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Instruction manual



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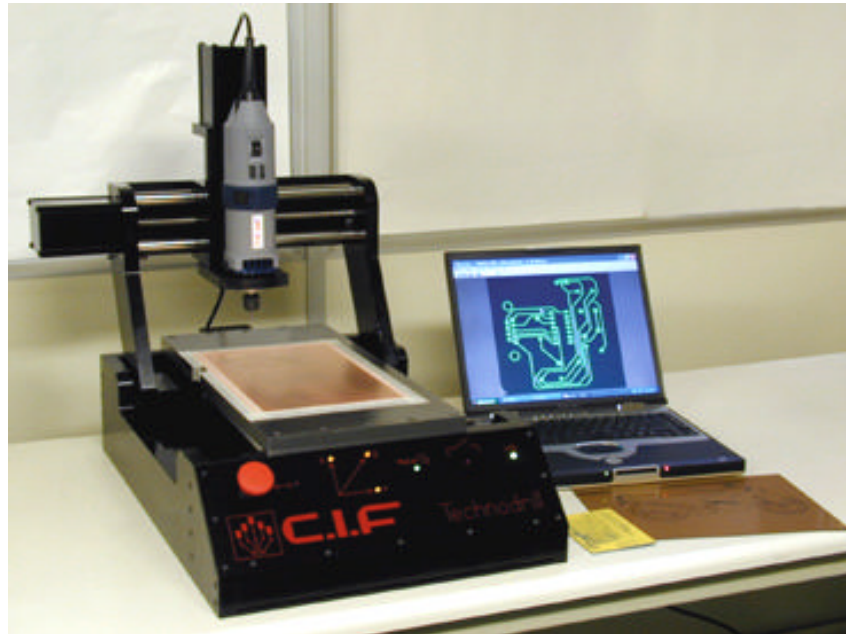
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1. Presentation



TECHNODRILL

1.1 Technical characteristics

Technical characteristics	TECHNODRILL
Moving X, Y, Z	215 x 360 x 90 mm
Plate (working area)	215 x 320 mm
Resolution	0,0025 mm in microstep (0,1 mil *)
Reproductibility	+ or - 0.005 mm (0,2 mil *)
Spindle power	800 W
Spindle speed	8000 to 26000 turns/min
Chuck	3.17 - 8 mm
Tool feeder	Semi-automatic
Drilling capacity	120 holes/min (∅ 0,8)
Minimum drawing width	0,2 mm (8 mil *)
Minimum insulation	0,2 mm (8 mil *)
Minimum drilling ∅	0,3 mm (12 mil *)
Moving speed	50 mm/s maxi
Linear guiding	Ball vice and precise screw (pas 4 mm)
Motor X, Y, Z	Motors step by step, 400 steps by turn, 1 / 2 to 1 / 16 steps by adjustable turn (3200 steps). Piloting in microstep avoids mechanical resonances.
Frequency	Up to 50 KHz
Table	Iron XC48 rectified 0,05 for a better positioning thanks to magnets, tapping M6 on the whole surface
Interpolation	3 axes
Power supply	220 V - 50 Hz - 0,8 A
Net weight	64 Kg
External dimensions L x w x H	500 x 720 x 590 mm
Tool positioning	Included
Capot	En Option

Sound level (with cover)
 Delivered with
 Version
 System requirements

< 65 dBA
GALAAD 3 Software (Free updates)
Multi –installations, network possible
486DX - 50MHz 80Mo RAM up to XP PRO

Description

3D software including « milling » of PCBs.
 Compatible with many machines and many CAE-CAD softwares. Accepts HPGL, ISO, EXCELLON, GERBER, GCODE, DXF files.

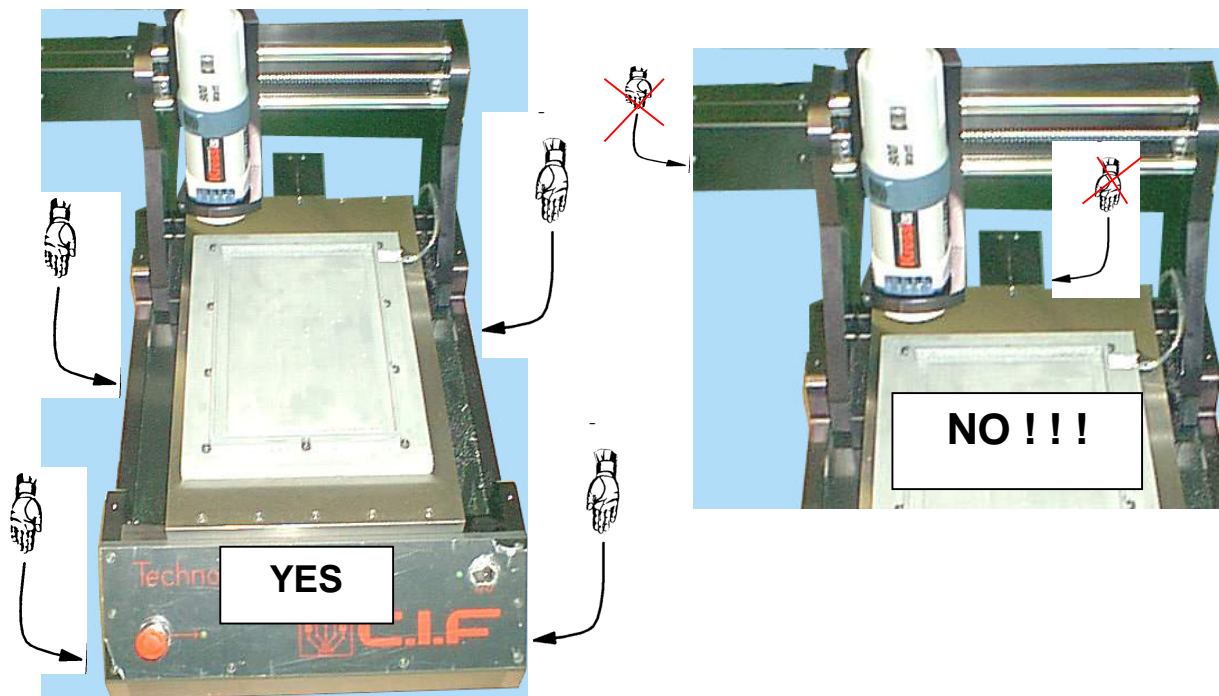
* 1 mil = 25,4 mm / 100 = 0,0254 mm

2. Transport



IMPORTANT

**Always carry or handle the machine from the bottom.
 Never carry or handle the motor part.
 If you do not respect this advice, the machine can be damaged.**



3. Safety

1. Ensure the worktable is flat and can accept the machine weight.
 2. Power supply: 220/240 V – 50/60 Hz upon **differential circuit breaker 30mA 10A.**
 3. **Make sure that the earth is correct and connected to the machine.**
 4. Sound level > 70 dB without cover, **protections for staff** must be forecasted.
 5. Always use a brush or a ducts cleaner to clean the machine.
 6. Before the first use, read again the instruction notice of the spindle supplied with the machine as well as the instruction notice of the piloting software.
- Always verify the pieces to manufacture are well positioned upon the plate.

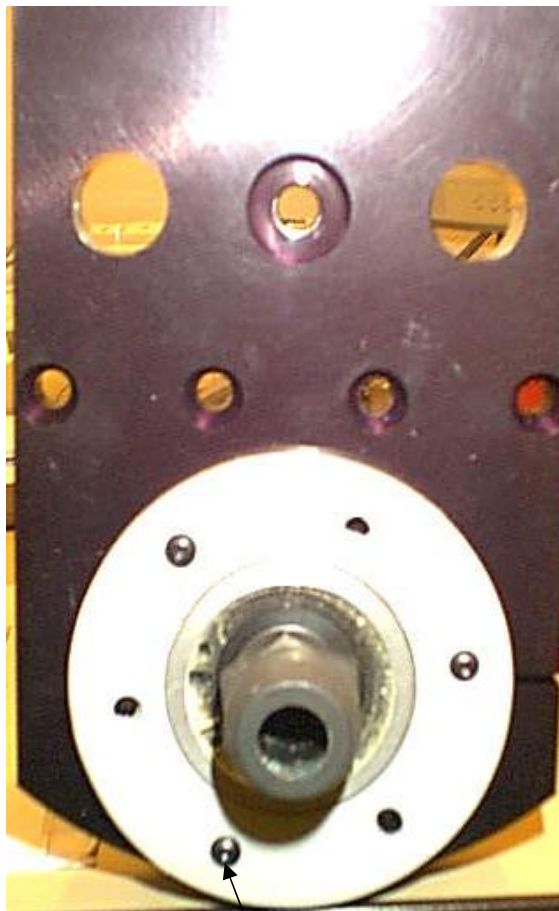
4. Machine setup

Ensure the worktable is flat and can accept the machine weight.

4.1 Spindle assembly

WARNING !!

Before assemble or disassemble the spindle, slightly unscrew the fixing screw of the lighting as shown hereunder:



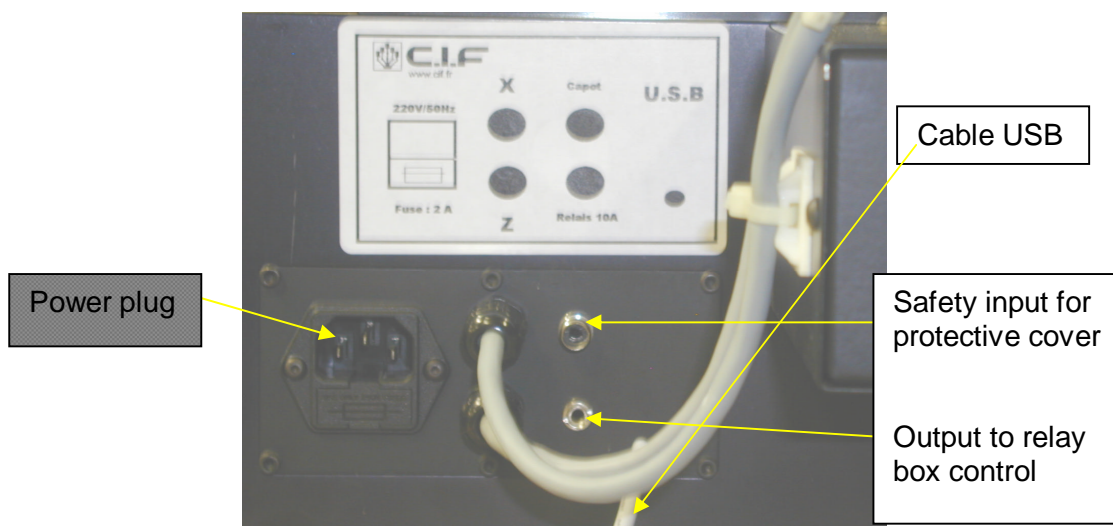
Screw to unscrew

Fix the spindle on Z axis, slightly tighten not to damage the spindle body.



Spindle assembly

Connect the power cable, Power supply: 220/240 V – 50/60 Hz on differential circuit breaker 30mA 10A.



5. Parameter of the machine

5.1 Software set up

To set up the software, please read the instruction notice **GALAAD 3**.
Copy the USB driver file from the cd to your computer

5.2 Configuration of the machine parameters

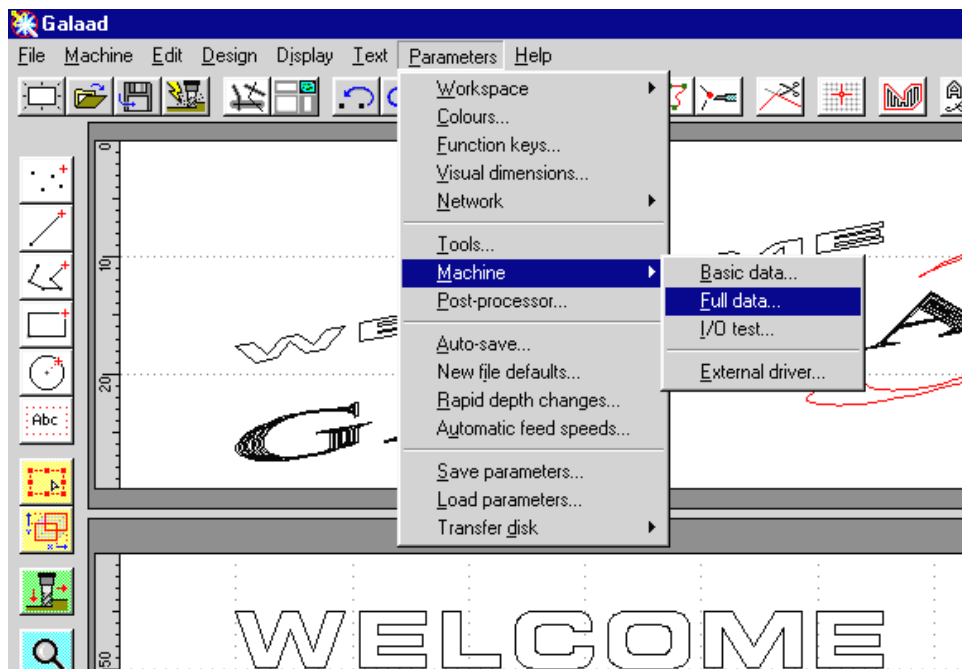
After the software installation and before switching on the TECHNODRILL, you must parameter the software according to the machine you are using.

As GALAAD is an open software, it must be parametered for TECHNODRILL use.

You will find here under the screen printings to help you configuring the machine.

Step 1

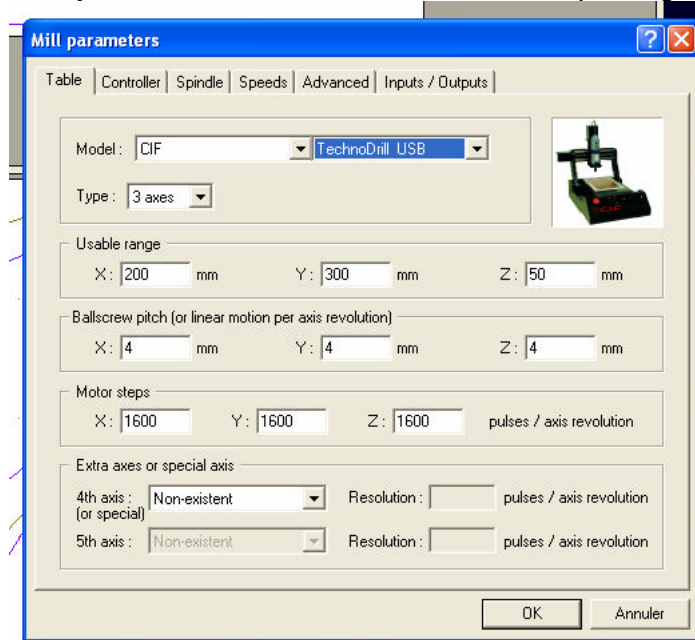
Open **GALAAD** then in the title « **Parameters** » select « **Machine** » and « **Full data** ».



Step 2

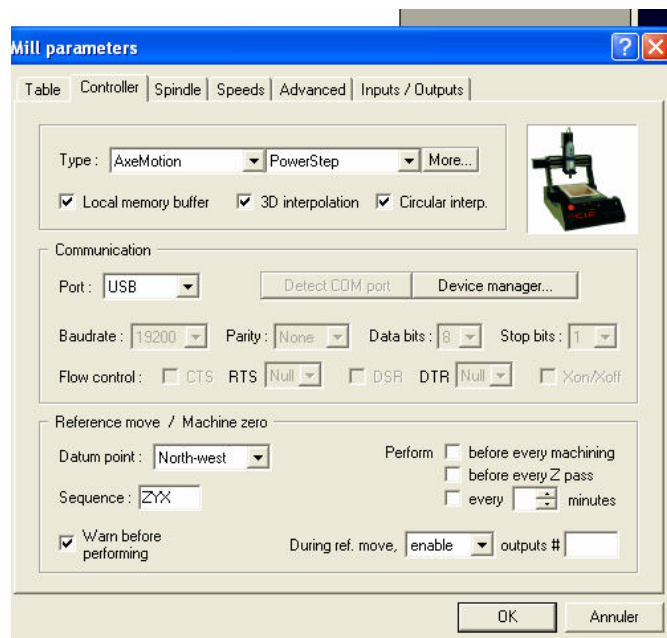
A window « **Milling parameters** » opens :

Important: Verify and modify if needed the fields as on the screen printing.



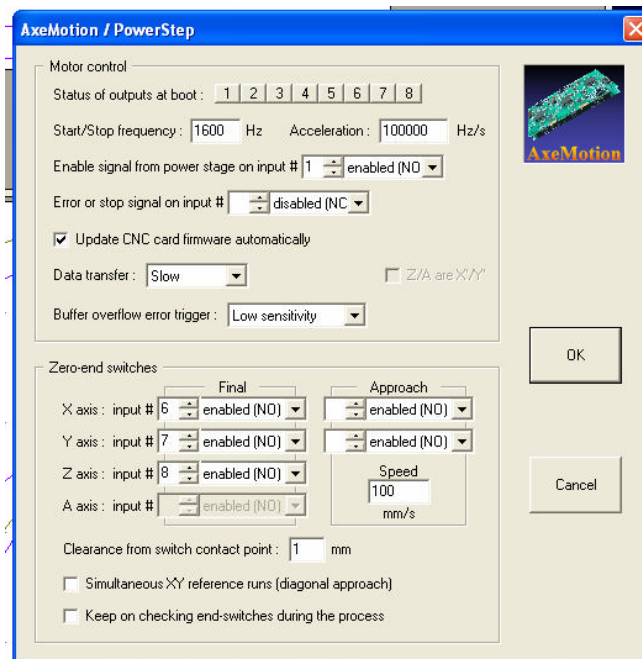
Click upon « **Controller** » :

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Click on « More »

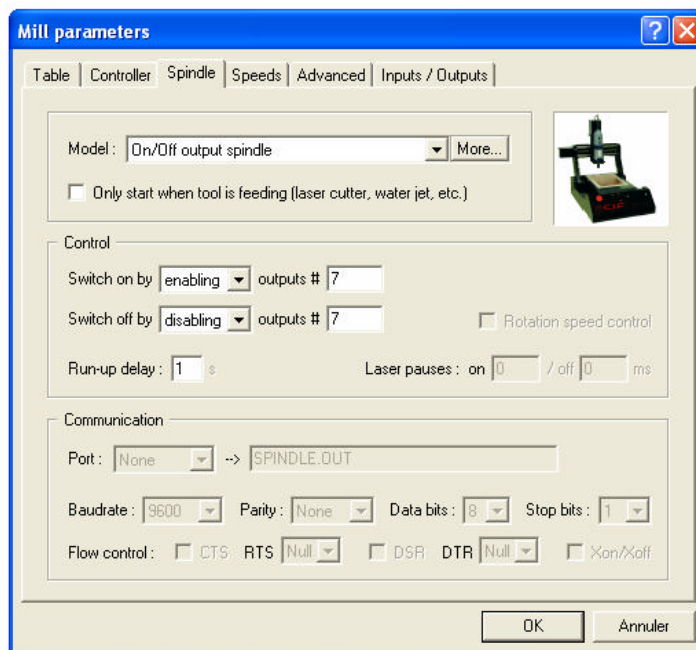
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validate with **OK**.

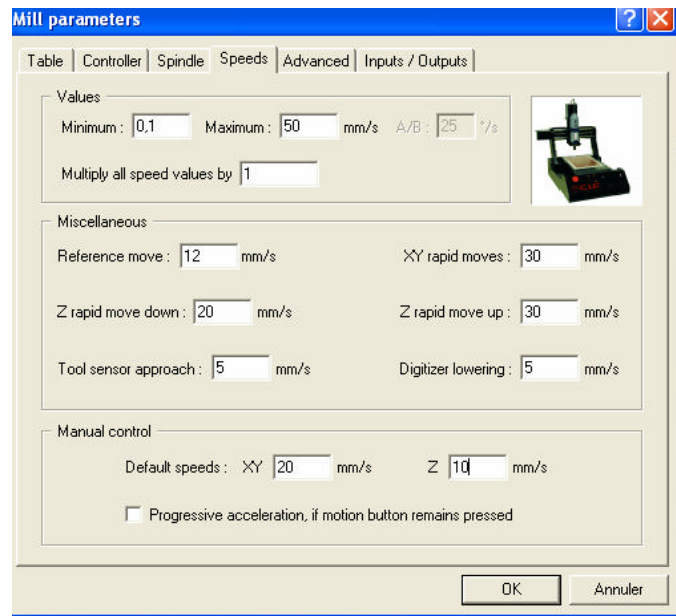
Click on « Spindle »

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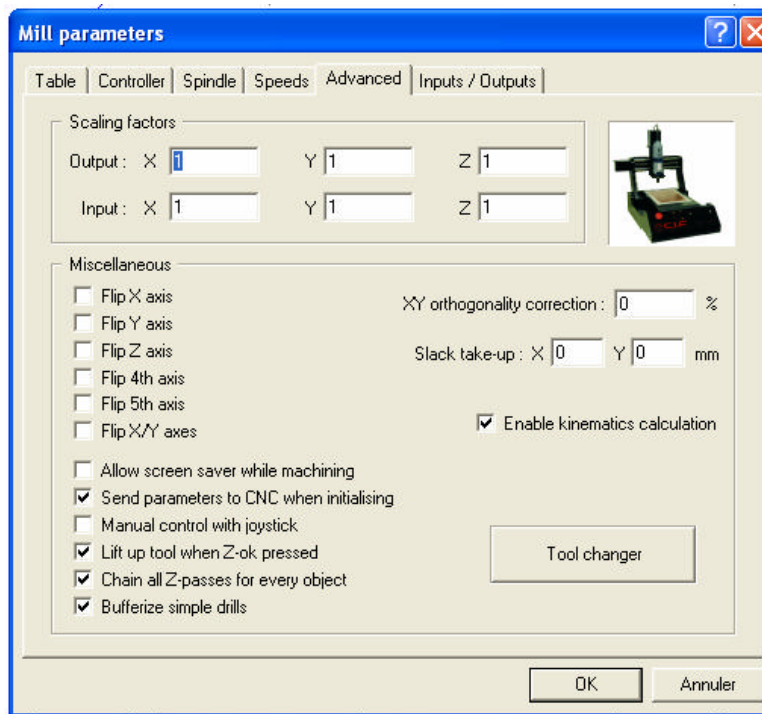
Click on « **Speeds** »

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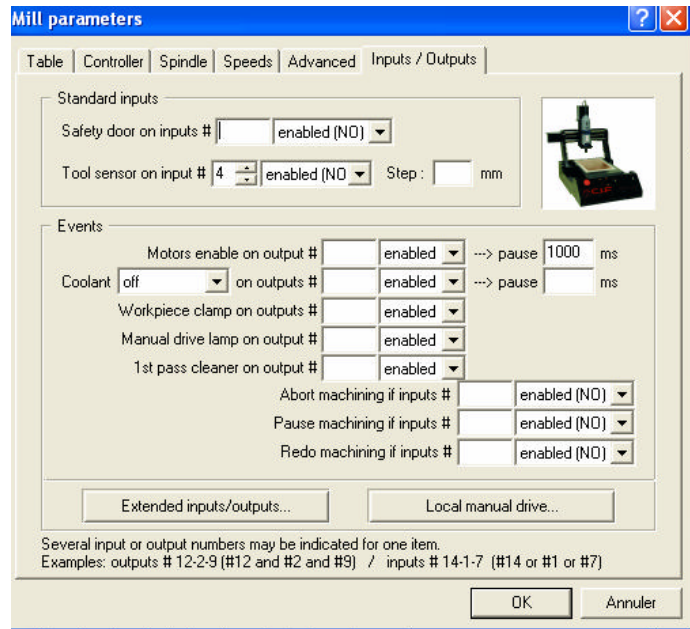
Click on « **Advanced** »

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Click on « **Inputs / Outputs** »

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The machine is now ready to use.

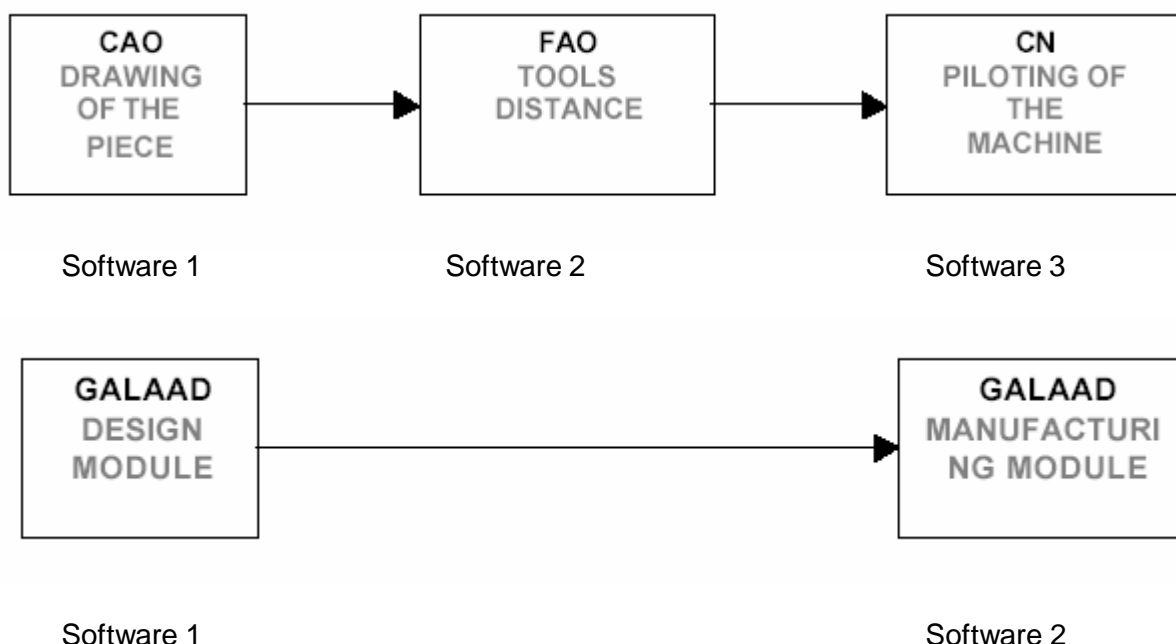
Plug the USB cable from TECHNODRILL to an free USB plug on your PC, switch on the TECHNODRILL.

WINDOWS at this time will request you to install the driver for this new material. Follow the WINDOWS instruction to load the driver.

5.3 Information upon piloting software of the TECHNODRILL

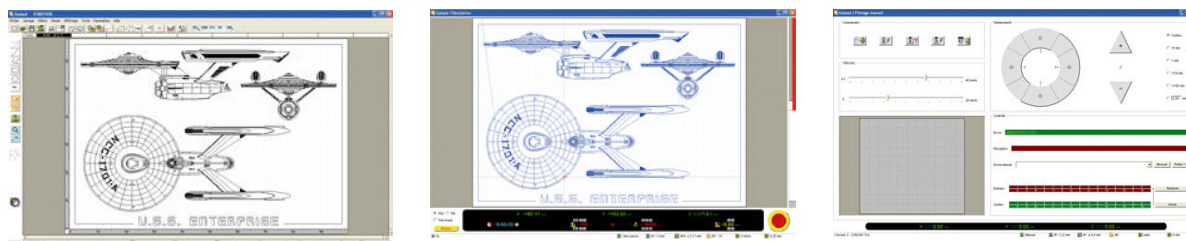
GALAAD 3 is a set of Windows® softwares (95 / 98 / ME / NT / 2000 / XP) dedicated to the **intelligent piloting of numeric controlled machines** from 1 to 5 axes. Thanks to its « all in one » conception, it purposes a complete manufacturing process, and adds supplementary modules for special applications. The GALAAD software is available in **German, English, French and Italian**.

From the design to the object, the process includes three steps : **drawing of the piece**, thanks to a CAO (Conception Assisted by computer) software 2D, 2D 1/2 or 3D which creates a file giving the coneived geometry, for example HPGL, DXF or other files ; then **definition of the tools distance**, thanks to a FAO (Manufacturing assisted by computer) software which creates the distance the tools will have to make, on ISO G-code file the most frequently ; and at last a CNC (Computerised Numerical Control) software to **pilot the machine**, dedicated to realise the required piece according to the produced tools distance.

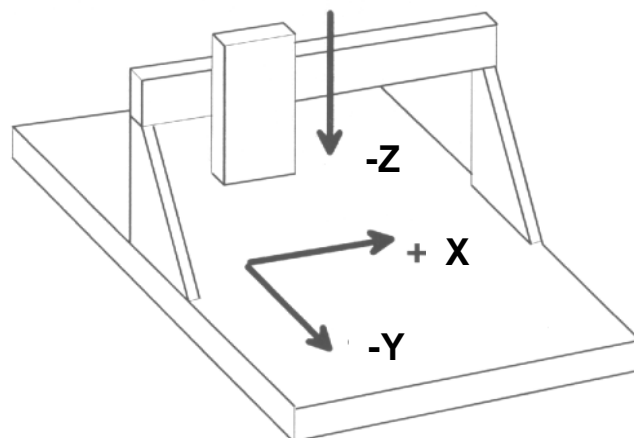


GALAAD offers those **three steps** in one software. Offering a module for special drawing, taking into account that the piece to design must be manufactured, the user can create manufacturing information. The link with manufacturing part is immediate, which does not need to use intermediary files. From the design module, a simple click launches the manufacturing process with a **machine piloted by GALAAD**.

Galaad is an **open software**. GALAAD is not necessary for all the steps. You can also use an external software to some key-points of the process. So, a design file can be issued from another software than GALAAD. The design module can also use an external pilot to work with the machine, without using many files.



5.4 Axes moving



6. Software use

All the information concerning the use of **GALAAD** software are in the manual **GALAAD 3** supplied with this machine. Please consult it.

6.1 Updating

GALAAD software is regularly updated according to the users' notes. This updating is free and available by downloading on the following website:
www.galaad.net.

Nota: to update the Galaad modules, first download the ZIP archive, then extract the files to the GALAAD dossier, cancelling the existing ones. No Galaad module must be used at this time.

7. Using advice

It is very important the plate is very flat for a good final result, in case you are using a martyr plate, you need to surface it after fixing on the machine.

Router is made getting off 1/10 to 2/10 mm on the whole surface of the plate, the spindle moving will so be perfectly parallel to the plate.

A special function exists into GALAAD software.

7.1 Etching

The etching quality will depend on the two following criterias:

1- the flatness of the board to etch, sometimes boards are not flat or have thickness variations of some hundredths of millimetre.

2- the cutting quality of the chosen tool as well as its rotating and moving speed.

7.2 Drilling

Always use good quality drill bits, ensure the part to drill is well attached.

Always use the rotating and moving speed, recommended for the used tool.

Important

Use a martyr plate or a drilling plywood not to damage the plate during crossing drilling.

7.3 Milling

Always verify the attachment of the part to manufacture before beginning the job.

Verify anything can block the axes.

Do not work on the wrong way (except if the tool permits it)

Always use the moving and rotating speed recommended for the used tool.

7.4 Error code

This message mind that emergency switch is press or door of front cover (if option) is open.

Process:

- Check before if nothing prevent to restart the process,

- Power on the machine,

- Click "OK" on the error message,

- Close the active window,

Restart the process, BEWARE, do a reference machine run before starting milling, if you do not you could have a shift of the axes.

8. Cleaning and maintenance

8.1 Cleaning

Etching a board makes many copper and epoxy dust.

Those are very abrasive, you need after each operation to clean the machine, with a brush or a vacuum cleaner dedicated to the machine.

8.2 Maintenance

The machine axes are greased with a Teflon grease.

Only use a Teflon base grease to grease the axes, a small fat film is sufficient.

The machine plate will be maintained in a perfect state, ensure it does not oxidize, lubricate it with a fatty rag.

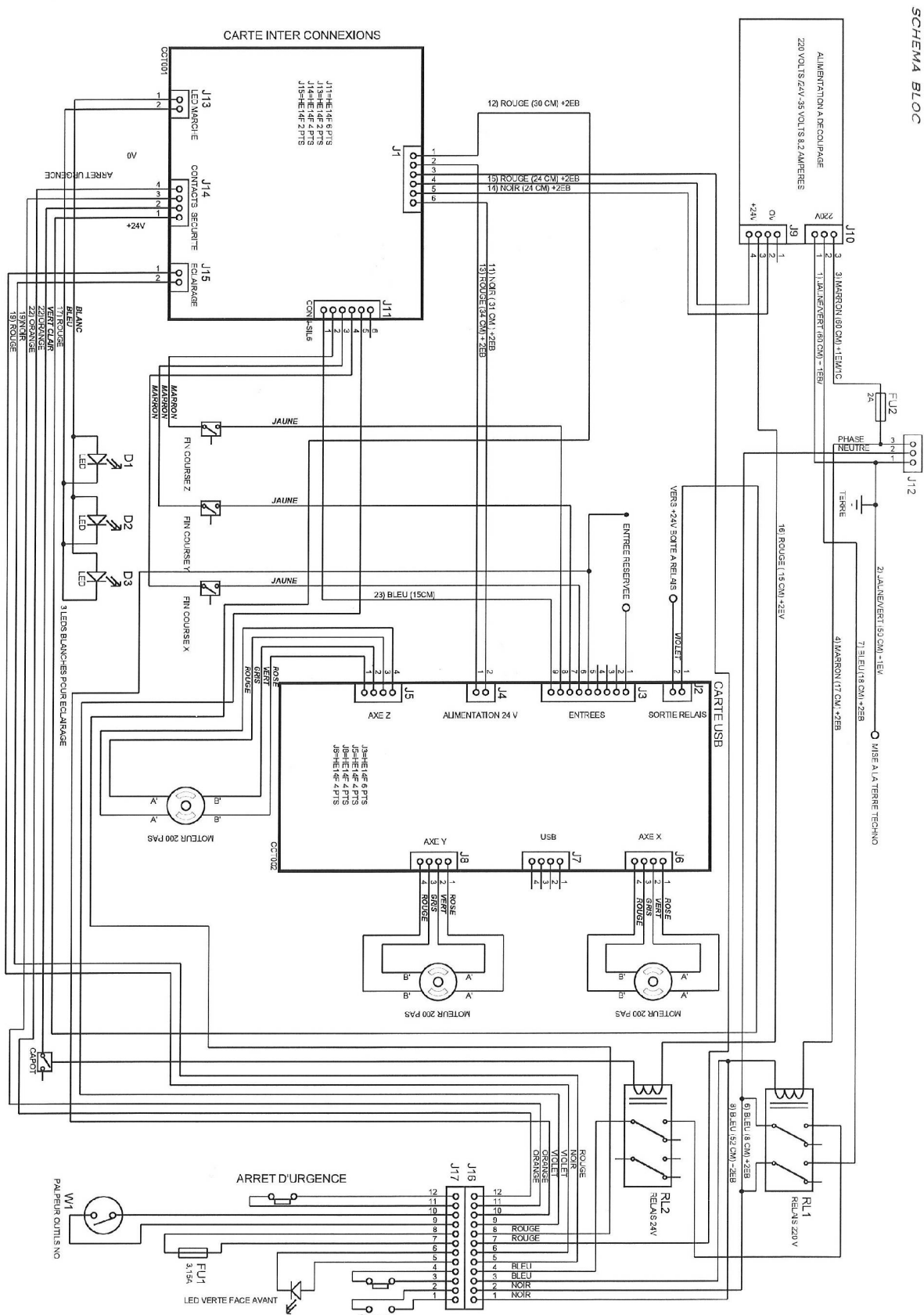
In case of plate damaged, you can stop it with a resin.

Sandpaper after hardening to maintain the flatness.

9. Options & accessories

Accessories and options	Item Code
Martyr plate Made of PVC, thickness 10 mm, dimensions 215 x 315 mm	C12 703
Relay box 10 A – Piloting with software To automatically control the spindle and dust cleaner.	C12 704
Transparent protective cover Aluminium and polycarbonate, made safe	C12 705
Silent dust cleaner, 61 dB Micro filter for epoxy and swarf dust. 1100 W, dimensions 335 x 355 x 405 mm, net weight 7,5 Kg.	C43 101
Drilling plywood Set of 10 in 200 x 300 mm, thickness 2 mm	EP 116
Precise vice Made of milled steel, jaws length 60 mm, opening 46 mm	EP 111
Starter kit for TECHNODRILL Drilling plywoods 200 x 300 mm Carbide drill bits Ø 0.8 mm, queue Ø 3,17 mm, length 38 mm (Qty 3) Carbide drill bits Ø 1 mm, queue Ø 3,17 mm, length 38 mm (Qty 3) Fraise diamant de détourage, Ø 2,5 mm for PCB Fraise de surfaçage, Ø 6 mm, queue Ø 8 mm Single sided raw epoxy, 16/10,35 µ, 200 x 300 mm (Qty 3) Double sided raw epoxy, 16/10,35 µ, 200 x 300 mm (Qty 2) Martyr plate made of 10 mm thick PVC– dim..220 x 320 mm	EP 124 DU 68 DW 101010 DU FD2 DU 200 AD 20 AE 20 C12 703

10. Scheme



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