



Linear Actuator jrk Motor Controller(pololu)

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Product



Glideforce LACT12P-12V-05 Light-Duty Linear Actuator with

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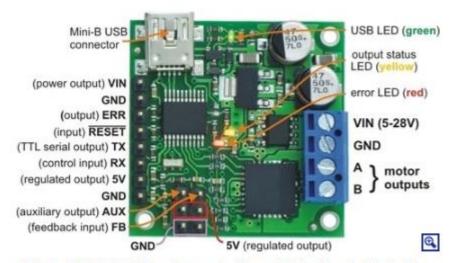


Connecting a linear actuator with feedback to a jrk 21v3 motor controller.



Pololu jrk 21v3 and 12v12 USB motor controllers with feedback.

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Pololu jrk 21v3 USB motor controller with feedback, labeled top view.

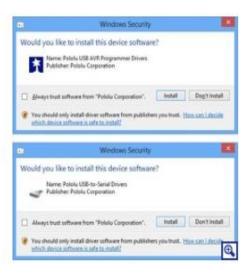


jrk software install



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- 1. Download the jrk drivers and configuration software (5MB zip)
- Open the ZIP archive and run setup.exe. If the installer fails, you may have to extract all the files to a temporary directory, right click setup.exe, and select "Run as administrator". The installer will guide you through the steps required to install the Pololu Jrk Configuration Utility, the jrk command-line utility (JrkCmd), and the jrk drivers on your computer.
- During the installation, Windows will ask you if you want to install the drivers. Click "Install" (Windows 10, 8, 7, and Vista) or "Continue Anyway" (Windows XP).







jrk Configuration utility initialize



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jrk configuration utility Program Setup

- 1. If you have not already, read through the Jrk G2 Motor Controllers User's Guide and download its drivers and configuration software.
- 2. Before connecting power and your actuator to your Jrk, confirm that it is working by connecting your Jrk to a PC with a USB cable and launch the configuration utility. The red LED should be on, and the green LED should be flickering quickly.
- 3. Download the appropriate settings file for your linear actuator:
 - for versions with the **5:1** gear ratio: <u>Jrk 21v3 settings file for use with LACTxP-12V-5</u> (2k txt)
- Setup file

• for versions with 10:1 or 20:1 gear ratios: <u>Jrk 21v3 settings file for use with LACTxP-12V-10 or LACTxP-12V-20</u> (2k txt)



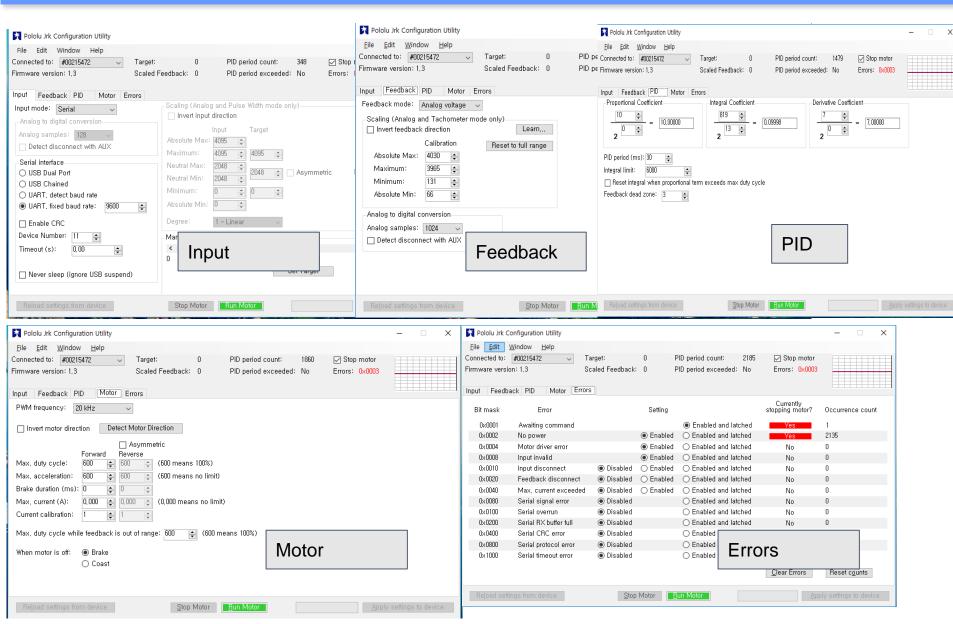
Note: These same settings files will work also with the Jrk G2 24v13 if you open them with a text editor and change the "product" field near the top from "21v3" to "24v13".

- 4. In the configuration utility, choose File → Open settings file (Ctrl + O), and navigate to the location of the settings file you downloaded in step 3.
- 5. Click on the PID tab of the configuration utility and verify that the proportional and derivative coefficients are not zero. If they are zero, the settings file was probably not loaded properly and you should try performing the previous step again.
- 6. Click "Apply settings".
- 7. With your power supply off and USB disconnected, connect your linear actuator to your Jrk using the connections shown in the picture above.
- 8. Turn on power, plug in USB, and reconnect to the configuration utility (use the "Connected to" drop down box if the configuration utility doesn't automatically reconnect to your Jrk).
- 9. On the Status tab, move the slider around to change the target position and get your actuator to move the target position.
- 10. The settings in these files should work fairly well with any length Glideforce light-duty actuator that has a feedback potentiometer (model LACTxP-12V). However, to ensure you can control your actuator across its full stroke, you should recalibrate the feedback. Instructions for doing this can be found in the <u>analog feedback section of the Jrk G2 User's Guide</u>.



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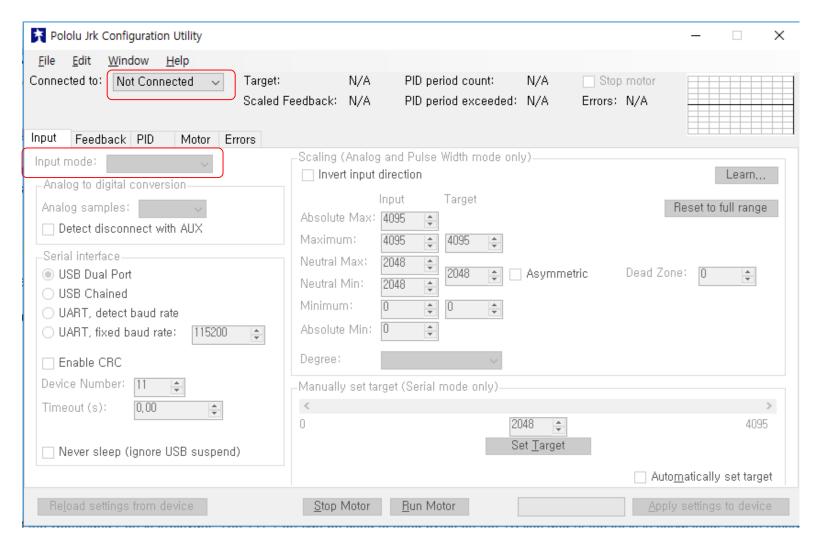








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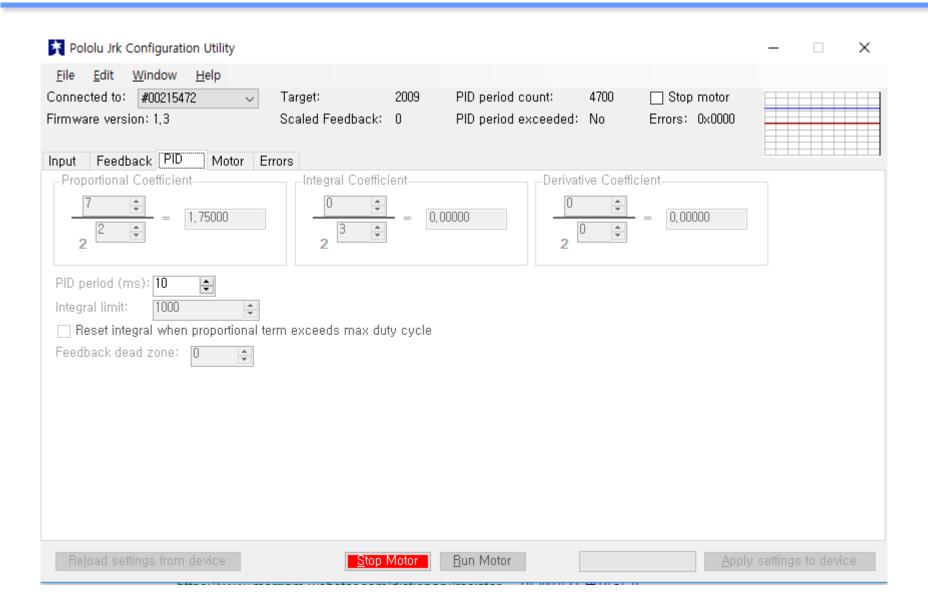




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