# **LIN ENGINEERING**The Step Motor Specialists





Proven Application Support, Performance and Quality

Over the past decade, Lin Engineering has gained a tremendous amount of market share and earned a reputation as the "Leader in Step Motor Technology."

Why are more and more engineers choosing Lin Engineering?

#### **Versatile Product Lines**



High Torque and Extreme Torque stepper motors that will help you avoid stalling and skipping steps.



Stepper motors specifically designed to weather extreme environments like high/low temperatures, clean rooms, dust and water.



Get high accuracy, low resonance, and quiet performance from these stepper motors.

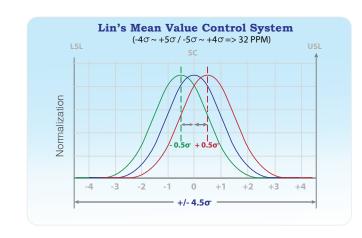


Small stepper motors perfect for applications with compact space and size constraints.

#### Lin Engineering has a reputation for high quality products for good reason; our quality policy is "Continuous Improvement" utilizing the 4.5 Sigma Way.

Why does our quality consistently out perform the competition?

### 4.5 Sigma From Lin Engineering - a True Quality System



RELIABLE QUALITY

We've implemented 4.5 Sigma in order to accomplish the following goals:

- Establish a robust Mean Value Control System
- Perform incoming inspection at our supplier's site
- Ensure quality products with every shipment



#### **Proven Application Support, Performance and Quality**



#### **Unrivaled Application Support**

- 98% application success rate
- 95% of prototypes shipped in less than 1 week



#### **High Performance**

- Highest torque output
- High accuracy = no skipping steps
- Reduced vibration and resonance
- Versatile Product Lines to accommodate many applications



#### **Reliable Quality**

- Consistent Performance
- 4.5 Sigma System
- ISO 9001 Certified
- Continuous Improvement

#### **Growing Market Share**



**Customers in 2005** 



#### **Our Certifications**



#### **Small Business Administration**

Lin Engineering has been certified as a Small Disadvantaged Business under the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) guidelines



#### ISO 9001

The Certification Body of TUV America Inc. has certified that Lin Engineering has implemented a Quality Management System in Accordance with ISO 9001:2000.



At Lin Engineering, safety is our mission, and product safety testing and certification is one way we deliver that mission every day.



Lin Engineering has been ITAR registered since 2010; over the years we have worked with a number of different customers on ITAR projects and have built a proven system to ensure success.



#### **RoHS Compliant**

Lin Engineering is committed to offering products compliant with the EU RoHS directive.



#### **CE Declaration**

Lin Engineering assures that our motors meet the following European Norm Standards:

- EN55014-1: 2007
- EN60034-1.5.11



Lin Engineering is a supplier of products that do not "intentionally release" chemicals, and therefore we are not bound by the REACH regulation regarding chemical registration.



Lin Engineering Stepper Motors are designed to help solve the most common motion control issues.

- **√** Torque (i.e. stalling, missed steps, etc.)
- √ Noise
- √ Vibration/Resonance
- √ Accuracy & Repeatability
- **√** Heat Generation
- **√** Outlasting Environmental Elements

**Read on to Discover Your Solution** 



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#### COMPACT MOTORS

#### NEMA 8 | 1.8° Step Angle



208

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 4.0 oz-in (0.03 N-m)

#### NEMA 14 | 0.9° Step Angle



**3709** With **Signature Series** TECHNOLOGY

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 16 oz-in (0.11 N-m)

#### NEMA 11 | 1.8° Step Angle



211

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 16.6 oz-in (0.12 N-m)

#### NEMA 17 | 0.9° Step Angle



4109
With Signature Series
TECHNOLOGY

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 22 oz-in (0.16 N-m)

# **enviro** Step

Stepper motors specifically designed to weather extreme environments like high/low temperatures, clean rooms, dust, and water.

### **IP65** RATED MOTORS

## IPX7 RATED MOTORS

## VACUUM RATED MOTORS

#### NEMA 17 | 1.8° Step Angle



4118

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 125 oz-in (0.88 N-m)

#### NEMA 17 | 1.8° Step Angle



4118

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 125 oz-in (0.88 N-m)

#### NEMA 11 | 1.8° Step Angle



211

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 16.6 oz-in (0.12 N-m)

#### NEMA 23 | 1.8° Step Angle



5718

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 294 oz-in (2 08 N-m)

#### NEMA 23 | 1.8° Step Angle



5718

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 294 oz-in (2.08 N-m)

#### NEMA 17 | 1.8° Step Angle



4118

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 125 oz-in (0.88 N-m)

#### NEMA 34 | 1.8° Step Angle



8718

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 1288 oz-in (9.10 N-m)

#### NEMA 34 | 1.8° Step Angle



8718

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 1288 oz-in (9.10 N-m)

## NEMA 23 | 1.8° Step Angle



5718

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 294 oz-in (2.08 N-m)

## HIGH TEMP MOTORS



These motors are designed to withstand ambient temperatures of up to 110° C





High Torque and Extreme Torque stepper motors that will help you avoid stalling and skipping steps.

### HIGH TORQUE

#### NEMA 17 | 1.8° Step Angle



#### 4018

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 42 oz-in (0.30 N-m)



#### 4118

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 125 oz-in (0.89 N-m)

#### NEMA 23 | 1.8° Step Angle



#### 5618

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 175 oz-in (1.24 N-m)



#### 5718

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 305 oz-in (2.16 N-m)



#### 5818

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 294 oz-in (2.08 N-m)

#### NEMA 34 | 1.8° Step Angle



#### 8618

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 700 oz-in (4.94 N-m)



#### 8718

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 1288 oz-in (9.10 N-m)

#### XTREME TORQUE

#### NEMA 17 | 1.8° Step Angle

NEMA 23 | 1.8° Step Angle



4418

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 100 oz-in (0.71 N-m)



G4518

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 125 oz-in (0.88 N-m)

#### GEAR MOTORS



#### E5618 With **Enhanced**

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 150 oz-in (1.06 N-m) 2.01" Max body length



#### E5718 With Enhanced TECHNOLOGY

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 400 oz-in (2.82 N-m) 3.54" Max body length

#### NEMA 34 | 1.8° Step Angle



E8718 With Enhanced
TECHNOLOGY

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 1500 oz-in (10.59 N-m) 2.64" Max body length

#### WHISPER TORQUE

#### NEMA 23 | 0.9° Step Angle



**G5709** 

With Signature Series HOLDING TORQUE Up to 270 oz-in (1.91 N-m)

#### NEMA 17 | 1.8° Step Angle



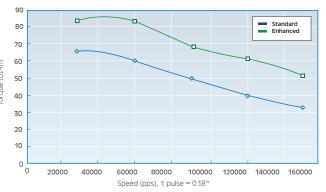
#### 4418 With Slim Line

CONTINUOUS TORQUE Up to 141 oz-in (0.99 N-m)

Less than 2" in overall length

### With **Enhanced TECHNOLOGY**

#### **Enhanced vs. Standard Motor Torque Comparison**



#### Get Up to

**35**%

More Torque with the Same Power Input

**Enhance your application's performance** with the new NEMA 23 and 34 Enhanced

**Stepper Motor series!** 

The Benefits?

√ No Skipping Steps √ More Efficient

√ No Stalling

# BMOTOR



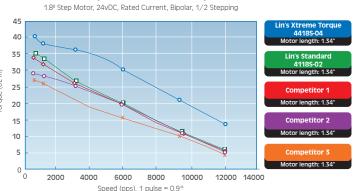
#### The Benefits?

√ No Stalling

√ Better Heat Dissipation

√ Space Efficient

#### Xtreme Torque 4418S Series Comparison



**More Torque = No Skipping Steps + Avoid Stalling** 



Get high accuracy, low resonance, and quiet performance from these stepper motors.

### HIGH ACCURACY

#### NEMA 17 | 0.9° Step Angle



4209

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 62 oz-in (0.44 N-m)

#### NEMA 23 | 0.45° Step Angle



5704

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 140 oz-in (0.99 N-m)

#### NEMA 23 | 0.9° Step Angle



5609

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 108 oz-in (0.75 N-m)

## XTREME ACCURACY

#### NEMA 14 | 0.9° Step Angle



3709

With Signature Series TECHNOLOGY HOLDING TORQUE Up to 16 oz-in (0.12 N-m)



3809

With Signature Series
TECHNOLOGY

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 16 oz-in (0.12 N-m)

#### NEMA 17 | 0.9° Step Angle



416-05/06

With Signature Series
TECHNOLOGY

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 7.3 oz-in (0.05 N-m)



416-07

With Signature Series
TECHNOLOGY
HOLDING TORQUE
Up to 8.4 oz-in
(0.06 N-m)



4109

With Signature Series
TECHNOLOGY
HOLDING TORQUE
Up to 22 oz-in
(0.16 N-m)



With Signature Series
TECHNOLOGY
HOLDING TORQUE
Up to 30 oz-in
(0.21 N-m)

### WHISPER TORQUE

#### NEMA 17 | 0.9° Step Angle



Z417-11
With Signature Series
TECHNOLOGY

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 12 oz-in (0.08 N-m)



ZH417-11

With Signature Series TECHNOLOGY

HOLDING TORQUE Up to 12 oz-in (0.08 N-m)

Hollow Shaft with up to 11mm ID available!

#### NEMA 23 | 0.9° Step Angle



G5709
With Signature Series
TECHNOLOGY

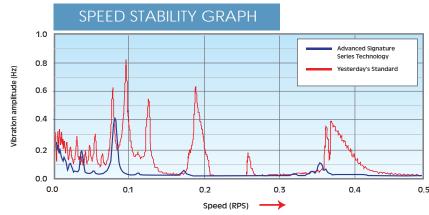
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# **GET MORE ACCURACY**

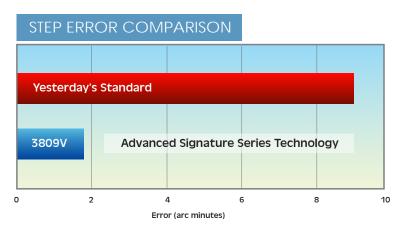
# PATENTED Signature Séries



Reduce Resonance



Increase Accuracy



Signature Series Stepper Motors produce less resonance and are more accurate than standard stepper motors

**More Accuracy = No Skipping Steps + Smoother Motion** 

# **Take Advantage of Our Value Added Services**

- **√** Reduce Cost
- √ Save Time
- **√** Better Supply Chain Control
- **√** Lin Quality Standards for Every Component

# **Encoders, Dampers, Gearboxes, & Mechatronics**



Verification & Accuracy with Encoders



with Dampers



▲ Increase

Torque & Speed

with Gearboxes

Intelligent Motors with Mechatronics

▲ Utilize



**Bearings & Lubricants** 

Ball Bearings, Stainless Steel Bearings, Seals, Special Lubricants for high temperature/humid operation





IP65 (Splash Proof) IPX7 (Submersible)



## **Lead Wires & Cables**



Braided or Twisted Leads

Special Lead Wire

Tie Wraps



Custom Connector & Cable

Heat Shrink Tube Cable Available)

(Special length

11



Flat

**Slotted** 





\*Based on customer provided drawings and specifications



**Multiple Mounting Configurations** 

**Multiple Shaft Options \*** 

NEMA 8, 11, 14, 17, 23 and 34

## Lin can help calculate speed, torque and input

**Winding** 

power creating a winding that is specific to your application at no extra cost

#### ▲ The Benefits?

- √ High Efficiency
- √ Less Power Input
- √ No Trial & Error
- √ Save Time, Money, and Energy

**Helical Cut** 

**Cross Drilled** 

R256, R356, R525



#### Utilize over 40 years of design & development experience.

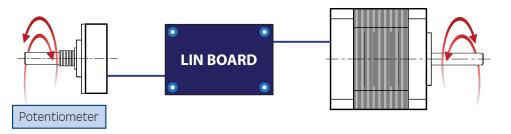
Whether you are looking for a simple plug & play solution or something a bit more advanced, we can help design, develop, and even manufacture products that are tailor made for your application

#### The Benefits?

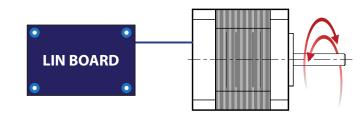
- Save on development time
- ► Reduce overall product cost
- Utilize over 40 years of motion control experience

#### Below are 2 examples of products that were developed for specific customer applications:

1- Simple controller with variable microstepping and speed control via potentiometer



2- Controller with factory programmed settings. Variable settings include speed, time, microstepping, and direction.



#### Intuitive Graphical User Interfaces (GUI) can also be developed



Lin Driver shown as an example

# BRUSHLESS DC (BLDC) MOTORS

# INTEGRATED SOLUTIONS

**Power** House

#### Intelligent/ On-Board Memory

▼ Silverpak 17C

Up to 256x Microstepping

• Up to 85 oz-in (0.60 N-m)

of Holding Torque

• High Resolution

• High Torque

Cost

**Effective** 

▼ Silverpak 17D

• Up to 85 oz-in (0.60 N-m) of Holding Torque

Motor + Driver • Small Package • High Torque

Motor + Driver + Controller

#### ▼ Silverpak 34D

#### Motor + Driver

- Up to 7 Amps Peak Current
- Up to 75 VDC Voltage • High Torque
- Up to 1288 oz-in (9.10 N-m) of Holding Torque

## On-Board Memory

#### ▼ Silverpak 23C

Intelligent/

#### Motor + Driver + Controller

- Optional Encoder
- High Torque
- Up to 294 oz-in (2.08 N-m) of Holding Torque

**Versatile** 

House

#### ▼ Silverpak 23D Plus Motor + Driver

#### • Up to 5 Amps Peak Current

- Up to 75 VDC Voltage
- High Torque
- Up to 294 oz-in (2.08 N-m) of Holding Torque





# **Gearboxes**

#### Spur and Planetary Available

- Available in multiple ratios
- Available for NEMA 17 and NEMA 23 BLDC's

#### **Shafts & Connectors**

- Double Shaft
- Flats on Front and Rear Shafts
- Shorter or Longer Shafts
- Cross Hole
- Connectors & Sleeving
- High Temp Environment

#### **▼ NEMA 17**

- Available in 4 Stack Lengths
- Up to 82 oz-in (0.58 N-m)
- Rated Speed of up to 4,000 RPM
- Additional Windings Available

#### ▼ NEMA 23

- Available in 4 Stack Lengths
- Up to 156 oz-in (1.1 N-m) Peak Torque • Rated Speed of up to 4,000 RPM
- Additional Windings Available





## CUSTOMIZE YOUR BLDC

#### **Encoders**

#### **Various Options Available**

• Models: E2, E3 & E5





























#### **Headquarters in Nanjing, China**

Scale your business with Lin Engineering at design and pre-production levels. At low volumes, Lin Engineering has full design and manufacturing capabilities in Morgan Hill, CA. For high volumes, we have a proven process for transferring both technology and product to our Asia Headquarters, LEaN, for cost effective manufacturing without sacrificing quality.

#### **▼** The Benefits?

- √ Cost effective solution without sacrificing quality
- $\mathbf{V}_{\perp}$  Double source through a single supplier
- V Consistently high service and support
- √ Minimize lead times

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#### **▼** Customer Service

LEaN has a team of customer service personnel dedicated to providing you with personal and professional service.

## **▼** Quality & Reliability

Similar to Lin Engineering's U.S. headquarters, LEaN produces high quality and consistently reliable products.

#### **▼ Value Added Services**

Whether its a simple request to add a cable or connector or something a bit more complex like mounting a pulley or customizing the motor's shaft, LEaN has a long list of value added services that help you minimize costs and lead times.









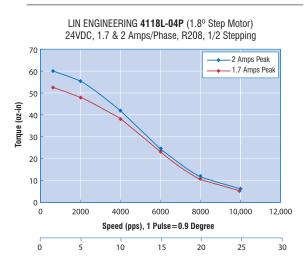


#### **CURRENT & VOLTAGE**

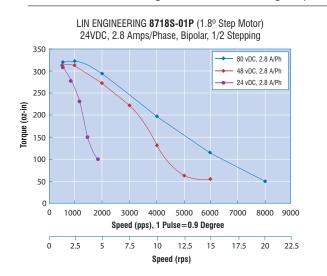
Since step motors rotate by sending current to the different phases in a specific switching sequence each pulse that is sent to the motor must rise and deplete (also known as a current-rise time). At slow speeds, each step it takes should have plenty of time to fully rise to 100% current and deplete. You will receive maximum power and thus, the reason why torque-speed curves have high torque at the low speeds. Voltage acts like a means to allow current to flow faster or slower. If you increase voltage, you are pushing the current through the motor windings at a faster rate. Now, instead of only rising and depleting about 50% of the max current, perhaps it has increased to about 60 or 75% by increasing the voltage.

Below shows a few curves that depict what different voltages and currents do to the torque-speed curves of several motors.

This curve shows that current will affect the slower speeds

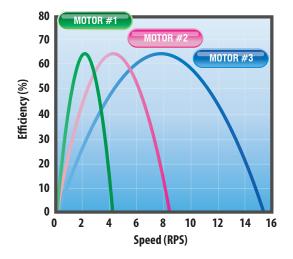


This curve shows that voltage affects the curve at higher speeds



#### **EFFICIENCY**

An efficiency curve exists for every motor to help ensure that the proper one has been selected. The image depicts three different motor efficiencies when plotted across a speed range. Some motors, such as #1, perform at their best only at low speeds while others, such as #3, perform better at high speeds.

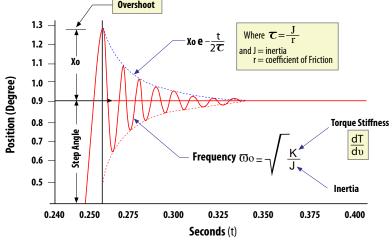


#### TIPS ON REDUCING RESONANCE:

Every step motor has a resonant frequency wherein more vibration will be seen by the motor at a specific speed. This resonant frequency is due to the oscillation (i.e. back and forth movement) that occurs before the motor settles into each desired position. The oscillation frequency will resonate at certain speeds and cause a 1st order, 2nd order and sometimes even a 3rd order amplitude at several speed ranges. A classic example is vibration seen at 1 RPS (the 1st order), and then slightly less vibration at 2 RPS (the 2nd order).

Below is a graph of a step motor's step response or the oscillation that the motor makes just prior to settling into the desired position. In this particular graph, the desired position was going from 0 to 0.9 degrees.

#### **STEP RESPONSE**



Although resonance cannot truly be avoided, there are ways to both reduce resonance and shift the resonance to a different speed location altogether. Looking at the equation for the resonant frequency,  $\omega$ , the two main factors are Torque Stiffness and Inertia. By changing one of these factors, you can shift the resonance to a lower or higher speed.

#### INCREASE OR DECREASE VOLTAGE AND/OR CURRENT

By changing the input voltage to the drive, or changing the current (Amps) going from the driver to the motor windings you are essentially altering the torque, and therefore the top numerator of the frequency equation. If you are able to sacrifice some torque, try decreasing the overall power as this could help reduce or shift resonance away from your operating point.

#### **INCREASE YOUR INERTIA LOAD**

When you add more load to the shaft of the motor, you are essentially dampening the vibrations. Based on the equation, increasing the bottom denominator will shift the resonance to a lower spot.

#### **INCREASE MICROSTEPPING**

If you have capabilities to increase microstepping from the driver this will force the motor to take much smaller steps which will oscillate much less. Reducing the amount of oscillation directly reduces the amount of resonance. This method reduces resonance across the entire speed range.

#### **CHOOSE A DIFFERENT MOTOR**

If all else fails you may need a different motor. In most cases, the motor is too powerful and causes vibration and resonance since it is expecting to move a much heavier load. Choosing a motor that is more suitable for the job could be the solution. If all else fails try Lin Engineering's Signature Series line of steppers which are mechanically designed to reduce vibrations for a smoother motion profile. See page 6-7 for further details.

# **WE PROVIDE SOLUTIONS**

for Motion Control Applications

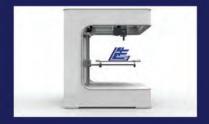


#### Lin motors are used to enhance a variety of different applications in these industries:

**Medical Devices** 



**3D Printing** 



Food & Beverage



Security & Surveillance



**Industrial Automation** 



Packaging & Labeling



Semiconductor



**Tracking Systems** 



Many MORE!



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