



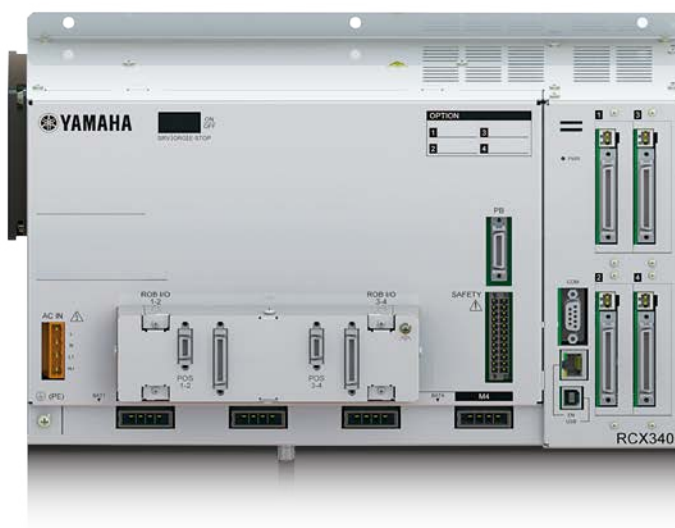
Made it possible to balance

Safety × Maintaining productivity

Dedicated for RCX340

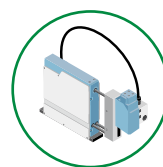
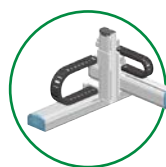
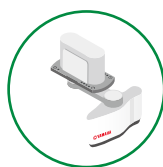
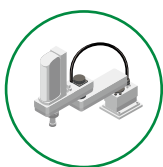
# RCX3-SMU

Speed Monitoring Unit



## Target robots

Compatible with standard robots with 3 or more axes that can be connected to RCX340!



SCARA robot YK-X series / Cartesian robot XY-X series / Pick & place robot YP-X series, etc.

**NEW**

RCX3-SMU

RCX340



## "Safety function" Growing importance

In recent years, safety awareness has been on the rise, particularly in Europe, and ensuring safety has become an increasingly important perspective. The RCX3-SMU is the first Yamaha robot-related product that has acquired the functional safety certification\*. Yamaha Robot Controller "RCX340" can be connected to the dedicated optional unit "RCX3-SMU" to support functional safety.

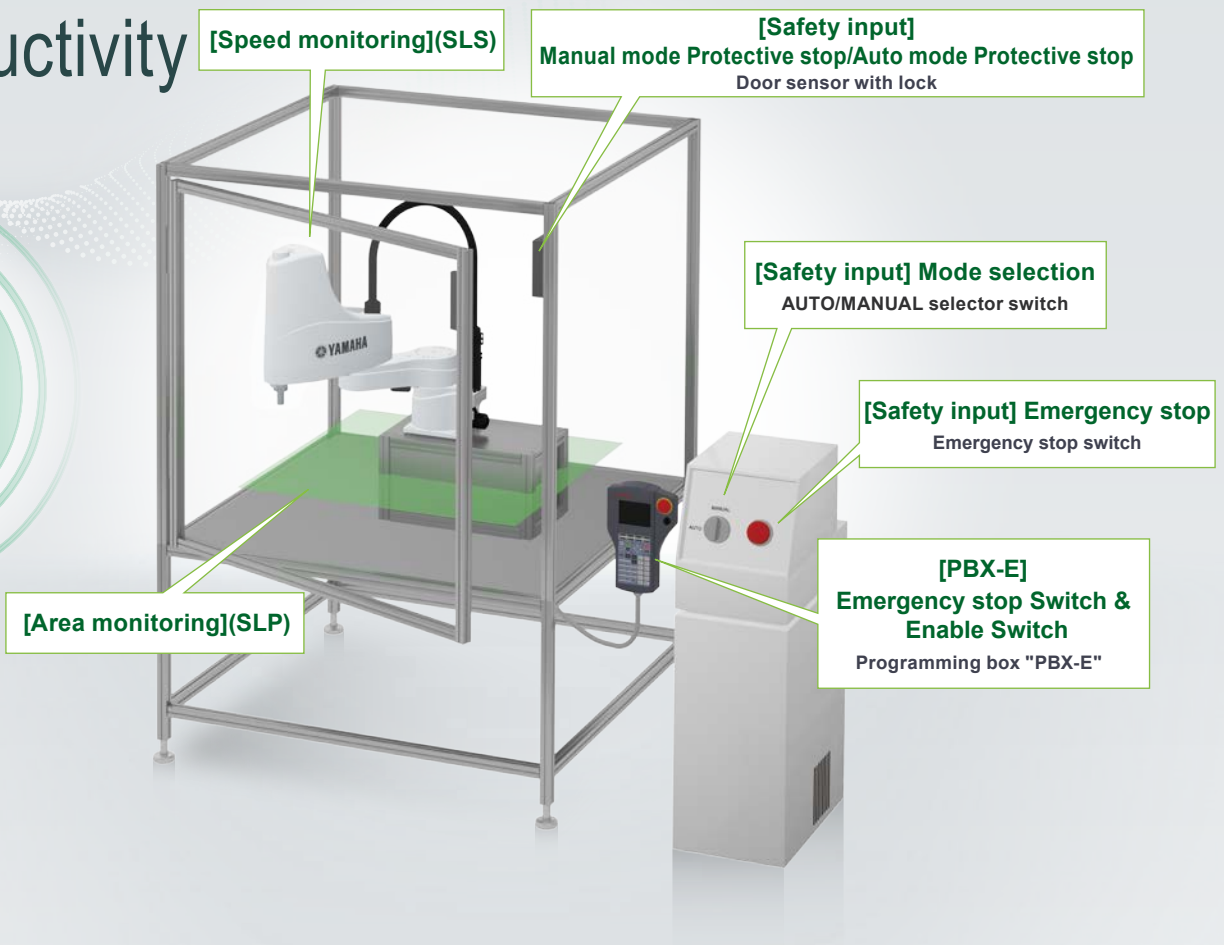
\*Plans to obtain safety function certification in 2024

### List of safety functions

Functions	Descriptions
STO	Shuts off the main power supply of the controller and shifts to a safety status
SS1-r/t	Monitors the deceleration stop of the robot, and executes <SF001>STO if it deviates from the deceleration conditions specified by the parameter.
Speed monitoring (SLS)	Monitors whether the robot speed deviates from the value specified by the parameter, and executes <SF002>SS1-r/t if it deviates.
Area monitoring (SLP)	Monitors whether the robot position deviates from the range specified by the parameter, and executes <SF002>SS1-r/t if it deviates.
PBX-E Emergency stop Switch	Monitors whether the emergency stop switch on the programming box is pressed, and executes <SF002>SS1-r/t if it is pressed.
PBX-E Enable Switch	Monitors whether the enable switch on the programming box is at the center position during the manual mode, and executes <SF002>SS1-r/t if it is not.
Safety input (Emergency stop)	Monitors the input of emergency stop contact from an external device, and executes <SF002>SS1-r/t when the contact is open.
Safety input (Mode selection)	Monitors the status of the Auto mode signal and Manual mode signal from an external device. If the status is changed, <SF002>SS1-r/t will be executed to change the operation mode.
Safety input (Manual mode Protective stop)	Monitors whether the contact of an external device is closed during manual mode, and executes <SF002>SS1-r/t if it turns open.
Safety input (Auto mode Protective stop)	Monitors whether the contact of an external device is closed during automatic mode, and executes <SF002>SS1-r/t if it turns open.
Safety input (Auto mode Speed monitoring)	Monitors whether the contact of an external device is closed during automatic mode, and if it turns open, enables <SF003> Speed Monitoring even in automatic mode.
Safety input (Area monitoring)	Monitors whether the contact of an external device is closed, and if it turns open, enables <SF004> Area Monitoring.
Safety output	Selects and outputs the status of RCX3-SMU among emergency stop status/safety status/operable status/automatic mode status.

able to balance

ining productivity



**Compatible standards\***

- Safety Standards for Industrial Robots ISO10218-1:2011
- Standards for Functional Safety of Machinery IEC 62061:2021
- Functional Safety Standards EN ISO 13849-1:2015

**NEW**

**Protective stop**

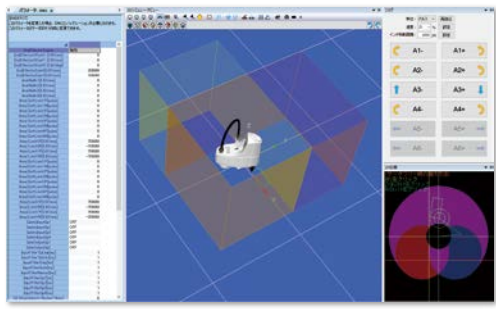
Unlike an emergency stop, which stops the entire device, a protective stop allows you to stop only a single robot. This makes equipment recovery easier and leads to improved production efficiency.

\*Plans to obtain safety function certification in 2024

## Easy setup with support software

All settings for RCX3-SMU can be set up using the support software "RCX-Studio 2020". Parameter adjustment, settings, and backup of the RCX3-SMU can be performed intuitively within one application.

### Setting the monitoring area



- The monitoring area can be confirmed on the 3D simulator.
  - You can adjust the area while checking the robot's installation layout and operation.
  - Adjustments can be made offline without the robot and SMU.
- \*The above image is under development and subject to change.  
\*When setting up the SMU, please use an Ethernet cable as the communication cable between the PC and the controller.

### Parameter settings for safety functions



SMU parameters can be set from the SMU configurator.

**Support software RCX-Studio2020**

Can be downloaded from the web

Both RCX-Studio 2020 Basic and RCX-Studio 2020 Pro software can be downloaded from the website.

\*A dedicated USB key is required to use the functions of RCX-Studio2020 without restrictions.  
\*Compatible with RCX-Studio2020 Ver.3.3.0 or later

Use case

Ensuring worker safety when taking out NG products

RCX3-SMU

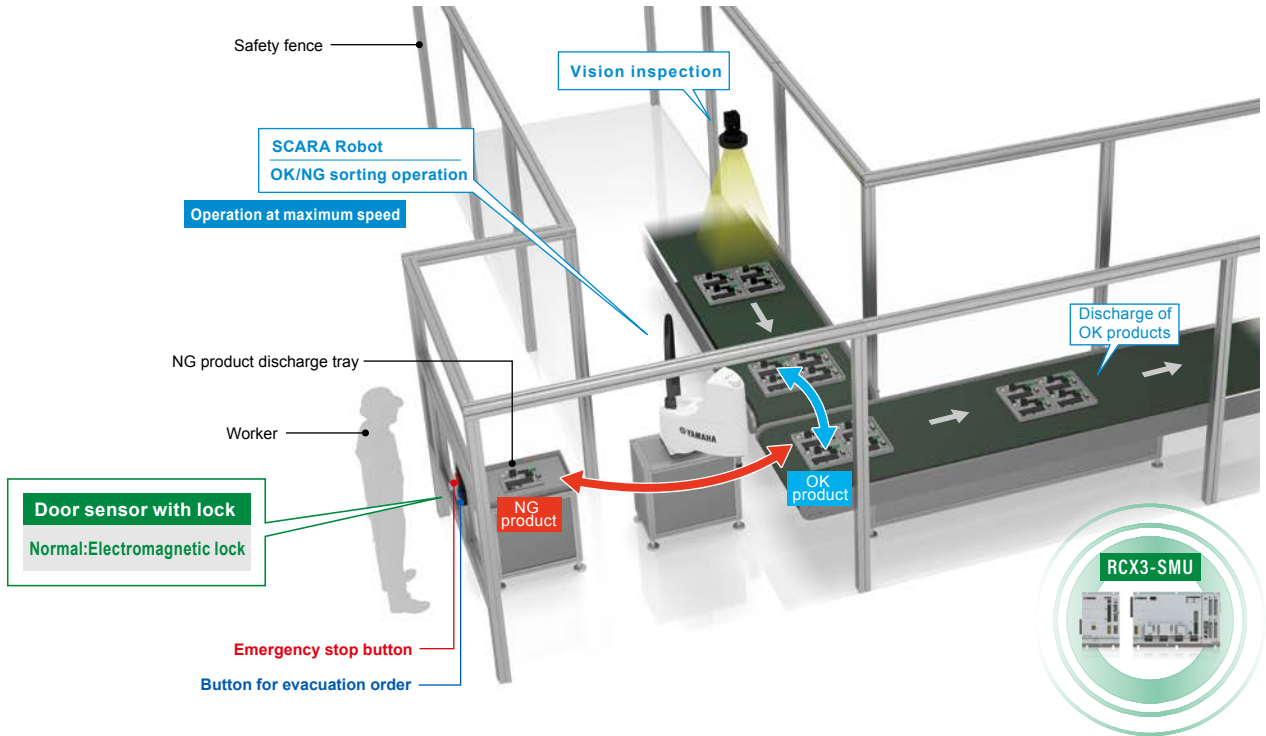
During Automatic mode

Board inspection process  
If an NG product is produced, a worker must reach in and take it out.

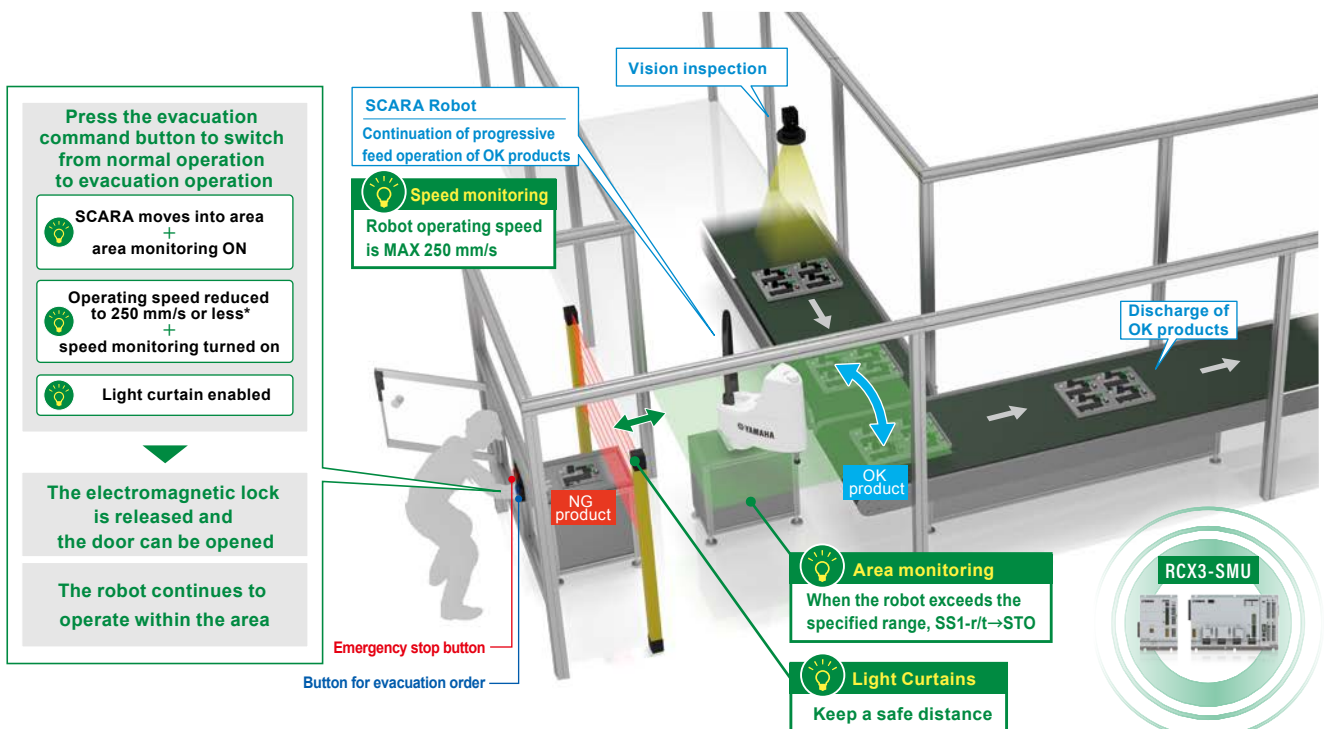


It is the customer's responsibility to implement appropriate safety measures for equipment that uses robots. Simply installing the RCX3-SMU will not prevent damage to people or equipment. Please perform risk assessment and countermeasures.

Sorting of inspection OK/NG products by SCARA robot during normal operation



NG product removal work by the worker



\* The evacuation operation and electromagnetic lock release require programming in the host device and RCX340.

## Basic specifications

Item	RCX3-SMU	
Basic specifications	Name	RCX3-SMU
	Type	Speed Monitoring Unit
	Supported Controller	RCX340-S *YC-Link/E not supported
	Target robots	Standard robot with 3 or more axes that can be connected to RCX340 (Some multi-robots are not compatible. Please contact YAMAHA sales for details.)
	Max. number of monitored axes	4 axes
	Max.number of monitored robots	1 robot
	Dimensions (W x H x D mm)	155 × 195 × 130
	Main unit weight	2.6 kg
	Cooling method	Forced air cooling
Input/Output Interface	Power supply	INPUT Single-phase 200-230 V±10%, 50/60 Hz, Min. 0.3 A, Max. 12.7 A  OUTPUT Single-phase 200-230 V±10%, 50/60 Hz, Max. 12.5 A
	Indicators	STATUS/ALARM/BEAT
	Power supply for safety I/O	Input COMMON × 1 Output COMMON × 1
	Safety Input	Emergency stop/automatic mode/manual mode/general purpose × 4
Built-in	Safety Output	General purpose × 2
	Safety circuit	Main power switch circuit
	Noise filter	Built-in noise filter
	Surge absorber	Built-in surge absorber

## Safety functions PLd, Cat. 3 (ISO13849-1) Compliant with SIL2 (EN62061)

Safety functions	RCX3-SMU		Safety functions	RCX3-SMU	
STO	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 88	MTTFd [Year]: 1304	Safety input (manual mode protective stop)	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 174	MTTFd [Year]: 654
	DCavg [%]: 94.7	SFF [%]: 97.4		DCavg [%]: 93.7	SFF [%]: 96.9
SS1	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 175	MTTFd [Year]: 652	Safety input (auto mode protective stop)	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 174	MTTFd [Year]: 654
	DCavg [%]: 93.7	SFF [%]: 96.9		DCavg [%]: 93.7	SFF [%]: 96.9
Speed monitoring	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 175	MTTFd [Year]: 652	Safety input (auto mode speed monitoring)	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 174	MTTFd [Year]: 654
	DCavg [%]: 93.7	SFF [%]: 96.9		DCavg [%]: 93.7	SFF [%]: 96.9
Area monitoring	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 175	MTTFd [Year]: 652	Safety input (area monitoring)	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 174	MTTFd [Year]: 654
	DCavg [%]: 93.7	SFF [%]: 96.9		DCavg [%]: 93.7	SFF [%]: 96.9
PBX-E emergency stop switch	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 174	MTTFd [Year]: 656	Safety output (emergency stop status)	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 65	MTTFd [Year]: 1752
	DCavg [%]: 93.7	SFF [%]: 97.0		DCavg [%]: 97.0	SFF [%]: 98.4
PBX-E enable switch	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 174	MTTFd [Year]: 656	Safety output (safety status)	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 65	MTTFd [Year]: 1752
	DCavg [%]: 93.7	SFF [%]: 97.0		DCavg [%]: 97.0	SFF [%]: 98.4
Safety input (emergency stop)	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 175	MTTFd [Year]: 653	Safety output (operable status)	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 65	MTTFd [Year]: 1752
	DCavg [%]: 93.7	SFF [%]: 96.9		DCavg [%]: 97.0	SFF [%]: 98.4
Safety input (mode selection) (manua mode)	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 175	MTTFd [Year]: 653	Safety output (auto mode status)	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 65	MTTFd [Year]: 1752
	DCavg [%]: 93.7	SFF [%]: 96.9		DCavg [%]: 97.0	SFF [%]: 98.4
Safety input (mode selection) (auto mode)	PFHd [×10 <sup>-9</sup> ]: 174	MTTFd [Year]: 656			
	DCavg [%]: 93.7	SFF [%]: 96.9			

\*Plans to obtain safety function certification in 2024

## Operating environment

Operating environment	RCX3-SMU
Ambient temperature/humidity	Operation: 0 to 40°C, 35 to 85% RH (no condensation)
	Storage: -10 to 65°C, 95% RH (no condensation)
Atmosphere	Indoors without direct sunlight. No corrosive or flammable gas, oil mist, dust, zinc acid gas, or radioactive exposure.
Vibration resistance	10-57 Hz in XYZ each direction, half amplitude 0.075 mm, 57-150 Hz, 9.8 m/s <sup>2</sup>
Degrees of protection	IP20
Altitude	0 to 2000 m above sea level

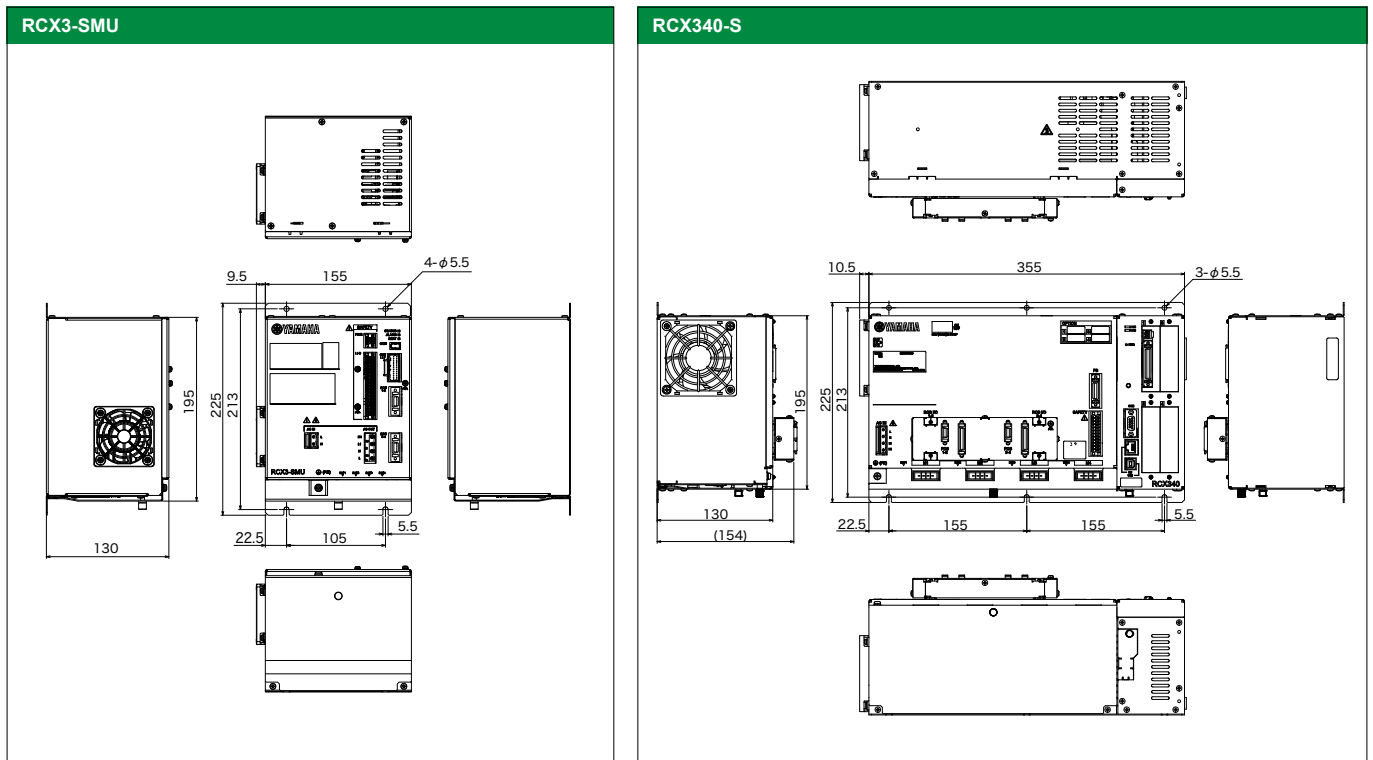
# Specifications

## Applicable standards

Applicable standards	RCX3-SMU
IEC 61508-1:2010	Functional safety of electrical/electronic/programmable electronic safety-related systems - Part 1: General requirements
IEC 61508-2:2010	Functional safety of electrical/electronic/programmable electronic safety-related systems - Part 2: Requirements for electrical/electronic/programmable electronic safety-related systems
IEC 61508-3:2010	Functional safety of electrical/electronic/programmable electronic safety-related systems - Part 3: Software requirements
IEC 62061:2021	Safety of machinery - Functional safety of safety-related control systems
EN ISO 13849-1:2015	Safety of machinery - Safety-related parts of control systems - Part 1: General principles for design
EN ISO 10218-1:2011	Robotics - Safety requirements - Part 1: Industrial robots
EN 61800-5-1:2007/A11:2021	Adjustable speed electrical power drive systems - Part 5-1: Safety requirements - Electrical, thermal and energy
EN 61800-5-2:2017	Adjustable speed electrical power drive systems - Part 5-2: Safety requirements - Functional

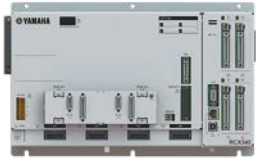
\*Plans to obtain safety function certification in 2024

## Dimensions



**RCX340Controller: Select safety standard "S" to use RCX3-SMU.**

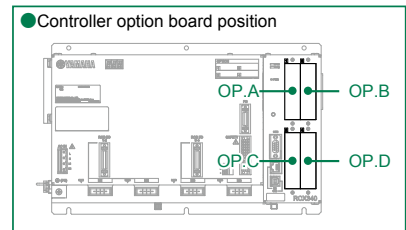
RCX340								
Controller	No. of controllable axes	Safety standards	Controller option A (OP.A)	Controller option B (OP.B)	Controller option C (OP.C)	Controller option D (OP.D)	Controller option E (OP.E)	Absolute battery
	4 : 4 axes	N: Normal	No entry: Non-selection	No entry: Non-selection	No entry: Non-selection	No entry: Non-selection	No entry: Non-selection	4 : 4 pcs.
	3 : 3 axes	E: CE	NS : STD.DIO(NPN) <sup>Note 2</sup>	NE : EXPDIO(NPN) <sup>Note 2</sup>	NE : EXPDIO(NPN) <sup>Note 2</sup>	NE : EXPDIO(NPN) <sup>Note 2</sup>	NE : EXPDIO(NPN) <sup>Note 2</sup>	3 : 3 pcs.
	2 : 2 axes <sup>Note 1</sup>	K: KCs	NE : EXPDIO(NPN) <sup>Note 2</sup>	NE : EXPDIO(NPN) <sup>Note 2</sup>	NE : EXPDIO(NPN) <sup>Note 2</sup>	NE : EXPDIO(NPN) <sup>Note 2</sup>	NE : EXPDIO(NPN) <sup>Note 2</sup>	2 : 2 pcs.
		S: SMU compatible	PS : STD.DIO(PNP) <sup>Note 2</sup>	PE : EXPDIO(PNP) <sup>Note 2</sup>	PE : EXPDIO(PNP) <sup>Note 2</sup>	PE : EXPDIO(PNP) <sup>Note 2</sup>	PE : EXPDIO(PNP) <sup>Note 2</sup>	1 : 1 pc.
			GR : Gripper	GR : Gripper	GR : Gripper	GR : Gripper	GR : Gripper	0 : 0 pc.
			TR : Tracking <sup>Note 5</sup>	TR : Tracking <sup>Note 5</sup>	TR : Tracking <sup>Note 5</sup>	TR : Tracking <sup>Note 5</sup>	TR : Tracking <sup>Note 5</sup>	
			YM1 : YC-Link/E master <sup>Note 7</sup>	YM1 : YC-Link/E master <sup>Note 7</sup>	YM1 : YC-Link/E master <sup>Note 7</sup>	YM1 : YC-Link/E master <sup>Note 7</sup>	YM1 : YC-Link/E master <sup>Note 7</sup>	
			YS2 to 4: YC-Link/E slave <sup>Note 7</sup>	YS2 to 4: YC-Link/E slave <sup>Note 7</sup>	YS2 to 4: YC-Link/E slave <sup>Note 7</sup>	YS2 to 4: YC-Link/E slave <sup>Note 7</sup>	YS2 to 4: YC-Link/E slave <sup>Note 7</sup>	
			EP : Ethernet/IP <sup>Note 8</sup>	EP : Ethernet/IP <sup>Note 8</sup>	EP : Ethernet/IP <sup>Note 8</sup>	EP : Ethernet/IP <sup>Note 8</sup>	EP : Ethernet/IP <sup>Note 8</sup>	
			PB : PROFIBUS <sup>Note 8</sup>	PB : PROFIBUS <sup>Note 8</sup>	PB : PROFIBUS <sup>Note 8</sup>	PB : PROFIBUS <sup>Note 8</sup>	PB : PROFIBUS <sup>Note 8</sup>	
			CC : CC-Link <sup>Note 8</sup>	CC : CC-Link <sup>Note 8</sup>	CC : CC-Link <sup>Note 8</sup>	CC : CC-Link <sup>Note 8</sup>	CC : CC-Link <sup>Note 8</sup>	
			DN : DeviceNet <sup>Note 8</sup>	DN : DeviceNet <sup>Note 8</sup>	DN : DeviceNet <sup>Note 8</sup>	DN : DeviceNet <sup>Note 8</sup>	DN : DeviceNet <sup>Note 8</sup>	
			PT : PROFINET <sup>Note 8</sup>	PT : PROFINET <sup>Note 8</sup>	PT : PROFINET <sup>Note 8</sup>	PT : PROFINET <sup>Note 8</sup>	PT : PROFINET <sup>Note 8</sup>	
			ES : EtherCAT <sup>Note 8</sup>	ES : EtherCAT <sup>Note 8</sup>	ES : EtherCAT <sup>Note 8</sup>	ES : EtherCAT <sup>Note 8</sup>	ES : EtherCAT <sup>Note 8</sup>	



Note. The image is of the RCX340-S (SMU compatible) specification.

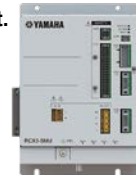
Please select desired selection items from the upper portion of the controller option A in order.

- Note 1. Safety standard "S" cannot be selected for 2 axes.
- Note 2. [STD.DIO] Parallel I/O board standard specifications  
Dedicated input 8 points, dedicated output 9 points, general-purpose input 16 points, general-purpose output 8 points  
Do not mix with field bus (CC/DN/PB/EP/PT/ES).
- Note 3. [EXP.DIO] Parallel I/O board expansion specifications  
General-purpose input 24 points, general-purpose output 16 points
- Note 4. Only one DIO STD specification board can be selected.  
Therefore, this board cannot be selected in OP.B to OP.D.
- Note 5. Select either NPN or PNP in DIO.
- Note 6. Only one tracking board can be selected.
- Note 7. Select only one master or slave board for YC-Link/E.  
For details, refer to "YC-Link/E ordering explanation" below.  
Additionally, when ordering YC-Link/E, please specify what robot is connected to what number controller.
- Note 8. Select only one fieldbus in a controller (CC/DN/PB/EP/PT/ES).



**RCX3-SMU main unit: This is the main unit of the speed monitoring unit.**

Name	Model
RCX3-SMU	KNH-M4100-00



**Standard accessories**

Name	Model	Quantity
Power connector	KNH-M4421-00	1
Wiring lever	KNH-M657M-00	1

Name	Model	Quantity
SAFETY I/O connector	KNH-M4423-00	1

Name	Model	Quantity
SAFETY PWR connector	KNH-M4422-00	1

Name	Model	Quantity
Absolute battery	KCA-M53G0-02	4

**Optional parts: The following four types of cables are required to use RCX3-SMU.**

Select the cable you need below.

**Power cable that connects RCX3-SMU to RCX340**

Name	Model	Cable length
AC POWER cable	KNH-M53E0-00	0.5m
	KNH-M53E0-10	1m
	KNH-M53E0-20	2m

**Communication cable between RCX3-SMU and RCX340.**

Name	Model	Cable length
COM cable	KNH-M538F-00	0.5m
	KNH-M538F-10	1m
	KNH-M538F-20	2m

**Safety input/output cable between RCX3-SMU and RCX340.**

Name	Model	Cable length
CNT I/F cable	KNH-M5370-00	0.5m
	KNH-M5370-10	1m
	KNH-M5370-20	2m

**Cable for each resolver for 1st-2nd axis/3rd-4th axis between RCX3-SMU and RCX340.**

Name	Model	Cable length	Label
ROBO I/O cable	KNH-M5361-00	0.5m	Yellow
	KNH-M5361-10	1m	
	KNH-M5361-20	2m	
	KNH-M5361-40	0.5m	Silver
	KNH-M5361-50	1m	
	KNH-M5361-60	2m	



### Safety Precautions

Read the instruction manual thoroughly to operate the robot in a correct manner.



**YAMAHA**  
YAMAHA MOTOR CO., LTD.

**Robotics Operations  
Sales & Marketing Section  
FA Sales & Marketing Division**

127 Toyooka, Chuo-Ku, Hamamatsu, Shizuoka 433-8103, Japan  
Tel. +81-53-525-8350 Fax. +81-53-525-8378

URL <https://global.yamaha-motor.com/business/robot/>