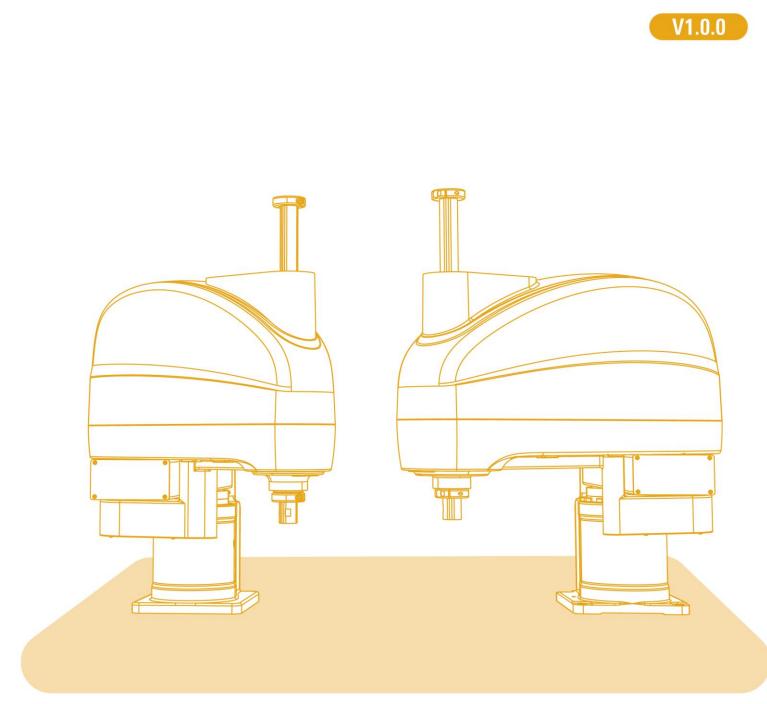


# AIR12SC&AIR20SC Horizontal Multi-joint Industrial Robot Manual



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	About this ma	anual				
		This manual is for technicians to install, use, and use the AIR12SC&AIR20SC industrial robot quickly, correctly, and safely, to be familiar with the relevant precautions, and to perform regular routine maintenance work on the manipulator.				
	Prerequisites	S				
	Before operating the robot, be sure to read the relevant safety instructions and operation instructions of the product carefully. Users must understand the safety knowledge and basic operation knowledge before using the robot.					
		Please read t	he following docu	ments when necessary	r:	
		■ "inCube	e2S-20 Control Ca	binet Manual"		
		■ "SCAR	A type teach pend	ant operation manual"		
		■ "ARL P	rogramming Man	ual"		
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			ore			
	Operators					
	Product technicians					
	Technical service personnel					
		Robot t	eachers			
	Scope of app	lication				
		This manual	is applicable to th	e following robot mode	ls.	
	Standard	Standard	Standard			
	forward	forward	forward	Standard reverse	Standard reverse	Standard reverse
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Series	model: 200mm	model: 400mm	model: 300mm	200mm lead screw	400mm lead screw	300mm lead screw
	lead screw	lead screw	lead screw	stroke	stroke	stroke
	stroke	stroke	stroke			
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#### Meaning of common signs

The signs and their meanings in this manual are detailed in Table 1.

Table 1 Signs used in this manual

Sign	Meaning
Danger	Failure to follow the instructions may result in an accident causing the severe or fatal injury or the great losses of property.
Warning	Failure to follow the instructions may result in an accident causing the severe or fatal injury or the great losses of property.
Caution	Prompt for the environmental conditions and important things or shortcuts you shall pay attention to
Prompt	Prompt for additional literature and instructions for additional information or more detailed operating instructions

#### Manual description

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#### **Revision history**

The revision history contains the instructions for each document update. The latest version of the document contains updates to all previous versions of the document.

Table 2 Signs used in this manual

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V1.0.0	2023.06.16	1st official publication

#### Manual Number and Version

The manual-related information is shown in Table 3.

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Document number	UM-P05310000102-001	
Document version	V1.0.0	

Declaration of applicable with product standards

The requirements for industrial robot system design are detailed in Table 4.

Table 4 Declaration of applicable safety standards

Standard	Description	
2006/42/EC	Machinery directive: Machinery directive 2006/42/EC (new version) issued by European Parliament and Council on May 17, 2006 to modify 95/16/EC	2006
2014/30/EU	Electromagnetic compatibility directive: 2014/30/EU directive issued by European Parliament and Council on February 26, 2014 to balance the electromagnetic compatibility regulations of member states	2014
2014/68/EU	Pressure facility directive: Electromagnetic compatibility directive: 2014/68/EU directive issued by European Parliament and Council on May 15, 2014 to balance the pressure facility regulations of member states (It is only suitable for the robot with hydraulic balance weight)	2014
ISO 13850 Safety of machinery: Emergency stop function - Principles for design		2015
ISO 13849-1	Safety of machinery: Safety-related parts of control systems - Part 1: General principles for design	2015

Standard	Description	Version
ISO 12100	ISO 12100 Safety of machinery: General principles for design - Risk assessment and risk reduction	
ISO 10218-1	Robots and robotic devices - Safety requirements for industrial robots : Part 1: Robots (Prompt: Information is consistent with ANSI/RIAR.15.06-2012, Part 1)	2011
61000-6-2	Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC): Part 6-2: Generic standards - Immunity for industrial environments	2005
Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC): 61000-6-4 + A1 Part 6-4: Generic standards - Emission standard for industrial environments		2011
60204-1 + A1	60204-1 + A1 Safety of machinery: Electrical equipment of machines - Part 1: General requirements	
IEC 60529	IP rating provided by enclosures (IP Code): This standard applies to the IP rating for the electrical equipment with enclosures and the rated voltage exceeding 72.5kv.	2001

## General safety description

Thank you for purchasing our manipulator. This description is required for the safe use of the manipulator. before using the operator, please read the manual carefully and use the manipulator correctly on the premise of understanding it.

For the detailed functions of the manipulator, please fully understand its specifications through the relevant instructions.

#### Safety considerations

In general, the manipulator cannot be operated by a single operation, and only install the end effector, and the frame functions as the peripheral equipment and the system to perform the operation.

When considering its security, the manipulator should not be considered independently, but should be considered in the system environment.

#### WARNING, CAUTION AND PROMPTS.

This specification includes matters needing attention to ensure the personal safety of operators and prevent damage to operators. According to their safety importance, they are described as "warning" and "caution" in this paper, and the supplementary instructions are described as "prompts".

Before using the operator, the user must read these "warnings "," cautions" and "prompts ".

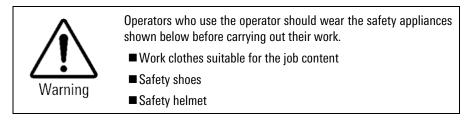


In the case of an incorrect operation, it is possible to cause death or serious injury to the operator or other operator.



If the operation is wrong, it may cause the operator or other operator to slightly injure or damage the equipment.

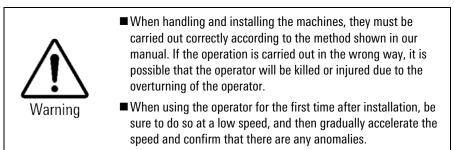
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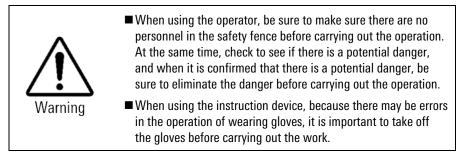


Personnel who carry out programming and maintenance operations must receive appropriate training through the relevant training of the company.

#### Considerations during installation



Matters needing attention in operation





Information such as programs and system variables can be stored in storage media such as memory cards. In order to prevent data loss caused by unexpected accidents, it is recommended that users back up data regularly.

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## 1. Product specification

## 1.1. General functions and intended applications

Industrial robot systems are used to move tools and devices, or process and transport workpieces or products. It is allowed to be used only in accordance with the specified climatic and environmental conditions. For specific storage conditions and working environment requirements, please refer to *Chapter 1.2*.

All non-compliant use is illegal and prohibited. These non-compliant uses include:

- Use in environments where there is a danger of explosion.
- Use outside the allowed motion range.
- Transporting people or animals.
- Used as a climbing aid.



Changing the structure of the robot, such as drilling holes, can cause component damage. This is regarded as improper use and will result in loss of warranty and claim eligibility.

## 1.2. Environmental conditions and working and storage limitations

#### 1.2.1. Environmental requirements

See Table 1-1 for the operating environment requirements of AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator.

-	Lowest temperature	℃ 0		
Temperature	Maximum temperature	40°C		
Humidity		ent requirements of the manipulator do not exceed the humidity leve specified in the document "IEC 60721-3-3-2002 Classification Is".		
Altitude	The altitude of the normal operating environment of the manipulator should not exceed 1000 meters. In the height range of 1000m-4000m, the manipulator should be reduced in rated power to use			
Shock resistance	The robot manipulator should be used in an environment without vibration as much as possible. The environmental vibration limit frequency is 5Hz~55Hz, and the amplitude does not exceed 0.15mm.			
Special environmental requirements The manipulator is prohibited to use in flammable, explosive and corrosive environment.				

#### 1.2.2. Environmental conditions for long-term storage

The manipulator should be placed in a cool place protected from direct sunlight and waterproof during long-term storage. The specific environmental requirements are shown in Table 1-2 below.

Parameter	Value
Minimum ambient temperature	-25°C
Maximum ambient temperature	55℃
Maximum ambient temperature (storage time less than 24h)	70℃
Maximum ambient humidity	Less than 95% at constant temperature, no condensation
Maximum vibration conditions	Frequency 5Hz ~55Hz, amplitude 0.15mm

Table 1-2 Manipulator long-term storage environmental conditions

#### 1.2.3. Precautions for storage

In addition to the content of *Chapter 1.2.1* of this manual, the long-term storage of the manipulator should also pay attention to the following items:

- Before long-term storage of the manipulator, the posture should be in the transport posture, placed on a horizontal surface and fixed, see *Chapter 3.3* of this manual for details.
- When the manipulator is not used for a long time, all power supply should be cut off.
- Use an outer protective cover such as paper or wooden packaging box to protect the manipulator from external light to avoid long-term exposure to the manipulator or exposure to water, oil, corrosive liquids, etc.
- The surface of the manipulator should be cleaned regularly, such as dust removal and decontamination. The specific cleaning cycle depends on the storage environment of the manipulator.
- When the storage period ends and the manipulator is put back into use, the manipulator must be inspected in accordance with *Chapter 3.3.1* of this manual.

## 1.3. Basic specifications

The basic specifications of AIR12SC&AIR20SC robot are shown in Table 1-3 and Table 1-4.

Model		AIR12SC-600A	AIR12SC-700A	AIR12SC&AIR20SC -820A	AIR12SC&AIR20SC -1000A		
Coordinate form		Horizontal multiple joint robot					
Number of control axes		4 axes(J1,J2,J3,J4)					
	J1	-135° ~135°					
Action range (upper/lower	J2	-135°~135°					
limit)	J3	-200mm ~ 0mm, -300mm ~0mm, -400mm ~0mm					
	J4	-360° ~360°					
Maximum range of motion		600mm	700mm	825mm	1000mm		
	J1+J2	7600mm/s	8600mm/s	10100mm/s	11200mm/s		
Maximum operating speed	J3	1666mm/s					
	J4	1600° /s					
Handling weight		6kg(Rated)/12kg(Maximum)					

Table 1-3 Basic specifications of AIR12SC robot

Model AIR12SC-600A AIR12SC-700A AIR12SC&AIR20SC-82			AIR12SC&AIR20SC -820A	AIR12SC&AIR20SC -1000A		
Drive method		Use AC servo motor fo	or electric servo drive			
	Axis1+Axis2	0.02mm				
Repeatability	Axis3	+/-0.010mm				
	Axis4	+/- 0.01deg				
Robot quality	·	42kg	45kg	48kg	54kg	
Maximum downward pressure of 3 axes		<ul> <li>The maximum downward pressure of AIR12SC's 3-axis is 200N.</li> <li>The maximum downward pressure of AIR20SC's 3-axis is 380N.</li> </ul>				
Noise		70dB				
IP protection level		IP40				
Installation conditions		<ul> <li>Ambient temperature: 0°C~40°C</li> <li>Humidity: within 95% at constant temperature, no condensation</li> <li>Allowable height: below 1000m above sea level</li> <li>There should be no corrosive, flammable, explosive gases</li> </ul>				

#### Table 1-4 Basic specifications of AIR20SC robot

Model		AIR20SC-820A	AIR20SC-1000A			
Coordinate form		Horizontal multiple joint robot				
Number of control axes			4 axes(J1,J2,J3,J4)			
		J1	-135° ~135°			
Action range (upper/low	ver	J2	-135° ~135°			
limit)		J3	200mm~0mm, -300mm~0	mm, -400mm~0mm		
		J4	-360° ~360°			
Maximum range of motion			825mm	1000mm		
		J1+J2	10400	10800		
Maximum operating speed		J3	1666mm/s			
		J4	1300° /s			
Handling weight			10kg(Rated)/20kg(Maximum)			
Drive method			Use AC servo motor for electric servo drive			
А	Axis1-	+Axis2	+/-0.02mm			
Repeatability A	Axis3		+/-0.010mm			
Axis4			+/- 0.01deg			
Robot quality		48kg	54kg			
Noise		70dB				
IP protection level		IP protection level		IP20		

Model	AIR20SC-820A	AIR20SC-1000A		
	■ Ambient temperature: 0°C~40°C			
Installation conditions	Humidity: within 95% at constant temperature, no condensation			
	Allowable height: below 1000m above sea level			
	■ There should be no corrosive, flammable, explosive gases			

## 2. Robot system introduction

## 2.1. Introduction to industrial robots

The industrial robot system is mainly composed of three basic parts: industrial robot manipulator, control cabinet and teach pendant:

- Manipulator refers to the mechanism used to grab or move objects (tools or workpieces) in the robot system, also known as the robot body. This manipulator is a horizontal multi-joint industrial robot, including a linear axis and three rotary axes.
- Control cabinet is installed with the electrical equipment needed to control the robot, and provides a connection interface with the robot manipulator and other external equipment.
- Teach pendant is connected to the main control system of the control cabinet, and is used to control the manual/automatic operation of the robot, record the running track, display playback or record the teaching point and program according to the teaching point.

The structure of AIR12SC&AIR20SC horizontal multi-joint industrial robot system is shown in Figure 2-1.

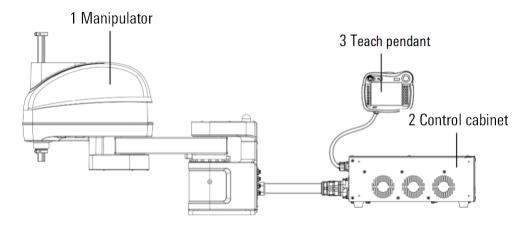


Figure 2-1 Composition of AIR12SC&AIR20SC industrial robot system

## 2.2. Basic configuration of manipulator

The names of AIR12SC&AIR20SC type manipulator and each part of it are shown in Figure 2-2.

For the basic specifications of the AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator, please refer to *Chapter 1.3* of this manual. For the dimensions and working range of each axis, please refer to *Chapter 5.2.1* and *5.2.3* of this manual.

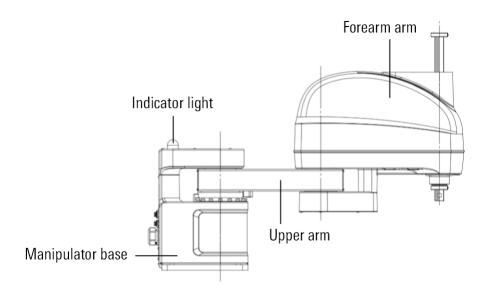


Figure 2-2 AIR12SC&AIR2OSC robot body and its parts

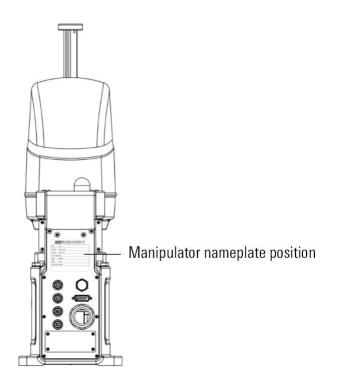
## 2.3. Product label and meaning

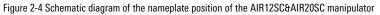
#### **Operator nameplate**

The nameplate of the AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator is attached to the base. The nameplate contains the corresponding model, product number, weight, serial number, production date and other information of the corresponding product (refer to Figure 2-3. The nameplate information is subject to the actual factory shipment. Refer to Figure 2-4 for the specific location of the nameplate.

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型号	Туре
产品号	Product No.
序列号	Serial No.
生产日期	Date
重量	Weight
负载	Load
运动半径	Range

Figure 2-3 Diagram of the nameplate of the AIR12SC&AIR2OSC manipulator





#### Hazard warning label

A "danger warning label" is attached to a conspicuous position on the back of the manipulator arm (as shown in Figure 2-5, Figure 2-6 and Figure 2-7).



Figure 2-5 Hazard warning label

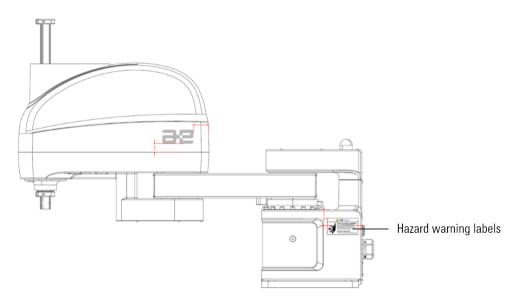


Figure 2-6 Diagram of the location of the warning label for AIR12SC operating machine

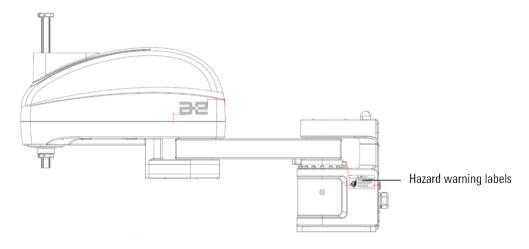


Figure 2-7 Diagram of the location of the warning label for AIR20SC manipulator

## 3. Preparation before use

#### 3.1. Safety precautions before use

Before operating the manipulator, peripheral equipment and manipulator system, the safety precautions of the operator and the system must be fully studied.

#### Operator definition

The operators of the manipulator are mainly divided into three types: operators, teachers, and maintenance engineers. The conditions that these three operators need to meet are described as follows:

Operators

- ON/OFF operation of the power supply of the manipulator;
- Start the manipulator program through the operation panel;

Teachers

Possess the function of operator;

Maintenance engineers

- Possess the function of teacher;
- Can carry out maintenance (repair, adjustment, replacement, etc.) operation of the manipulator.

#### **Operator safety**

When operating, programming, and maintaining the manipulator, operators, teachers, and maintenance engineers must pay attention to safety, and at least wear the following items for work:

- Work clothes suitable for the content of the job
- Safety shoes
- Helmet

When using an automatic system, you must try to ensure the safety of the operators. It is very dangerous to enter the operating range of the manipulator. Measures should be taken to prevent the operators from entering the operating range of the manipulator.

The general precautions are listed below, please take appropriate measures to ensure the safety of the operators:

- The operation personnel running the manipulator system shall receive the training from the company and pass the relevant assessment.
- While the equipment is running, even if the manipulator seems to have stopped, the manipulator is possibly waiting for the start signal and is about to act. The manipulator shall be regarded as operating at this state. To ensure the safety of operation personnel, it is necessary to confirm that the manipulator is in the operating state via the audible and visual alarms such as the warning lamp
- Peripheral equipment shall be electrically grounded.
- The peripheral equipment shall be set outside the range of manipulator if possible.
- The range of manipulator shall be clearly marked with the lines on the floor to make the operator understand the range of manipulator including the mechanical arm and other tools.
- A proximity switch or photoelectric switch shall be installed on the floor so that when the operation personnel are about to enter the range of manipulator, the audible and visual alarms such as the buzzer are issued to stop the manipulator, thereby ensuring the safety of operation personnel.

- A lock shall be set if it is possible to make sure that the manipulator power cannot be turned on except by the operation personnel responsible for the operation.
- Always disconnect the manipulator power when performing the individual commissioning of peripheral equipment.

#### Safety of operators

The emergency stop button should be set within the reach of the operators.



Manipulator controller is designed to be connected to an external emergency stop button. With this connection, the manipulator will stop when the external emergency stop button is pressed.

#### Safety of teachers

In the teaching operation of the manipulator, in some cases, it is necessary to enter the working range of the manipulator, in this case, special attention should be paid to safety:

- If you do not need to enter the manipulator range, be sure to operate outside the manipulator range.
- Before proceeding with the teaching, verify that the manipulator or peripheral equipment is in a safe state.
- If it is inevitable to enter the range of manipulator to conduct the teaching, first confirm the positions and states of safety devices (such as the emergency stop button, emergency automatic stop switch of teach pendant, etc.).
- Teachers shall pay special attention to make other people away from the range of manipulator.
- Before starting the manipulator, first confirm that there is no people and no abnormality in the range of manipulator.
- After the teaching is over, be sure to perform the test run following the steps below:

Step1. At low speed, execute at least one cycle intermittently to confirm no abnormality.

- Step2. At low speed, execute at least one cycle continuously to confirm no abnormality
- Step3. At intermediate speed, execute at least one cycle continuously to confirm no abnormality
- Step4. At operating speed, execute at least one cycle continuously to confirm no abnormality

Step5. Execute the program in automatic operation mode.

## 3.2. Product unpacking

#### 3.2.1. Unpacking method

As shown in Figure 3-1, the packaging box of the AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator is composed of a box body and a bottom bracket.

Operation process of unpacking:

- Step1. Remove the cover and take out the teach pendant from above.
- Step2. Take out the middle partition, pay attention to prevent the control cabinet from falling.
- Step3. Take out the control cabinet from above and take out the built-in calcium chloride desiccant;
- Step4. Remove the casing and use an Allen wrench to loosen the two M4×8 hexagonal cylindrical head screws that connect the arm support sheet metal to the arm and the two M6×30 hexagonal cylindrical head screws that connect the arm support sheet metal to the wooden base. Then loosen the four M14×60 hexagonal cylindrical

head screws, washers, and M14 hexagonal nuts that connect the AIR12SC&AIR20SC control unit to the wooden base. This will separate the control unit from the base. When disassembling, be careful not to tilt the control unit or let it tip over due to loose screws.

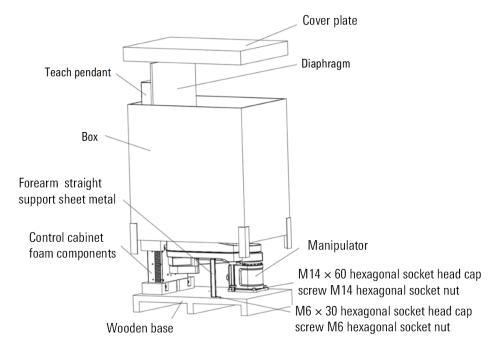


Figure 3-1 Manipulator packaging diagram

#### 3.2.2. Safe disposal of packaging materials

- In order to facilitate repacking, please properly save the carton, the bottom bracket and all the screws and nuts and other parts used in connection. Please keep the above materials in a dry and clean indoor place to prevent the materials from moisture, pressure, heat or close to fire source.
- If you don't need to keep the above materials, please handle them properly according to the relevant disposal methods of industrial waste.
- The packaging bag and calcium chloride desiccant cannot be used again after unpacking, please handle it properly according to the relevant disposal methods of industrial waste.

#### 3.2.3. Disposal of waste materials

Industrial robot system waste disposal must be carried out in accordance with the laws, regulations and standards of each country.

## 3.3. Preparation before installation

#### 3.3.1. Installation Precautions

Before installing the manipulator, the items listed below must be strictly observed:

- Ensure that the installation staff must pass the relevant training of the company, and can only carry out installation work in compliance with international and local laws and regulations.
- After unpacking, make sure that the manipulator is not bumped and damaged.
- Ensure that the installation environment of the manipulator meets the requirements of *Chapter 1.2.1* of this manual.
- Ensure that the installation location of the manipulator can withstand the pressure or pulling force caused by the manipulator and its load (in the fixed position of the manipulator base, it can withstand an equivalent load of not less than 2kN and a torque of 600Nm in all directions).

Before installation, the cable tie fixing the limit block needs to be removed

#### 3.3.2. Installation tools and required connectors

The following tools may be required to install the manipulator (more tools may be required, depending on the specific installation method):

- An allen wrench
- Adjustable wrench
- Torque wrenches of different specifications, etc.

The connection parts that may be required for the installation of the manipulator are as follows (more connection parts may be required, depending on the specific installation):

- M4 screws of appropriate length and strength grade of 12.9 or several other size hexagon socket head cap screws.
- Several spring pads of Φ14 or other specifications.

## 3.4. Installation and assembly

### 3.4.1. Technical specifications



When installing the manipulator, the strength of the foundation installation surface should be fully considered, and the inclination of the installation machine installation ground should be less than 5°.

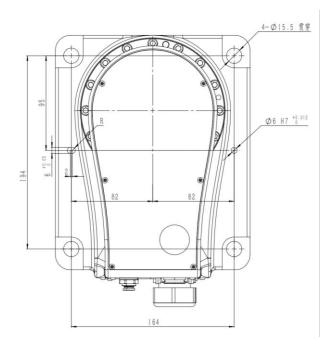


Figure 3-2 Base interface size of AIR12SC&AIR20SC type manipulator

The base size of AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator is shown in Figure 3-2. Among them, the hole of  $\Phi$  15.5 can be used as a through hole for installing M14 screws.

#### 3.4.2. Fixed way

The manipulator uses the "bracket fixation" fixation method.



The specific fixing method should be appropriately selected according to the environment used by the user.

The names and specifications of parts and components required for fixed manipulator are shown in Table 3-1.

#### Table 3-1 Manipulator fixing required parts

Parts name	Remarks	
Manipulator fixing screws	4 M14x40 socket head cap screws (grade 12.9)	
Robot fixing plate	Thickness 30mm, 1 piece (customer provided)	



The length of the fixing screw M14 of the manipulator must not be shorter than 35mm. If the length is too short, it may cause accidents such as poor fixing.

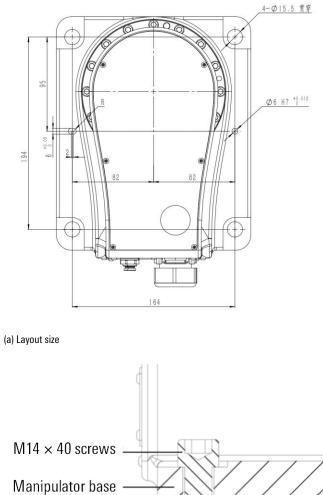
There must be no insulating material between the robot fixing plate and the mounting bracket and the manipulator.
 The bracket needs to be firmly installed on the ground, and the strength is required to ensure that the manipulator works.

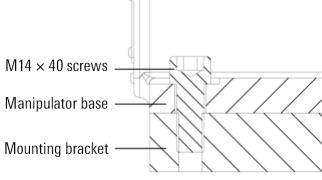
Fixing steps:

- Step1. In the handling attitude (refer to *Chapter* 才), transfer the manipulator to the top of the mounting bracket, and adjust the direction of the manipulator to make the base Φ15.5 through-hole holes aligned with the mounting bracket M14 threaded holes;
- Step2. Check whether the base is tightly attached to the surface of the mounting bracket without shaking. Use 4 M14x40 screws (strength grade 12.9) to fix the base of the manipulator on the bracket. Refer to Figure 3-3.



The mounting surface of the bracket should meet certain flatness requirements, and the inclination of the mounting surface should be within 0.5.



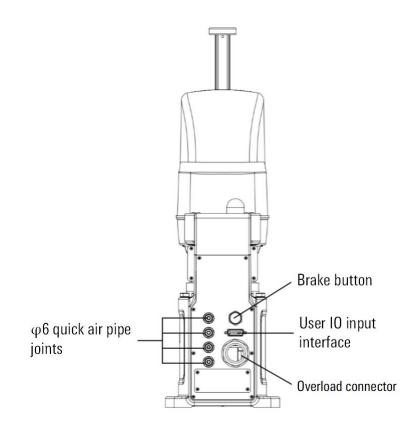


(b) Section view Figure 3-3 Diagram of bracket fixing

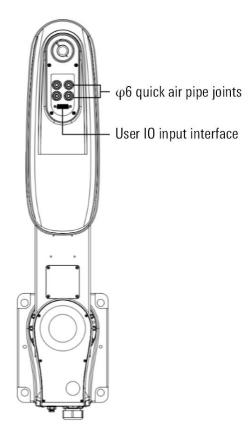
## 4. Electrical interface

## 4.1. Manipulator electrical interface type

The AIR12SC&AIR2OSC manipulator base is equipped with overload connectors, air pipe joints, and user IO input interfaces. There are user IO output interfaces and air pipe joints on the forearm. As shown in Figure 4-1(a), below the base is the overload connector, and the upper left corner has four  $\phi$  6 quick air pipe joints. After removing the blind plug,  $\phi$  6 air pipes can be directly inserted. The upper right corner has user IO input interfaces and a brake button. As shown in Figure 41(b), there are four  $\phi$  6 quick air pipe joints and user IO output interfaces on the forearm.



(a) Rear view



(b) Top view Figure 4-1 AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator interface

Steps to manually release the brake:

- Step1. On the back cover sheet metal of the base, you can find the brake button, refer to Figure 4-1(a);
- Step2. Connect the manipulator to the control cabinet, connect the control cabinet to the power supply, and turn on the control cabinet switch. For specific operations, see *Chapter 4.3* and *Chapter 4.5* of this manual.
- Step3. Press and hold the brake button to release the brake on axis 3 of the manipulator (refer to Figure 5-10).

	•	To prevent the output shaft from falling due to gravity when the brake is released, the base of the manipulator must be fixed.
$\hat{\Lambda}$	•	When releasing the brake, it is necessary to drag the lower end of the output shaft to prevent the rapid drop and damage the manipulator.
Caution	•	The forearm IO interface Dsub26 of the forearm of the AIR12SC&AIR2OSC manipulator does not have a sealing structure, so it is necessary to prevent dust or liquid from entering the manipulator.
	•	If you need to use the forearm IO interface, please select the corresponding option Dsub26.

## 4.2. Heavy-duty line interface on the manipulator side

The heavy-duty wire extends from the cable connector on the base of the manipulator, and the other end is connected to the control cabinet (see Figure 4-2).

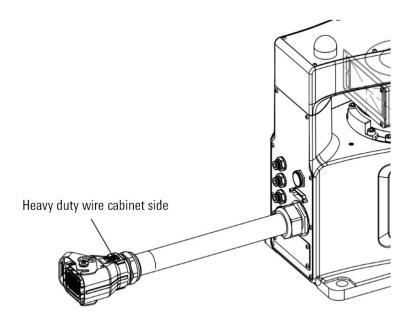


Figure 4-2 Diagram of heavy load line

The heavy-duty interface of AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator is shown in Figure 4-3.

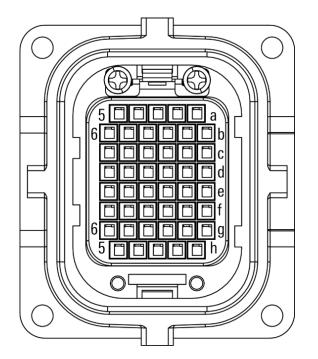


Figure 4-3 Heavy-duty interface of AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator

#### Port definition of power line & encoder line

The heavy load of AIR12SC&AIR20SC type manipulator (power line & encoder line part) is shown in Table 4-1.

Table 4-1 Part of the interface definition of the heavy-duty manipulator (power line & encoder line)

Signal name	Axis number	Pin number	Signal name	Axis number	Pin number	
Power line part						
U1	Axis 1	1f	U3	Axis 3	2f	

Signal name	Axis number	Pin number	Signal name	Axis number	Pin number			
Power line part	Power line part							
V1	Axis 1	1g	V3	Axis 3	2g			
W1	Axis 1	1h	W3	Axis 3	2h			
PE	Axis 1	1e	PE	Axis 3	1e			
U2	Axis 2	3f	U4	Axis 4	4f			
V2	Axis 2	3g	V4	Axis 4	4g			
W2	Axis 2	3h	W4	Axis 4	4h			
PE	Axis 2	3e	PE	Axis 4	3e			
Encoder line part								
J1_PS+	Axis 1	1a	J3_PS+	Axis 3	2a			
J1_PS-	Axis 1	1b	J3_PS-	Axis 3	2b			
J1_0V	Axis 1	1c	J3_0V	Axis 3	2c			
J1_5V	Axis 1	1d	J3_5V	Axis 3	2d			
J2_PS+	Axis 2	3a	J4_PS+	Axis 4	4a			
J2_PS-	Axis 2	3b	J4_PS-	Axis 4	4b			
J2_0V	Axis 2	3c	J1_0V	Axis 4	4c			
J2_5V	Axis 2	3d	J1_5V	Axis 4	4d			

#### Interface definition of brake and LED part

AIR12SC&AIR2OSC type manipulator heavy load interface definition (brake and LED part) is shown in Table 4-2.

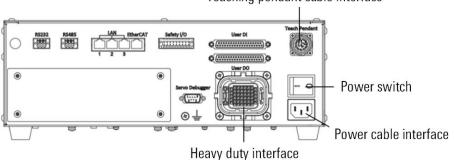
Table 4-2 The definition of the heavy-duty interface of the manipulator (brake and LED part)

Signal name	Axis number	Pin number	Signal name	Pin number
GND_24V_BR+	Axis 3	5g	LED_B#	5b
24V_BR_Out	Axis 3	6g	LED_R#	5c
GND	Axis 3	5f	LED_G#	6c
BR_MANUAL	Axis 3	6f	LED_24V	6b

## 4.3. Heavy-duty line interface on the cabinet side

As described in *Chapter 4.2* of this manual, the heavy-duty connector definition on the main body of the manipulator is connected to the control cabinet through a heavy-duty wire (refer to Figure 4 4). Both ends of the heavy-duty wire are used to connect the manipulator and the control cabinet, The heavy-duty line distinguishes between the manipulator end and the control cabinet end. The left side is the control cabinet end, and the right side needs to be fixed on the

manipulator end and cannot be removed. Please consult the manufacturer if you need to replace it (see Figure 4-4).



Teaching pendant cable interface

Figure 4-4 Diagram of AIR12SC&AIR20SC control cabinet

Connection method:

Connect the control cabinet, insert one end of the heavy-duty line plug into the heavy-duty line connection port of the control cabinet (see Figure 4-5, refer to Table 4-1 and Table 4-2 for interface definition), and fasten the lock.

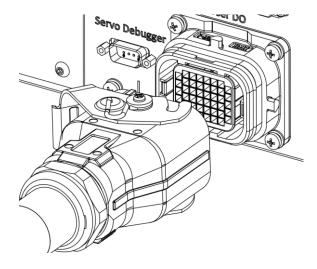


Figure 4-5 Heavy-duty connector interface of the control cabinet

The length of the AIR12SC&AIR20SC power encoder cable is 3m, and the size of the heavy-duty plug on the cabinet side is shown in Figure 4-6 below.

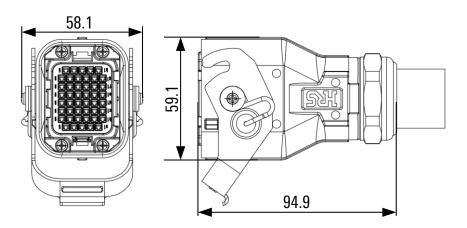


Figure 4-6 The size of the heavy-duty plug on the cabinet side

## 4.4. User I/O interface of manipulator

The user I/O interface of AIR12SC&AIR2OSC manipulator is shown in Figure 4-7 and Figure 4-8. The I/O input interface is a Dsub26 male connector located on the back cover of the base. The I/O output interface is a Dsub26 female connector located on the corrugated tube sheet of the forearm assembly.

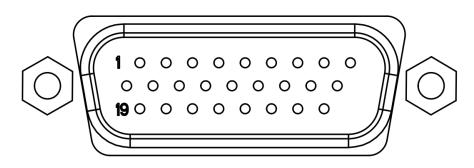


Figure 4-7 I/O input interface on the base of AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator

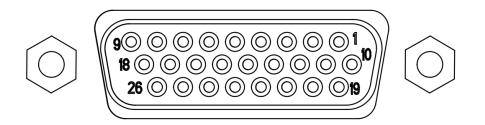


Figure 4-8 I/O output interface on the forearm of AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator



## 4.5. Power cable interface

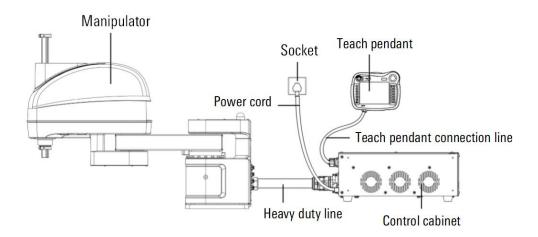


Figure 4-9 AIR12SC&AIR2OSC industrial robot system wiring overview

Both ends of the power cable are used to connect the control cabinet and the power supply (see Figure 4-9).

Connection steps:

- Step1. Confirm that the on-site power supply voltage and current meet the needs of the control cabinet (provide 220VAC voltage and meet at least 10A peak current load).
- Step2. Confirm that the safety short-circuit module of the control cabinet is connected normally (Figure 4-10 shows the normal connection status).

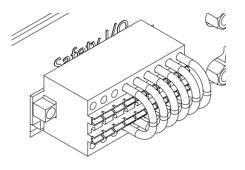


Figure 4-10 Safety short circuit module

Step3. Connect the control cabinet. Insert the fret-shaped plug of the power cord into the power cord connection port of the control cabinet (see Figure 4-11).

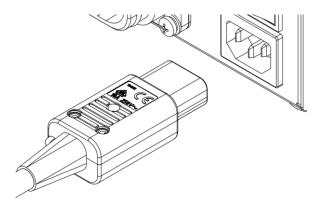


Figure 4-11 Power cable connection interface

- Step4. Connect the power supply. Insert the three-head plug of the power cable into the power socket.
- Step5. After powering on, switch the switch from "0" to "I" (refer to Figure 4-12), start the control cabinet, at the same time the switch indicator lights up, and the teach pendant starts.

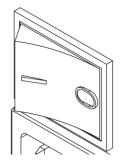


Figure 4-12 Control cabinet power switch

Step6. Before turning off the power, please confirm that the program has stopped running. Turn off the switch on the control cabinet after the motor is powered off. It is forbidden to unplug the power cable directly.

## 5. Job description

## 5.1. Safety precautions

#### Safety of peripheral equipment

Precautions related to the program:

In order to detect a dangerous state, detection equipment such as limit switches should be used, and the manipulator should be stopped according to the signal of the detection equipment.

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- When other manipulators or peripheral equipment are abnormal, even if the manipulator is not abnormal, corresponding measures should be taken, such as stopping the manipulator.
- If it is a system in which the manipulator and peripheral equipment operate synchronously, special attention should be paid to avoid mutual interference.
- In order to control the status of all equipment in the system from the manipulator, the manipulator and peripheral equipment can be interlocked, and the operation of the manipulator can be stopped as needed.

Precautions related to machinery

- The manipulator system should be kept clean and tidy and used in an environment that will not be affected by grease, water, dust, etc.
- Do not use cutting fluids and cleaning agents of unknown nature.
- Limit switches and mechanical limits should be used to limit the operation of the manipulator to avoid collisions between the manipulator and peripheral equipment.
- No user cables, hoses, etc. can be added to the manipulator.
- When installing cables, etc. outside the manipulator, please be careful not to obstruct the movement of the machine.
- For machine models where the inner cable of the manipulator is exposed to the outside, please do not make modifications that hinder the operation of the exposed part of the cable.
- When installing external equipment on the manipulator, take full care to avoid interference with other parts of the manipulator.
- For the manipulator in action, if the emergency stop button is used to frequently power off and stop the operation, it will cause the manipulator to malfunction.

#### Manipulator mechanical safety

Precautions during operation

When operating the manipulator through slow feed, no matter what the situation, the operator should maintain a high degree of vigilance and quickly respond to various problems.

Precautions related to the program:

When the action ranges of multiple manipulators overlap each other, full attention should be paid to avoid interference between the manipulators.

Be sure to set the specified operating origin for the manipulator program, and create a program that starts from the operating origin and ends at the operating origin, so that it can be clearly seen from the outside whether the manipulator has ended.

#### Precautions related to the institution

The working environment of the manipulator should be kept clean, so that the manipulator is used in an environment that is not affected by grease, water, dust, etc.

#### Safety of end effector

When controlling various transmission devices (pneumatic, hydraulic, electrical), after issuing a control command, the time difference between the command and the actual action should be fully considered, and control with a certain amount of flexibility should be carried out.

The detection unit should be installed on the end effector to monitor the state of the end effector and control the action of the manipulator.

## 5.2. Safe operation

#### 5.2.1. LED indicator

Please refer to Figure 2-2 for the location of the LED indicator. The meaning of each color is shown in Table 5-1

Table 5-1 The meaning of each colour of the LED indicator

Display	Working status
Red light is always on	Alarm\emergency stop button trigger state
Yellow light is always on	Calibration\Manually release the brake button is triggered\Starting
Green light is always on	All normal states after power-on (including upper enable, lower enable and running status, etc.)
Light does not shine	Shutdown



When the LED light is turned on, power is supplied to the robot. It is extremely dangerous to work with the power on and may cause electric shock or malfunction of the robot system. Be sure to turn off the power to the controller before performing maintenance work.

#### 5.2.2. Structural dimensions

The dimensions of each component assembly of the AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator are shown in Figure 5-1 and Figure 5-2.

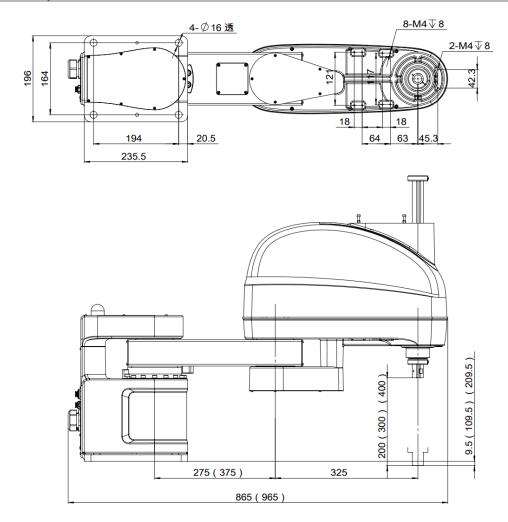


Figure 5-1 Dimensions of AIR12SC-600A & AIR12SC-700A manipulator unit assembly

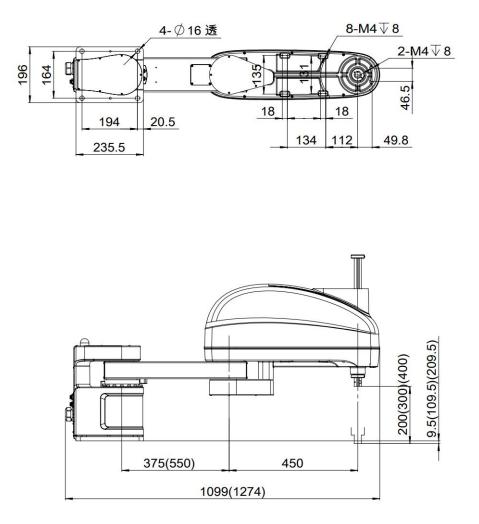


Figure 5-2 Dimensions of AIR12SC-820A & AIR12SC-1000A & AIR20SC-820A & AIR20SC-1000A manipulator unit assembly

## 5.2.3. Working range of each axis

The movement range of each axis of AIR12SC&AIR2OSC manipulator is shown in Table 5-2 and Table 5-3.

Axis number	AIR12SC-600A motion range	AIR12SC-700A motion range	AIR12SC-820A motion range	AIR12SC-1000A motion range	
J1	± 135°	± 135°	± 135°	± 135°	
J2	± 135°	± 135°	± 135°	± 135°	
J3	0mm~200mm, 0mm~300mm, 0mm~400mm	0mm~200mm, 0mm~300mm, 0mm~400mm	0mm~200mm, 0mm~300mm, 0mm~400mm	0mm~200mm, 0mm~300mm, 0mm~400mm	
J4	± 360°	± 360°	± 360°	± 360°	

Table 5-2 The range of motion for each axis of the AIR12SC manipulator

Table 5-3 The range of motion for each axis of the AIR20SC manipulator

Axis number	AIR20SC-820A motion range	AIR20SC-1000A motion range
J1	± 135°	± 135°
J2	± 135°	± 135°

	Axis number	AIR20SC-820A motion range	AIR20SC-1000A motion range	
	J3 0mm~200mm, 0mm~300mm, 0mm~400mm		0mm~200mm, 0mm~300mm, 0mm~400mm	
ĺ	J4	± 360°	± 360°	

The operation range of the manipulator is shown Figure 5-3~Figure 5-6.

When installing peripheral equipment, take care to avoid interference with the main part of the robot and the range of motion. Unit: mm.

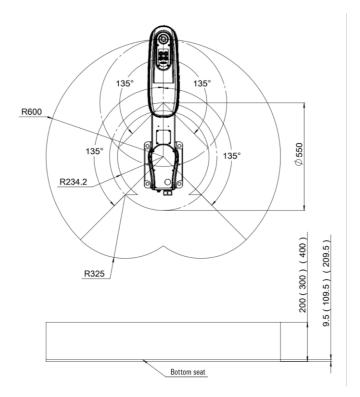


Figure 5-3 Operating range of AIR12SC-600A

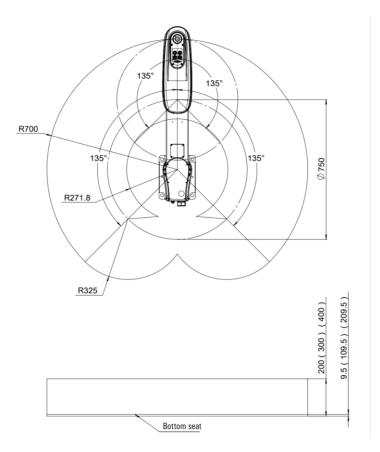


Figure 5-4 Operating range of AIR12SC-700A

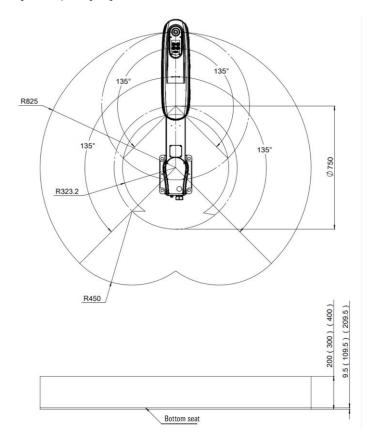


Figure 5-5 Operating range of AIR12SC&20SC-820A

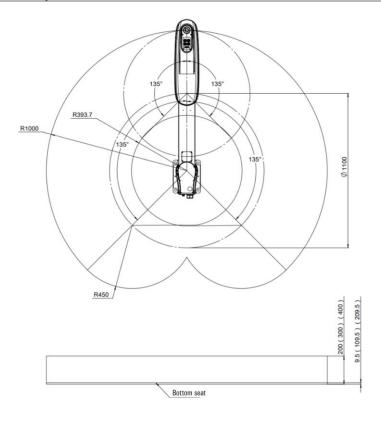


Figure 5-6 Operating range of AIR12SC&AIR20SC-1000A

## 5.2.4. Mechanical limit

Each axis of the manipulator is equipped with a zero point and a movable range. As long as the origin position is not lost due to servo system abnormalities and system errors, the robot is controlled to move within its movable range. In addition, in order to further ensure safety, except for the 2/4 axis mechanical body without a limit device, the 1/3 axis has a mechanical limit, as shown in Figure 5-7.

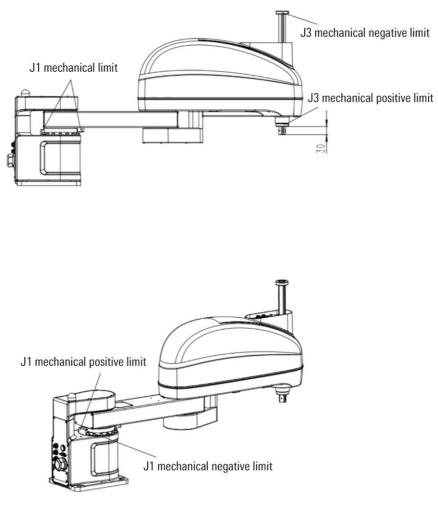
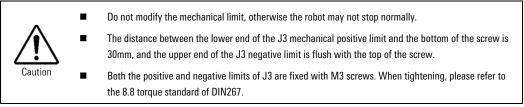


Figure 5-7 Mechanical limit of AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator



## 5.2.5. Stop mode

According to the definition of stop function in 9.2.2 of GB5226.1-2008 "Mechanical and Electrical Safety-Part 1: General Technical Conditions", combined with the specific design of the robot, the definition of 3 stop modes and corresponding descriptions are shown in Table 5-4:

Туре	Description		
	Case1	CCB alarm stop0 indicate, DCB will stop immediately without keeping track, and then CCB delay control will cut off the power through the SCR enable, which is an uncontrollable stop	
STOP0	Case2	DCB has an uncontrollable fault, triggering a free stop or brake stop, which is an uncontrollable stop	
	Case3	Sudden external power failure, DCB cannot perform immediate stop, trigger brake to stop, which is an uncontrollable stop	
STOP1	Make the robot stop quickly and maintain the current planned path. When the robot stops, control the		

Table 5-4 Stop method and corresponding instructions

Туре	Description	
	serve_off and cut off the power supply through the thyristor, which is a controlled stop	
STOP2	Make the robot stop quickly and need to maintain the current planned path. When the robot stops, do not serve_off and do not cut off the power supply, which is a controlled stop	

# 5.3. Calibration

### 5.3.1. When is calibration required

When the following situations occur in the manipulator, recalibration is required:

- There has been maintenance such as motor replacement or pulley removal.
- The encoder battery has been replaced.
- The encoder cable of the motor is loose or reinstalled
- The manipulator has experienced a strong collision.
- The control cabinet or control system (such as industrial computer) is replaced.

## 5.3.2. Calibration position of each axis

The calibration position of each axis of the manipulator is shown in Figure 5-8. When the J3 axis limit block is 1mm away from the manipulator, the calibrated position is 0°; other axes are calibrated to 0° after calibration.

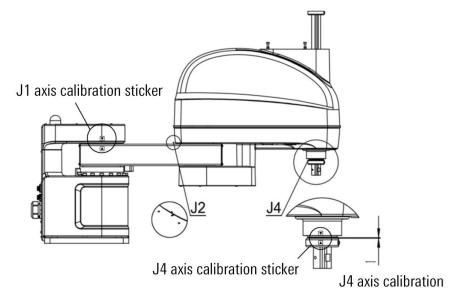


Figure 5-8 Diagram of the zero point of each axis of AIR12SC&AIR20SC

The calibration method for the 4-axis is shown in Figure 5-9. Align the 4-axis calibration sticker on the lower limit block below the forearm with the slot to complete the calibration. To ensure accuracy and avoid any changes in the position of the limit block.

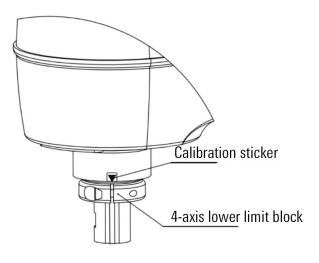
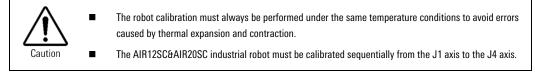


Figure 5-9 J4 calibration diagram



### 5.3.3. Movement direction of each axis

The positive and negative directions of the rotation or linear movement of the 1 to 4 axes of the manipulator (refer to Figure 5-10) are defined as follows:

- Looking down on the manipulator, the counterclockwise direction of axis 1, 2, and 4 is positive, and the clockwise direction is negative;
- 3 axis upward movement is positive, downward movement is negative

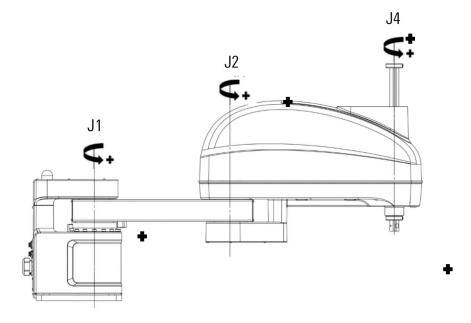


Figure 5-10 Diagram of the movement direction of each axis of the AIR12SC&AIR2OSC manipulator

## 5.3.4. Speed of each axis

The maximum angular velocity of each axis of the manipulator is shown in Table 5-5 and Table 5-6.

Axis number	AIR12SC-600A maximum angular velocity	AIR12SC-700A maximum angular velocity	AIR12SC-820A maximum angular velocity	AIR12SC-1000A maximum angular velocity
J1	350° /s	350° /s	350° /s	350° /s
J2	700° /s	675° /s	650° /s	650° /s
X and Y-axis synthesis	7600mm/s	8600mm/s	10100mm/s	11200mm/s
J3	1666mm/s	1666mm/s	1666mm/s	1666mm/s
J4	1600° /s	1600° /s	1600° /s	1600° /s

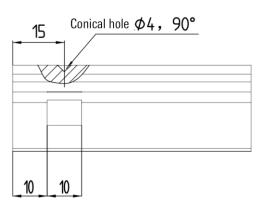
Table 5-5 Maximum angular velocity of each axis of AIR12SC manipulator

Table 5-6 Maximum angular velocity of each axis of AIR20SC manipulator

Axis number	AIR20SC-820A maximum angular velocity	AIR20SC-1000A maximum angular velocity	
J1 400° /s		350° /s	
J2	600° /s	600° /s	
X and Y-axis synthesis 10400mm/s		10800mm/s	
J3	1666mm/s	1666mm/s	
J4	1300° /s	1300° /s	

# 5.4. Flange size

The connection dimensions and connection dimensions of the AIR12SC&AIR2OSC output axis are shown in Figure 5-11.



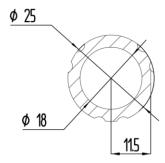


Figure 5-11 Diagram of wrist flange size of AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator

# 5.5. Load installation

### Calculation method for load moment of inertia

As shown in Figure 5-12, the calculation example of the rotational inertia (torque) of the load (end of the fixture holding the workpiece) is presented. The rotational inertia (torque) of the entire load is obtained by summing up parts (1) to (3).

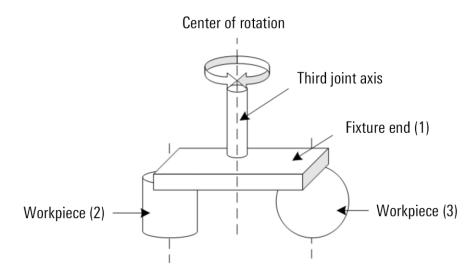


Figure 5-12 Diagram of calculating load moment of inertia

The calculation formula is as follows:

Total load moment of inertia = moment of inertia at the end of the fixture (1) + moment of inertia of the workpiece (2) + moment of inertia of the workpiece (3)

The following are the calculation methods for the moments of inertia (torques) of (1), (2), and (3). Please refer to these basic formulas to calculate the moments of inertia (torques) of all loads.

(1) Moment of inertia (torque) of a rectangular prism load

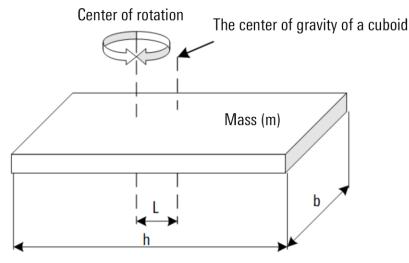


Figure 5-13 Diagram of calculating the moment of inertia for a rectangular prism load

The calculation formula is as follows:

Moment of inertia of a rectangular prism load  $= m \frac{b^2 + h^2}{12} + m \times L^2$ 

(2) Moment of inertia (torque) of cylindrical load

The center of gravity of a cylinder

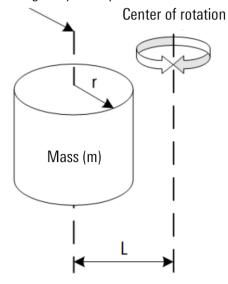


Figure 5-14 Diagram of calculating the moment of inertia for a cylindrical load

The calculation formula is as follows:

Moment of inertia of a cylindrical load = 
$$m \frac{r^2}{2} + m \times L^2$$

(3) Moment of inertia (torque) of spherical load

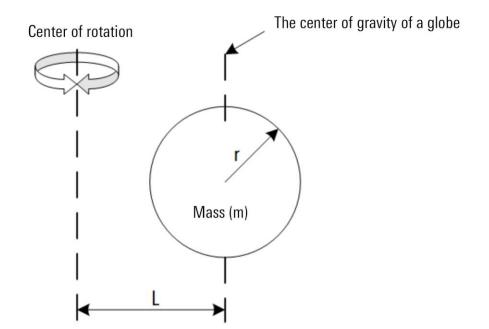
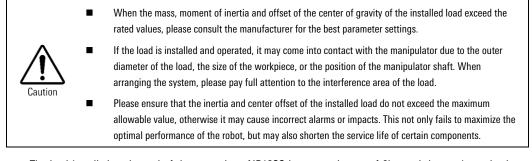


Figure 5-15 Diagram of rotational inertia technology for spherical loads

The calculation formula is as follows:

Moment of inertia of a cylindrical load 
$$= m \frac{2}{5}r^2 + m \times L^2$$

Installation requirements



- The load installed at the end of the screw key, AIR12SC has a rated mass of 6kg, and the maximum load mass should not exceed 12kg; AIR20SC has a rated mass of 10kg, and the maximum load mass should not exceed 20kg.
- The moment of inertia of the installation load relative to the screw axis is 0.05kg·m<sup>2</sup> for AIR12SC and must not exceed 0.45kg·m<sup>2</sup>; the rated inertia is 0.08kg·m<sup>2</sup> for AIR20SC and must not exceed 1kg·m<sup>2</sup>.
- When a camera, pneumatic valve, etc. are installed on the robotic arm, the weight needs to be converted to the equivalent weight of the axis and added to the load weight.

When installed on both sides of the forearm (shown in Figure 5-16) WM = M (L1)^2/(L1+L2)^2

When installed at the top of the forearm (shown in Figure 5-16):  $WM = M (LM)^2/(L2)^2$ 

WM: Equivalent weight

M: Weight of camera, etc.

L1: Length of upper arm

L2: Length of forearm

LM: Distance between the rotation center of the J2 axis and the center of gravity of the camera, etc.

The rated center offset is 0mm, and the maximum center offset is 150mm.

Camera installation

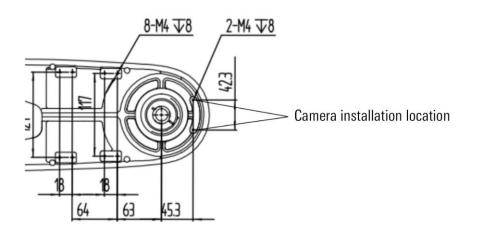


Figure 5-16 Installation dimension diagram of AIR12SC600&700 arm camera

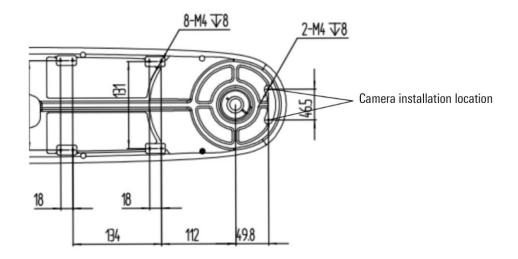
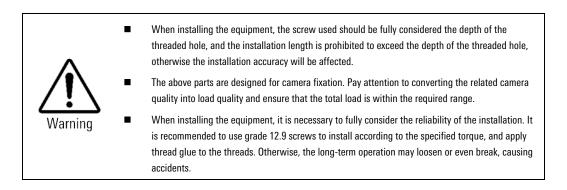


Figure 5-17 Installation position and dimension diagram of AIR12SC-820&AIR12SC-1000&AIR20-SC820&AIR20SC-1000 size arm cameras



# 6. Transportation and handling

# 6.1. Transport attitude

The pose diagram of the AIR12SC&AIR20SC manipulator during handling is shown in Figure 6-1.

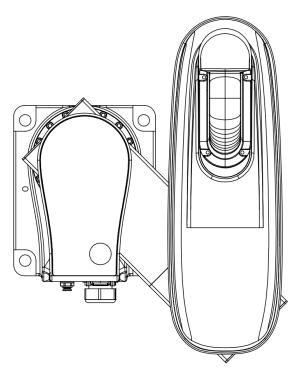
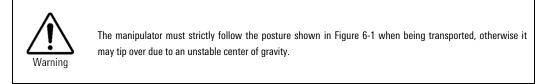


Figure 6-1 Top view of AIR12SC & AIR20SC manipulator handling posture

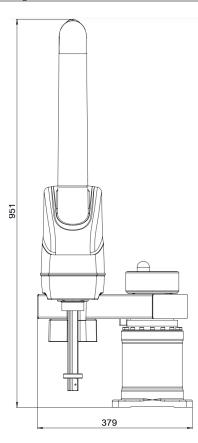


# 6.2. Transport dimensions

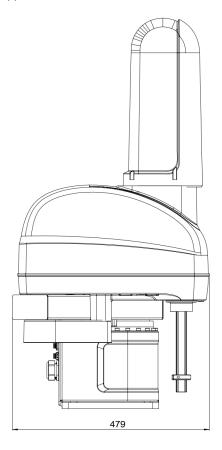
Refer to Figure 6-2 for the dimensions of the three views of the manipulator during transportation.



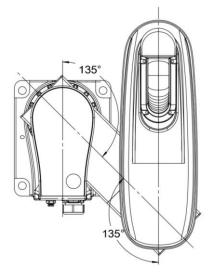
The actual size may be slightly larger than the size in Figure 6-2, so be careful.



(a) Main view



(b) Left view



(c) Top view

Figure 6-2 Dimensions of AIR12SC & AIR20SC during operation

# 6.3. Handling method

Please try to transport the robot with a trolley, etc. in the same way as it was delivered.

Precautions:

When carrying the robot, please fix the robot on a carrying tool (such as a cart), or hold the shaded part (under the first arm and under the base, refer to Figure 6-3) with your hands and carry it by more than 2 people;

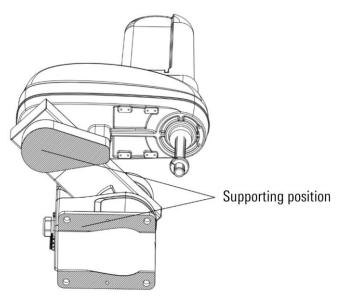


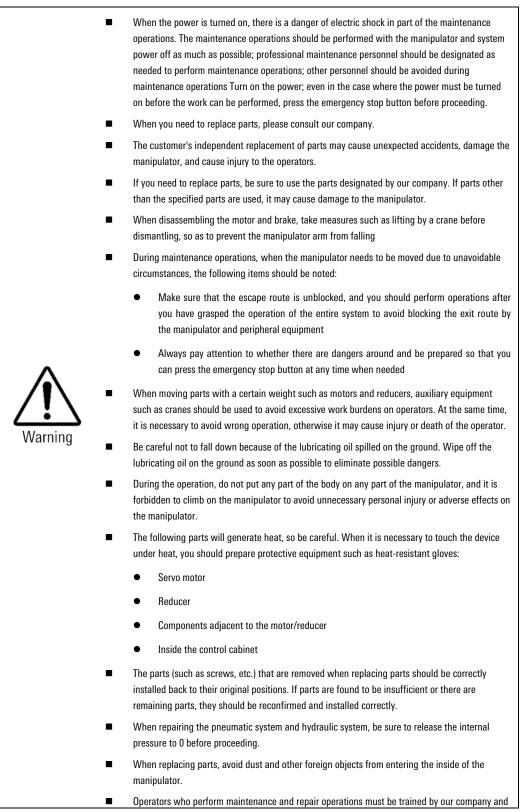
Figure 6-3 Diagram of the supporting position of the handling manipulator

- When holding the bottom of the base, please be careful not to pinch your fingers;
- When transporting over long distances, please fix the robot directly on the transport equipment to prevent it from tipping over;
- Please carry out the same packaging as the delivery time according to your needs.

# 7. Preventive maintenance

# 7.1. Safety protection measures

Precautions during maintenance



	pass relevant assessments.
•	Appropriate lighting equipment should be equipped for maintenance work, but care should be taken not to make the lighting equipment the source of new hazards.
	Please refer to this manual for regular maintenance. Failure to perform regular maintenance will affect the service life of the manipulator and may result in accidents.

#### Safety of maintenance engineers

In order to ensure the safety of maintenance engineers, the following items should be fully paid attention to:

- During the operation of the manipulator, do not enter the operating range of the manipulator.
- Carry out maintenance work with the power supply of the control device disconnected as much as possible. The main circuit breaker should be locked with a lock, etc. as needed to prevent other people from turning on the power.
- When it is necessary to enter the working range of the manipulator during power-on, you should press the emergency stop button of the control cabinet or the teach pendant before entering. In addition, the operator should put up a "maintenance operation" sign to remind other personnel not to operate the manipulator at will.
- Before performing maintenance work, confirm that the manipulator or peripheral equipment is in a safe state.
- Do not perform automatic operation when there are people in the operating range of the manipulator.
- When working near walls, appliances, etc., or when several operators are close, be careful not to block the escape passages of other operators.
- When there are knives on the manipulator, and when there are moving devices such as conveyor belts in addition to the manipulator, pay full attention to the actions of these devices.
- A person who is familiar with the manipulator system and can detect the danger should be arranged beside the operation panel and operation box during operation, so that they can press the emergency stop button at any time.
- When replacing parts or reassembling, pay attention to avoid foreign matter adhesion or mixing.
- When inspecting and repairing the inside of the control device, if you want to touch the unit, printed circuit board, etc., in order to prevent electric shock, be sure to disconnect the power supply of the main circuit breaker of the control device before proceeding.
- The replacement parts must use the parts designated by our company.
- When restarting the manipulator system after the maintenance work is completed, fully confirm in advance that no one is within the operating range of the manipulator, and that the manipulator and peripheral equipment are in normal state.

## 7.2. Daily maintenance

When operating the manipulator every day, check the items shown in Table 7-1.

No.	Check item	Check essentials
1	Vibration, sound, motor heating	Whether there is abnormal vibration or noise on each axis, and whether the motor temperature is abnormally high.
2	Whether the positioning accuracy changes	Check whether it deviates from the last start position and whether there is a deviation in the stop position
3	Operation confirmation of peripheral equipment	Confirm that the actions of the manipulator and peripheral equipment are consistent with the instructions

Table 7-1	Daily r	naintenan	ce items	of the	manipulator
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## 7.3. First maintenance

The operation machine shall run for the first time 320 hours or 1 month (whichever is shorter), and the following items shall be inspected and maintained. As shown in Table 7-2:

Table 7-2 Manipulator	First Maintenance Project.
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No.	Inspection item	Main points of inspection
1	Whether the cable and cable sheath of the operator are damaged differently and whether the motor connector is loose	Observe the cable activity part of the manipulator, check whether the cable is damaged, whether the cable is bent or distorted locally, check whether the cable sheath is damaged or not, and check whether the motor connector is loose (Note 1)
2	End effector mounting screws	Check whether the bolts are loose and tighten them with a torque wrench (Note 2)
3	Lock bolts of each arm	Check whether the bolts are loose and tighten them with a torque wrench (Note 2)
4	Bolts for motors, reducers, etc.	Check whether the bolts are loose and tighten them with a torque wrench (Note 2)
5	Clean all parts of the manipulator	Clean and maintain the parts of the manipulator, and check whether the parts are damaged (Note 3).
6	Whether the terminal actuator cable is damaged or not	Inspect the cable for damage, and the cable sheath is damaged
7	Whether the timing belt is worn	Check the timing belt for wear, elongation, and breakage (Note 4)
8	Whether the timing belt is slack	Check the tension of the timing belt and adjust it. Specific consulting manufacturers
9	Grease state	Check the lubrication status
10	battery	Replace every 2 years
11	Check whether the limit blocks are damaged or loose	Check whether the limit block is loose, collision damage, etc.

Note 1:

**Check and Repair Points** 

Whether the bellows is severely worn.

Confirmation

- Check whether the wiring is worn out, and replace the internal wires if they can be seen.
- Circular connector: turn it by hand to see if it is loose.
- Grounding terminal: confirm whether it is loose.

Note 2:

Fastening part

- Tighten the end effector mounting bolts, manipulator fixing bolts, etc.
- The external connection screws of the manipulator, especially the connection screws of each shaft and the reducer.
- For tightening torque, please refer to the recommended values in the appendix of this manual.

Note 3:

About timing belt maintenance

- After disassembling the outer shell of the forearm, observe whether the timing belt is worn or damaged.
- Observe whether there is white hair inside the teeth of the timing belt, whether the belt side is worn, whether the belt teeth are crushed, whether the belt body is broken, whether the belt body is stretched (decreased preload), etc.

## 7.4. Regular maintenance

Regular maintenance for 960 h (3 months)

The following check and repair items shall be done for manipulator after the 960 h or 3 months (whichever comes first). As shown in Table 7-3.

Table 7-3 Maintenance	Items for 960 h	(3 months)
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No.	Check Item	Essentials
1	Cleaning of control cabinet vent	Remove the dust accumulated at control cabinet vent
2	Cleaning of manipulator	Wipe off the dirt and remove the accumulated splash, dust, chip, etc.

#### Regular maintenance for 1,920 h (6 months)

The following check and repair items shall be done for manipulator after the 1,920 h or 6 months (whichever comes first). As shown in Table 7-4.

#### Table 7-4 Maintenance Items for 1,920 h (6 months)

No.	Check Item	Essentials
1	Check whether the manipulator cable and cable sheath are damaged	Please consult our company.
2	Whether the timing belt is worn out.	Check the synchronous belt for wear, elongation and breakage

#### Regular maintenance for 3,840 h (1 year)

The following check and repair items shall be done for manipulator after the 3,840 h or 1 year (whichever comes first). As shown in Table 7-5:

Table 7-5 Maintenance Items for 3,840 h (1 year)

No.	Check Item	Essentials
1	Whether the manipulator cables and cable sheaths are damaged, and whether the motor connectors are loose.	Observe the active parts of the manipulator cables, check if the cables are damaged, if there is any local bending or twisting; check if the cable sheath is damaged; check if the motor connectors are loose (Note 1)
2	End effector installation screw	Check if the bolt is loose, and tighten it with a torque wrench (Note 2)
3	Various robotic arm locking bolts	Check if the bolt is loose, and tighten it with a torque wrench (Note 2)

No.	Check Item	Essentials	
4	Bolts for motors, reducers, etc.	Check if the bolt is loose, and tighten it with a torque wrench (Note 2)	
5	Cleaning manipulator parts	Clean and maintain all parts of the manipulator, and check if any parts are damaged (Note 3)	
6	Whether the cable is damaged	Check if the cable is damaged.	
7	Whether the synchronous belt is worn	Check if the synchronous belt is worn, stretched, or broken (Note 3)	
8	Whether the synchronous belt is loose.	elt is loose. Check the tension of the synchronous belt and adjust it Please consult the manufacturer for specific details.	
9	Grease condition	Check lubrication status	
10	Battery	Replace every 2 years	
11	Check if the limit blocks are damaged or loose.	Check if there is any looseness, collision damage, or other issues with the limit block.	

#### Regular maintenance for 7,860 h (2 years)

The following check and repair items shall be done for manipulator after the 7,860 h or 2 years (whichever comes first). As shown in Table 7-6:

Table 7-6 Maintenance Items for 7,860 h (2 years)

No.	Check Item	Essentials
1	Battery replacement	Please consult our company.

#### Regular maintenance for 11,520 h (3 years)

The following check and repair items shall be done for manipulator after the 11,520 h or 3 years (whichever comes first). As shown in Table 7-7:

Table 7-7 Maintenance Items for 11,520 h (3 years)

No.	Check Item	Essentials
1	Replacement of synchronous belt	Please consult our company.

#### Regular maintenance for 15,360 h (4 years)

The following check and repair items shall be done for manipulator after the 15,360 h or 4 years (whichever comes first). As shown in Table 7-8:

Table 7-8 Maintenance Items for 15,360 h (4 years)

No.	Check Item	Essentials
1	Replace the internal cables of manipulator	Replace the manipulator cable, please consult with us

#### Regular maintenance for 19,200 h (5 year)

The manipulator shall be overhauled with many parts replaced for 5 years or 192,000 h (whichever comes first). Please contact us. As shown in Table 7-9:

Table 7-9 Maintenance Items	for 19,200 h (5 years)
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No.	Check Item	Essentials
1	Manipulator overhaul	Please consult with us

# 7.5. Add lubricating grease

The ball screw spline needs regular lubrication with grease. Please make sure to use the specified grease, refer to Table 7-10.

Table 7-10 Manipulator lubricating grease injection maintenance project

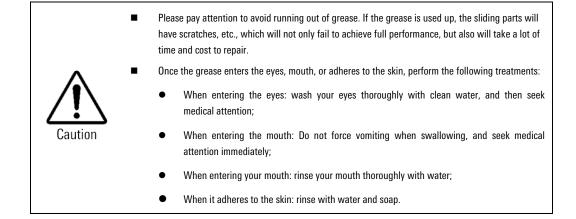
Lubrication component Lubrication interval		Grease
Lead screw key	6 months or 100km, whichever comes first	AFB-LF

Method of adding:

- Step1. Turn on the controller power and set it to the disable state.
- Step2. Hold down the brake button, push the 3-axis to the top of the stroke, release the brake button, and turn off the controller power.
- Step3. Clean the old grease on the axis with a rag, apply it directly with your hands, etc. to the extent that it completely covers the upper groove of the axis, and wipe off the excess grease.
- Step4. Turn on the power of the controller and set it to the enable state.
- Step5. Press and hold the brake button, push the 3-axis to the bottom of the stroke, release the brake button, and turn off the controller power.
- Step6. Use a rag to clean the old grease on the axis, apply it directly with your hands to completely cover the lower groove of the axis, and wipe off the excess grease.
- Step7. Turn on the power of the controller, enable the 3-axis to manually move up and down several times to make the grease fully contact, and then run the 3-axis single-axis reciprocating action to check whether the operation is normal.



When wiping excess grease from the upper part of the axis, turn off the power to the controller and remove the arm top cover.



# 8. Fault finding, diagnosis and repair

The malfunction of the manipulator is sometimes caused by multiple different reasons. It is often difficult to thoroughly investigate the cause. If the error handling method is adopted, the malfunction may be further deteriorated. Therefore, it is very important to analyze the malfunction in detail and find the real cause.

The possible faults and causes of the manipulator are shown in Table 8-1-Table 8-7. If you are not sure of the cause or how to deal with it, please contact our company.

Fault	Classification	Possible Causes	Treatment
	<ul> <li>When the manipulator operates, its base floats from the workshop pedestal</li> <li>There is a gap between the base and workshop pedestal</li> <li>The screws connecting the base and workshop pedestal are loose</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Fixation of Base:</li> <li>1The manipulator base is not firmly fixed on the workshop pedestal</li> <li>The base floats from the workshop pedestal and generates the vibration when the manipulator acts due to the screw looseness, insufficient flatness of base and the foreign objects.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>When the screw is loose, tighten it with the torque wrench according to the proper torque</li> <li>Trim the base flatness in accordance with the tolerance</li> <li>Check if the foreign matters are trapped, and if so, remove them</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>
Vibration Abnormal noise	Workshop pedestal vibrates when the manipulator acts	<ul> <li>Workshop Pedestal:</li> <li>Pedestal is not completely fixed on the foundation. Therefore, the workshop pedestal vibrates when the manipulator acts.</li> <li>The insufficient rigidity of workshop pedestal, and the reaction force and torque generated by the manipulator cause the deformation and vibration.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Completely fix the workshop pedestal according to the corresponding method</li> <li>Workshop pedestal shall be processed to improve its rigidity</li> <li>For the workshop pedestal with machining difficulty, the vibration may be mitigated through the modification of moving program</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>

Table 8-1 Possible faults and causes of manipulator

#### Table 8-2 Possible Faults and Causes of Manipulator

Fault	Classification	Possible Causes	Treatment
	<ul> <li>Vibration at a specific posture during the action</li> <li>No vibration at the slow action</li> <li>Obvious vibration during acceleration and deceleration</li> <li>Simultaneous vibration of multiple axes</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Load of manipulator exceeds the allowable value</li> <li>Action procedures are too strict on the manipulator</li> <li>Improper acceleration</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Confirm whether the manipulator load exceeds the allowable value, and reduce the load or change the action procedures</li> <li>Mitigate the specific vibrations by reducing speed, reducing acceleration and changing the action procedures</li> </ul>
Vibration Abnormal noise	<ul> <li>Collision or long-term overload operation of manipulator</li> <li>No replacement of lubricating grease for a long time</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mechanical transmission system is subjected to excessive external force due to collision or overload, causing the damage to the gear surface or rolling surface of the gear, bearing, reducer or the peeling due to fatigue</li> <li>The gear surfaces or rolling surfaces of gear, bearing and reducer are damaged due to the foreign matters trapped in the gear, bearing or reducer.</li> <li>The gear surfaces or rolling surfaces of gear, bearing and reducer peel off due to fatigue because of no replacement of lubricating grease for long term</li> <li>The above reasons may cause the periodic vibration or abnormal noise</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Make the manipulator operate uniaxially to confirm the Joint that produces the vibration and noise</li> <li>If you need to replace the gear, bearing and reducer, please contact us.</li> <li>Do not use the manipulator at overloaded status</li> <li>If you need to replace the lubricating grease, please contact us.</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>

#### Table 8-3 Possible Faults and Causes of Manipulator

Fault	Classification	Possible Causes	Treatment
Vibration Abnormal noise	Causes may not be determined mechanically	<ul> <li>Fault of the circuit inside the controller, failure of command to transmit to the motor, or the motor information not correctly transmitted to the controller</li> <li>Fault of pulse encoder and the position of motor not correctly transmitted to the controller</li> <li>Failure of motor body to perform its original functions</li> <li>Breakage of internal motor cable of manipulator causes the command not to be correctly transmitted to the motor and control system</li> <li>Voltage drop and no guarantee for the specified voltage</li> <li>Incorrect control parameters are input</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>For the fault of controller, see the controller manual</li> <li>Replace the motor of vibrating Joint to confirm whether it vibrates</li> <li>Check the cables of the manipulator body, between the manipulator body, between the manipulator body and control cabinet, and inside the controller for damage, and if so, replace the cable.</li> <li>Check whether the cable joint is in good contact. In case of the poor contact or looseness, re-tighten or take appropriate measures to ensure the good contact.</li> <li>Check whether the action control parameters are correct, and if not, re-enter the correct parameters.</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>
	The mechanical action near the manipulator is closely related to the vibration of robot.	<ul> <li>Mechanical electrical noise from the manipulator</li> <li>If the grounding wire is not connected properly, the electrical noise will mix into the grounding wire, causing the vibration of manipulator due to the interference with command</li> <li>Poor connection of grounding wire will lead to the unstable grounding, causing the vibration of manipulator due to electrical noise interference.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Connect the grounding wire properly to avoid the electrical noise mixed into the manipulator</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>

Table 8-4 Possible Faults and Causes of Manipulator
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Fault	Classification	Possible Causes	Treatment
Vibration Abnormal noise	<ul> <li>Abnormal noise after the replacement of lubricating grease</li> <li>Abnormal noise occurs during the operation of robot after a long-term shutdown</li> <li>Abnormal noise at low speed</li> </ul>	Abnormal noise from the manipulator at low speed immediately after the replacement or at the restart after the long-term shutdown.	Observe the operation of manipulator for 1-2 days. Usually the abnormal noise will disappear.
Shake of manipulator	<ul> <li>After power-off, some parts of manipulator may be shaken manually.</li> <li>There is a gap between the connecting surfaces of manipulator</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Manipulator bolts are loose</li> <li>Connecting bolts on the manipulator are loose due to the overload, collision, etc., thus resulting in the shake</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>For each Joint, check if the bolts at the following parts are loose. If so, tighten it with a torque wrench according to a suitable torque.</li> <li>Fixing bolts of motor</li> <li>Fixing bolts of motor</li> <li>Fixing bolts of output shaft of reducer</li> <li>Fixing bolts of pedestal</li> <li>Fixing bolts of shell</li> <li>Fixing bolts of shell</li> <li>Fixing bolts of end effector</li> </ul>
	Turn off the power of manipulator, and confirm that the screws are tightened, and shake the entire head of manipulator manually	Large backlash is resulted from the wear or damage of internal gears of manipulator due to the overload, collision, etc.	If you need to replace the internal gear, please consult with us

Table 8-5 Possible Faults and Causes of Manipulator
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Fault	Classification	Possible Causes	Treatment
	<ul> <li>Ambient temperature rise for installation of manipulator, and the overheating of motor</li> <li>Motor overheats after the cover plate is mounted on the motor</li> <li>Motor overheats after the action procedures of manipulator and load conditions are changed</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ambient temperature:</li> <li>Ambient temperature rise or the deterioration of heat dissipation of motor after the cover plate is installed</li> <li>Load Action:</li> <li>Current value of motor exceeds its rated value due to the load and operating procedures</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Decrease of ambient temperature may prevent the motor from overheating</li> <li>Improvement of ventilation conditions around the motor, i.e. the heat dissipation of motor, may effectively prevent the motor from overheating.</li> <li>A radiation shielding plate if there is a heat source around the motor may prevent the motor from overheating.</li> <li>Slowing down the action procedures and reducing the load may decrease the average current value of motor, thus preventing the motor from overheating.</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>
Motor overheating	Motor overheats after the action control parameters of manipulator are changed	Control Parameter: Improper input parameters will cause the incorrect acceleration and deceleration of robot, so that the average current value of increases.	<ul> <li>Enter the appropriate parameters according to the relevant instructions.</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>
	Motor overheats due to the causes other than above ones	<ul> <li>Mechanical Fault of Manipulator:</li> <li>Mechanical system fault of manipulator causes the overload of motor</li> <li>Motor fault:</li> <li>Brake fault causes the motor to always operate when the brake is applied, which causes the motor to withstand excessive load</li> <li>Failure of motor body to perform its functions causes the excessive current to flow through the motor</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Please rectify the mechanical fault by reference to the instructions of vibration, abnormal noise and looseness.</li> <li>Please confirm whether the brake is released when the motor is powered on.</li> <li>After the motor is replaced, the overheating of motor disappears. It is confirmed that the condition is abnormal.</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>

#### Table 8-6 Possible Faults and Causes of Manipulator

Fault	Classification	Possible Causes	Treatment
Leakage of lubricating grease	Lubricating grease leaks out from the mechanical part	<ul> <li>Poor Sealing:</li> <li>Crack of casting due to the excessive external force caused by the collision</li> <li>Damage of O-ring during the disassembly and reassembly</li> <li>Scratch of oil seal due to the dust intrusion</li> <li>Poor sealing between the cover plate and casting</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>In case of casting crack, etc., the sealant may be used to block the lubricating grease as an emergency measure, but in view of the further extension of crack, the part shall be replaced as soon as possible.</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>
Falling of manipulator Joint	<ul> <li>The brake is completely ineffective and the Joint falls quickly</li> <li>After the brake is contracted, the shaft falls slowly</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The damage of brake drive relay causes the brake to always be powered on and not to work.</li> <li>Wear and damage of brake body affect the braking effect.</li> <li>The lubricating oil and grease inside the motor cause the brake to slip.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Check if the brake drive relay is damaged, and if so, replace the relay</li> <li>In case of the wear of brake, the damage of brake body and the lubricating grease inside the motor, replace the motor.</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>

#### Table 8-7 Possible Faults and Causes of Manipulator

Fault	Classification	Possible Causes	Treatment
Position offset	<ul> <li>Manipulator deviates from the teaching position</li> <li>The repeated positioning accuracy of manipulator is greater than the allowed value</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mechanical Fault:</li> <li>The unstable repeated positioning accuracy may be caused by the mechanical system abnormality, screw looseness, etc.</li> <li>The repeated positioning accuracy keeps stable after the deviation; the joint surface of pedestal surface, Joint casting and reducer may slide due to the excessive load such as the collision.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>In case of the unstable repeated positioning accuracy, please rectify the mechanical fault by reference to the instructions for the vibration, abnormal noise and shaking.</li> <li>If the repeated positioning accuracy keeps stable, please modify the teaching program. If the</li> </ul>

Fault	Classification	Possible Causes	Treatment
		<ul> <li>Abnormality of motor encoder</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>collision does not occur again, the deviation may be avoided.</li> <li>In case of the abnormality of motor encoder, replace the motor or encoder.</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>
	Position only deviates from the specific peripheral equipment	Deviation of Peripheral Equipment The external equipment under the external force leads to the deviation relative to the manipulator	<ul> <li>Please relocate the peripheral equipment</li> <li>Please modify the teaching program</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>
	Deviation occurs after the modification of parameters	Parameters: The modification of calibration data causes the loss of manipulator origin	<ul> <li>Re-enter the previous correct calibration data</li> <li>In case of uncertain calibration data, please recalibrate the manipulator</li> <li>Please consult with us</li> </ul>

# Appendix A AIR12SC&AIR20SC type manipulator regular maintenance table

ltem		Maintena nce cycle	First Maintenance 320h	-		9 months 2,880h	1 year 3,840h	months	months	21 months 6,720h	years	27 months 8,640h		33 months 10,560h	3 vears		42 months 13,440h	45 months 14,400h	4 years 15,360h		months	57 months 18,240h	5 years 19,200h
1	Cleaning of manipulator	0.5h	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	Cleaning of control cabinet vent		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Wether the synchronous belt worn	0.5h	0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0
4	Check the manipulator cable for damage		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0
5	Check the manipulator cable sheath for damage	2h	0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0
6	Check the connecting cable of teach pendant, control cabinet and manipulator for damage		0				0				0				0				0				0

#### Appendix A Periodic Maintenance Schedule of AIR12SC&AIR20SC Manipulator

## Appendix A AIR12SC&AIR20SC type manipulator regular maintenance table

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ltem		Maintena nce cycle	First Maintenance 320h	months	9 months 2,880h	2 0/0h	15 months 4,800h	months	21 months 6,720h	2 years 7,680h	months	30 months 9,600h	33 months 10,560h	3 years	39 months 12,480h	months	months	4 years 15,360h	months		5 years 19,200h
7	Check the connectors of motor, etc. for looseness	0.2h	0			0				0				0				0			0
8	Tighten the end effector screws	0.2h	0			0				0				0				0			0
9	Tighten the external main screws	1h	0			0				0				0				0			0
10	Check the end effector cable for damage	0.2h	0			0				0				0				0			0
11	Check the limit rubber block for damage	0.1h	0			0				0				0				0			0
12	Replacement of Synchronous Belt	1h				0				0				0				0			0
13	Battery Replacement	0.5h								0								0			
14	Replace the internal cables of manipulator	8h																0			
15	Manipulator overhaul														_					_	0

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Note: O indicates th	at maintena	nce is required																	

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# Appendix B Table of screw strength and tightening torque (Nm)

Performance level			
Thread specification	8.8 level	10.9 level	12.9 level
M2	0.35	0.48	0.56
M2.5	0.68	0.93	1.1
M3	1.2	1.6	2
M4	2.8	3.7	4.4
M5	5.6	7.5	9
M6	9.5	12.5	15
M8	23	31	36
M10	45	60	70
M12	78	104	125
M14	113	165	195
M16	195	250	305
M20	370	500	600

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Appendix D Table 01 30	Grew Sublight and hymening lorque (with)	

<b>i</b> Prompt	<ul> <li>All screws must be tightened with proper torque.</li> </ul>
	Except for the torque specified in the text, the corresponding tightening torque shall be selected according to the screw performance level.
	Remove foreign matters in screws and threaded holes.
	Torque for lightly lubricated screws.
	Screws shall be tightened evenly and symmetrically.
	According to the installation requirements of the reducer and other moving parts, apply thread adhesive to the engagement part of some screws.







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