

WS500 welding control

data sheet



Reliability from simplicity

The WS500 is a compact, robust unit providing basic control for resistance welding. The membrane front panel has a water-resistant finish and incorporates four push buttons and an LCD for simple programming and monitoring. Connections are via a plug-in connector block and four studs are provided for mounting. Alternatively, the WS500 can be supplied in a wide range of housings incorporating circuit breaker and thyristor units.

features	benefits
single/repeat/half-cycle/roll- spot/seam modes	versatile
dual heat weld + pulsation	can be used for coated materials
integral programmer	always available
50/60 Hz operation	international
up to 8 user-defined programs	store settings for different material and thicknesses
retract control	suitable for most types of gun operation
counter with optional lock-out	can be used for electrode maintenance
24 V dc supply	simple installation
cross-interlock	safety and load-sharing

options

ELR/1 earth-leakage relay • 2-hand start unit 8-position remote program select unit #90-80-06-02 3PA/2 3-phase adapter dual gun adapter (does not include retract function)

configurations

W6, Monopak, Unipak housings

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at end of count

werdning parameters x o		
mode	single/repeat	
heat1	099%	
heat2	099%	
presqueeze	099 cycles	
squeeze	099 cycles	
weld1	099 cycles	
cool1	099 cycles	
weld2	099 cycles	
cool2	099 cycles	
pulses	19	
hold	099 cycles	
balance	060% (seam mode only)	
off	099 cycles	

counter (configuration types 3,5,6,7 and 10 only)actual count0..9999end count0..9999

stop/continue

configuration		programs
type		
- 00 spot/repeat	simple spot welding with no other functions	8
- 01 spot/repeat with cross-interlock	spot welding with an output that can be used to prevent other machines from welding	4
 02 spot/repeat with retract 	spot welding with an input and output for controlling the gun position	4
- 03 spot/repeat with counter	spot welding with an output that activates when the count is reached	4
- 04 spot/repeat with cross-interlock and retract	a combination of types 01 and 02	2
 05 spot/repeat with counter and retract 	a combination of types 02 and 03	2
- 06 spot/repeat with counter and cross- interlock	a combination of types 01 and 03	2
- 07 spot/repeat with counter, cross- interlock and retract	a combination of types 01, 02 and 03	1
- 08 half cycle	spot welding using only one half-cycle weld duration	8
 09 half cycle with cross interlock 	a combination of types 08 and 01	4
 10 half cycle with counter 	a combination of types 08 and 03	4
- 11 roll-spot	spot welding with an output to operate motor-driven welding wheels during the OFF time between sequences	8
- 12 seam	uses seam wheels, a motor drive and continuous or modulated current to provide a seam weld	8

configuration (continued)retractnone, simple, high-lift +/-frequency50/60 Hzinterlockon/offheat rangehigh/lowcross-interlockexternal/ring

environmental

temperature	
- operating	32° to $122F$
- storage	-13° to 158°F
humidity	
- operating	up to 80% (relative)
- storage	10% to 90%

dimensions

SCR drive

height	6.25"
width	5"
depth	1.25" + .75" for connector
weight	1.5 lbs

power requirements		
voltage	24 V dc	
sync. frequency current	50/60 Hz < 500 mA (all outputs off)	
i/o ratings inputs outputs	< 10 mA @ 24 V dc < 500 mA @ 24 V dc	

5 kHz; 1:10 mark/space; first pulse 24 V; subsequent pulses > 15 V

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