

# Installation & Operation Manual

# This IOM is for the following ProMation Engineering Products:

P1.A-12N4-AC-RO

P1.A-12N4-DC-RO

P1.A-12N4-AC-RC

P1.A-12N4-DC-RC

P1.A-24N4-AC-RO

P1.A-24N4-DC-RO

P1.A-24N4-AC-RC

P1.A-24N4-DC-RC

P1.A-120N4-RO

P1.A-120N4-RC

P1.A-230N4-RO

P1.A-230N4-RC





# **Field Manual** ENGINEERING P1- Series - RO or RC **2 Position Control** ISO5211 F03/05 8P14



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# **Product Specifications**

<b>Actuator Specifications</b>	P1.A					
Torque "lb/Nm	445"lbs/35Nm					
Supply Voltage	12vac/dc	24vac/dc	120vac	230vac		
Max Inrush Current	1.5A	0.9A	0.6A	0.4A		
Running Current	1.3A	0.8A	0.6A	0.3A		
Motor	DC Bru	sh Type	Split Phase Capacitor			
Runtime (90°@60Hz/vdc)	20	sec	20 sec			
Runtime (90°@50Hz)	20	sec	24 sec			
Duty Cycle	75	5%	25%			
Motor Starts	1200 per hour					
Weight	7 lbs / 4 kg					
Mechanical Connections	ISO5211 F07 8 pt 17 mm					
Electrical Entry	(2) 1/2" NPT					
Electrical Terminations	14-18ga					
Environmental Rating	NEMA 4/4X					
Manual Override	5mm hex drive					
Control	2 Position (RO=Normally Closed, RC=Normally Open)					
Actuator Case Material	Aluminum Alloy, Powder coated					
Motor Protection	230°F/110°C Thermal F* Class					
Motor Protection	*Totally Enclosed Non-Ventilated Motors					
Ambient Temperature	-22°F to +125°F					
Operating Range	-30°C to +52°C					

100%						
75%			Propo	rtional		
50%						
25%		On/Off/Jog				
	0°F	75°F	100°F	125°F		0°F
10	0°C	24°C	38°C	52°C	65	°C
		Ambie	nt Tempera	ature		

### Introduction

The following procedure is to be followed for set-up, calibration, testing and use of the P Series quarter-turn electric actuators. Each unit is shipped from the factory with initial calibration of cams and switches completed for 0-90 degree operation. However, these are general settings and serve as a starting point for proper calibration of the actuator in its real-world application. There are no mechanical stops on this model.

### Safety

Safety is a basic factor any time you maintain and operate mechanical equipment. Use of proper handling methods, tools and clothes can help prevent serious accidents -- accidents which can cause injuries to you or a fellow worker. This manual was created to enable a trained user to install, adjust and troubleshoot your ProMation P Series actuator.

Only competent and trained personnel should install, maintain and repair ProMation Actuators. Any work related to this Actuator must be carried out in accordance with this manual and related codes and regulations. Local workplace health and safety rules should always be followed.

# **Duty cycle**

Duty cycle is the percent of time that an actuator spends running as a fraction of the total time. Duty Cycle is directly related to heat; overusing an actuator typically results in motor overheating which can permanently damage it. Overheating also consumes more electricity. Generally speaking, the hotter a motor becomes, the longer 'rest' it needs to cool down so it runs efficiently.



# **Shipping and Handling**

- 1. This actuator is shipped in the FULLY CW (position indicator shows "CLOSE") position.
- 2. NOTE, THIS ACTUATOR MUST HAVE WATER TIGHT EMT FITTINGS, WITH CONDUIT DRAINAGE INSTALLED AND POWER SUPPLIED TO UNIT TO KEEP THE HEATER WARM AT THE TIME OF INSTALLATION.
- 3. Storage: This unit should NOT be stored outside unless it is powered up and has proper conduit terminations. When NOT powered up, it should be stored in a clean, dry environment at all times.
- 4. This actuator has been factory calibrated to operate between 0 degrees and 90 degrees. Most quarter-turn products will not require recalibration of these settings. If any travel adjustment is necessary, please refer to pages 5 & 6 for instructions.

# **Product Mounting and Setup**

- Note: This design utilizes NO MECHANICAL stops. It is recommended that you do NOT use the manual override until the actuator is mounted to a valve or damper that has 90 degree limited travel.
- 2. Fully CLOSE the valve or damper to which the actuator is to be mounted.
  - Keep in mind this actuator rotates CW (as viewed from above the unit) when driving CLOSED.
- 3. Assemble necessary linkage components and attach the actuator to the driven device.
- 4. Tighten mounting bolts, making sure actuator is centered on the device drive shaft.
- 5. Utilize the manual override (5mm hex drive on side of actuator) to check for unobstructed manual operation from fully CW to fully CCW positions BEFORE applying power to the unit.

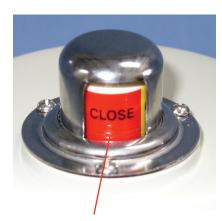
Warning: DO NOT operate manual override when power is present. Geartrain damage and personal injury may occur.

Do not use powered tools to turn the manual override -- it will DAMAGE the gear train or motor and VOID the warranty.

- 6. Make the electrical connections per wiring diagram on page 4.
  - For operation only three connections are needed, terminals 1, 2 & 3. The balance of the connections are used for options and features.
  - Terminals 7, 8 & 9 are an aux switch for the CW position (adjustable).
  - Terminals 10, 11 & 12 are an aux switch for the CCW position (adjustable).
  - All switches are dry type Form C rated 3A @ 250vac MAX.
- 7. Do NOT apply power at this time.

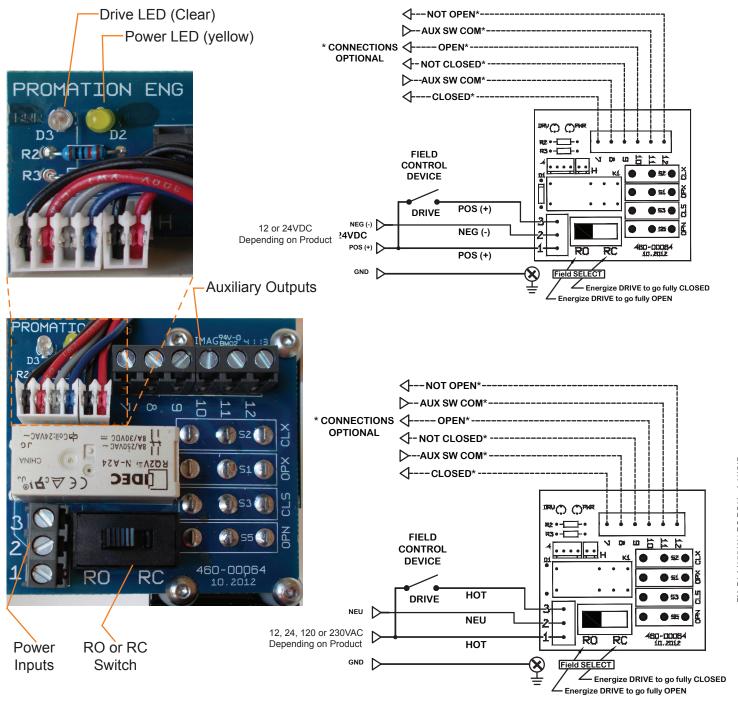
# **Installation Notes**

- There are no mechanical stops on this model.
- These actuators are designed to be used in either a horizontal or upright position. Do NOT mount the assembly with the actuator top below a horizontal position.
- When installing conduit, use proper techniques for entry into the actuator. Use drip loops to prevent conduit condensate from entering the actuator.
- Both NPT conduit ports MUST use proper equipment to protect the NEMA 4X integrity of the housing.
- The internal heater is to be used in ALL applications.
- Do NOT install the actuator outdoors or in humid environments unless it is powered up and the heater is functioning.
- Use proper wire size to prevent actuator failure (see chart on page 4 for proper wire sizing).
- All terminals accept 14-18AWG solid/stranded wire.
- Do NOT parallel wire multiple actuators together without utilizing isolation relays! If this is your intention,
  please contact ProMation Engineering for a multiple actuator parallel wiring diagram.



The actuator is shipped from the factory in its fully CW position. The top illustration shows Red for CW, Yellow for CCW.

NOTE: The P1.A main output drives 90° while the indicator rotates 180° in the opposite direction.



Wire sizing data is provided in the Wire Sizing Data table to assist in the selection of the proper wire size for ProMation P1 series actuators using various wire sizes over distance. Please make sure to reference the correct voltage and do not exceed the indicated length of the wire run for each model.



# **Wire Sizing Chart**

	MAX distance between Actuator and Supply (feet)						
Actuator/ Voltage	P1.A 12VAC/DC	P1.A 24VAC/DC	P1.A 120VAC	P1.A 230VAC			
Amps Wire Gage	1.5A	0.9A	0.6A	0.4A			
18	55	184	1377	3960			
16	87	289	2165	6223			
14	140	466	3497	10052			

# Check End of Travel Settings

The actuators are tested, calibrated and shipped in the Full CW position and End of Travel cams are set at 90 degrees from each other.

- A. Set the control device (valve or damper) to the closed position.
- Mount the actuator to the device to be controlled (valve or damper).
- C. Insure that the CW End of Travel cam trips the CW End of Travel switch at the correct CW point.
  - C.1. If the switch does not change state at the correct CW position, adjust CAM 2 per instructions below.
- D. Manually move (see Manual Override on page 6) the actuator so the valve or damper is in the fully CCW position.
- E. Insure that the CCW End of Travel cam trips the CCW End of Travel switch at the correct CCW point.
  - E.1. If the switch does not change state at the correct CCW position, adjust CAM 1 per instructions below.

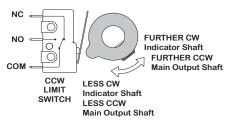
# Adjusting the actuator CCW and CW positions (Cam adjustment)

# Remove power from this device BEFORE making any End of Travel cam adjustments.



### Cam 1 Adjustment

The lower cam is Cam 1, the CCW end-of-travel adjustment. Once the actuator is at its required CCW position, with POWER OFF, use a 2.5mm hex key to free up the cam set screw. Once it is free, rotate the hex key to the RIGHT 10-15 degrees to reset the switch roller arm. Then snug the set screw up against the camshaft (CW) until slight pressure is felt. Then SLOWLY rotate the hex key pushing the cam to the LEFT until you hear the "click" on the bottom switch indicating that correct adjustment has been achieved. Tighten the cam.



- 2. Apply power to the actuator and drive CW at least 15-20 degrees. Then drive the actuator CCW until the cam stops the electrical travel. Check to be sure this is the correct CCW position you require. Repeat step 1 if further adjustment is needed.
- If using the Auxiliary Switches, adjust Cam 3 per instructions on page 6.

NOTE: The P1.A main output drives 90° while the indicator/camshaft rotates 180° in the opposite direction.

Camshaft

movement

movement

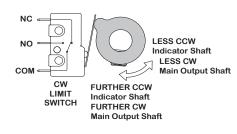
**Output Drive** 

### Cam 2 Adjustment

- The second cam is Cam 2, the CW end of travel adjustment. Once the actuator is at its required CW position with POWER OFF, use a 2.5mm hex key to free up the cam set screw. Once it is free, rotate the hex key to the LEFT 10-15 degrees to reset the switch roller arm. Then snug the set screw up against the camshaft (CW) until slight pressure is felt. Then SLOWLY rotate the hex key to the RIGHT until you hear the "click" on the second switch indicating that correct adjustment has been achieved. Tighten the cam set screw.
- Apply power to the actuator and drive CCW at least 15-20 degrees. Then drive the actuator CW until the cam stops the electrical travel. Check to be sure this is the correct CW position you require. Repeat step 1 if further adjustment is needed. Remove power from the actuator.
- 3. If using the Auxiliary Switches, adjust Cam 4 per instructions on page 6.



Cam 2



# Adjusting the actuator Auxiliary Switches

# Remove power from this device BEFORE making any End of Travel cam adjustments.

### Cam 3 Adjustment

1. The third cam is Cam 3, the CCW auxiliary switch adjustment. Drive the actuator to its CCW position. Then use a 2.5mm hex key to free up the cam set screw. Once it is free, rotate the hex key to the RIGHT 10-15 degrees to reset the switch roller arm. Then snug the set screw up against the camshaft (CW) until slight pressure is felt. Then SLOWLY rotate the hex key and cam to the LEFT until you hear the "click" on the third switch. Continue to rotate the cam between 3 and 5 degrees to the LEFT to make sure the auxiliary cam switch changes state before the actuator reaches its end of travel electrically. Tighten the cam set screw.

Cam 3



Cam 4

### Cam 4 Adjustment

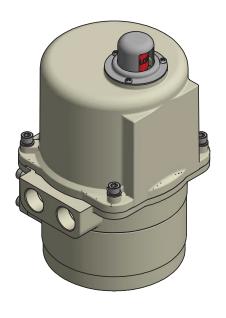
1. The fourth cam is Cam 4, the CW auxiliary switch adjustment. Drive the actuator to its CW position. Then use a 2.5mm hex key to free up the cam set screw. Once it is free, rotate the hex key to the LEFT 10-15 degrees to reset the switch roller arm. Then snug the set screw up against the camshaft (CW) until slight pressure is felt. Then SLOWLY rotate the hex key to the RIGHT until you hear the "click" on the fourth switch. Continue to rotate the cam between 3 and 5 degrees to the RIGHT to make sure the auxiliary cam switch changes state before the actuator reaches its end of travel electrically. Tighten the cam set screw.

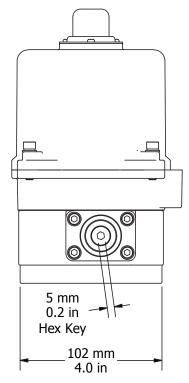
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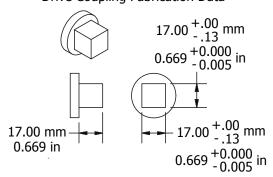


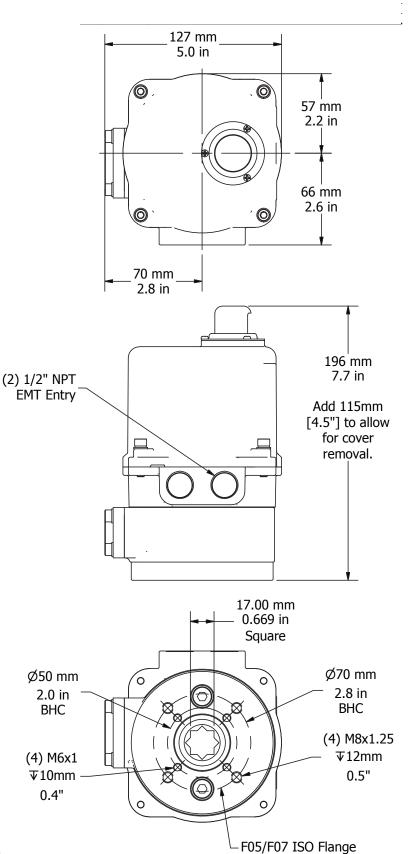
Manual Override





**Drive Coupling Fabrication Data** 





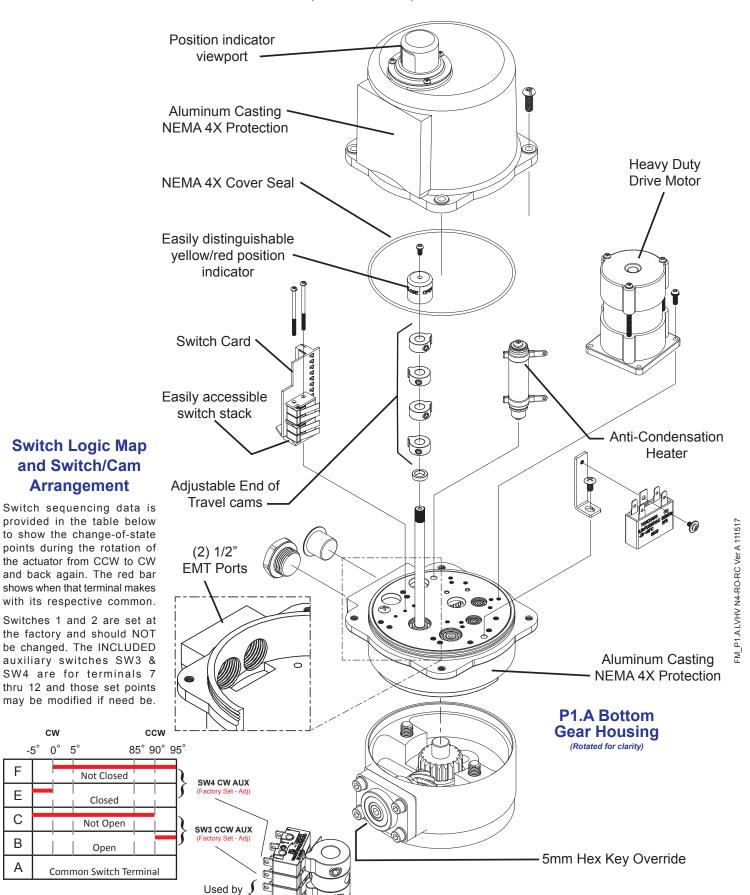


# **Mechanical Data**

**Arrangement** 

# P1.A Series Exploded View

(P1.A-120N4 unit is shown)





cw

5°

Not Closed

Closed

Not Open

Open

Controller (

-5° 0°

F

Ε

C

В

<u>Commissioning</u> P1/P1.A RO/RC

This procedure will assume that the actuator is installed correctly both mechanically and electrically with correct power. Set the RO/RC switch (see page 4) for RO for a Normally Closed Actuator which opens when power is applied. Set the RO/RC switch (see page 4) for RC for a Normally Open Actuator which closes when power is applied.

- 1. Apply the correct supply power to the actuator.
  - NOTE Power is measured at terminals marked 1 & 2 on the actuator.

### I.A NORMAL OPERATION RO (Normally Closed Actuator)

- I. Power applied to terminal 3 will cause the actuator to run CCW.
- II. Removing power from terminal 3 will cause the actuator to run CW.

### 1.B NORMAL OPERATION RC (Normally Open Actuator)

- I. Power applied to terminal 3 will cause the actuator to run CW.
- II. Removing power from terminal 3 will cause the actuator to run CCW.

### Relay Open (RO) Operation. See Step 3 for RC operation.

2. Test Full CW and CCW Positions (RO)

### 2.A Apply power to terminal 3

- I. The actuator will drive to the full CCW position (as viewed from ABOVE the actuator).
- II. If this is NOT the correct stop position, refer to Adjusting the actuator CCW position instructions for CAM 1 on Page 5 in this document.
- III. As long as power is present on terminal 3 the actuator will remain at full CCW position.

### 2.B Remove power from terminal 3

- I. The actuator will drive to the full CW position (as viewed from ABOVE the actuator).
- II. If this is NOT the correct stop position, refer to Adjusting the actuator CW position instructions for CAM 2 on Page 5 in this document.

### Relay Closed (RC) Operation. See Step 2 for RO operation.

3. Test Full CW and CCW Positions (RC)

### 3.A Apply power to terminal 3

- I. The actuator will drive to the full CW position (as viewed from ABOVE the actuator).
- II. If this is NOT the correct stop position, refer to Adjusting the actuator CW position instructions for CAM 2 on Page 5 in this document.
- III. As long as power is present on terminal 3 the actuator will remain at full CW position.

### 3.B Remove power from terminal 3

- I. The actuator will drive to the full CCW position (as viewed from ABOVE the actuator).
- II. If this is NOT the correct stop position, refer to Adjusting the actuator CCW position instructions for CAM 1 on Page 5 in this document.



# Industrial Applications

ProMation Engineering actuators have been installed to operate process controls such as butterfly valves, ball valves, high performance valves, plug valves, gate valves and dampers, in a broad range of demanding industrial applications.

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