

Operating instructions

FC2000 Vibration Controller



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1 General information

1.1 Information on operating instructions / Legal note

About this operating manual

In this operating manual you will find all of the important information on installation, connection, setting, and operation of your FC2000 device.

It also provides information and important instructions for your safety.

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1.2 Symbols and signs

1.2.1 Warning signs

Sign	Meaning and consequences of disregarding	Measures for avoidance or reduction of danger
<u>^</u>	Warning: Danger area	 Select and deploy suitable personal or technical protective equipment Only qualified specialists are permitted to carry out work see chapter Qualification of personnel
A	Warning: Electrical hazard Failure to observe this sign can result in death, serious injury, or damage to property.	 Select and deploy suitable personal or technical protective equipment Only qualified specialists are permitted to carry out work see chapter Qualification of personnel

1.2.2 Additional symbols and signs

Sign	Meaning	Measures for avoidance or reduction of danger
	Disconnect before maintenance or repair Switch off the power and secure to prevent switching back on.	 Select and deploy suitable personal or technical protective equipment Only qualified specialists are permitted to carry out work see chapter Qualification of personnel
i	Useful tips and information	
	Important information	

2 Safety

2.1 Qualification of personnel

This descriptive document contains the information required for the proper use of the FC2000. It is intended to be read by technically qualified personnel.

Qualified personnel are persons who, on the basis of their education, experience and training, and their knowledge of the relevant standards, provisions, accident safety regulations and operating conditions, are authorised by those responsible for the safety of the equipment, to carry out any necessary tasks, and in doing so are able to identify and avoid any possible dangers.

(Definition of specialist personnel as per IEC 364)

The operating company is responsible for the training of the operating personnel. Each employee responsible for the installation, commissioning, maintenance, operation of the FC2000 must have read this manual carefully beforehand and understood it. The operating company is recommended to impress the following points upon its personnel prior to the commissioning:

- Knowledge of the content of the operating instructions
- Knowledge of the safety and operating regulations cited within these
- Knowledge of the legal accident prevention regulations

We recommend having training confirmed in writing.

2.2 Safety instructions

The following safety instructions are for your protection, and the protection of third parties and the device itself. You are therefore requested to observe them without exception:



Hazard due to dangerous voltage. Failure to observe this sign can result in death, serious injury, or damage to property

- Disconnect the unit from the supply voltage before assembly or disassembly work as well as when changing fuses or making structural changes.
- Please refer to the relevant accident prevention and work safety regulations for your particular application.
- Before commissioning, check that the rated voltage of the device matches the rated voltage available locally.
- The electrical connections must be covered!
- Check the protective earth connections are in proper working order after installation!
- Before commissioning, check that the solenoid and its core on the connected vibration feeder are earthed.



> Hazard due to improper use

- Always store the FC 2000 in a dry and clean storage place. The storage temperature should be between +5°C and +70°C.
- This should be observed in order to ensure compliance with proper use.
- Check the equipment immediately for any damaged packaging or transport damage.
 Damaged equipment must not be put into operation. Please inform the supplier immediately of any damage.
- During welding work on the machinery, all poles of the FC2000 must be disconnected from the mains and the connected vibration feeder.

3 The product – FC2000

Unauthorised conversion and/or modification of the device is not permissible for safety and approval reasons (CE).

The device complies with the valid version of the Low-Voltage and EMC Directives.

3.1 Proper use

The device described here is a piece of electrical equipment for use in industrial machinery. It is designed for controlling vibration feeders. Any other use is not proper use and can result in injury to personnel and damage to property.

(you can find further information on this topic in the chapter *Safety instructions*).

For use in industrial machinery NFPA 79 applications only.

(you can find further information on this topic in the chapter *UL Approbation*).

3.2 Product specifications

- Frequency converter with output voltage stabilisation
- Mains frequency-independent, adjustable output frequency
- Adjustable at mains voltages of 95 250 V~ 50 or 60Hz
- Umin and Umax limit for the output voltage can be adjusted separately and independently

from one-another

- Adjustable current limit for maximum solenoid current
- Soft start and soft stop adjustable individually
- Analogue setpoint setting
- Revert to factory settings
- Selectable vibration frequency
- Switchable by the control signal from a PLC, a sensor or potential-free contact
- Temperature monitoring of the power output stage
- All values display in original units V~; A~; T°C;Hz; V-; mA-; time s

3.3 Technical data

Mains connection, wide ranges	95V-250V AC Range: 95-130V~ // 195-250V~	
Mains frequency	50Hz or 60Hz	
Output voltage ranges	Automatic switchover of output ranges between 1 - 230V~ (at 50Hz) and 1 - 115V~ (60Hz)	
Variable output frequency	5 - 200 Hz (electrical frequency) This corresponds to the mechanical vibration frequency 8- 400Hz shown on the display	
Output current	0.1 - 6A~	
Protection type	IP 54 for suspended installation (threaded connections pointing towards the ground) UL Enclosure type 1	
Fuse	6.3 AF	
Mechanical mains connection	4-pin connector in the axial sleeve housing	
Vibration feeder connection	4-pin socket in the axial sleeve housing	
Inputs E1, E2	+24V= / max. 50mA / PNP switching level HI: 6 - 24V=- Switching level LO: 0 - 4V=	
Transistor output	24V= / 100mA	
Output stabilisation	Max. change in voltage of 1V~	
Enclosure	Aluminium baseplate, -Extruded profile and -Front cover	
Dimensions	200 x 100 x 134mm	
Operating temperature	0 to 40°C	
Storage temperature	-10 to +80°C	
Installation altitude	1000m 0.5% rated current reduction for each additional 100m	

4 Installation

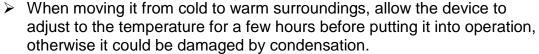
If the FC2000 is supplied loose, the device must be mounted before commissioning, using the fastening holes provided. Two holes and two elongated holes are accessible from the outside for securing the device. They are separate from the inside of the enclosure. The device should be mounted to a level surface, free from vibration.

Fastening holes 4 x ø5mm





- When choosing the mounting position, please note that the distance between the FC2000 and the vibration feeder must not exceed 10 metres.
- The device must not come into direct contact with water





- ➤ Do not install the FC2000 in the vicinity of devices which generate strong electromagnetic fields. This could interfere with the proper functioning of the device.
- Also avoid environments subject to extreme heat or cold or damp.

5 Electrical connection



All connections may only be made by qualified specialists.
 See chapter Qualification of personnel
 The device must be earthed



> Disconnect the device from the power supply before starting work



Before connecting the device, establish the mains voltage
 and frequency. This data must be within the range of permissible values stated for the device.

5.1 Connections on the enclosure



5.1.1 Control

To switch the vibration feeder connected to the FC2000 on and off, the control signals (X4 / X5 connector) must be used. Neither the mains voltage nor the output circuit of the FC2000 may be used for this purpose.

The control inputs enable the device to be switched remotely by another system (PLC, initiator, sensors, etc.). The FC2000 offers a dedicated supply voltage of +24V DC for this. Switch-on or switch-off with an external voltage of +24V DC is also possible



> Do not use the mains voltage or the output circuit for operational switching of the FC2000; this could damage the device.

5.1.2 Description of the connections

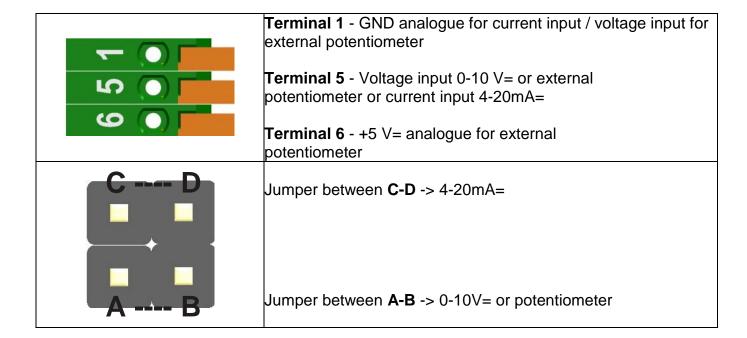
All connectors are located on the bottom of the FC2000.

Pin 2 - N Pin 3 - Not Connected Pin 4 - PE	max. 2.5mm²
Pin 4 - PE	
Pin 1 - Load	Cable section
Pin 2 - Load	max. 2.5mm²,
Pin 3 - Not Connected	shielded version
Pin 4 - PE	
	Connector type:
	M12 5 pin B-coded, socket
Pin 1 - +24V=	The +24V= supply (GND digital) is
	electrically isolated from the 230V~
	and +5V= (GND analogue) side of
Pin 4 - Reset	the processor!
	Connector type:
	M12 5 pin B-coded, connector
Pin 1 - Relay contact 11	Contact load max. 24V DC / 0.5A
	Connector type:
Pin 4 - Relay contact 14	M12 5 pin B-coded, connector
See chapter Analogue set-	M12 dummy plug
point setting	
Reserve	M16 dummy plug
	Pin 2 - Load Pin 3 - Not Connected Pin 4 - PE Pin 1 - +24V= Pin 2 - Enable Pin 3 - GND digital Pin 4 - Reset Pin 1 - Relay contact 11 Pin 2 - Relay contact 12 Pin 3 - Not Connected Pin 4 - Relay contact 14 See chapter Analogue set- point setting

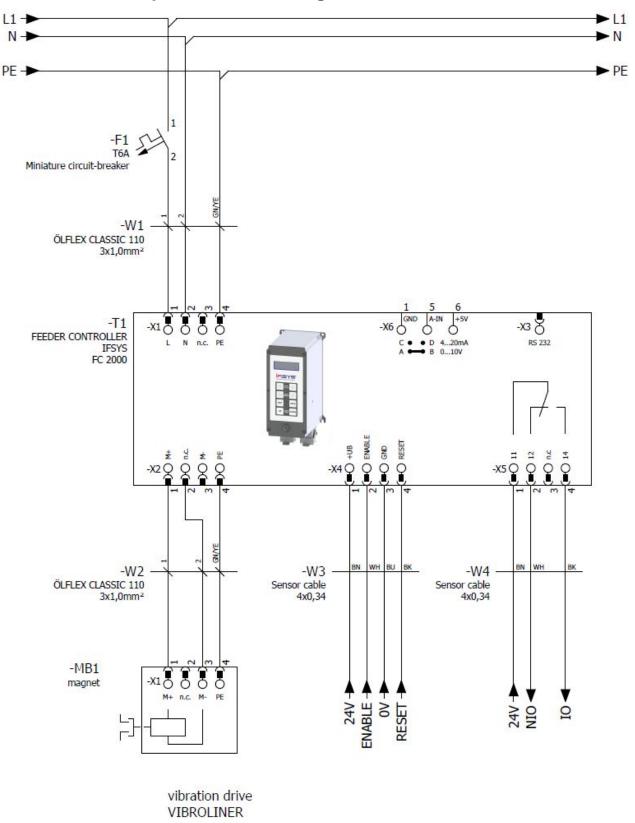
5.1.3 Analogue setpoint setting for vibration amplitude

The conveying speed (vibration amplitude) can be set if necessary via an analogue input. To do so, open the front cover to get to the connection terminals on the control board mounted on the inside of the cover. See chapter *Opening the cover*.

Open the dummy plug labelled as X6 and replace it with a suitable threaded connection. Right next to the connection terminal is a jumper, which must be used to select the current or voltage input. In addition, the corresponding settings must be configured in the menu Level 0 & 1.



5.2 Example connection diagram





> Cable types vary according to application (see chapter *UL approbation*)

6 Operation

The FC2000 only displays the correct function if it is installed and operated in the correct manner.

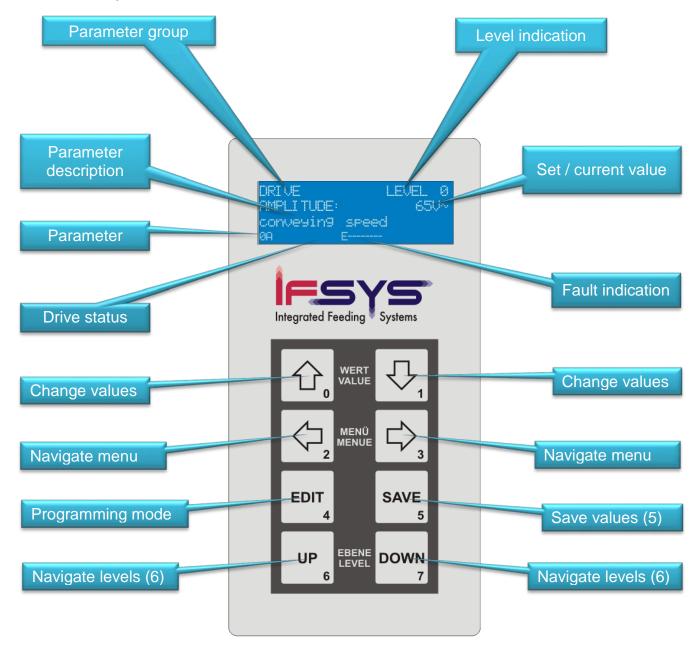
In case of malfunctions or unclear operating statuses, check the device and rectify the malfunction (see chapter *Troubleshooting*) or have it rectified by a third party.

To avoid the risk of injury, never allow untrained personnel or other vulnerable or at-risk persons to operate the device unsupervised.

6.1 Controls and display

The device is operated and settings are configured using 8 keys which, along with a plain text LCD display, can be found on a control panel on the cover.

All operating mode settings as well as the customisable parameters can be configured on this control panel.



6.2 Operating philosophy

The parameters are configured using the keypad and the plain text LCD display. The following chapter details the *structure of the menus*.

Briefly pressing the arrow keys **0** (increase/change) and **1** (reduce/change) increases/reduces or changes the value in the selected screen/parameter by one position (whole number, tenth, or mode). Pressing and holding the keys runs through the value rapidly; after about 1 second, they run through the values at double speed.

Briefly pressing the arrow keys **2** (move right) and **3** (move left) switches from one screen/parameter to the next. Pressing and holding the keys displays the screens/parameters in a continuous sequence.

Briefly pressing the arrow keys **6** (increase) and **7** (reduce) switches from one level to the other. Pressing and holding the keys displays the levels in a continuous sequence.

Pressing the key **4 (Edit)** switches to **Programming mode**. P appears next to the parameter names in the last line of the display.

It is now possible to change the values with the keys 0 and 1.

Changed values must be saved by pressing the key 5 (Save).

The indication SAVE appears briefly on the display as feedback that the value has been changed.

To change the extended menu items/parameters of Level 1, the code for Password Level 1 must be entered. (See chapter *Entering the password level*)



60 seconds after the last key press (time out), and unless key 5 (Save) is pressed, changes are discarded. The values that were saved before the switch to programming mode are restored.

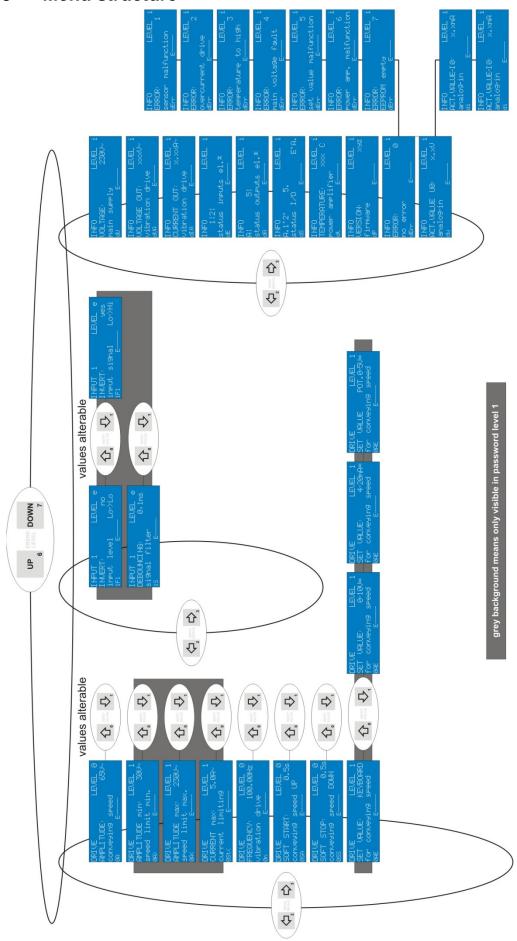
The exiting of programming mode due to a time out is indicated by the "P" on the display flashing three times.

6.2.1 Shortcuts

The FC2000 has some different key combination commands.

MENÜ MENÜ 3	Pressing keys 2 and 3 at the same time navigates straight to the home screen with the vibration amplitude (conveying speed).
EDIT SAVE 5	Pressing keys 4 and 5 at the same time displays the firmware version on the display.
UP EBENE DOWN 7	With keys 6 and 7 you can switch the drive on and off. (See chapter <i>Drive manual mode</i>)

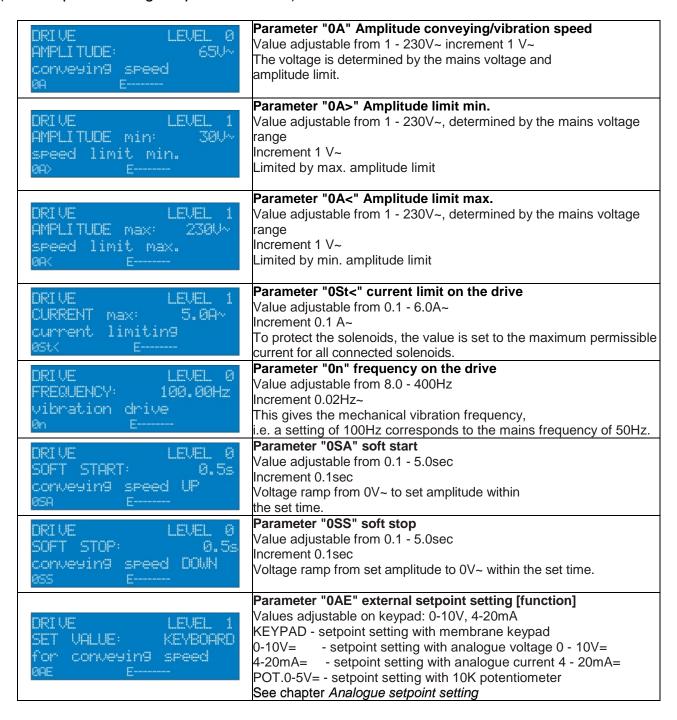
6.3 Menu structure



6.4 Scope of the Level 0 & 1 menus

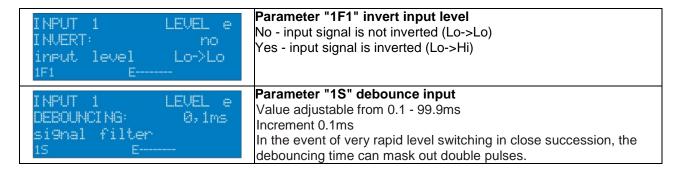
After the power is turned on, the home screen with the vibration amplitude (conveying speed) is shown on the display.

The parameters of Level 1 are only visible by entering the code for Password Level 1! (See chapter *Entering the password level*)



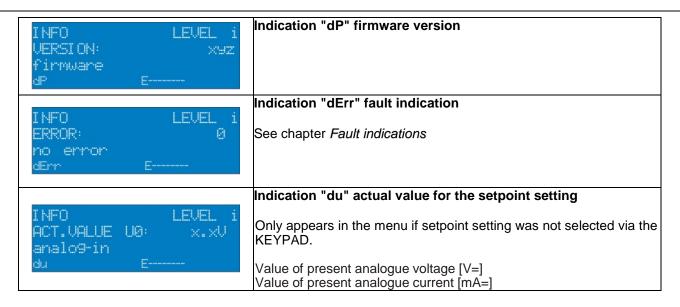
6.5 Scope of the Level e menus

The parameters of Level e are only visible by entering the code for Password Level 1! (See chapter *Entering the password level*)



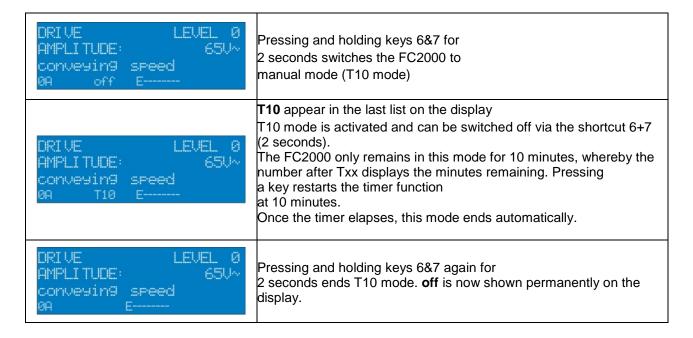
6.6 Scope of the Level i menus

INFO LEVEL i VOLTAGE: 230V~ main supply dV E	Indication "dU" mains voltage The present mains voltage is displayed
INFO LEVEL i	Indication "dIA" voltage at the output (drive)
VOLTAGE OUT: xxxV~ vibration drive dVA E	The output voltage currently set on the drive (solenoid) is displayed
INFO LEVEL i	Indication "dIA" current at the output (drive)
CURRENT OUT: X.XXA~ vibration drive dIA E	The presently flowing solenoid current is displayed
INFO LEVEL i	Indication "dE" status of the inputs
1:2: status inputs el.* dE E	Vibration feeder input on Reset fault input
INFO LEVEL i	Indication "dA" status of the outputs
Al 51	A: Drive (vibration feeder) output 5: Ready for operation output
status outputs el.* dA E	J. Ready for operation output
INFO LEVEL i A.1'2' 5. status I/O E'A. ds E	Indication "dS" status of the inputs/outputs
INFO LEVEL i	Indication "dt" temperature of the output stage
TEMPERATURE: xxx C power amplifier dt E	Thee temperature at the power output stage is displayed. Values up to 110°C are permitted



6.7 Drive manual mode

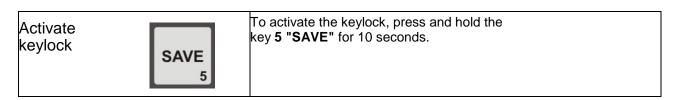
To set up the vibration drive, it can be switched on without approval from an external controller by pressing a key combination. This function is time-limited. This mode is known as T10 mode.

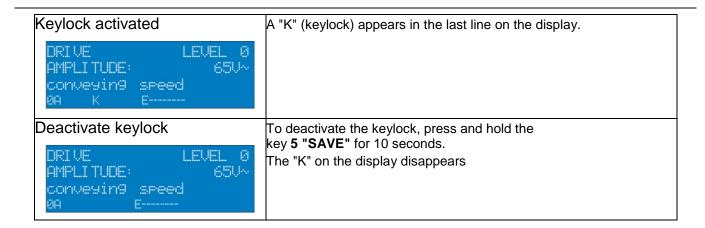


6.8 Keylock

The keys on the FC2000 can be protected against unintended actuation by means of a keylock. The lock can be activated and deactivated from any point in the menu.

The keylock **cannot** be activated while the FC2000 is in programming mode.







- The keylock cannot be activated in programming mode.
- > The menu can be navigated even with the keylock enabled. However, it is not possible to change any of the values

6.9 Password Level 1

Some menu items are only made visible by entering the password for Level 1. To do so, proceed as follows:

EDIT SAVE 5	Press and hold the programming key 4 (Edit) for about 2 seconds.
ORIVE LEVEL 0	The following appears on the display: Enter CODE:
INPUT CODE: conveyin9 speed 0A P E	The "P" also appears in the last line of the display, next to the parameter
WERT VALUE 1	The access code is: 000 Enter the code by pressing key 0 three times. On the display, a dash appears next to "Enter CODE" for each key press. Confirm the code by pressing key 5 (Save)
	Now you can navigate the menu as normal. The associated parameters will appear in the menu at the appropriate places, and their values can be changed.
Exit password level	To exit the password level again, simply press key 4 (Edit) . The "P" goes out in the last line on the display and the parameters of Level 1 are hidden again.



➤ If no button is pressed for 60 seconds, the password level is exited automatically.

7 Troubleshooting / Fault rectification



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 Danger due to tampering.
 Do not tamper with the device. Otherwise this can lead to malfunctions and defects with the device.



> In an unfavourable electromagnetic environment, faults are possible.

7.1 Fault indications

Fault indication	Description of problem	Possible cause(s) / Remedy
INFO LEVEL i ERROR: 1 sensor malfunction dErr E	This fault message does not exist for this model of the device.	
Fault message 1 "Sensor defective"		
overcurrent drive dErr E	Overload shutdown due to exceeding of the output power of the output stage.	 Check the air gap at the solenoid of the vibration feeder; the gap may be too large Check the frequency setting, the value may be too high
Fault message 2 "Drive overcurrent"		,
INFO LEVEL i ERROR: 3 temperature to high dErr E	The temperature of the output stage has exceeded the limit value.	Switch off the device. Contact the Service department.
Fault message 3 "Temperature too high"		
INFO LEVEL i ERROR: 4 main voltage fault dErr E	The mains voltage is outside of the standard voltage ranges	> 90-130V~ 190-250V~
Fault message 4 "Incorrect mains voltage"		
INFO LEVEL i ERROR: 5 set value malfunction dErr E	Analogue control setpoint cannot be reached.	Have the analogue signal checked by qualified specialists
Fault message 5 "Setpoint defective"		

INFO LEVEL i ERROR: 6 POWER AMP. Malfunction dErr E Fault message 6 "Output stage defective"		>	Device defective, must be replaced. Contact the Service department.
INFO LEVEL i ERROR: 7 EEPROM empty dErr E Fault message 7 "EEPROM empty"	Data loss occurred in the EEPROM.	A	Device defective, must be replaced. Contact the Service department.

7.2 Faults with no indication

Problem / Fault	Possible cause(s)	Remedy
FC2000 not	Power failure or defective	➤ Check the fuses. (F6.3A)
working	fuse	Have the mains voltage at the
	 The 230V mains voltage is 	input of the FC2000 checked by
	not present.	qualified specialists
		➤ Have the device
	 The device is defective. 	checked by qualified specialists.
		Check that the setting for the
		control input is correct
\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	Control input inverted	
Vibration feeder	Incorrect vibration	► Have qualified specialists compare
not working	frequency set	the vibration frequency against the data for the
		vibrating solenoid.
	 Incorrect mains frequency 	 Have qualified specialists compare
	incorrect mains frequency	the mains frequency against the
		data for the vibrating solenoid.
		Check the Umax setting.
	 Umax too low 	
Vibration feeder	Umax too high	Check the Umax setting.
vibrating too strongly,		Have qualified specialists compare
solenoid knocking		the vibration frequency against the
	 Incorrect vibration 	data for the
	frequency set	vibrating solenoid.
Solenoid gets hot	 Solenoid being operated 	➤ Have the voltage
	above the permissible	checked by qualified specialists.
	voltage	➤ Have the frequency
		checked by qualified specialists.
	Solenoid being operated shave the permissible	
	above the permissible	
Control input not	frequencyControl voltage is in the	> Have the voltage checked by
working	incorrect range	qualified specialists.
working	incorrect range	Check the setting.
	 Control input deactivated 	

7.3 Opening the cover of the enclosure



Danger due to electrical voltage
 see chapter Qualification of personnel



> Risk of trapping when bolting the cover into place



> Disconnect the device from the power supply before starting work

De-energise the device and secure it against being switched back on.

Remove the six visible screws on the cover of the enclosure with a standard Phillips screwdriver.





When closing the cover of the enclosure, make sure that no cables are caught in it.

Position the cover back on the enclosure and secure it with the removed screws.

8 Maintenance and cleaning

- The control device is maintenance-free.
- The safety test according to DIN VDE 0701-0702 must be performed on an annual basis.
- Before cleaning the device enclosure using liquids, switch off the mains voltage!



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> Disconnect the device from the power supply before starting work

9 Disposal

The device may not be disposed of with normal household waste.

Users are obligated to hand in used devices at a disposal point for used electrical and electronic equipment. The collection (sorted by type) and proper disposal of your used devices contributes to preserving our natural resources and ensures that they will be recycled, which protects human health and conserves the environment. You can obtain information on where you can find disposal points for your used devices from your local authority, and from local waste disposal firms



10 Declaration of Conformity

Declaration of Conformity according to EC Directive 2004/108/EC (Electromagnetic Compatibility), dated 15 December 2004.

We hereby declare that the device identified below, in the version placed on the market by us, complies in terms of its design and construction with the basic health and safety requirements of EC Directive 2004/108/EC. If the device is modified in a manner not agreed up with us, then this Declaration shall be void.

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Product specifications

Designation: Vibration Controller

Model: FC2000 Version 1.1073/1.1074

Year of manufacture: 2015

The FC2000 has been developed and manufactured in accordance with the following regulations, harmonised standards and technical specifications:

2004/108/EC

EC EMC Directive

• 2006/95/EC

EC Low-Voltage Directive

• EN 61010-1

Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control, regulation and laboratory use - Part1: General requirements

EN 61326-1

Electrical equipment for measurement, control, regulation and laboratory use - EMC requirements - Part1: General requirements

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Place, date: Großbardorf, 19/01/15

Manufacturer signature:

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10.1 UL approbation

The device is UL-approved and is listed under the following UL file number.



IND.CONT.EQ. **E479925**

For use in industrial machinery NFPA 79 applications only.

For the power connections only cables may be used that correspond with the requirements of NFPA 79 (2012 / 12.2 - 12.6).

Necessary accessories:

Pin insert	1773080, HC-A3-ESTS, PhoenixContact
Bush insert	1773093, HC-A3-EBUS, PhoenixContact
Sleeve housing	19620031440, HAN 3A-EMV, Harting

11 Service address

Please have the following information to hand in order to expedite the handling of Service requests:



- Serial number of the device
- IFSYS machine number and designation of the feed system (you can find this information on the type plate or on the operating manual of the associated feed system)

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