

# Programmable Limit Switch (PLS) for TI 505 Series I/O

*Model M8251: Resolver based high speed control*

## Features

### Easy Integration into New and Existing Systems

- Flexible, cost-effective, modular construction
- Fully isolated I/O
- Electronic Offset aligns PLS zero to machine zero
- Loads PLS setups from the backplane or IBM® compatible PC

### Self-monitoring Diagnostics with Fault Output

- Broken resolver cable detection
- Special hardware-based microprocessor monitoring

### Simultaneous Position and RPM Display

- Position, RPM, and output status available to backplane every 1.6 mSec
- Programmable under/over speed limits for motion output

### Highly Repeatable, High Speed Power Outputs

- PLS outputs typically updated in 1.6 mSec (0.8 mSec version available)
- Output update time independent of controller scan time
- 16 Individually programmable PLS outputs
- Full optical isolation
- Up to 2 Amps per output, 10 Amps total per module

### Advanced Features

- Leading/Trailing Edge Speed Compensation
- Mod Z (Modification Zero)
- Brake Monitor
- Stores 8 user PLS setups
- Angle On/Time Off outputs

### Multiple Programming Options

- Through backplane
- RS485 Multidrop serial link
- Integral keypad and display
- Windows-based programming software

## Applications

### Automotive / Metal Forming

- Press automation
- Die protection
- Cam replacement

### Paper / Film Converting

- Registration control
- Web control
- Corrugated processing

### Packaging

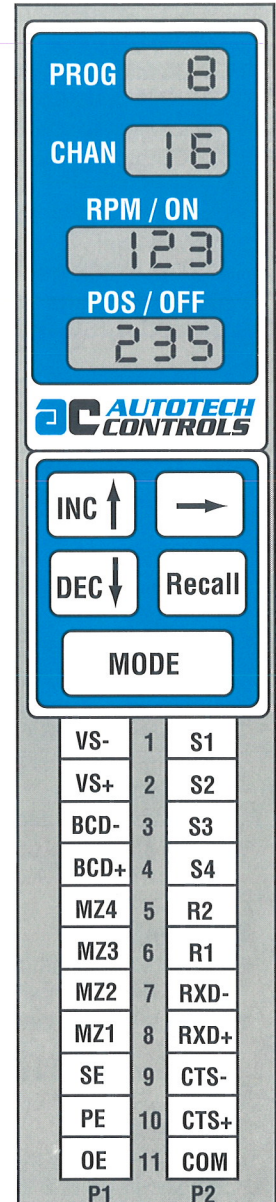
- Glue gun control
- Labeling
- Form, fill and seal

### Bottling / Canning

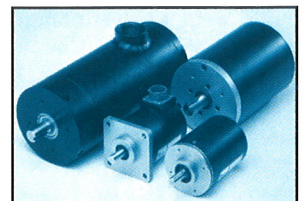
- Filling
- Packaging
- Can making
- Can/Bottle decorating

### Machine Control

- Any machine requiring highly repeatable, position-based outputs
- Can be used to replace optical encoders and high speed counters



*Autotech Resolvers*



# Specifications

A complete, functional PLS consists of a Cradle (SAC-TO505-010), a Functional Module (ASY-M8251-010), an Output Module (ASY-M8250-NOUT or ASY-M8250-POUT), and an Autotech Resolver.

## PLS MODULE SPECIFICATIONS

**Part number:** ASY-M8251-010

### CARD LOCATION:

Uses two slots (any location) in  
TI 505 Series I/O rack

### PLC COMMUNICATION

Through input and output  
registers; allocate 32 Input and  
32 Output registers

### POWER REQUIREMENTS:

**Backplane:**  
5 VDC @ 650 mA  
Customer (Power Input):  
24 VDC  $\pm$  15% @ 100 mA

### ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS

**Operating temperature:**  
10° F to 130° F (-23° F to 55°F)  
**Relative humidity:**  
5 to 95% non-condensing

### RESOLVER INTERFACE

**Position transducer:**  
Resolver, Autotech Series  
RL100, E7R, E8R, RL101,  
RL500 or equivalent  
**Cable length between  
resolver and M8251:**  
2500 feet max., shielded  
**Resolver cable:**  
Overall foil shielded, twisted pair,  
such as Autotech's cable:  
CBL-10T22-XXXX

### PROGRAMMING

All features programmable from  
keypad, IBM® compatible PC, or  
through the backplane.

**Number of PLS setups:**  
8

**PLS setpoints:**  
160 per PLS setup (maximum of  
80 per group of 8 outputs)

**Scale factor:**  
Programmable from 16 to 999,  
common to all PLS setups  
(resolution 17 to 1000  
counts/turn)

**Offset:**  
Programmable from 0 to Scale  
Factor value, common to all PLS  
setups

### Speed Compensation:

Programmable in scale factor  
units per 100 rpm, up to full  
scale factor value. Each PLS  
channel can have its own speed  
compensation value.

### Motion Detector:

Low and high motion limits:  
common to all PLS setups.  
Programmable from 0 to 1999  
RPM

### RESPONSE TIMES

**PLS outputs:**  
1.6 mSec (0.8 mSec version  
available)

**Tach. Update Time:**  
15 ms

**Position, Tach., and Output Status  
available to backplane:**  
Every 1.6 mSec typical  
(0.8 mSec version available)

### CONTROL INPUTS

**Program Enable (PE) &  
Supervisor Enable (SE):**  
PE & SE control programming of  
the PLS.

PE & SE both must be TRUE for  
setup programming (scale factor,  
offset, program # etc.).  
With PE TRUE & SE FALSE,  
only setpoints can be programmed.

### Output Enable (OE):

When TRUE, PLS Channel  
outputs are enabled, (Fault and  
Motion are always enabled)

### Electrical specifications (All Inputs):

#### Optical Isolation:

2500 VAC RMS

#### Input Current :

3mA typical @ 24VDC

#### Logic Levels

TRUE: 21 to 27 VDC

(not to exceed V+ relative to V-)  
FALSE: < 1VDC

### OUTPUTS

(An output module is required for  
connection to field devices)

#### Fault Output:

Normally energized.  
De-energizes if broken resolver  
wire or internal fault is detected.

### Motion Output:

Output energized whenever  
resolver RPM is between  
programmed limits.

**Number of PLS Outputs:**  
16

## OUTPUT MODULE SPECIFICATIONS

### Part Number:

ASY-M8350-POUT  
(DC Current Sourcing)  
ASY-M8350-NOUT  
(DC Current Sinking)

### Customer power:

24VDC Nominal  $\pm$  15%

### All Outputs (16 PLS, Fault, and Motion):

Up to 2 Amp per output; 10 Amp  
total per module  
Optical Isolation: 5,000 Vrms



Figure 1

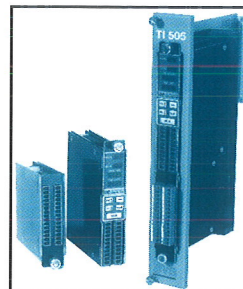


Figure 2

Figure 1 shows  
the M8251 PLS  
completely  
assembled.

Figure 2 shows  
components of  
the assembly  
(from right to  
left): Cradle  
(SAC-TO505-  
010), a Function  
Module (ASY-  
M8251-010),  
and an Output  
Module (ASY-  
M8250-NOUT or  
POUT).  
Autotech  
Resolver  
(required for the  
system) not  
shown in  
Figures 1 or 2.