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The Curtis Model 1212 Motor Speed Controller provides precise and smooth control of permanent magnet drive motors for battery powered vehicles.

Optimized for use on modern 3 or 4 wheel mobility aid scooters. However, the model 1212's programmable options also allow it to be used on any low power permanent magnet motor application.

#### **FEATURES**

#### **Smooth and Secure Control**

- Advanced speed regulation maintains precise speed over varied terrain, obstacles, curbs and ramps.
- Linear cutback of current ensures smooth control, with no sudden loss of power during under-voltage or overtemperature.
- Optional speed limit potentiometer input provides direct and linear control over the maximum vehicle speed.
- Proprietary algorithms help prevent gearbox wear while providing smooth starts and reversals.
- ► The vehicle is brought to a complete halt before the electromagnetic brake is applied, ensuring safe and secure stopping under all conditions.
- Charger inhibit input prevents driving while charger is connected.
- ► Emergency Stop Decel function ensures a smooth "brake to stop" when the key is turned off or a fault occurs that requires the vehicle to stop.
- Anti-roll back/roll-forward function provides smooth and safe vehicle control on hills and ramps.
- ▶ Internal main contactor provides secure power-off.
- Boost current gives a brief boost of current greatly improving performance with transient loads such as starting on a hill, crossing thresholds, climbing obstacles, etc.



#### **Easy Installation and Setup**

- Industry standard footprint, mounting centers and wiring allows drop-in replacement of other controllers.
- The Model 1212 is easily programmed with Model 1311 handheld or 1314 PC programmers, or can be supplied pre-programmed.
- Accepts all standard throttle types, including single-ended and center-off (wig-wag and unipolar).
- Simplified troubleshooting and diagnostics.
- Standard Mini-Fit Molex Jr. and Faston terminals provide proven, robust wiring connections.

#### **Valuable Additional Features**

- Optional Push-Switch input releases the brake and allows the motor to free-wheel.
- Push-too-Fast feature restricts vehicle speed even with the key off or with batteries disconnected.
- Automatically compensates for changes in motor condition to ensure optimum drive performance at all times.
- Multi-mode provides for two distinct and programmable control modes (indoor/outdoor modes).
- ▶ Power Saver function prevents the controller draining the battery when vehicle is inactive.
- ▶ Battery Discharge Indicator output.
- Optional Speed Inhibit input offers flexibility to reduce speed or prevent drive, e.g. when seat is lifted.
- Adjustable brake hold voltage reduces heating of the brake coil.
- ► Reverse Beeper function alerts bystanders.
- ▶ Electronics sealed to IPX5.

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## **FEATURES** continued

## **Robust Safety and Reliability**

- High RF immunity prevents speed variation and shutdowns in noisy RF environments.
- Controller power circuits and microprocessor software are continuously monitored for proper operation.
- System start-up checks detect a defective throttle, brake, or associated wiring and disables drive.

# Meets or complies with relevant US and International Regulations

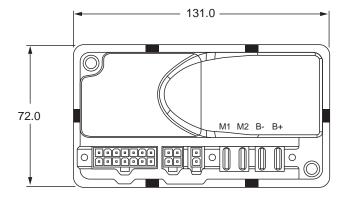
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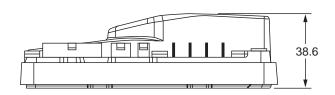
- ► EN 12184
- ► EN 55022
- ► IEC 61000-4
- FDA documentation filed
- ► TÜV Certification pending
- ► ISO7176-14

### **MODEL CHART**

Model	Nominal Voltage (V)	Drive Current (Amps)	Peak Boost Current (Amps)	Max. Boost Duration (Seconds)
1212-22xx	24	45	55	10
1212-24xx	24	70	80	10

### **DIMENSIONS mm**

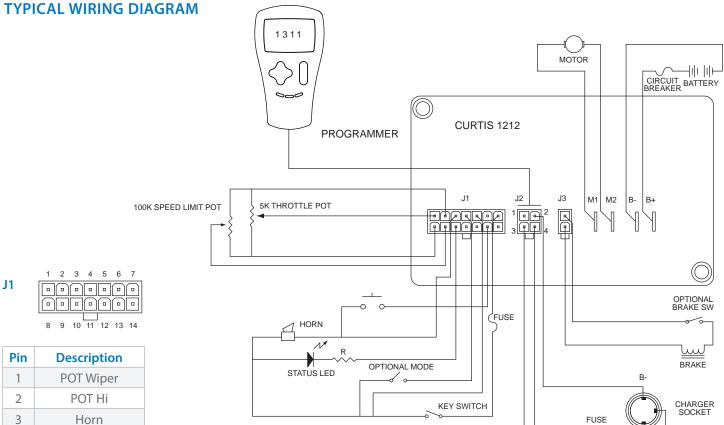




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Pin	Description	
1	POT Wiper	
2	POT Hi	
3	Horn	
4	Mode	
5	KSI	
6	SPD Inhibit	
7	Battery +	
8	POT Lo	
9	Speed POT	
10	Status	
11	SDI	
12	Reverse	
13	Battery –	
14	Push	



Pin	Description	
1	Rx	
2	Battery	
3	Tx/Charge Inhibit	
4	Battery+	

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Pin	Description	
1	Brake +	
2	Brake –	

**WARRANTY** 

Two year limited warranty from time of delivery.





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