

KUKA Control Panel (KCP)

The KUKA control panel is the interface to the robot controller and to the robot. This document gives an schematic overview of the buttons and symbols. Do note however that this document does not replace the KUKA documentation. This document is valid for most KR C1 and all KR C2 robot controllers. EMERGENCY STOP

Layout





Important function keys

- FC An action that has been started can be aborted at any time using the ESC key.
 - It is possible to toggle between the program, status and message windows using the window selection key. The active window is indicated by a blue background.
 - Pressing the Stop key stops a program that is running in automatic mode.
 - Pressing the Program start forwards key starts a program that has been selected.
 - If the **Program start backwards key** is pressed, the motion blocks are executed step by step towards the beginning of the program.
 - The Enter key is used, for example, to complete commands or to confirm entries in forms, etc.

The menu keys (a) are used to open menus in the menu bar. Navigation is accomplished with the aid of the arrow keys.

- The **status keys** (**b**) are used for selecting operating options, switching individual functions and setting values.
- The functions of the **softkeys** (**c**) are dynamically adapted to the current requirements, i.e. the assignment of the softkey bar is altered. Mode selector switch



Mode selector switch



Mode selector switch	T1	T2	AUTOMATIC	AUTOMATIC EXTERNAL
Jogging using <u>keys</u> or <u>Space Mouse</u> HOV	250 mm/s Enabling switch (dead man function)	250 mm/s Enabling switch (dead man function)	Jogging not active	Jogging not active
Program execution	250 mm/s Enabling switch (dead man function) START key pressed	Prog. velocity Enabling switch (dead man function) START key pressed	Prog. velocity Drives ON START key > PULSE	Prog. velocity Drives ON external External start

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Jog mode and program execution



Jogging using the status keys





the 6D mouse

Program mode: Jogging deactivated

Jogging using

GO mode: Program execution is continued as long as the "Program start forwards" key remains pressed.

Single Step mode: For each motion command, the "Program start forwards" 🕑 key must be released and pressed again.

Backward move: Appears automatically when the "Program start backwards' (C) key is pressed.



Program velocity in % (POV): Motion velocity of the robot during program execution. T1: max. 250 mm/s; T2: max. process velocity Jog velocity in % (HOV): Motion velocity of the robot during jogging using the jog keys or 6D mouse. T1 & T2: max. 250 mm/s

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Status bar

NUM	CAPS SIF	CELL			IP=6	T1	POV=100%	Paul	10:09
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	2 3	4			5	6	7	8	9
1 –	Numeric	kevpad							
2_	l Inner / I	ower-case lette	are						
2 -	Opper / I		515						
3 –	Status S	Submit-Interpret	ter:						
	s ^{Su}	omit interpreter	r deselected						
	S Su	bmit interpreter	r stopped						
	S Su	bmit interpreter	r running						
	Status D)rives:							
	O Dri	ves not ready							
	Dri	ves ready (600) ms)						
	Status F	rogram:							
	R No	program is sel	lected						
	R Th	e block pointer	is situated on the	e first line of t	he sele	cted p	program		
	R A p	orogram has be	en selected and i	is currently b	eing ex	ecute	d		
	R Th	e selected and	started program	has heen sto	nned				
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	RIN	e block pointer	is situated on the	e last line of t	he sele	cted p	orogram		
4 –	Selected	program							
5 –	Current b	olock number							
6 –	Current	operating mode	e:						
	T1	Test 1: max. 2	250 mm/s						
	T2	Test 2: proces	ss velocity						
	AUT	Automatic							
	EXT	Automatic exte	ernal						
7 –	Current	override:							
	HOV	Hand override	e (hand jogging ve	elocity)					
	POV	Program over	ride (program vel	ocity)					

- 8 Robot name
- 9 Time



Coordinate systems

Axis-specific jogging:

Each axis can be moved individually in a positive or negative direction.



<u>Area of application:</u> Rough method for addressing points. Only way of moving an unmastered robot. Moving away from a software limit switch.

WORLD - Coordinate system



Fixed coordinate system whose origin is located at the base of the robot. <u>Area of application:</u> Motion of the robot to any point in space using the keyboard or 6D mouse. Tool and BASE calibration.

TOOL – Coordinate system



Coordinate system whose origin is located in the robot tool. <u>Area of application:</u> Motion with the tool along a straight line if the orientation of the tool is inclined. Spot welding on the work piece. Gripper functions on the work piece. Motion of a work piece under an external TCP.

BASE – Coordinate system



Coordinate system whose origin is located in the work piece. <u>Area of application:</u> Motion of work piece with defined BASE. "Mouse" jogging of work piece if the positive X axis of the BASE coordinate system is pointing towards the programmer.











Setting the mouse position



Setting the mouse configuration

The menu item:

Configure Jogging Mouse configuration

is used by the operator to limit the degrees of freedom (a) and to switch the Dominant mode (b) on or off.



Axis-spec.: Cartesian: Axis-spec.: Cartesian:	all axes 1 to 6 all directions X,Y,Z and all angles A,B,C only main axes 1 to 3 only directions X,Y,Z			
Axis-spec.: Cartesian:	only wrist axes 4 to 6 only angles A,B,C			
Dominant mode on (c)				

Dominant mode on (**c**) Dominant mode off (**d**)

Everything for your HMI running

