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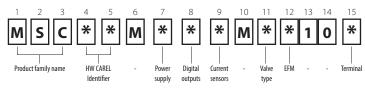
MSC Mid Size Controller





MODELS AND OPTIONS

Model and options present in the control are identified by the characters shown in the technical code printed on the product label.



- H = 100/ 240 Vac: L = 24 Vac. 48 Vdc
- R = 5 relays with current sensors; P = 6 relays without current sensors
- 0 = not present: 1 = present
- D = 1 stepper without integrated ultracap; M = 1 stepper without integrated Ultracap + 1 PWM; $\mathbf{4} = 1$ PWM; $\mathbf{5} = 1$ stepper + ultracap; $\mathbf{6} = 1$ stepper + ultracap + 1 PWM
- 0 = none; 1 = BMS, Fieldbus, not opto-isolated; 2 = Vcc; 3 = BMS, Fieldbus, opto-isolated.; 4 = Fieldbus, opto-isolated

Furthermore, the product label contains a data matrix with other important control information:

- Finished product code Serial Number CCV Control Code

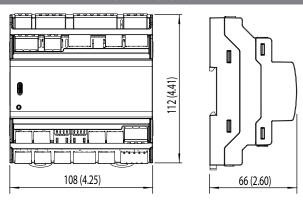
 - Production date

· UID identifier

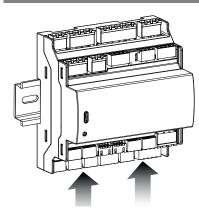
Product Revision

The same information, except the product revision, is also available in the data matrix screened on the front of the control, next to the USB-C port..

DIMENSIONS

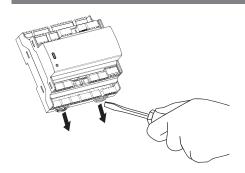


MOUNTING



For mounting: apply slight pressure to the controller resting on the DIN rail until the rear tabs click into place.

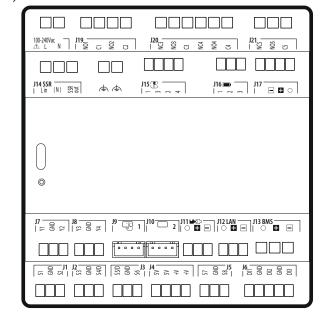
REMOVAL



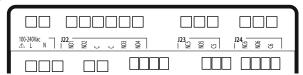
Use a screwdriver as a lever in the hole to lift and release the tab. The tab is held in the locked position by return springs.

TERMINAL DESCRIPTION

5-relay models



6-relay models

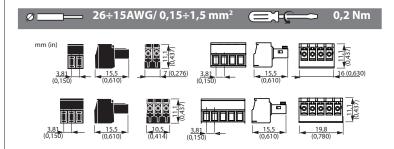


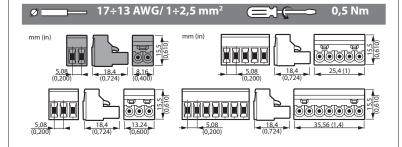
Ref.		Description	Ref.		Description	
115-	L		J14	Lin	SSR line connection	
230 VAC	N	Power supply		(N)	SSR neutral terminal (optional	
J1	S1	Analogue input 1 (NTC, PT1000)		SSR	SSR output	
	GND	Reference for probes, digital inputs and analogue outputs	Φ	-	Connector for connection to the system earth / Valve cable	
	S2	Analogue input 2 (NTC, PT1000)			shield connector	
J2	S3	Analogue input 3 (NTC, PT1000)	J15		Carel ExV bipolar valve JST connector	
	GND	Reference for probes, digital inputs and analogue outputs	J16		Not used	
	S4/D	Digital input 4 voltage-free contact not opto-isolated/ analogue input 4 (NTC, PT1000) (*)	J17		Not used	
J3	S5/D	Digital input 5 voltage-free contact not opto-isolated/ analogue input 5 (NTC, PT1000) (*)		-	Optional serial port (RS485, opto-isolated): Rx-/Tx-	
	GND	Reference for probes, digital inputs and analogue outputs		+	Optional serial port (RS485, opto-isolated): Rx+/Tx+	
	S6	Analogue input 6 (NTC, PT1000, 420 mA, 010 V, NTC-HT, 0,54,5 Vrat)		0	Optional serial port (RS485, opto-isolated): GND	
J4	5V	5 Vdc power supply for ratiometric probes				
	+V	11-13 V power supply for 4-20 mA probes				

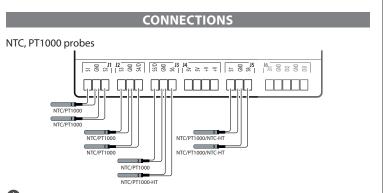
J5	S7	Analogue input 7 (NTC, PT1000, 420	J19	NO1	Digital output (relay) 1	_
	,	mA, 010 V, NTC-HT, 0,54,5 Vrat)	3.3		Digital Satpat (relay)	
	GND	Reference for probes,		C1	Common for relay 1	-
		digital inputs and analogue outputs				
	S8	Analogue input 8 (NTC, PT1000, 420		NO2	Digital output (relay) 2	-
		mA, 010 V, NTC-HT, 0,54,5 Vrat)			3	
J6	DI1	Digital input 1 voltage-free contact		C2	Common for relay 2	_
		not opto-isolated	J20	NC3	Digital output (relay) 3 N.C.	_
	GND	Reference for probes,		NO3	Digital output (relay) 3 N.O.	ō
		digital inputs and analogue outputs				ers
	DI2	Digital input 2 voltage-free contact		C3	Common for relay 3	5-relay version
		not opto-isolated			Í	<u>a</u>
	GND	Reference for probes,		NC4	Digital output (relay) 4 N.C.	- e
		digital inputs and analogue outputs				5
	DI3	Digital input 3 voltage-free contact		NO4	Digital output (relay) 4 N.O.	
		not opto-isolated				
J7	Y1	Analogue output 1		C4	Common for relay 4	_
	GND	Reference for probes,	J21	NC5	Digital output (relay) 5 N.C.	
		digital inputs and analogue outputs				
	Y2	Analogue output 2		NO5	Digital output (relay) 5 N.O.	
J8	Y3	Analogue output 3		C5	Common for relay 5	
	GND	Reference for probes,	J22	NO1	Digital output relay 1	
		digital inputs and analogue outputs				
	Y4	Analogue output 4		NO2	Digital output relay 2	_
J9		Terminal connector		C	Common for relay 1, 2, 3, 4	_
J10		Repeater terminal connector		C	Common for relay 1, 2, 3, 4	_
J11	-	Not used			Digital output relay 3 N.O.	
J12	0	Main-secondary network serial port		NO4	Digital output relay 4 N.O.	isi
		(RS485): GND				_ >
	+	Main-secondary network serial port	J23	NC5	Digital output relay 5 N.C.	6-relay version
		(RS485): Rx+/Tx+				<u> </u>
	-	Main-secondary network serial port		NO5	Digital output relay 5 N.O.	6
	-	(RS485): Rx-/Tx-				_
J13	0	BMS Serial port (RS 485): GND		C5	Common for relay 5	-
	+	BMS Serial port (RS 485): Rx/Tx +	J24	NC6	Digital output relay 6 N.C.	-
	-	BMS Serial port (RS 485): Rx/Tx -		NO6	.,	-
				C6	Common for relay 6	

Notice: (*) If used as analog inputs, S1, S2, S3, S4/D and S5/D must be all of the

(Caution: the meaning of the on-board terminals is the same for models with horizontally/vertically terminals; however due to the orientation of the terminals, it is not possible to use the same wiring for the removable terminals.

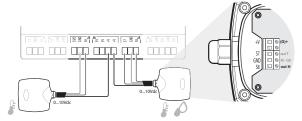




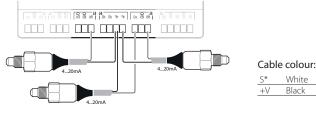


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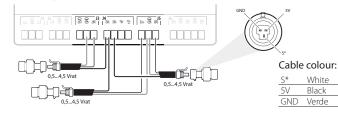
0...10 V probes



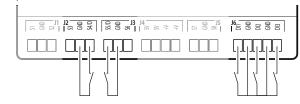
4...20 mA probes



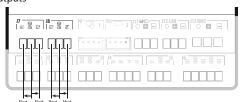
0,5...4,5 Vrat probes



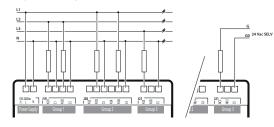
Digital inputs



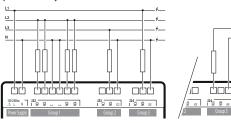
Analogue outputs



Analogue outputs - 5 relays version

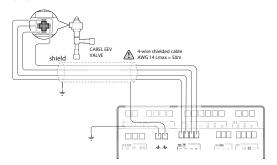


Digital outputs - 6 relays version

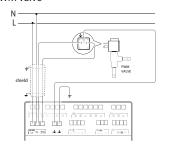


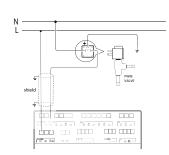
Notice: the digital outputs are divided into groups. There is functional isolation between the power supply and the groups and between the groups. There is reinforced isolation between group 2 and group 3. The figures show only one example of a possible connection.

EXV valve



PWM valve





TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Physical specifications	
Dimensions	See figures
Case	Flame retardant polycarbonate
Mounting	DIN rail
Ball pressure test tempe- rature	125°C
Ingress protection	IEC: IP20 rear; IP40 front UL: type 1
Front cleaning	Use a soft non-abrasive cloth, neutral detergents or water
Environmental conditions	
Storage conditions	-20T70°C, <90 % RH non-condensing
Operating conditions	-20T60°C, <90 % RH non-condensing
Electrical specifications	
Rated power supply	100/240 Vac
Operating power supply voltage	90/264 Vac
Input frequency (AC)	50/60 Hz
Maximum current draw	550 mArms
Min power consumption	3 W
Clock	precision: ±20 ppm at 25 °C; ±100 ppm in the temperature range -10T60°C; min. date/time retention after power off: 21 days
Software class and structure	A
Pollution degree	2
Class of protection against electric shock	To be incorporated in class I or II appliances
Type of action and discon- nection	1.C
Rated impulse voltage	115-230 V input and relay outputs: 4 kV
Surge immunity category	115-230 V input and relay outputs: III
Control device con-	Device to be incorporated
struction	
Terminal block	L, N, J13, J19, J20, J21, J22, J23, J24, 🚖 : male-female removable, 1713 AWG/ 12,5 mm²
	J1, J2, J3, J4, J5, J6, J7, J8, J11, J12, J15, J16, J17:

JST 26...32 AWG/ 0,03...0,13 mm⁻¹

RGB LED status indicato

Not included on the controller, built into the remote HMI

NFC	Not included on the controller, built into the remote HMI
Bluetooth™ Low Energy	Not included on the controller, built into the remote HMI
BMS serial interface	Modbus over RS485, not opto-isolated
Serial LAN interface	Modbus over RS485, not opto-isolated
HMI interface	Modbus over RS485, not opto-isolated
HMI repeater interface	Modbus over RS485, not opto-isolated
Serial inteface EFM	Modbus over RS485, not opto-isolated / opto-isolated, depending
optional	on the model
Analogue inputs	
S1, S2, S3, S4/D, S5/D:	NTC: resolution 0.1 °C; $10k\Omega@25$ °C; beta 3435; error: ± 1 °C in the
NTC / PT1000 / NTC-HT /	range -50T50°C, ±3 °C in the range 50T90°C
NTC-LT (not configurable	
separately)	NTC-HT: resolution 0.1 °C; $50k\Omega@25$ °C; beta 3977; error: $\pm 1,5$ °C
Notice: S4/D and S5/D	in the range 0T115°C, ± 4 °C in the range 115T150 °C
can also be used as digital	NTC-LT : resolution 0.1 °C; 750 Ω @25 °C; beta 3969; error: \pm 1,5 °C in the
inputs	range -20T10 °C; \pm 4 °C in the range -80T-20 °C and 10T55 °C
S6, S7, S8: NTC / PT1000	g,
/ 0,54,5Vrat / 010V / NTC-HT / 420mA / NTC-	PT1000: resolution 0.1 °C; $1k\Omega$ @0°C; error: ± 1 °C in the range -60+120°C
LT / 05V (configurable	
separately)	0,54,5 Vrat, 05 V, 010 V: error 2% fs, typical 1%
separately)	420 mA: error 5% fs, typical 1%

Digital inputs	
ID1, ID2, ID3	Voltage-free contact, not optically-isolated, typical closing current 5.5 mA,
	voltage with contact open 12 V
	max contact resistance 50 Ω .
	Fast digital input 0-2 kHz, error 2% fs
S4/D, S5/D (configurable	Voltage-free contact, not optically-isolated, typical closing current 5.5
by parameter)	mA, voltage with contact open 3.3 V
	max contact resistance 50 Ω .

Y1, Y2, Y3, Y4	0-10 V : 1 kΩ ,10 mA max;
	PWM (variable DC: 0100%) 100 Hz: max 10 V, max. 10 mA;
	PWM (variable DC: 10100%) 2kHz: max 10 V, max. 10 mA;
	VCC frequency control 0-200 Hz: max 10 V, max 10 mA
Digital outputs	

	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3
5-relay models	NO1, NO2	NO3/NC3, NO4/NC4	NO5/NC5
6-relay models	NO1, NO2, NO3, NO4	NO5/NC5	NO6/NC6

SSR:	Maximum	current:	0,5	Α

Analogue outputs

NO1 (SPST)

IEC60730: purely resistive load: 10 A, 240 Vac, 50.000 cycles; 8 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles; resistive - inductive load (i.e. motor load): 8(4) A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles.

5-relay models

UL60730: purely resistive load: 10 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles; motor load: 5FLA, 30LRA, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles; pilot duty: B300, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles; C300, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles.

NO2 (SPST)

IEC60730: purely resistive load: 6 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles; resistive - inductive load (i.e. motor load): 6(6) A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles.

UL60730: purely resistive load: 6 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles; motor load: 6FLA, 60LRA, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles; 6FLA, 72LRA, 125 Vac, 30.000 cycles; pilot duty: B300, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles.

NO3. NC3 (SPDT)

IEC60730: purely resistive load: 10 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles NO; 10 A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NC; 2 A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles CO (both relay contacts with load); resistive - inductive load (i.e. motor load): 10(2) A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles NO; 10(2) A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NC; 2(2) A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles CO (both relay contacts with load) .

UL60730: purely resistive load: 10 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles NO; 10 A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NC; motor load: 5FLA, 30LRA, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NO; pilot duty: C300, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NO. NO4. NC4 (SPDT)

IEC60730: purely resistive load: 7 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles NO; 7 A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NC; 2 A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles CO (both relay contacts with load); resistive - inductive load (i.e. motor load): 6(3) A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles NO; 6(3) A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NC; 2(2) A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles CO (both relay contacts with load) .

UL60730: purely resistive load: 7 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles NO; 7 A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NC; motor load: 2FLA, 12LRA, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NO; pilot duty: C300, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NO. NO5, NC5 (SPDT)

IEC60730: purely resistive load: 6 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles NO; 6 A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NC; 2 A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles CO (both relay contacts with load); resistive - inductive load (i.e. motor load): 6(3) A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles NO; 6(3) A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NC; 2(2) A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles CO (both relay contacts with load) .

ÚL60730: purely resistive load: 6 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles NO; 6 A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NC; motor load: 2FLA, 12LRA, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NO; pilot duty: C300, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NO.

6-relay models

SSR: Maximum current: 0,5 A

NO1, NO2, NO3, NO4 (SPST)

IEC60730: purely resistive load: 3 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles; resistive - inductive load (i.e. motor load): 3(1) A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles.

UL60730: **purely resistive load**: 3 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles; **motor load**: 1.9FLA, 11.4LRA, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles; **pilot duty**: C300, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles.

NO5, NC5; NO6, NC6 (SPDT)

IEC60730: resistive - inductive load (i.e. motor load): 2(1) A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles; 1(1) A, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles CO (both relay contacts with load) .

 $\label{eq:UL60730:purely resistive load: 2 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles NO; 2 A, 240 Vac, 100.000 cycles NC; pilot duty: C300, 240 Vac, 30.000 cycles NO. \\$

Power supply to probes and terminals

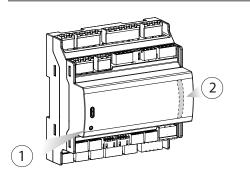
5V	$5 \text{Vdc} \pm 2\%$ to power the 0,54,5 V ratiometric probes.
	Maximum current delivered: 25 mA protected against short-circuits
+V	1113 V to power the 420 mA and 010 V probes.
	Maximum current delivered: 70 mA protected against short-circuits
Conformity	
Electrical safety	LVD directive and UL certification: IEC/EN/UL 60730-1, CSA E60730-1,
•	IEC 60335-1
Electromagnetic compa-	EMC directive: IEC/EN 61000-6-1, IEC/EN 61000-6-2, IEC/EN 61000-6-3,
tibility	IEC/EN 61000-6-4
Applications with	For use with flammable refrigerants, the controllers described in this
flammable refrigerants	document have been tested and found to comply with the following
	requirements of the IEC 60335 series standards:
	 Annex CC of IEC 60335-2-24: 2010, referred to in clause 22.109,
	and Annex BB of IEC 60335-2-89: 2010, referred to in clause 22.108;
	components that produce arcs or sparks during normal operation
	have been tested and found to comply with the requirements of UL/
	IEC 60079-15;
	• IEC/EN/UL 60335-2-24 (clauses 22.109, 22.110) for household
	refrigerators and freezers;
	• IEC/EN/UL 60335-2-40 (clauses 22.116, 22.117) for electric heat
	pumps, air conditioners and dehumidifiers
	• IEC/EN/UL 60335-2-89 (clauses 22.108, 22.109) for commercial
	• ILC/LIN/OL 00333-2-09 (clauses 22.106, 22.109) 101 COMMERCIA

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Terminal	Description	Lmax
J1, J2, J3, J5, J6,	Analogue inputs/outputs,	< 10 m
J7, J8	digital inputs, probe power	
J13 BMS	BMS serial port 1	For serial connections (LAN and BMS) the use of
J12 LAN	LAN serial port from main	cables suitable for the RS485 standard is required
	to secondary (Fieldbus 1)	(shielded twisted pair cable).
J17	Optional serial port	(Sinciaed evisted pair educe).
		Caution: connect the shield to earth, do not connect to the GND on the controller. Connect a 120 Ω terminating resistor between the Tx/Rx+ and Tx/Rx- terminals on the last controller on the RS485 line.
		With unshielded cables:
		in residential/industrial environments: < 10 m;
		in domestic applications: < 2 m.
J9, J10	HMI and HMI repeater	In residential/industrial environments: < 25 m.
		In domestic applications: < 2 m.
J14	SSR digital output	Use a shielded cable earthed at both ends.
J15	Valve	In residential/industrial environments: < 2 m with unshielded cable; < 50 m with shielded cable earthed at both ends. In domestic applications: < 2 m.

MINIMAL INTERFACE



Key:		
1	Button	
7	LED	

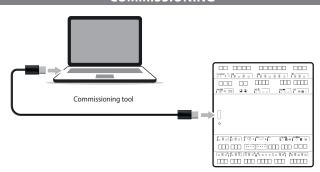
The MSC control has a minimal interface, consisting of an RGB LED and a button, for the meaning and use of which during normal operation please refer to the specific product leaflet.

During startup or update, the RGB LED turns yellow, with the meanings shown in the table

Yellow LED	Description
ON steady	Boot start
ON alternating to OFF for a short time	OS start
Flashing slowly	Default application running
OFF alternating to ON for a short time	Preparing for the update
Flashing guickly	Undate in progress

Caution: If the yellow LED remains fixed in one of the previous states, contact CARFL assistance.

COMMISSIONING



The controller can be commissioned, even when the controller is not powered, via the controller's USB-C port, using the PC configuration tools provided by CAREL: APPLICA Desktop, Spark and Sparkly.

Alternatively, if a remote HMI interface is connected, the CAREL "APPLICA" app can be used from a mobile device (Smartphone, Tablet), via NFC (Near Field Communication) or BLE (Bluetooth Low Energy) connection.

Caution: the connection to the USB-C port cannot be used to power external devices (e.g. smartphones), but only for commissioning from a PC.

IMPORTANT WARNINGS



The CAREL product is a state-of-the-art product, whose operation is specified in the technical documentation supplied with the product or can be downloaded, even prior to purchase, from the website www.carel. com. The customer (manufacturer, developer or installer of the final equipment) accepts all liability and risk relating to the configuration of the product in order to reach the expected results in relation to the specific final installation and/or equipment. Failure to complete such operations, which are required/indicated in the user manual, may cause the final product to malfunction; CAREL accepts no liability in such cases. The customer must only use the product in the manner described in the documentation relating to the product. The liability of CAREL in relation to its products is specified in the CAREL general contract conditions, available on the website www.CAREL.com and/or by specific agreements with customers.



Important: Separate as much as possible the probe and digital input cables from cables to inductive loads and power cables, so as to avoid possible electromagnetic disturbance. Never run power cables (including the electrical panel cables) and signal cables in the same conduits.



Disposal of the product: The appliance (or the product) must be disposed of separately in compliance with the local standards in force on waste disposal.

A A DANGE

- This leaflet is part of the product and should be kept near the control for quick reference.
- The control shall not be used for purposes other than those for which it was designed, in particular it can't be used as a safety device.
- In case of failure contact an authorized service center.
- The control must not be opened.
- Check the power supply voltage before installing.
- Use the control inside the operating conditions limits. Do not expose to liquids or steam and avoid sudden temperature changes that might cause condensation.
- Disconnect the power supply before any kind of maintenance.
- Observe the maximum current output value for each relay (see "Technical specifications" section).
- Do not apply dangerous voltage to the SELV connection terminals (see "Technical specifications" section).
- Only use cables with a suitable cross-section (see "Technical specifications" section).
- Separate the probe and digital input cables from output and power cables. Never run power cable and signal cables in the same conduct.
- Some models are equipped with the High and Low Voltage Protection function (HLVP). Power supply voltage reading
 accuracy: ±5% fs. In any condition of use, HLVP function cannot be considered a compressor safety function. The use
 of the controller outside the nominal power supply voltage declared on technical specifications is under responsibility
 of the final client. For serial communication line do not connect GND to PE (Protective Earth); opto-isolated converter
 is mandatory.

Caution: electrical equipment must be installed, used and repaired only by qualified technicians.



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User interface

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Button (minimal interface) Multifunction button

Buzzer

Display

interface)