

SOFT STARTERS



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ADXL Series



SIMPLE, EFFICIENT AND SAFE
MOTOR CONTROL

Simplicity |

The ADXL series of soft starters is equipped with a **backlit LCD icon display** and **NFC connectivity** for quick and easy configuration, even from smartphones and tablets. ADXL soft starters are ideal for simple “**plug and play**” applications thanks to their installation wizard and also for applications that demand **high-performance** in terms of control and protection during motor startup and operation.



Efficiency |

Two-phase control during motor starting and stopping combined with torque control during operation **reduce thermal power dissipation**. After startup, the soft starter's internal bypass contacts close to **minimise energy consumption**.

Safety |

ADXL soft starters have integrated functions to protect the motor and the starter itself. They are also able to **monitor motor temperature** and their own internal temperature, in order to protect their SCR devices against overtemperature.

Motor overtemperature protection can also be provided through an external PTC temperature sensor.

1 FUNCTIONALITY

TORQUE CONTROL

Soft starters in the two-phase control range include a torque control function. This solution permits gradual acceleration and deceleration, with a significant reduction in wear and failures in power transmission devices.

KICK START

This function allows motors to be started when initial torque is insufficient to overcome friction. The function delivers high torque only during the very first moments of the startup.

EMERGENCY START

In conditions where motor operation has priority over motor or starter failure, a starter input can be provided to override all the protections/alarm that would otherwise prevent motor startup.

DEFAULT SETUP FOR FIRE FIGHTING PUMPS

A "fire fighting pump" application can be selected from the setup wizard. This parameter setup is optimised for starting fire fighting pumps and overrides alarms and protections. In fire fighting applications, the main priority is to get the pump running, without considering the possible consequences for starter and motor.

PROTECTIONS

- motor: thermal protection, PTC protection, locked rotor, current asymmetry, startup time-out, minimum torque and motor not connected
- auxiliary power supply: voltage too low or transient power-outages longer than permitted limit
- power supply: no power supply, phase missing, wrong phase sequence and frequency out of range
- soft starter: overtemperature, overcurrent, SCR fault, bypass relay fault, temperature sensor fault and fan fault.

MAINTENANCE COUNTERS

ADXL soft starters have two separate counters for counting the number of startups and the hours of motor operation. A threshold can be set for hours of operation and a dedicated service alarm triggered when this threshold is exceeded.

THERMOSTAT FAN

Thermostat fans are available as accessories for sizes from 18 to 115A and are built-in on larger sizes. The fan is only activated when necessary in order to increase its working life. ADXL soft starters can also monitor fan operating conditions and signal blockages or faults through two specific alarms.

DISPLAYED MEASUREMENTS

Maximum current, L1 current, L2 current, L3 current, torque, average line voltage, total active power, total PF, motor temperature, starter temperature, energy, motor hour counter, startup counter, input/output state.



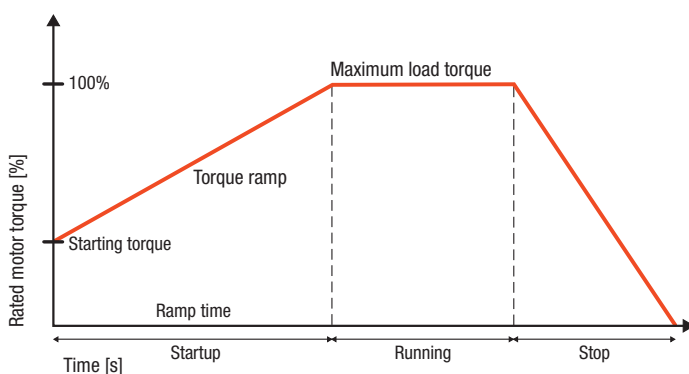
INPUTS, OUTPUTS AND PROGRAMMABLE LIMITS

Input and output functions are preconfigured with the most frequently used settings. Users can nevertheless easily modify default configurations to adapt the soft starter to the requirements of their own application. All inputs and outputs can be configured. On all sizes available it is also possible to define programmable limit thresholds and connect them to a relay or alarm.

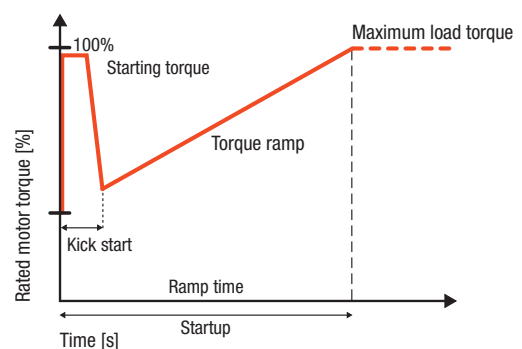
DIN RAIL MOUNTING

The EXP80 03 accessory is available for sizes from 18 to 115A to mount the soft starter on a 35mm DIN rail.

Torque control



Kick start



2 USER INTERFACE

■ AUTO SETUP

On power-up, the soft starter launches a wizard to simplify setup. Users can configure the soft starter in 4 simple steps:

- **language:** users can choose their preferred language for text display. Available languages are: English, Italian, French, Spanish, Portuguese and German;
- **motor current size:** nominal motor current can be set between 50 and 100% of the soft starter size;
- **application type:** default configurations are provided for most common applications: centrifugal pump, fire fighting pump, conveyor belt, fan, mixer and generic. If users select a default configuration, the soft starter automatically updates its parameter settings to suit the chosen application;
- **starter duty:** depending on motor load, the same application can be standard or heavy duty. ADXL soft starters automatically adapt to motor starts and stops at 3 duty levels (standard, heavy and light) and adjust the relevant parameters according to user choices.

Expert users can also customise settings using the complete parameter menu.

■ USER INTERFACE

A specially designed backlit icon display presents data to the user in a clear and immediate way:

- alarm messages in 6 languages (ENG-ITA-FRA-SPA-POR-DEU);
- 6 icons for default setups: centrifugal pump, fire fighting pump, conveyor, fan, mixer and generic;
- two graphic bars show motor temperature and soft starter thyristor temperature;
- two alphanumeric sections display messages and measurements;
- a status bar shows soft starter status: start, bypass, stop, alarm, etc..



■ PASSWORD

Access to soft starter parameters can be protected by user customisable passwords. There are two access levels: basic and advanced. Serial communication can also be locked using a remote control password.

■ RS485 COMMUNICATION AND REMOTE DISPLAY UNIT

All ADXL series soft starters are equipped with a slot for an EXC 1042 MiniCard expansion for RS485 communication.

The RS485 port can be used to connect the EXC RDU1 remote display unit for the programming, command and to display measurements on a control panel door.



Remote display unit
(IP65)



Communication card
RS485



Soft starters

3 AUTO SETUP

ADXL FROM POWER-UP TO START-UP IN 4

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Language

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Rated motor current



P EASY STEPS

3

Type of
application

4

Duty
of startup

PROGRAMMING

ADXL series soft starters are equipped with NFC technology to simplify the parameter setting procedure. Using a compatible smartphone or tablet and the LOVATO **NFC** App, users can download, save and edit parameters even with the soft starter switched off. The front of the soft starter incorporates an optical port compatible with CX01 dongle, for connection to a PC via USB to the **Xpress** software, and with CX02 dongle for Wi-Fi connection to a PC with **Xpress** software or to a smartphone or tablet with the App **Sami1**.

NFC

APP for smartphone and tablet

Using LOVATO's **NFC** App users can program parameters and save settings into their smartphones or tablets. Available only for Android devices.

Sami1

APP for smartphone and tablet

The **Sami1** App allows users to configure the parameters of the soft starters, view alarms, send commands, read measurements, download events and send collected data via e-mail. Connection to the CX 02 dongle installed on the ADXL is by Wi-Fi from a smartphone or tablet. The App is compatible with iOS and Android.

MONITORING AND REMOTE CONTROL

Thanks to the optional RS485 communication card EXC 1042, compatibility with supervision and energy management

Synergy software and **Xpress** configuration and remote control software, users can keep all soft starter values under constant control and edit setup parameters too.

Xpress software allows the soft starter to be configured rapidly from a PC, avoiding possible parameter programming errors. The parameter settings of ADXL soft starters can also be saved to PC and quickly uploaded to another device that needs the same settings.

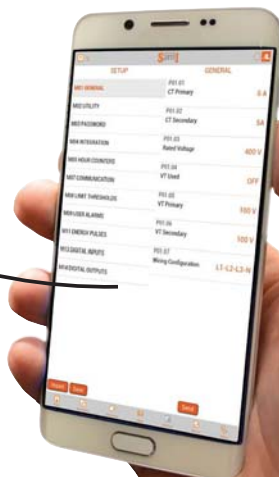
The following operations are possible:

- graphic and numerical display of soft starter measurements and states
- access to all set-up parameters
- saving / uploading of parameters
- display of live trend
- send commands to the soft starter
- download the event list
- resetting to default values.

Synergy software allows soft starters to be remotely controlled and monitored.

The software's organisation and functions are based on SQL relational databases, and data can be consulted using most popular browsers.

The system is highly versatile and simultaneously accessible to a large number of users via an intranet, VPN or the Internet.



CHARACTERISTICS



General characteristics

- backlit LCD display
- texts available in 6 languages (ENG-ITA-FR-ES-POR-DE)
- IEC rated starter current I_e from 18 to 320A
- IEC rated motor power 11...200kW (500VAC)
- torque and voltage ramp startup
- kick start
- maximum starting current
- free wheel or controlled stop
- sequential startup of up to 4 motors
- built-in bypass relay
- optical port for programming, data downloads and diagnostics through **Xpress** software and **Sami1** App
- NFC technology for parameter programming through **NFC** App
- RS485 communication with optional card (EXC 1042), Modbus protocol
- **Synergy** supervision and remote control software.

Operational characteristics

- two phase control
- input voltage: 208...600VAC $\pm 10\%$
- network frequency: 50/60 Hz $\pm 10\%$ self-configurable
- 100...240VAC auxiliary power supply
- signalling LED: power supply within limits, signalling of startup or bypass phase, alarm
- three programmable outputs 1 changeover contact, 2 normally open contacts
- two programmable digital inputs
- one programmable digital input, that can also be used as a PTC input.

Certification and conformity

Certifications obtained:

cULus, EAC, RCM.

Compliant with standards:

IEC/EN 60947-1, IEC/EN 60947-4-2, UL508, CSA C22.2 n° 14.



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