Pulse On Time*
- Pulse Off Time*
- Background Wire Feed Speed*

FEATURES

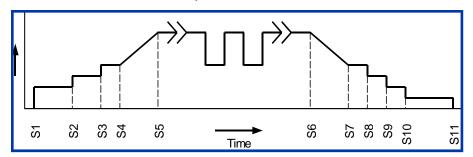
- User definable configuration
- RS-232 Serial Port
- Flexibility to adapt to most solid state equipment
- Ease of set up

BENEFITS

- 40 Weld Schedules and 150 PLC Sequences are user programmable
- Permits off-line programming, system configuration and remote control
- Permits user to employ existing equipment in many cases
- Welding Parameters displayed while welding
- Automatically recognizes installed peripheral devices

MWC[™] SPECIFICATIONS

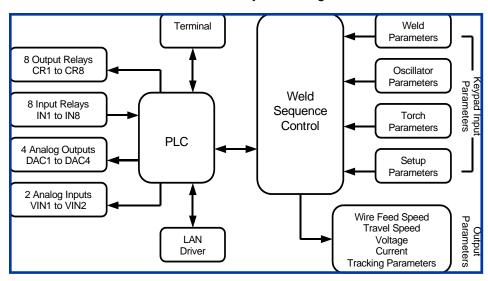
Weld Sequence Timed Events



Weld Sequence Events:

- S1 = Cycle Start
- S1 S2 = Prepurge Gas Flow Time
- S2 S3 = Arc Start Parameter Time
- S3 S4 = Arc Active Delay Time
- S4 S5 = Ramp Time
- S5 S6 = Weld Time (spot or manual)

- S6 S7 = Ramp Down Time
- S7 S8 = Crater Fill Parameter Time
- S8 S9 = Wire Retract Time
- S9 S10 = Burn Back Time
- S10 S11 = Post Purge Time



MWC[™] Control System Diagram

MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Dimensions:

Weight:

3.25" H x 13.25" W x 8.75" L (83mm x 337mm x 222mm)

4.0 lbs. (1.8kg)

Power Input:

110 / 240 vac 50 / 60 Hz @ 8 amp

Operating Temperature:

-10°F to +140°F (-23°C to +60°C)

Note: Specifications subject to change without notice.