## microloc M-Box-light

Versatile motion control.

what is it? microIOC M-Box-light is a plug & play motion control solution for stepper motors.

Drive **up to 8 axes**, connect various **limit switches**, handle stepper-motor **brakes**, define **velocity** and **acceleration**, and interface **position read-back** devices.

**Different types of stepper motors** are supported through rich set of motor-driver power modules. DIN-rail mountable or in-case integrated drivers are provided.

microIOC platform provides flexible **control system integration** and speeds up installation by offering local keyboard-control over all low level parameters.



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For more advanced motion control and control for other type of motors please check microIOC M-Box-PMAC. microIOC M-Box-PMAC is an advanced version of motion controller based on a powerful DSP platform, offering closed loop control, reverse kinematics control, synchronous multi axis motion-control, independent and real-time coordinate system transformation and much more.



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The following features are provided as standard: industrial-grade components; standard x86 architecture; dual Ethernet, 2xUSB, RS232, and VGA interfaces; complete SW support: Linux Debian or RTEMS, control system integration.

Please check microIOC baseline for the details of the microIOC family.

modular: match the number of channels to your application; 2,4,6 or 8	
drive different stepper motors	
easy installation and configuration	
customized back-panel connections, directly suited for your equipment	

## key features

absolute position feedback: EnDat, linear potentiometer...

configurable position switches: positive/negative limit and home

configurable and user defined additional per-axis signals: interlock, brake, inclination...

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set acceleration/deceleration time and maximum speed

robust and noise-immune interface to stepper drive with optical isolation

programmable front panel LEDs and LCD for quick status signaling

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## Product Descriptions

use case

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control simple insertion devices: slits, profile monitor screens, etc...



technical specification

microiOC M-Box-light		
microIOC control unit		
CPU	Embedded Intel® Ultra Low Voltage Celeron 400MHz	
interfaces	10/100 Ethernet , 2xUSB, RS232, VGA	
SW	Linux Debian, full control system integration (EPICS, ACS and Tango)	
power supply	110/220 V (50/60 Hz), 150 W, industrial grade, current protection	
casing	rack-mount 19" 2U (440 x 88 x 200)	
motion control logic and I/O channels		
logic platform	Xilinx, Spartan 3 FPGA	
position regulation	open loop	
motion control parameters	per axis: acceleration, deceleration, counts register	
I/O channels	standard signals for stepper-drives additional per axis signals for custom use (brake, interlock) optical isolation and protection 5 V interface – shorter distance to stepper drive 24 V interface – improved distance and noise immunity	
encoder support	absolute encoders supported only EnDat, linear potentiometers	
motor-drive power modules		
mounting	in-case integrated stand-alone module	
control interface	pulse-and-direction	

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