# CH Products



# Finger Operated Resistive

Joysticks



# Resistive Joysticks Standard and Miniature

**CH Products' Resistive Joystick** is a low profile potentiometric controller providing unwavering multi-axis finger-positioning control. Available in two sizes, Standard & Miniature Resistive Joysticks are ideal for applications requiring a compact and reliable, low operating force controller. Featuring several ergonomically designed handles and available in single, dual or triple axis configurations, typical uses include CCTV, robotics, electric wheelchairs and medical devices.

#### Key Features

- Potentiometer sensing
- One, two, or three axes
- Available in two sizes
- Low profile design and shallow mounting depth
- RoHS compliant
- 7 million life cycles



#### **Available Models**

Model 100: Two axis

Model 200: Two axis with buttons

Model 300: Three axis

Model 400: Three axis with buttons

#### **Mechanical Specifications**

#### Standard

Joystick travel: 54° (27° from center)

Breakout force: 0.034 Nm
Operational force: 0.061 Nm
Maximum force: 0.067 Nm
Centering: Spring centering
Operating temperature: -10°C to +85°C

Life cycles: 7,000,000

#### **Miniature**

56° (28° from center)

0.029 Nm 0.041 Nm 0.062 Nm Spring centering -10°C to +85°C 7,000,000

#### **Configuration Options**

#### **Handle Options**

The Resistive Joystick can be specified with one of 17 handles to maximize functionality and operator comfort. Available with pushbutton switches as well as one, two, or three axes, the Resistive Joystick can accommodate the most specific finger operated applications.

#### **Potentiometer Output Options**

The Resistive Joystick range features high quality CH Long Life Potentiometers to deliver one, two, or three axes of precision finger operated control. Providing excellent linearity and rated for greater than seven million lifecycles, CH Long Life Potentiometers are available with either 55° or 220° of electrical travel.

#### **Mounting Options**

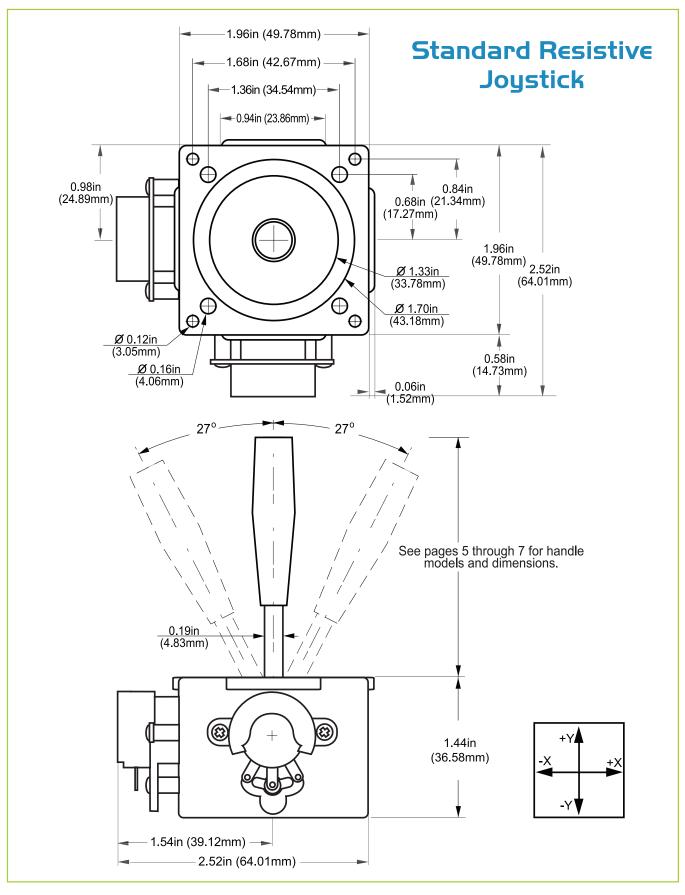
The Resistive Joystick may be configured with one of seven Mounting Bezels, allowing for either a Front Mount (FM) for Rear Mount (RM) installation.

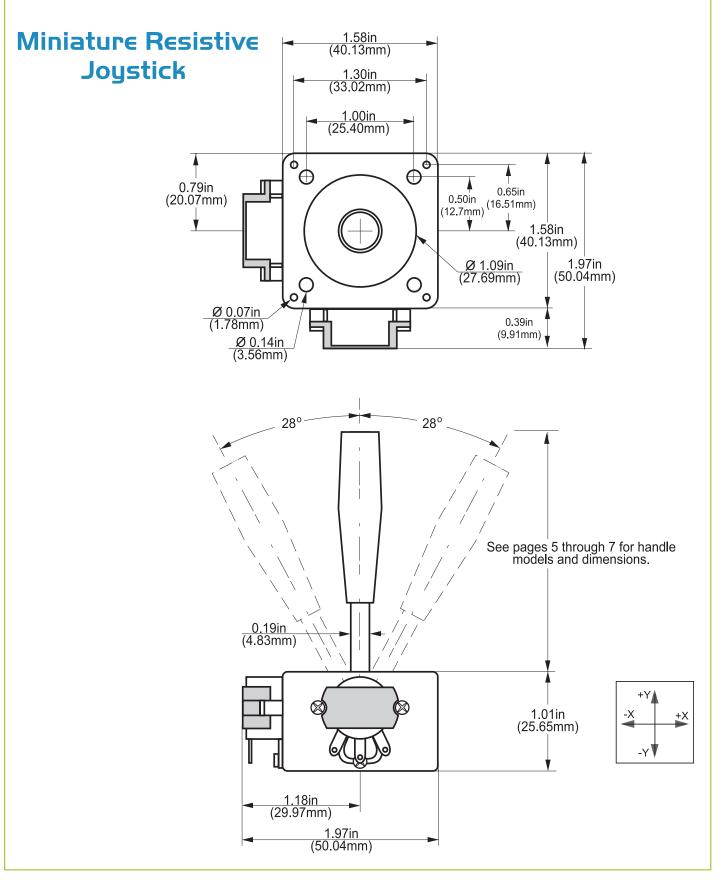
#### **Centering Options**

Standard and Miniature Resistive Joysticks are available with a variety of centering options to accommodate the most specific application requirements. Spring Centering as well as several absolute positioning options are available.

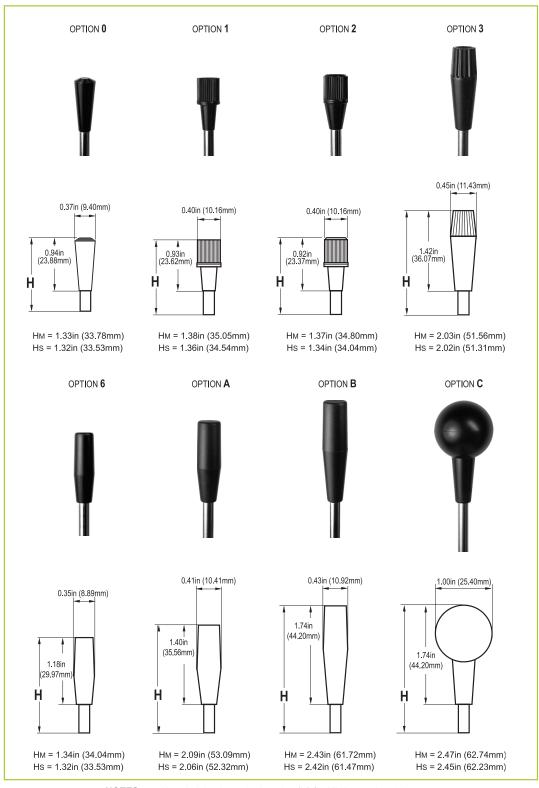
#### **Desktop Housings**

CH Products' Resistive Joysticks may be incorporated into one of four Desktop Housings. Configuration options include quantity of pushbutton switches, selection of housing color, as well as USB output.





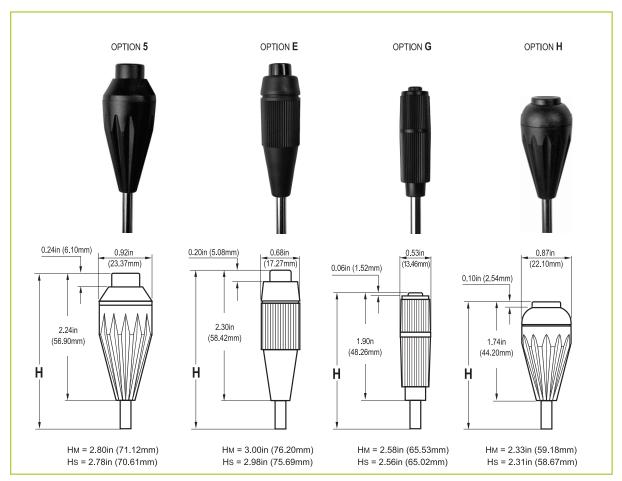
# Model 100



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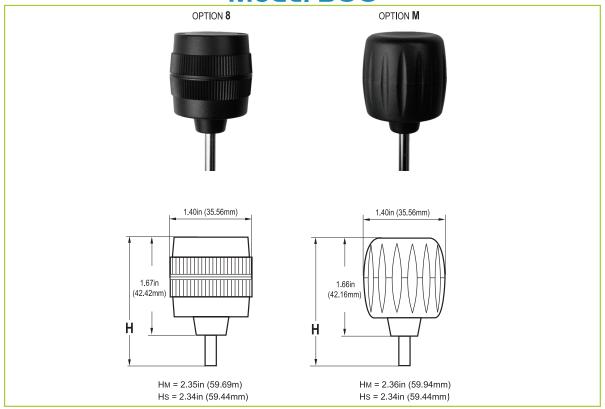
Hm = height above the housing (H) for Miniature Joysticks Hs = height above the housing (H) for Standard Joysticks The drawings are not to scale, but are proportional.

# Model 200

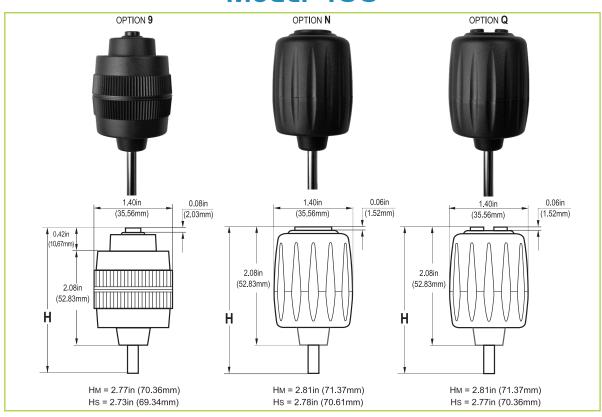


NOTES: HM = height above the housing (H) for Miniature Joysticks
Hs = height above the housing (H) for Standard Joysticks
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## **Mod∈l 300**

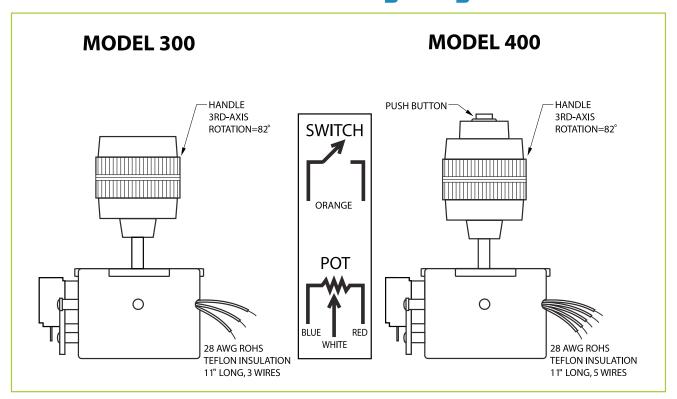


### Model 400



NOTES: HM = height above the housing (H) for Miniature Joysticks
Hs = height above the housing (H) for Standard Joysticks
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### Three Axis Wiring Diagram



# CH Long Life Potentiometer Options

#### **CH 550°**

Resistance:  $5K\Omega \pm 20\%$ Taper: Linear  $\pm 2\%$ Power rating:  $0.3W \otimes 50^{\circ}\text{C}$ Temperature range:  $-10^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$ 

Electrical travel: 220° ±5° (110° off center)

Mechanical travel: 260° centered Rotational torque: 0.30 Oz/in. Max

Linearity: ±2%

Rotational life: 7 million life cycles Electrical element: Conductive plastic

RoHS compliant

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#### CH 55°

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mbox{Resistance:} & 5\mbox{K}\Omega \pm 20\% \\ \mbox{Taper:} & \mbox{Linear} \pm 2\% \\ \mbox{Power rating:} & 0.08\mbox{W} @ 50\mbox{°C} \\ \mbox{Temperature range:} & -10\mbox{°C to} +85\mbox{°C} \\ \end{array}$ 

Electrical travel:  $55^{\circ} \pm 5^{\circ} (27.5^{\circ} \text{ off center})$ 

Mechanical travel: 260° centered Rotational torque: 0.30 Oz/in. Max

Linearity: ±2%

Rotational life: 7 million life cycles
Electrical element: Conductive plastic



### Mounting Bezels

Several Front Mount (FM) and Rear Mount (RM) bezels are available for both Standard and Miniature Resistive Joysticks. Front Mount bezels include two sets (four screws per set) of mounting screws (1/2" and 1/4" with 2/56 threading, Phillips flathead) and optional 3/8" screws are available upon request. Rear Mount bezels include two sets of non-anodized mounting screws (1/2" and 1/4" with 2/56 threading, Phillips flathead) and optional 5/15" screws are available upon request. Please note: not all bezels are available for all configurations, please contact factory for further information.



#### Round Bezel (FM)

Standard Cutout - 1.625"



#### Computer Bezel

Standard Cutout - 1.213"



#### Split Bezel (FM)

Standard Cutout - 1.500" Miniature Cutout - 1.562"



#### Square Bezel Snap-on (FM)

Standard Cutout – 1.437" Miniature Cutout - 1.250"



#### Square Bezel (RM)

Standard Cutout - 1.312" Miniature Cutout - 1.187"



#### Round Bezel Snap-on (FM)

Standard Cutout - 1.625"



#### Rubber Boot Kit (FM)

Standard Cutout - 1.562" Miniature Cutout - 1.562"

# Centering Options

#### Spring Centering

The joystick returns to design center "neutral" when the handle is released.

#### **Friction Clutch**

Friction for the "X" and "Y" axes may be independently adjusted via two socket screws, allowing for absolute positioning anywhere within the motion pattern. The Friction Clutch option is only available for Standard Resistive Joysticks.

#### Center Detent

The Center Detent option provides a positive tactile feedback when the handle is moved from the absolute center position. Center Detent is only available on single and dual axis Standard Resistive Joysticks when configured with the Friction Clutch centering option.

#### Torque Set

Torque Set provides absolute positioning with uniform friction applied to "X" and "Y" axes and is available g for both Standard and Miniature Resistive Joysticks.

### **Desktop Housings**

CH Products' Resistive Joysticks may be incorporated into one of four Desktop Housings. Available in platinum gray or special order black, Desktop Housings feature the "Computer" mounting bezel as well as "X" and "Y" axis spring release tabs to allow for independent spring centering and free floating operation. Optional features include up to five normally open, single pole momentary contact pushbutton switches, external rotary trims, USB output, as well as various cables and strain relief assemblies.

#### **Desktop Housing Features**

"X" and "Y" axis spring release tabs Choice of Resistive Joystick model and handle Choice of platinum gray or special order black USB available with select housings

#### MJ Desktop Housing Features

Choice of zero to five pushbutton switches Available with USB output Dimensions: 7.80" x 4.75" x 1.65"



# FJ Desktop Housing Features

Two rectangular pushbutton switches Optional external rotary trim tabs Available with USB output Dimensions: 7.80" x 4.75" x 1.65"



#### CJ Desktop Housing Features

Two pushbutton switches
External rotary trim tabs
Dimensions: 3.85" x 3.85" x 1.65"



#### SJ Desktop Housing Features

Two square pushbutton switches Available only in black Dimensions: 3.85" x 3.85" x 1.85"



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# **Typical Applications**



CCTV
Network/IP Camera Control
Remote Control
Robotic Systems
Factory Automation
Machine Control
Medical Devices
Optical Devices
Targeting Systems
Electric Wheelchairs
Unmanned Vehicle Control
Automated Conveyor Systems





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