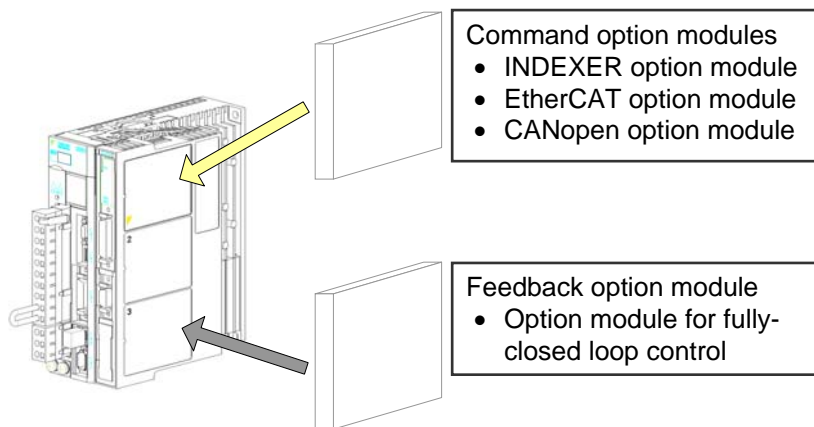


Press Release

Outstanding Expandability - Sigma-V Command Option Attachable Type

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We are announcing the command option attachable type SERVOPACKs with further outstanding expandability. It meets the needs of high compatibility of various communications interface.



The new Sigma-5 Command Option Attachable Type servo amplifier has a superlative performance and is very simple to start-up. In addition to the Sigma-5 Analog/Pulse and Mechatrolink versions the Command Option Attachable Type servo amplifiers have further strengthened the characteristic of outstanding expandability. By installing the INDEXER command option module it is possible to increase the point-to-point positioning functionality of the Sigma-5 servo amplifiers. With the communication command options it is possible to configure SERVOPACKs compatible with several industrial networks like CANopen fieldbus or EtherCAT real-time Ethernet.

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