

3-POSITION CONTROLLER FOR ROBO CYLINDER



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3-position Controller for ROBO Cylinders Mechanical Engineer Control (MEC)

Air cylinder

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Affordable and Easy to Use where a strong are highly recognized in the EAS The MEC allows users, including mechanical engineers, to easily operate IAI's ROBO Cylinders, which are highly recognized in the FA industry for their wide selection of models and superior performance. Just by plugging in the power and setting the speed and acceleration, you can start using the MEC just like an air cylinder, by inputting the Forward and Back signals from the PLC.

1. Affordable

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The PMEC comes complete with a controller, power supply, acceleration and speed change functions, and all necessary features including a PC connection cable, all at an affordable price.

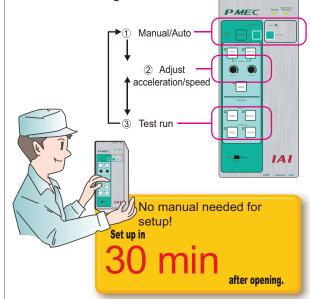
The price of the MEC and a slider-type ROBO Cylinder combined is comparable to the total cost of a rodless air cylinder, electromagnetic valve, auto switch, and speed controller.



Complete with a controller, power supply, PC connection cable, and all other necessary features such as acceleration and speed change functions, all at an affordable price

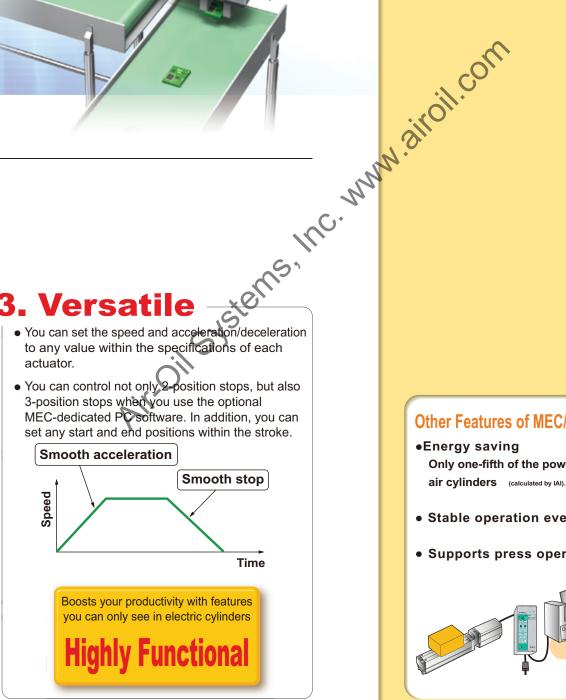
2. Easy to Use

Just set the desired speed and acceleration using the knobs on the control panel. The continuous operation button lets you quickly verify your movement settings.





ROBO Cylinder

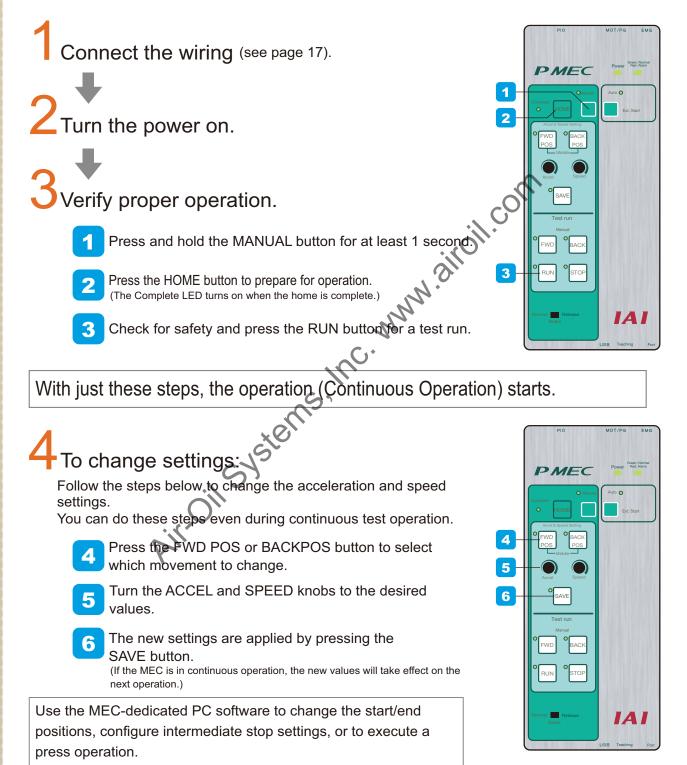


Other Features of MEC/ROBO Cylinders

- Only one-fifth of the power consumption of
- Stable operation even at low speeds
- Supports press operation



Anyone can set up and use the MEC, even without any electrical knowledge.



*Please contact IAI for more information.

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A versatile lineup of ROBO Cylinders, ranging from mini models similar to air cylinders, to rotary and gripper types.



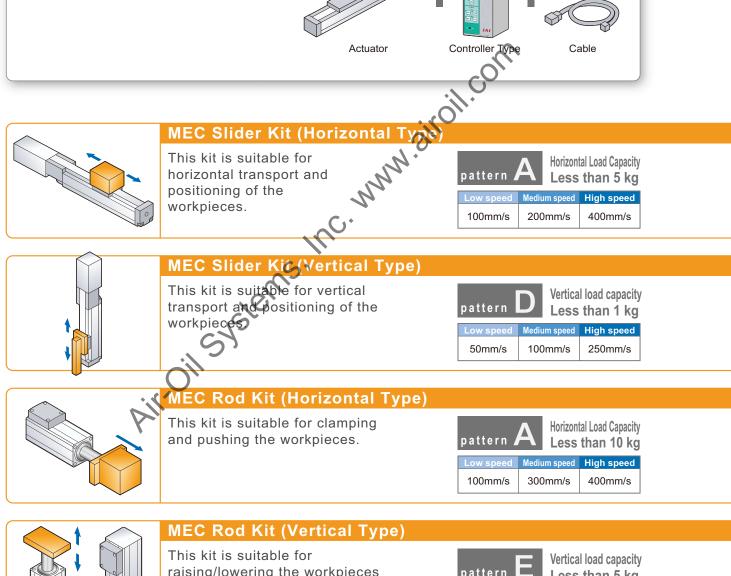
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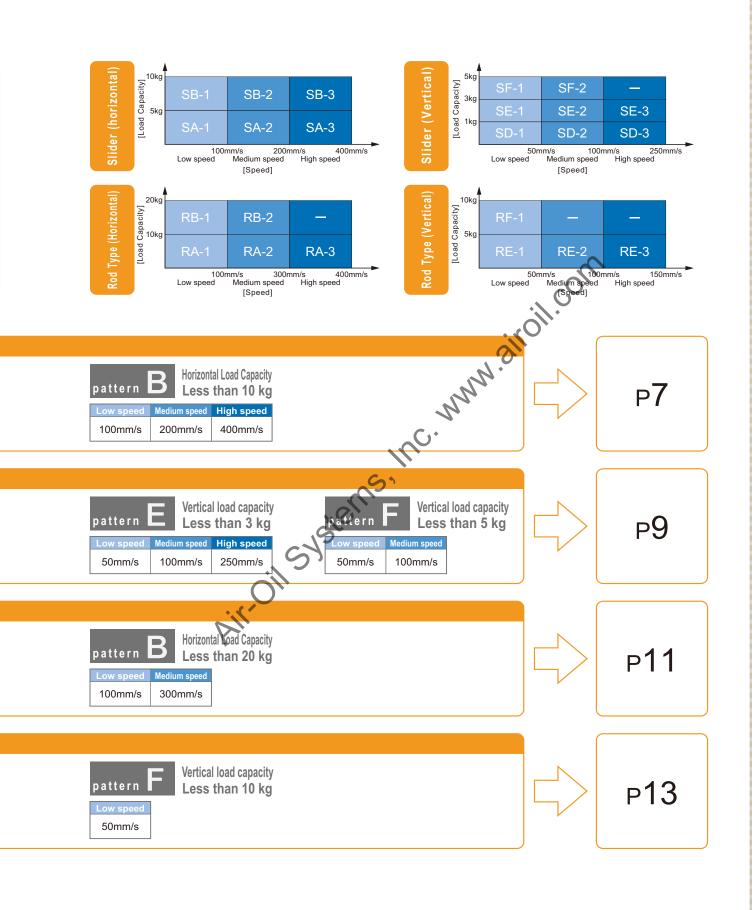
What are ROBO Cylinder MEC Kits?

Available for slider and rod types of electric actuators, the ROBO cylinder MEC kit is a set of IAI's most recommended equipment that meets specific speed and load capacity requirements. The MEC kit is a good option if you are not sure which model to choose from the wide range of selections. There are many other types of ROBO Cylinders besides those that are available in the MEC kit. For details, refer to the ROBO Cylinder General Catalog.



raising/lowering the workpieces and stackers, or for press-fitting and caulking the workpieces.

pattern	Ε		l load capacity than 5 kg
Low speed	Mediu	ım speed	High speed
50mm/s	100)mm/s	150mm/s



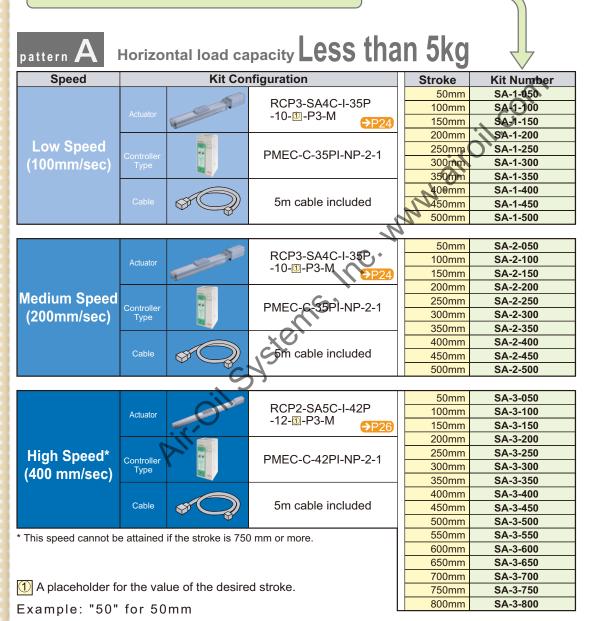
ROBO Cylinder MEC Kits

Selection procedure Select the MEC kit that is right for you.

1 Select pattern **A** if each workpiece transported weighs less than 5kg, or pattern **B** if less than 10kg.

Once you have decided on the pattern, select the kit according to the desired speed and stroke.

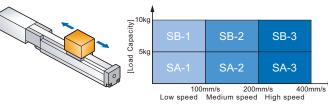
3 Place your order by the kit number.



MEC Slider Kit (Horizontal Type)

Ordering Example:

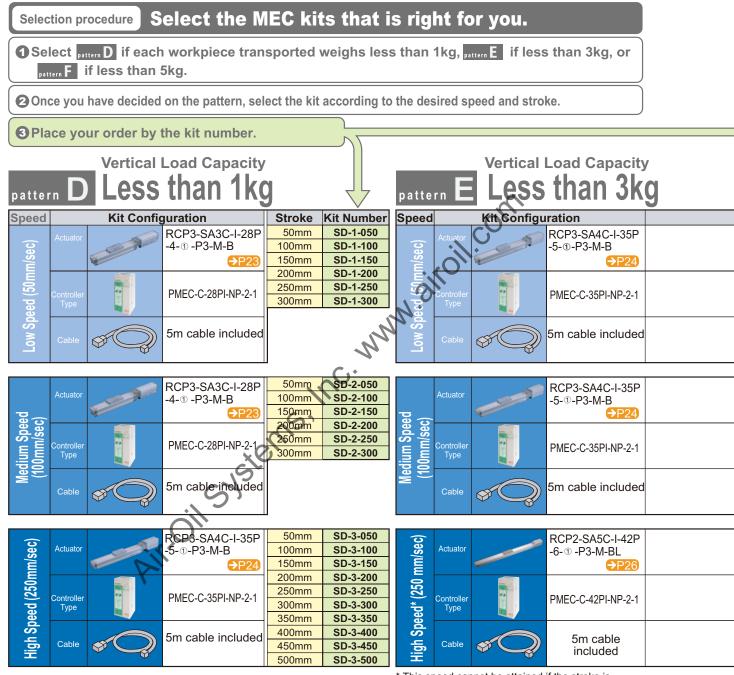
If load capacity = 5kg, speed = medium speed (200mm/sec), and stroke = 300mm, the kit number to order is **SA-2-300**.



[Speed]

pattern B H	lorizor	ntal load cap	pacity Less th	an 10kg	
Speed		Kit Cor	nfiguration	Stroke	Kit Number
<u> </u>		<u></u>	0	50mm	SB-1-050
Low Speed			RCP3-SA5C-I-42P	100mm	SB-1-100
	Actuator	-	-6-1 -P3-M	150mm	SB-1-150
			→P2	200mm 🔹	SB-1-200
				250mm	SB-1-250
	Controller	100 A	PMEC-C-42PI-NP-2-1	<u>300mm</u>	SB-1-300
(100mm/sec)	Туре			<u>350mm</u>	SB-1-350
				- <u>400mm</u>	SB-1-400
				450mm	SB-1-450
	Cable		5m cable included	500mm	SB-1-500
		Ψ		550mm	SB-1-550
				600mm	SB-1-600
				650mm 700mm	SB-1-650 SB-1-700
			C1 ⁺	700mm	SB-1-700 SB-1-750
				800mm	SB-1-730
				00011111	00-1-000
			(a)	50mm	SB-2-050
Medium Speed*		RCP3-SA5C-I-42P	100mm	SB-2-100	
	Actuator		-6-00-P3-M	150mm	SB-2-150
				200mm	SB-2-200
			PMEC-C-42PI-NP-2-1	250mm	SB-2-250
	Controller	-		300mm	SB-2-300
(200mm/sec)	Туре	N	350mm	SB-2-350	
) '	400mm	SB-2-400
		Cable	5m cable included	450mm	SB-2-450
	Cable			500mm	SB-2-500
				550mm	SB-2-550
TI: 1 (1				600mm	SB-2-600
This speed cannot be	e attained	if the stroke is 700) mm or more.	650mm	SB-2-650
				700mm	SB-2-700
		•		750mm	SB-2-750
				800mm	SB-2-800
				50	00.050
			RCP2-SA7C-I-56P	50mm	SB-3-050
	Actuator		-16-10-P3-M	100mm	SB-3-100
			-16- <u>№</u> -P3-M →P2	150mm	SB-3-150
				200mm 250mm	SB-3-200
High Speed*				300mm	SB-3-250
(400 mm/sec)	Controller Type		PMEC-C-56PI-NP-2-1	350mm	SB-3-300 SB-3-350
	Type			- 400mm	SB-3-400
				400mm	SB-3-400
	Cable	Cabla	5m cable included	500mm	SB-3-500
				550mm	SB-3-550
				600mm	SB-3-600
				650mm	SB-3-650
				700mm	SB-3-700
				750mm	SB-3-750
				800mm	SB-3-800

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* This speed cannot be attained if the stroke is 650 mm or more.

A placeholder for the value of the desired stroke. Example: "50" for 50mm

Ordering Example:

600mm 650mm

700mm 750mm

800mm

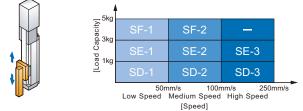
SE-3-650 SE-3-700

SE-3-750

SA-3-800

If load capacity = less than 3kg, speed = low speed (50mm/sec), and stroke = 100mm, the bundle package to order is **SE-1-100**.

MEC Slider Kit (Vertical Type)



Vertical Load Capacity Less than 5kg pattern Kit Number Stroke Kit Number Speed Kit Configuration Stroke 50mm SE-1-050 50mm SF-1-050 RCP3-SA5C-I-42P -3-1 -P3-M-B 100mm SE-1-100 100mm SF-1-100 SE-1-150 150mm 150mm SF-1-150 200mm SE-1-200 200mm SF-1-200 250mm SE-1-250 250mm SF-1-250 PMEC-C-42PI-NP-2-1 300mm SE-1-300 300mm SF-1-300 SE-1-350 350mm SF-1-350 350mm 20 SE-1-400 SF-1-400 400mm 400mm 5m cable SE-1-450 SF-1-450 450mm Ø 450mm ins inc. included 500mm SE-1-500 SF-1-500 500mm 550mm SF-1-550 50mm SE-2-050 600mm SF-1-600 650mm SF-1-650 100mm SE-2-100 SF-1-700 150mm SE-2-150 700mm 750mm SF-1-750 200mm SE-2-200 SE-2-250 800mm SF-1-800 250mm 300mm SE-2-300 350mm SE-2-350 50mm SF-2-050 RCP3-SA5C-I-42P 400mm SE-2-400 100mm SF-2-100 -3-1 -P3-M-B SE-2-450 SF-2-150 450mm 150mm →P25 SE-2-500 500mm 200mm SF-2-200 250mm SF-2-250 100mm/se PMEC-C-42PI-NP-2-1 Controller Type SF-2-300 300mm 50mm SE-3-050 350mm SF-2-350 SE-3-100 100mm 400mm SF-2-400 SE-3-150 150mm 5m cable included 450mm SF-2-450 200mm SE-3-200 500mm SF-2-500 250mm SE-3-250 550mm SF-2-550 300mm SE-3-300 * This speed cannot be attained if the stroke is 750 mm or more. 350mm SE-3-350 600mm SF-2-600 400mm SE-3-400 650mm SF-2-650 SF-2-700 450mm SE-3-450 700mm SF-2-750 750mm 500mm SE-3-500 800mm SF-2-800 550mm SE-3-550 SE-3-600

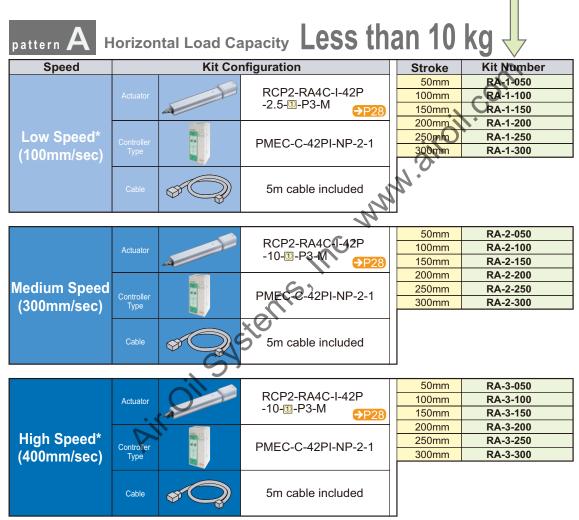
ROBO Cylinder MEC Kits

Selection procedure Select the MEC kit that is right for you.

O Select pattern A if each workpiece transported weighs less than 10kg, or pattern B if less than 20kg.

Once you have decided on the pattern, select the kit according to the desired speed and stroke.

3 Place your order by the kit number.



* This speed cannot be attained if the stroke is 300mm or more.

1 A placeholder for the value of the desired stroke. Example: "50" for 50mm

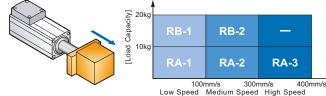
MEC Rod Kit (Horizontal Type)

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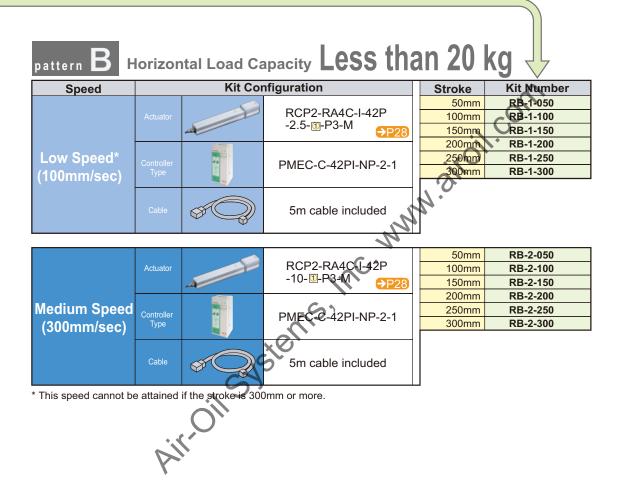
If load capacity = less than 10kg, speed

= high speed (400mm/sec), and stroke

= 150mm, the bundle package number to order is **RA-3-150**.



Low Speed Medium Speed High Speed [Speed]



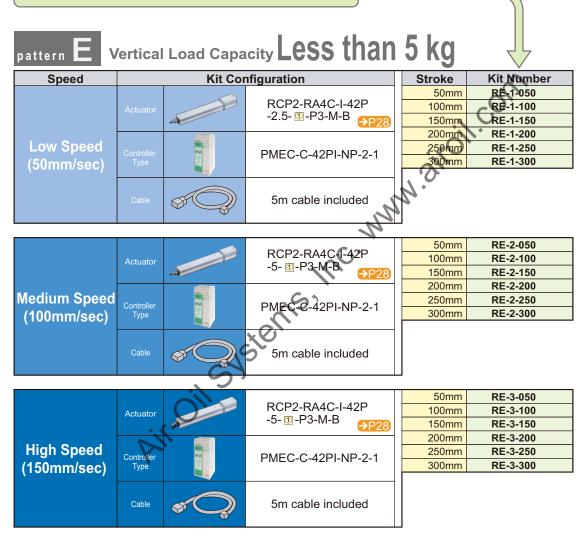
ROBO Cylinder MEC Kits

Selection procedure Select the MEC kit that is right for you.

1 Select pattern **E** if each workpiece transported weighs less than 5kg, or pattern **F** if less than 10kg.

Once you have decided on the pattern, select the kit according to the desired speed and stroke.

O Place your order by the kit number.

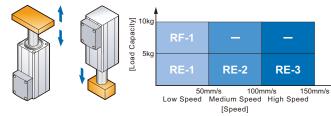


① A placeholder for the value of the desired stroke. Example: "50" for 50mm

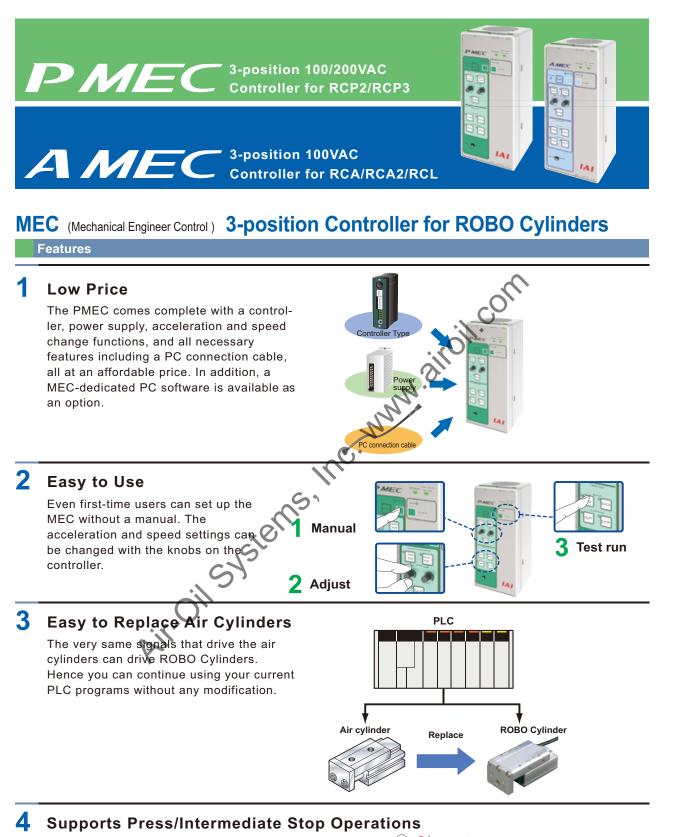
Ordering Example:

If load capacity = less than 5kg, speed = medium speed (200mm/sec), and stroke = 50mm, the bundle package number to order is **RE-2-050**.

MEC Rod Kit (Vertical Type)

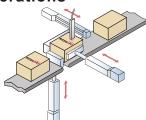


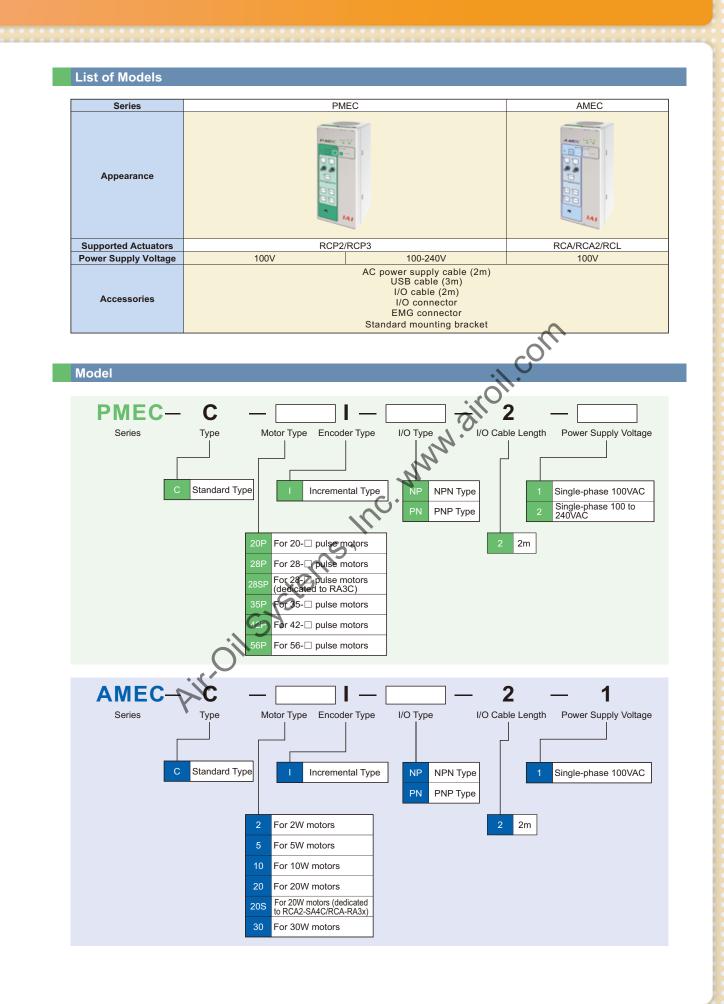
Speed	Kit Co	nfiguration	Stroke Kit Number 50mm RF-1-050		
	Actuator	RCP2-RA4C-I-42P -2.5- ① -P3-M-B →P28	100mm RF-1-100 150mm RF-1-150		
Low Speed (100mm/sec)	Controller Type	PMEC-C-42PI-NP-2-1	200mm RF-1-200 250mm RF-1-250 300mm RF-1-300		
	Cable	5m cable included	P ·		
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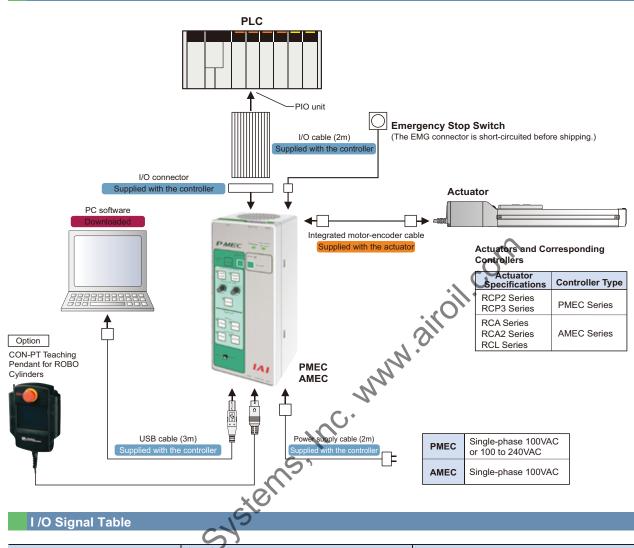


ROBO Cylinders support press operations similar to air cylinders.

In addition, the MEC-dedicated PC software allows you to configure intermediate stop at any position between the home position and stroke end position.







I /O Signal Table

O	perating patte	ern	2-Position Stop	3-Position Stop
Pin No.	Wire Color	Signal Type	Signal Name	Signal Name
1	Brown	PIO	24V	24V
2	Red	power supply	0V	0V
3	Orange	D.	ST0 (Solenoid A: ON moves to the end position, and OFF moves to the home position.)	ST0 (Solenoid A: MOVE signal 1)
4	Yellow	Input	-	ST1 (Solenoid B: MOVE signal 2)
5	Green	Input	RES (Alarm reset)	RES (Alarm reset)
6	Blue		-	-
7	Purple		LS0 (Home position detected)/PE0 (Home positioning complete) *1	LS0 (Home position detected)/PE0 (Home positioning complete)**
8	Gray	Output	LS1 (End position detected)/PE1 (End positioning complete) *1	LS1 (End position detected)/PE1 (End positioning complete) *1
9	White	Output	HEND (home return complete)	LS2 (Intermediate point detected)/PE2 (Intermediate positioning complete) 1
10	Black		* ALM (alarm) ²	* ALM (alarm)*2

* 1: Signals PE0 through PE2 will be output if the press function was enabled in the initial setting. Otherwise, LS0 through LS2 will be output.
 * 2: The ALM signal is normally ON, and turns OFF when an alarm occurs.

MEC PC Software

Please contact IAI technical support for more information.

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Operation Patterns

PIO Pattern (2-point travel)

This movement pattern consists of a movement between two positions (front and rear positions). You can easily set the front and rear positions by entering the numbers into the controller using the MEC PC software or the optional Teaching Pendant. There are two movements in this pattern. In the "Positioning" movement, the rod and the slider move to the specified position, and in the "Press" movement, the rod is pressed onto the work piece.

Pointing Input Signal Rear end position data Speed: 50mm/s ST0 Solenoid A ON Position 30mm (Rear end When ST0 is turned ON, the rod moves to the rear end Speed 50mm/s position) position (at a coordinate of 30mm) at a speed of 50mm/s. Pressing Force _ Width (30mm) Input Signal Front end position data (Front end Speed: 20mm/s position) ST0 Solenoid A OFF Position 0mm Speed 20mm/s When ST0 is turned OFF, the rod returns to the front end position (at a position of 0mm) at a speed of ressing Forc 20mm/s Width (0mm) 0

PIO Pattern (2-point travel)

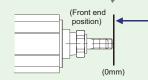
This pattern of operation consists of a movement between two positions (Front end and rear end positions) for a "press operation", in which the rod is pressed onto the workpiece.

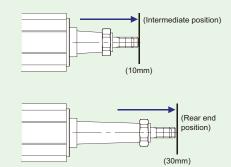


PIO Pattern (3-point travel)

This pattern of operation consists of a movement between three positions (front end, intermediate, and rear end positions). Movement positions are switched with a combination of two signals, i.e., ST0 and ST1.

Positioning





Input Signal

ST0	Solenoid A	ON
ST1	Solenoid B	OFF

If only ST0 is turned ON, the rod moves to the front end position at the acceleration or speed that you specified.

Input Signal

ST0	Solenoid A	ON*
ST1	Solenoid B	ON*

If both ST0 and ST1 are turned ON, the rod moves to the intermediate position at the acceleration or speed that you specified.

Turning both signals OFF will cause the rod to stop in place.

Input Signal

ST0	Solenoid A	OFF
ST1	Solenoid B	ON

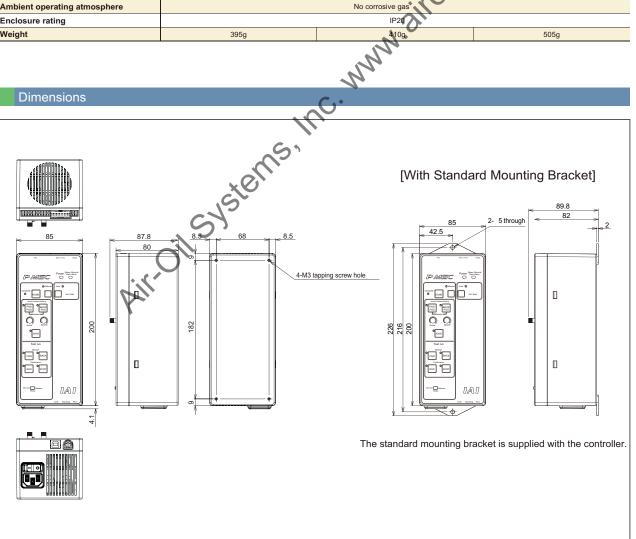
If only ST1 is turned ON, the rod moves to the rear end position at the acceleration or speed that you specified

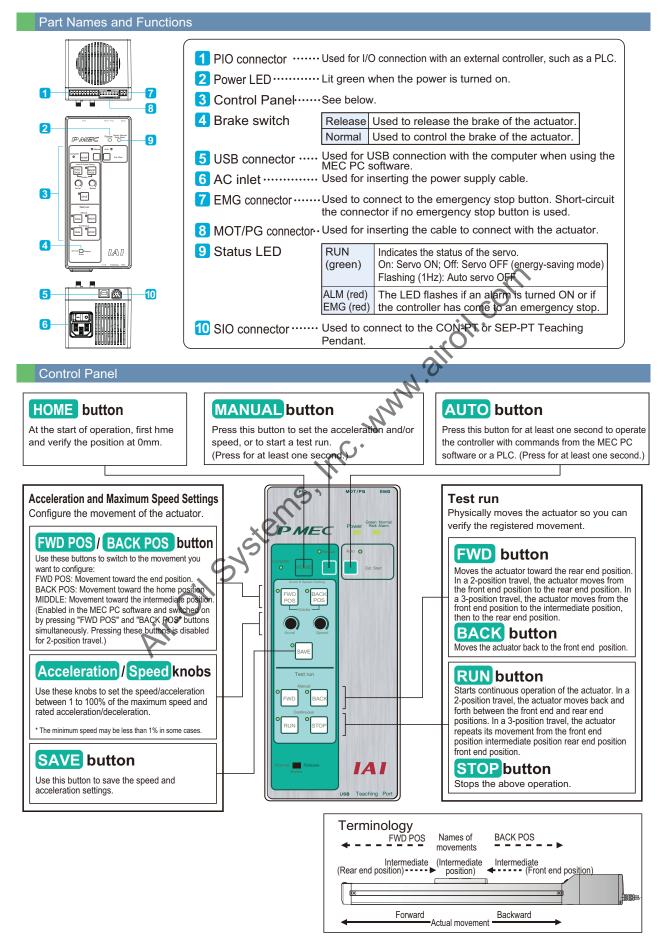
You can also configure the initial settings so that the rod will move to the intermediate position with both signals turned OFF, and stop in place with both signals turned ON.

Specifications

Item	Specification						
Controller Type	PM	IEC	AMEC				
Actuator Specifications	RCP2/RCP3 S	Series Actuator	RCA/RCA2/RCL Series Actuator				
Number of control axes		Single axis					
Operating mode		Positioner type					
Number of positions		2/3					
Backup memory		EEPROM					
I/O connector		10-pin terminal block					
I/O points		4 input points/4 output points					
I/O power supply	External power supply at 24 VDC ± 10%						
Serial communication	RS485: 1 ch/USB: 1 ch						
Position detection method	Incremental encoder						
Power Supply Voltage	AC100V±10%	AC100V-240V±10%	AC100V±10%				
Rated current	1.3A	0.67A(AC100V)/0.36A(AC200V)	2.4A				
Inrush current	30A	15A(AC100V)/30A(AC200V)	15A				
Leak current	0.5mA or less	0.40mA max(AC100V) 0.75mA max(AC200V)	0.50mA or less				
Dielectric strength		DC500V 1MΩ					
Vibration resistance	Single amplitudes of 0.035mm (continuous) and 0.075mm (intermittent) at 0 to 57Hz 4.9 m/s² (continuous) and 9.8 m/s² (intermittent) at 57 to 150 Hz.Vibration resistance in X, Y, and Z directions						
Ambient operating temperature		0~40°C					
Ambient operating humidity		10% to 85% RH (no condensation)					
Ambient operating atmosphere		No corrosive gas					
Enclosure rating		IP2					
Weight	395g	410g	505g				

Dimensions





Options

Teaching Pendant for Position Controller

The Teaching Pendant is a data input device equipped with an interactive touch Features

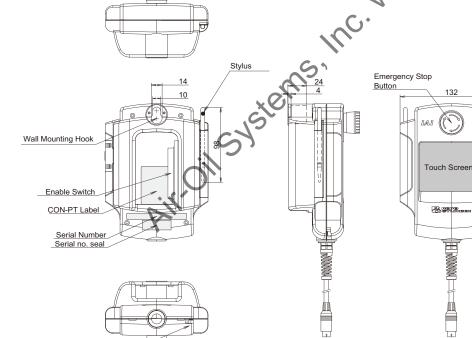
panel that is easy to use even for first-time users. You can configure various settings, such as the front end, rear end, and intermediate positions, speed, pressing force, as well as make operational adjustments such as jogging, inching, and movement to reference positions.

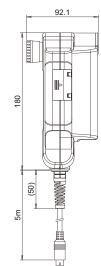
Model/Specifications/Pricing

	Item	Description				
Model	Japanese version	CON-PT-M				
woder	English version	CON-PT-M-ENG				
Туре						
Features		Position data entry/editing Move function (Move to position, Jog function, Inching function) I/O signal test Parameter editing Language change (Japanese/English)				
Display		3-color LED backlight				
Ambient C Temp/Hum		0~50°C 20~85%RH(no condensation)				
Environm	ental resistance	IP40				
Weight (in	ncluding 5m cable)	Approximately 750g				
Accessor	у	Stylus				
Part Na	ames/Dimensio	Stylus				
		Stylus G1				
		Stylus Emergency Sto				



Part Names/Dimensions

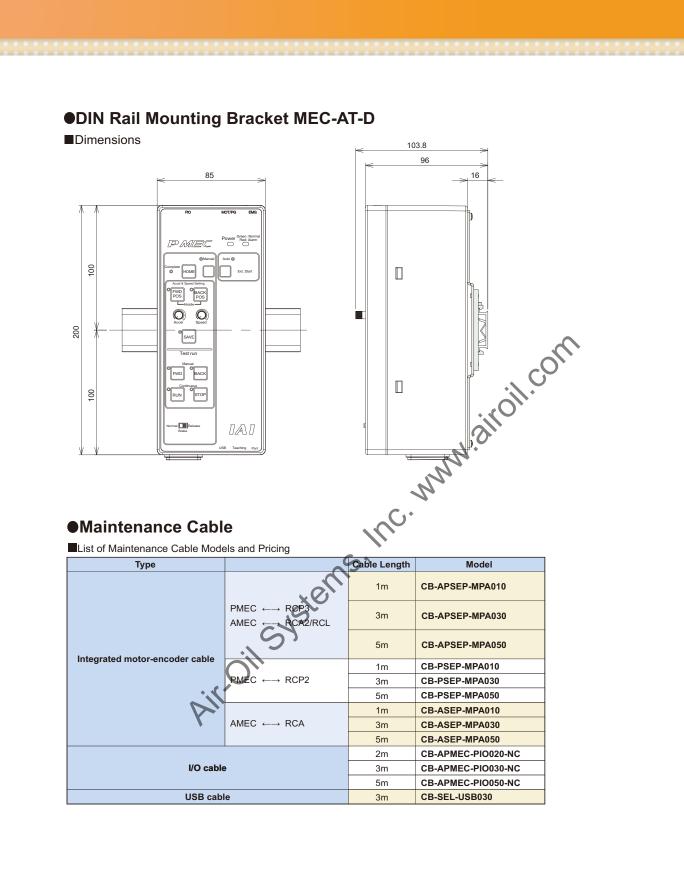




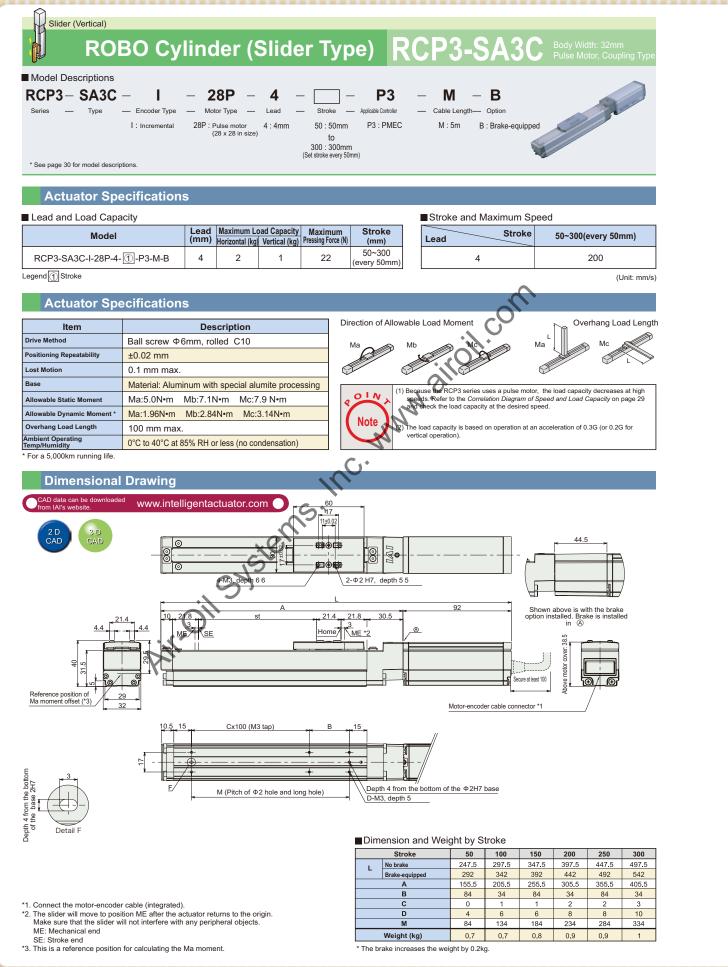
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Strap Connector

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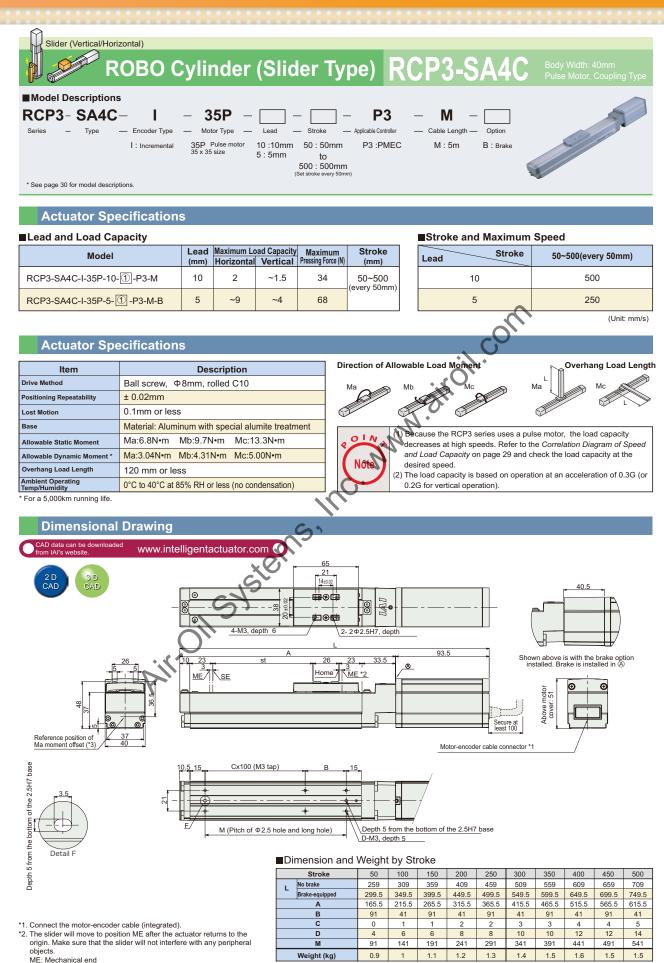


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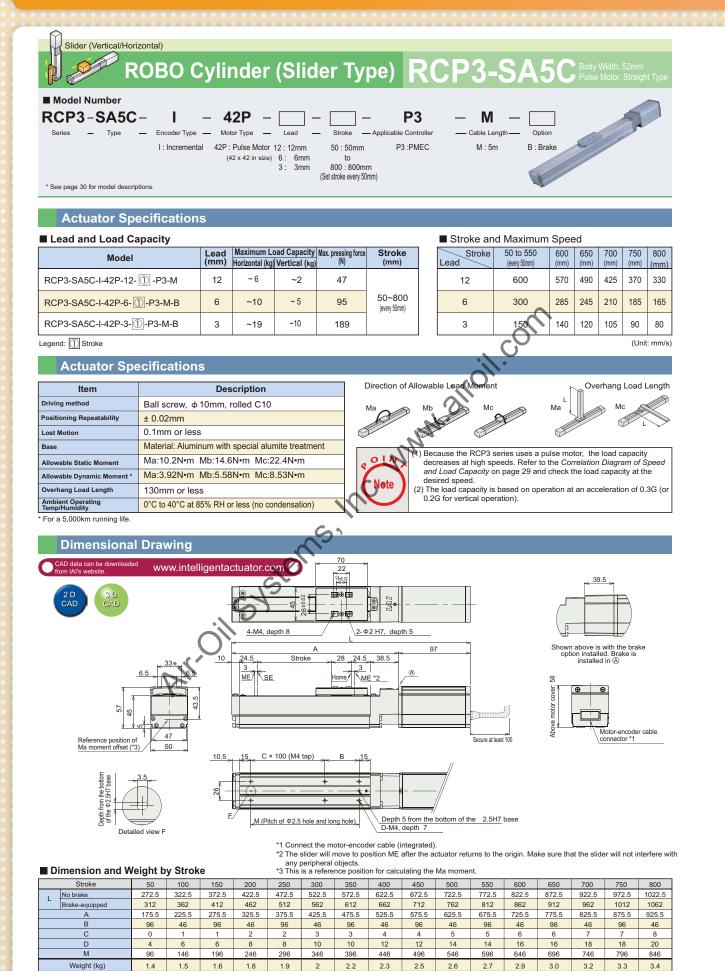


SE: Stroke end

*3. This is a reference position for calculating the Ma moment.

The brake increases the weight by 0.3 kg

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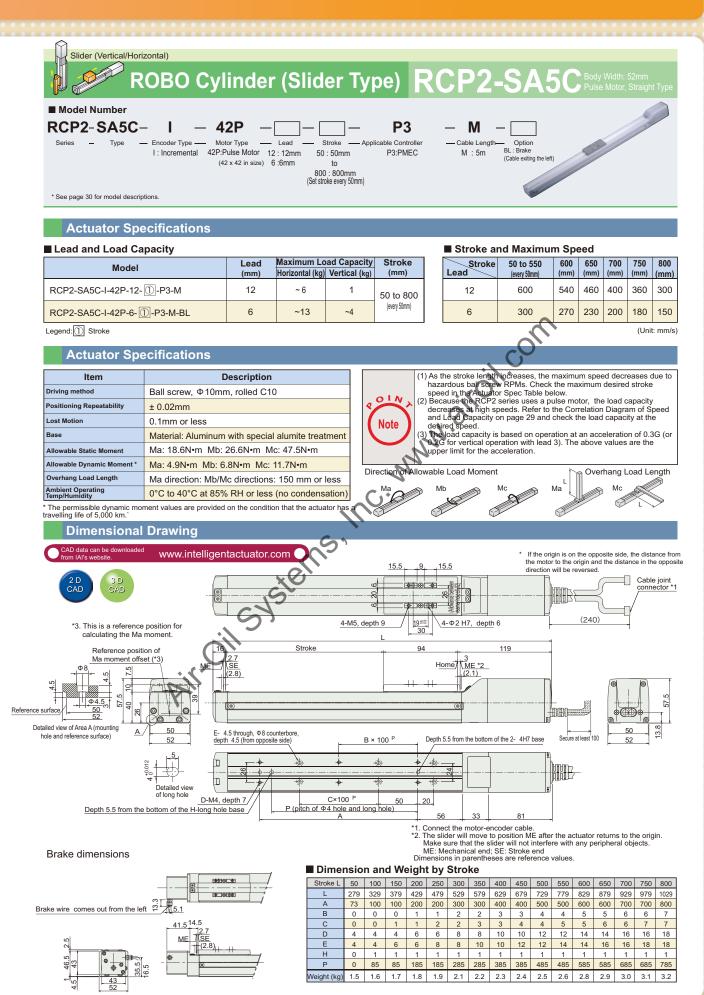
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The brake increases the weight by 0.4kg

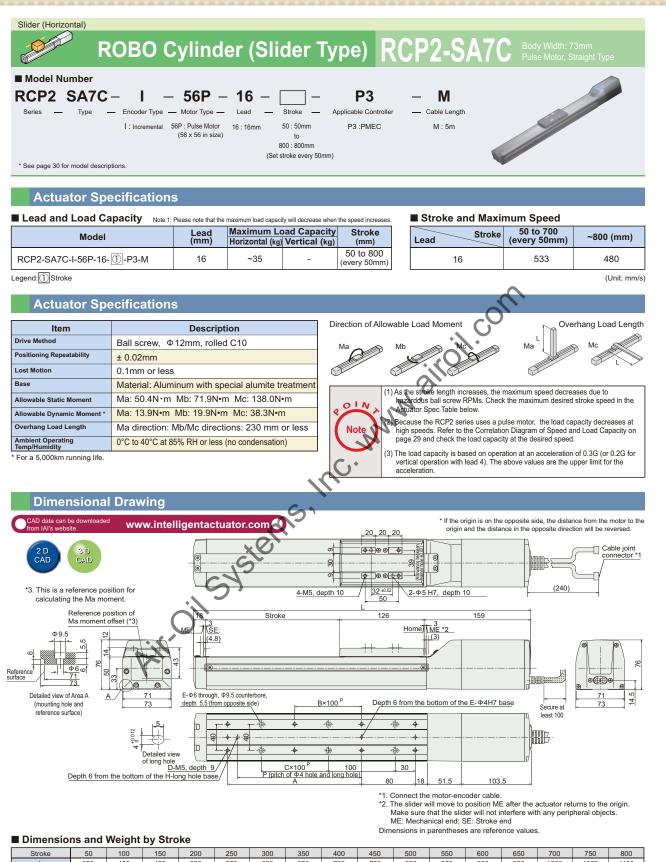
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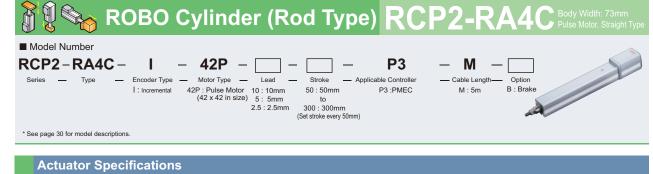
St	troke	50	100	150	200	250	300	350	400	450	500	550	600	650	700	750	800
	L	353	403	453	503	553	603	653	703	753	803	853	903	953	1003	1053	1103
	A	0	100	100	200	200	300	300	400	400	500	500	600	600	700	700	800
	В	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	3	3	4	4	5	5	6	6	7
	С	0	0	1	1	2	2	3	3	4	4	5	5	6	6	7	7
	D	4	6	6	8	8	10	10	12	12	14	14	16	16	18	18	20
	E	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
	F	4	4	6	6	8	8	10	10	12	12	14	14	16	16	18	18
	Н	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Р	0	85	85	185	185	285	285	385	385	485	485	585	585	685	685	785
Wei	ight (kg)	3.1	3.3	3.6	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.5	4.7	4.9	5.1	5.4	5.6	5.8	6.0	6.3	6.5

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Rod (Vertical/Horizontal)



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Note

■ Lead and Load Capacity Note 1: Please note that the maximum load capacity will decrease when the speed increases Lead Maximum Load Capacity Max. Pressing Force Stroke Model Horizontal (kg) Vertical (kg) (N) (mm) (mm) RCP2-RA4C-I-42P-10- ① -P3-M 10 ~25 ~4.5 150 50 to 300 5 284 RCP2-RA4C-I-42P-5- 1-P3-M-2 ~40 ~12 (every 50mm) 2.5 40 ~19 358 RCP2-RA4C-I-42P-2.5-1-P3-M-2

Stroke and Maximum Speed

Lead Stroke	50 to 200 (every 50mm)					
10	458	458	350			
5	250	237	175			
2.5	125	118 <114>	87			
* Values in parenthesis a	(Unit: mm/s)					

Legend: Stroke Option: ("B" indicates a model with a brake)

Actuator Specifications

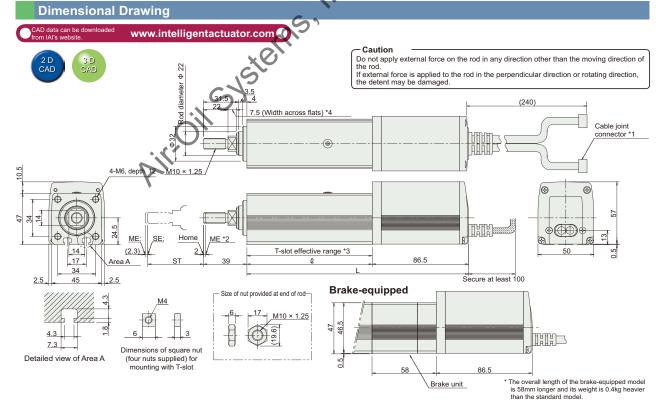
Item	Description
Drive Method	Ball screw, ϕ 8mm, rolled C10
Positioning Repeatability	± 0.02mm
Lost Motion	0.1mm or less
Rod Diameter	φ22mm
Rod Non-rotation Accuracy	±1.5°
Ambient Operating Temp/Humidity	0°C to 40°C at 85% RH or less (no condensation)

(1) As the stroke length increases, the maximum speed decreases due to
hazardous ball screw RPMs. Check the maximum desired stroke speed in the Actuator Spec Table below.
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6) The load capacity is based on operation at an acceleration of 0.2G. 0.2G is the upper limit of the acceleration. In addition, the horizontal load capacity assumes use of an external guide. Please note that if external force is applied to the rod in a direction other

than the proper direction the rod travels, the detent may get damaged.



*1. Connect the motor-encoder cable.

- *2. The rod will move to position ME after the actuator returns to the origin. Make sure that the slider will not interfere with any peripheral objects. ME: Mechanical end; SE: Stroke end
- * 3. Please note that there is no T-slot on the bottom of the brake unit.
 *4. The orientation of the surface of the width across flats varies with each
- product. The dimensions in parentheses are reference values.

Dimensions and Weight by Stroke

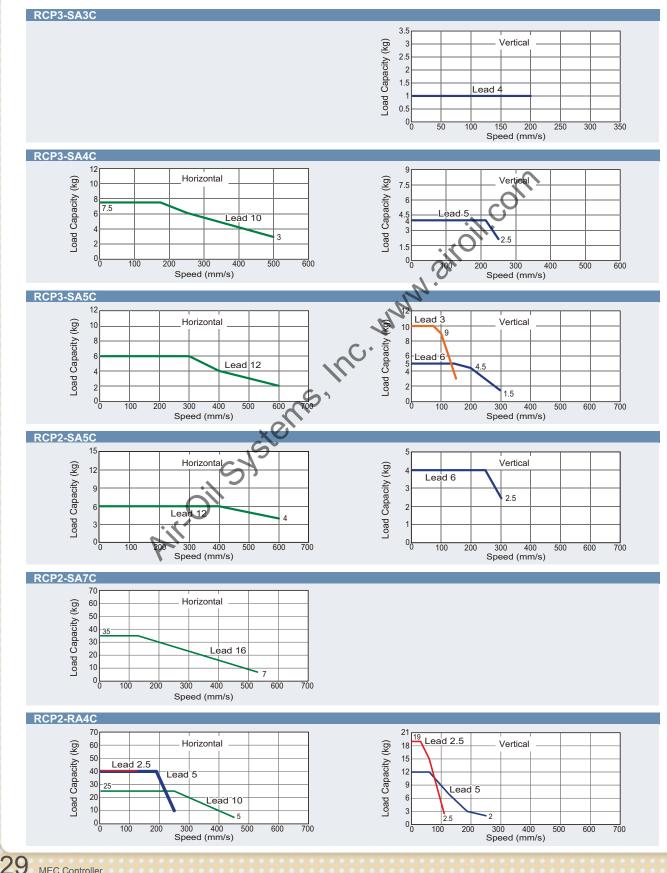
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	Stroke	50	100	150	200	250	300
		112.5	162.5	212.5	262.5	312.5	362.5
	L	199	249	299	349	399	449
	Weight (kg)	1.35	1.6	1.85	2.1	2.35	2.6

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Correlation Diagram of Speed and Load Capacity

The load capacity decreases as the speed increases, due to the characteristics of the pulse motor used in the actuator.

Use the graph below to check if the desired speed and load capacity are satisfied.



Type Description

Model numbers for each series of ROBO Cylinder consist of the following identifiers. For details, see the

explanation below: The range of selection for an identifier (e.g., lead, stroke) varies with each model. For details, refer to the description of each specific model.

Explanations of Identifiers

Series — Type	- Encoder Type - M	1otor Type – Lead	- Stroke	Applicable Controller	- Cable Length -	Option			
1 2	3	4 5	6	7	8	9			
① Series	Indicates the name of the series.								
② Туре	Indicates the shape (e and motor coupling me Type Material/Guide S (Slider) A (Aluminum) R (Rod)	Body Width	I type), material (e I as shown below. Motor Coupling method C (Coupling)	Example : SA50 Shape : Slide Material : Alum Body Width: 52m Motor : Cour	r inum Ning fifcation * Gripper and r	rotary are			
③Encoder Type	Indicates the type of encoder mounted to the actuator (absolute type or incremental type). unique models. I: Incremental The position data of the slider gets erased when the ROBO Cylinder is powered off. Therefore, homing is required each time the ROBO Cylinder is powered on.								
④ Motor Type	Indicates the type of motor used in the actuator. Because the RCP3/RCP2 series uses a pulse motor, the motor type indicates the size of the motor (i.e., 20P for 20- motor).								
⑤ Lead	Indicates the lead of the b	Indicates the lead of the ball screw (i.e., the travel distance of the slider when the ball screw rotates once).							
6 Stroke	Indicates the stroke (range of motion) of the actuator (in one or degrees).								
⑦ Applicable Controller (I/O type)	Indicates the type of controller that can be connected.								
[®] Cable Length	h Indicates the length of motor-encoder cable that connects the actuator and the controller.								
⁽⁹⁾ Options	Indicates the types of options attached to the actuator. * If you are selecting multiple options specify them in alphabetical order (e.g., A3-B-FT).								



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