## Economical Cam Positioner Does the Work of Eight Cam Switches

- Easy replacement of mechanical cam switches with absolute encoder input
- Simple to set, with single-function keys
- Accepts 330-rpm input, ideal for use with a variety of automatic units for operation timing control
- Equipped with useful functions for switching encoder rotation direction, designating the point of origin, etc.

- Easy-to-read backlit LCD display
- Fits $1 / 4$ DIN size panel cutout
- Up to 16-cam control possible using parallel input adapter and two H8PS's


## Ordering Information

Standard stock products are shown in bold in the Part Number Index.
■ CAM POSITIONERS

| Mounting method | Output configuration | Part number |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Panel mount | NPN transistor output | H8PS-8B |
|  | PNP transistor output | H8PS-8BP |
|  | NPN transistor output | H8PS-8BF |
|  | PNP transistor output | H8PS-8BFP |

## ABSOLUTE ENCODERS

| Description | Part number |
| :--- | :--- |
| Plastic body, $2 \mathrm{~m}(6.56 \mathrm{ft}$. ) cable | E6CP-AG5C-C |
| Metal body, $2 \mathrm{~m}(6.56 \mathrm{ft})$ cable | E6F-AG5C-C |

## ACCESSORIES

| Description | Part number |
| :--- | :--- |
| NEMA 4 protective cover, clear plastic with steel mounting plate | Y92A-96N |
| Protective cover, clear hard plastic | Y92A-96B |
| Shaft coupler for E6CP encoder; 6 mm shaft diameter | E69-C06B |
| Shaft coupler for E6F encoder, 10 mm shaft diameter | E69-C10B |
| Encoder extension cable, 5 m (16.4 ft.) length | E69-DF5 |
| Parallel input adapter, allows connection of two H8PS for 16-cam control | Y92C-30 |
| Track mounting base for H8PS-8BF and H8PS-8BFP cam positioners | Y92F-91 |
| DIN rail track, $50 \mathrm{~cm}(1.64 \mathrm{ft}$.$) length$ | PFP-50N |
| DIN rail track, 1 m (3.28 ft.) length | PFP-100N |
| Spacer | PFP-S |
| End plate | PFP-M |

## Functions

| Function | Description |
| :--- | :--- |
| Encoder rotational direction switch | Encoder data revolutions can be set to clockwise or counterclockwise via dip switches. |
| Encoder origin designation | The process display angle can be set to the origin as $0^{\circ}$ at the press of a button. |
| Angle display designation | The unit can convert the display of absolute encoder values of <br> 256 division/revolution to $360^{\circ} /$ revolution. |
| Rotation display monitor | Graphic display of encoder rotational angle position. |
| TEACH function | The unit can set the ON/OFF angle from actual operation of the machine. |
| Monitor contents | Process value display with 11 mm ( 0.43 in.) character height, output display, settings display, <br> set cam number display, mode display, revolution display, operation step display, and error <br> message display. |

## Specifications

| Part number |  | H8PS-8B | H8PS-8BF | H8PS-8BP | H8PS-8BPF |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply voltage |  | $24 \mathrm{VDC}, 85 \%$ to 110\% of rated voltage in operation |  |  |  |
| Power consumption |  | Approx. 4 W |  |  |  |
| Encoder input | Type | Omron's E6CP and E6F absolute rotary encoders |  |  |  |
|  | Response speed | Run mode: 330 rpm max. <br> Switch selectable between high speed ( 60 to 330 rpm ) and low speed (up to 60 rpm ) Test mode: 60 rpm max. Includes malfunction data detection function |  |  |  |
| Output type |  | NPN open collector transistor |  | PNP open collector transistor |  |
| Cam outputs | Number | 8 lines (output numbers 1 to 8) |  |  |  |
|  | Rating | 100 mA max., 30 VDC; residual voltage 2 V max. |  |  |  |
| RUN output | Number | 1; Turns ON in RUN and TEST modes, OFF in Program mode in case of error |  |  |  |
|  | Rating | 100 mA max., 30 VDC; residual voltage 2 V max. |  |  |  |
| Tachometer | Resolution | 60 pulses/revolution signal output for rpm meter |  |  |  |
|  | Rating | 30 mA max., 30 VDC, residual voltage 0.5 V max. |  | 30 mA max., 30 VDC, residual voltage 2 V max. |  |
| Output response time |  | RUN mode: 0.5 ms max. under high-speed designation 2.5 ms max. under low-speed designation TEST mode: 5 ms max. |  |  |  |
| Display type |  | Backlit LCD |  |  |  |
| Materials |  | Plastic case |  |  |  |
| Mounting |  | Panel, 1/4 DIN cutout | Surface or track | Panel, 1/4 DIN cutout | Surface or track |
| Memory backup |  | Battery, 10 years at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |
| Connections |  | Screw terminals for outputs; connector socket for encoder |  |  |  |
| Weight |  | Approx. 300 g (10.5 oz.) |  |  |  |
| Enclosure rating |  | NEMA 4 with optional Y92A-96N panel cover |  |  |  |
| Approvals | UL | Recognized, File Number E41515 |  |  |  |
|  | CSA | Certified, File Number LR22310 |  |  |  |
|  | Others | SEV, File Number 1021 |  |  |  |
| Ambient temperature | Operating | $-10^{\circ}$ to $55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(14^{\circ}\right.$ to $\left.131^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)$ |  |  |  |
|  | Storage | $-25^{\circ}$ to $65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(-13^{\circ}\right.$ to $\left.149^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)$ |  |  |  |
| Ambient humidity |  | 35 to 85\% RH |  |  |  |
| Vibration resistance | Malfunction Mechanical | 10 to $55 \mathrm{~Hz}, 0.5-\mathrm{mm}$ amplitude, and 55 to 150 Hz under 7 G acceleration for 32 minutes in 3 directions 10 to $55 \mathrm{~Hz}, 7.5 \mathrm{~mm}$ amplitude, and 55 to 150 Hz under 10 G acceleration for 32 minutes in 3 directions |  |  |  |
| Shock resistance | Malfunction Mechanical | Approx. 20 G <br> Approx. 30 G |  |  |  |
| Insulation resistance |  | $100 \mathrm{M} \Omega$ minimum at 500 VDC between current-carrying terminal and non-current-carrying metal part |  |  |  |
| Dielectric strength |  | 1,000 VAC, $50 / 60 \mathrm{~Hz}$ for 1 minute between current-carrying part and non-current-carrying metal part |  |  |  |

## TIMING CHART

The H8PS Cam Positioner receives angle signal inputs from the absolute encoder, and outputs ON/OFF angles set initially as control signals (cams No. 1 to 8).

## Program example

| Step | STP 1 |  | STP 2 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Control output <br> (cam number) | ON angle | OFF angle | ON angle | OFF angle |
| 1 | $45^{\circ}$ | $180^{\circ}$ | - | - |
| 2 | $0^{\circ}$ | $90^{\circ}$ | $180^{\circ}$ | $270^{\circ}$ |
| $?$ | $?$ | $?$ | $?$ | $?$ |
| 8 | $135^{\circ}$ | $225^{\circ}$ | $315^{\circ}$ | $45^{\circ}$ |

## Operation example



ON during run mode and test mode
Note:
1.) When the setting angles for STEP 1 and STEP 2 of the same OUT No. are overlapped, the operation is as follows.

2.) The operating output "RUN OUT" does not output during programming.


The operation output turns on with the timing shown in the diagram (but it remains off when an error occurs). Thus, you can use the output as a timing signal during running (including test running).

## Dimensions

Unit: mm (inch)

## ■ CAM POSITIONERS

## Panel Mounting Type

 H8PS-8B, H8PS-8BP

Panel Cutout


Flush mount (H8PS-8B, -8BP)


Surface and Track Mounting Type H8PS-8BF, H8PS-8BFP


## ACCESSORIES

Track Mounting Base Y92F-91



## Protective Cover

 Y92A-96BDIN Rail Track
PFP-100N/PFP-50N

*Dimensions in brackets are for the PFP-50N

Adapter for Parallel Operation Y92C-30
This adapter enables two H8PS Cam Positioners to share a signal from an encoder.


Connection to an absolute encoder

Use the cable marked $\mathbf{\Delta}$ when connecting only one H8PS Cam Positioner to the adapter

Panel surface mounting


Panel back mounting


Connections


## Output Stage Circuit Diagram


*When using an inductive load, connect a reverse surge-absorbing diode.

|  | RUN OUT <br> OUTPUT 1 to 8 | TACHOMETER |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Output <br> method | NPN open <br> collector | NPN open <br> collector |
| Dialectric <br> method | 30 V | 30 V |
| Rated current | 100 mA | 30 mA |
| Residual <br> voltage | 2 V max. | 0.5 V max. |
| Leak current | $100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ max. | $5 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ max. |

* Note that internal circuit damage can result from a short circuit in the load.

*When using an inductive load, connect a reverse surge-absorbing diode.

|  | RUN OUT <br> OUTPUT 1 to 8 | TACHOMETER |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Output <br> method | PNP open <br> collector | PNP open <br> collector |
| Dialectric <br> method | 30 V | 30 V |
| Rated current | 100 mA | 30 mA |
| Residual <br> voltage | 2 V max. | 2 V max. |
| Leak current | $100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ max. | $100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ max. |

* Note that internal circuit damage can result from a short circuit in the load.


## MULTIPLE OUTPUTS

Multiple outputs (OUTPUT 1 to 8) can be connected to operate a load as shown below.

H8PS-8B, -8BF


H8PS-8B, -8BFP


## Timing chart



## CONNECTION EXAMPLES

## Example of the TACHOMETER connection

Since the rotational output consists of 60 pulses per revolution, select an appropriate rpm meter.


## Example of RUN OUT connection

The output is on during run and test modes and can be used as a status signal by connecting to the input unit of a programmable controller (SYSMAC) or similar device.


## Nomenclature

## ■ DISPLAY



## OPERATIONS

PRGM: programming mode
TEST: test mode
RUN: run mode
Programming Mode switch
TCH: The unit can learn from the actual operation of the machine.
MAN: Angles can be set using the angle keys.
Rotation direction switch
The rotational direction on the rotational display can be changed.

## Rotation speed selection switch

FAST: 60 to 330 rpm
SLOW: 60 rpm or less
560 switch
256: Sets display to 0 to 255 absolute positions per rotation.
360: Sets display to 0 to $359^{\circ}$ per rotation

## ANGLE keys

+: Increases the angle value.
-: Decreases the angle value.

CHECK key Calls up settings
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 $\square$

## Programming

INITIALIZING


## Precautions

## ERROR DISPLAYS AND CANCELLING

When an error occurs, perform the following cancellation operation.
(When the following errors occur, all outputs turn off except for the Tachometer output.)

| Display | Description | Cancellation method |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | - Set origin data error | - Reset the origin in the programming mode and return to the previous mode. |
|  | - Memory error, when settings have been modified | - Switch to the programming mode and confirm all settings. After correcting any settings, return to the previous mode. |
|  | - Encoder input data error <br> (1) The encoder is malfunctioning or a connector is disconnected. <br> (2) The encoder rotation speed exceeds the response limit. <br> (3) The encoder output data became scrambled because of noise. <br> (4) A line to the encoder is cut. | - Switch to the programming mode and check the following items. Return to the previous mode after corrections. <br> - Encoder abnormality <br> - Faulty encoder connector contacts <br> - Encoder rotation speed and response speed settings <br> - Noise and surge protection |

- After turning on the power, it takes approximately two seconds until normal operation.
- When the ON angle and OFF angle are the same value, no output occurs.


## HANDLING

- Turn the operation power on or off all at once via a contact such as a switch or relay.
- Avoid operation in the following environments:

1. An ambient temperature below $-10^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ or above $+55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
2. Very dusty locations.
3. Very humid locations.
4. Locations where corrosive gases are generated.
5. Locations with heavy vibrations or impact.
6. Locations prone to water or oil.
7. Locations with direct sunlight.

- For operation in environments with much electrical noise generation, separate the encoder cords and the main unit of the H8PS from high-power cables that have noise or noisegenerating sources.
- The external finish of the main unit is prone to organic solvents (thinner, benzene, etc.), strong alkali (ammonia, sodium hydroxide), and strong acid. Please avoid contact.
- Store the devices between $-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and $+65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. For storage below $-10^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, power the unit up at room temperature after letting it stand for three hours.
- To perform dielectric testing, impulse-voltage testing, and insulation-resistance measuring between the electrical circuitry and the uncharged metal parts when the unit is mounted in a control panel, first disconnect the wiring of the unit from the circuitry. (This prevents degradation or damage of internal circuitry in the event that part of the control-panel equipment has faulty voltage resistance or faulty insulation. The test voltage might go to the power-supply terminals of the main unit.)
- The encoder consists of precision parts. Exercise care in handling, and make sure no excessive shock or pressure is applied to the encoder. Especially make sure that the encoder's rotating shaft receives no excessive force.
- The connections for the main unit connectors should have no undue stress applied. Wire cables accordingly.


## - Warning

1. The H8PS has a built-in lithium battery. Be sure to dispose of the old H8PS properly, as lithium batteries are likely to explode if incinerated.
2. Electrical Shock Hazard

Never touch the input terminals of any H8PS cam positioner when power is being applied to the cam positioner.

## Reference Data

## ANGLE DATA TABLE

The H8PS uses an absolute encoder with 256 divisions per revolution. To assist with programming, displays and settings may be done by conversion to 360 degrees by a switch on the operation section. The following table shows the conversions.

| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $0^{\circ}$ | $1^{\circ}$ | $3^{\circ}$ | $4^{\circ}$ | $6^{\circ}$ | $7^{\circ}$ | $8^{\circ}$ | $10^{\circ}$ | $11^{\circ}$ | $13^{\circ}$ | $14^{\circ}$ | $15^{\circ}$ | $17^{\circ}$ | $18^{\circ}$ | $20^{\circ}$ | $21^{\circ}$ |
| 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |
| $23^{\circ}$ | $24^{\circ}$ | $25^{\circ}$ | $27^{\circ}$ | $28^{\circ}$ | $30^{\circ}$ | $31^{\circ}$ | $32^{\circ}$ | $34^{\circ}$ | $35^{\circ}$ | $37^{\circ}$ | $38^{\circ}$ | $39^{\circ}$ | $41^{\circ}$ | $42^{\circ}$ | $44^{\circ}$ |
| 32 | 33 | 34 | 35 | 36 | 37 | 38 | 39 | 40 | 41 | 42 | 43 | 44 | 45 | 46 | 47 |
| $45^{\circ}$ | $46^{\circ}$ | $48^{\circ}$ | $49^{\circ}$ | $51^{\circ}$ | $52^{\circ}$ | $53^{\circ}$ | $55^{\circ}$ | $56^{\circ}$ | $58^{\circ}$ | $59^{\circ}$ | $60^{\circ}$ | $62^{\circ}$ | $63^{\circ}$ | $65^{\circ}$ | $66^{\circ}$ |
| 48 | 49 | 50 | 51 | 52 | 53 | 54 | 55 | 56 | 57 | 58 | 59 | 60 | 61 | 62 | 63 |
| $68^{\circ}$ | $69^{\circ}$ | $70^{\circ}$ | $72^{\circ}$ | $73^{\circ}$ | $75^{\circ}$ | $76^{\circ}$ | $7{ }^{\circ}$ | $79^{\circ}$ | 80 ${ }^{\circ}$ | $82^{\circ}$ | $83^{\circ}$ | $84^{\circ}$ | $86^{\circ}$ | $87^{\circ}$ | $89^{\circ}$ |
| 64 | 65 | 66 | 67 | 68 | 69 | 70 | 71 | 72 | 73 | 74 | 75 | 76 | 77 | 78 | 79 |
| $90^{\circ}$ | $91^{\circ}$ | $93^{\circ}$ | $94^{\circ}$ | $96^{\circ}$ | $97^{\circ}$ | $98^{\circ}$ | $100^{\circ}$ | $101^{\circ}$ | $103^{\circ}$ | $104^{\circ}$ | $105^{\circ}$ | $107^{\circ}$ | $108^{\circ}$ | $110^{\circ}$ | $111^{\circ}$ |
| 80 | 81 | 82 | 83 | 84 | 85 | 86 | 87 | 88 | 89 | 90 | 91 | 92 | 93 | 94 | 95 |
| $113^{\circ}$ | $114^{\circ}$ | $115^{\circ}$ | $117^{\circ}$ | $118^{\circ}$ | $120^{\circ}$ | $121^{\circ}$ | $122^{\circ}$ | $124^{\circ}$ | $125^{\circ}$ | $127^{\circ}$ | $128^{\circ}$ | $129^{\circ}$ | $131^{\circ}$ | $132^{\circ}$ | $134{ }^{\circ}$ |
| 96 | 97 | 98 | 99 | 100 | 101 | 102 | 103 | 104 | 105 | 106 | 107 | 108 | 109 | 110 | 111 |
| $135^{\circ}$ | $136^{\circ}$ | $138^{\circ}$ | $139^{\circ}$ | $141^{\circ}$ | $142^{\circ}$ | $143^{\circ}$ | $145^{\circ}$ | $146^{\circ}$ | $148^{\circ}$ | $149^{\circ}$ | $150^{\circ}$ | $152^{\circ}$ | $153^{\circ}$ | $155^{\circ}$ | $156^{\circ}$ |
| 112 | 113 | 114 | 115 | 116 | 117 | 118 | 119 | 120 | 121 | 122 | 123 | 124 | 125 | 126 | 127 |
| $158^{\circ}$ | $159^{\circ}$ | $160^{\circ}$ | $162^{\circ}$ | $163^{\circ}$ | $165^{\circ}$ | $166^{\circ}$ | $167^{\circ}$ | $169^{\circ}$ | $170^{\circ}$ | $172^{\circ}$ | $173^{\circ}$ | $174{ }^{\circ}$ | $176{ }^{\circ}$ | $177^{\circ}$ | $179^{\circ}$ |
| 128 | 129 | 130 | 131 | 132 | 133 | 134 | 135 | 136 | 137 | 138 | 139 | 140 | 141 | 142 | 143 |
| $180^{\circ}$ | $181^{\circ}$ | $183^{\circ}$ | $184^{\circ}$ | $186^{\circ}$ | $187^{\circ}$ | $188^{\circ}$ | $190^{\circ}$ | $191^{\circ}$ | $193^{\circ}$ | $194{ }^{\circ}$ | $195^{\circ}$ | $197{ }^{\circ}$ | $198{ }^{\circ}$ | $200^{\circ}$ | $201{ }^{\circ}$ |
| 144 | 145 | 146 | 147 | 148 | 149 | 150 | 151 | 152 | 153 | 154 | 155 | 156 | 157 | 158 | 159 |
| $203^{\circ}$ | $204{ }^{\circ}$ | $205^{\circ}$ | $207^{\circ}$ | $208^{\circ}$ | $210^{\circ}$ | $211^{\circ}$ | $212^{\circ}$ | $214^{\circ}$ | $215^{\circ}$ | $217^{\circ}$ | $218^{\circ}$ | $219{ }^{\circ}$ | $221^{\circ}$ | $222^{\circ}$ | $224^{\circ}$ |
| 160 | 161 | 162 | 163 | 164 | 165 | 166 | 167 | 168 | 169 | 170 | 171 | 172 | 173 | 174 | 175 |
| $225^{\circ}$ | $226^{\circ}$ | $228^{\circ}$ | $229{ }^{\circ}$ | $231^{\circ}$ | $232^{\circ}$ | $233^{\circ}$ | $235^{\circ}$ | $236{ }^{\circ}$ | $238^{\circ}$ | $239^{\circ}$ | $240^{\circ}$ | $242^{\circ}$ | $243^{\circ}$ | $245^{\circ}$ | $246{ }^{\circ}$ |
| 176 | 177 | 178 | 179 | 180 | 181 | 182 | 183 | 184 | 185 | 186 | 187 | 188 | 189 | 190 | 191 |
| $248^{\circ}$ | $249^{\circ}$ | $250{ }^{\circ}$ | $252^{\circ}$ | $253^{\circ}$ | $255^{\circ}$ | $256{ }^{\circ}$ | $257{ }^{\circ}$ | $259{ }^{\circ}$ | $260^{\circ}$ | $262^{\circ}$ | $263^{\circ}$ | $264{ }^{\circ}$ | $266^{\circ}$ | $267^{\circ}$ | $269{ }^{\circ}$ |
| 192 | 193 | 194 | 195 | 196 | 197 | 198 | 199 | 200 | 201 | 202 | 203 | 204 | 205 | 206 | 207 |
| $270^{\circ}$ | $271^{\circ}$ | $273^{\circ}$ | $274{ }^{\circ}$ | $276{ }^{\circ}$ | $277^{\circ}$ | $278{ }^{\circ}$ | $280^{\circ}$ | $281^{\circ}$ | $283^{\circ}$ | $284{ }^{\circ}$ | $285^{\circ}$ | $287^{\circ}$ | $288^{\circ}$ | $290^{\circ}$ | $291^{\circ}$ |
| 208 | 209 | 210 | 211 | 212 | 213 | 214 | 215 | 216 | 217 | 218 | 219 | 220 | 221 | 222 | 223 |
| $293^{\circ}$ | $294^{\circ}$ | $295{ }^{\circ}$ | $297^{\circ}$ | $298{ }^{\circ}$ | $300^{\circ}$ | $301{ }^{\circ}$ | $302^{\circ}$ | $304^{\circ}$ | $305^{\circ}$ | $307^{\circ}$ | $308^{\circ}$ | $309^{\circ}$ | $311^{\circ}$ | $312^{\circ}$ | $314^{\circ}$ |
| 224 | 225 | 226 | 227 | 228 | 229 | 230 | 231 | 232 | 233 | 234 | 235 | 236 | 237 | 238 | 239 |
| $315^{\circ}$ | $316^{\circ}$ | $318^{\circ}$ | $319{ }^{\circ}$ | $321^{\circ}$ | $322^{\circ}$ | $323^{\circ}$ | $325^{\circ}$ | $326^{\circ}$ | $328^{\circ}$ | $329^{\circ}$ | $330^{\circ}$ | $332^{\circ}$ | $333^{\circ}$ | $335^{\circ}$ | $336{ }^{\circ}$ |
| 240 | 241 | 242 | 243 | 244 | 245 | 246 | 247 | 248 | 249 | 250 | 251 | 252 | 253 | 254 | 255 |
| $338^{\circ}$ | $339^{\circ}$ | $340^{\circ}$ | $342^{\circ}$ | $343^{\circ}$ | $345^{\circ}$ | $346^{\circ}$ | $347^{\circ}$ | $349^{\circ}$ | $350^{\circ}$ | $352^{\circ}$ | $353^{\circ}$ | $354{ }^{\circ}$ | $356^{\circ}$ | $357^{\circ}$ | $359^{\circ}$ |

## How to Use the Table



NOTE: DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETERS. To convert millimeters to inches, divide by 25.4.

