



# JC150 SINGLE AXIS JOYSTICK CONTROLLER

# INNOVATION IN MOTION

The JC150 single-axis joystick controller is designed for demanding operator control applications in off-highway vehicles and other man-machine interfaces, where lever strength, signal reliability, and handle functionality are important. The joystick is supplied with a long life conductive plastic potentiometer track and directional/center off or end switches to provide signals for sensing lever direction and fault detection. The JC150's compact size, high lever strength and superb proportional control are ideal for applications which include operator controls on a wide range of off-highway vehicles, including cranes, loaders, excavators, access platforms, tractors and harvesters.

# Handles and multifunction grips

The JC150 can be specified with a choice of handles and multifunction grips to increase the functionality of the operator controls. With a choice of push buttons, trigger grips, proportional and switched rockers in a variety of different configurations, users can match their handle selection to suit their unique application. A center or end locking handle is also available to provide a mechanical safety lock – eliminating unwanted movement of the lever.





# Innovative design

With a choice of potentiometer tracks that provide the analog signals proportional to lever movement, the JC150 can be configured to provide a range of output signals, directional/center or end switching functions, spring to center or friction hold lever movement and seven different handle styles. The JC150's rectangular profile below the panel allows a number of joysticks to be mounted side by side. All electrical signals terminate in a single AMP 040 multi-lock connector on the base, reducing installation time.

# **Features**

- · Potentiometric sensing
- · Spring to center or friction hold single axis control
- High strength lever with superb proportional control
  - Locking handle option
  - Sealed above the panel to IP65
  - Choice of outputs and switches
- Choice of handles/grips with or without switches
  - AMP '040' series multi-lock connector

# **Benefits**

- Long life and maintenance-free operation
- Suited to a range of operator control functions
- · Rugged and smooth lever movement
- · Eliminates unwanted lever movement
- · Operation in demanding environments
- Enables user configuration for system safety
- · Additional operator control functions
- Simple, error free installation



## Quality Assurance

Penny+Giles are accredited to BS EN ISO9001:2000 Quality is at the heart of all our systems ensuring the reliability of our products from initial design to final despatch.



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The products detailed in this document are supplied as components for installation into an electrical apparatus or system. They are outside the scope of the EEC directive and will not be CE marked.

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# Total reliability

The JC150 includes lever mechanics designed to give smooth proportional control, and has been designed to withstand a load on the handle up to 300N, measured 135mm above the panel. Conductive plastic potentiometer tracks featuring multi-fingered precious metal wipers give low electrical noise and a working life greater than 2 million operations with zero maintenance during this period.

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# Safety

Designed to interface with an electronic controller, the long-life potentiometer track generates analog outputs with switched reference signals that are proportional to the distance and direction over which the lever is moved. The analog output can be configured to provide signals for fault detection circuits, and a center tap provides an accurate voltage reference for the center position or a zero point for a bipolar supply voltage. The electrically independent directional switch operates with separate contacts each side of the joystick center position, with an option for an end of travel switch. Penny & Giles recommend that the design of the separate machine controller should execute a fault routine if it detects a signal that is outside the specification

The key advantages of this technology are its linear output and the versatility it derives from its simplicity; it consists of a carbon-based potentiometer track with no complex circuitry or electronics, so it is not susceptible to electromagnetic interference or magnetic fields. However, as a contacting device it does have a long, but finite life and due consideration should be given to applications subject to high intensity use or where high levels of dither or vibration may be encountered.



# **Custom design**

Penny + Giles offer an extensive range of fingertip and hand operated joysticks in standard modular configurations, designed to meet the majority of individual customer needs, but we can customise our designs for OEMs who require something more specialised to their application. Please talk to our technical sales team about your requirements.

# Cell manufactured

The modular design of the JC150 joystick is designed to provide the user with a wide choice of options, but allows rapid build and despatch. Contact your nearest sales office for the latest information on availability.





# JC150 joystick controller

# PERFORMANCE MECHANICAL

**Lever action** Self centering (standard) or friction lock (FL option)

Lever breakout force\* N 4.9 to 10.7 (standard)

N 13 to 17 to overcome detent - FL option

Lever operating force\*\* N 16.8 to 21.5 (Standard - full lever deflection)

N 8 to 12 when out of detent - FL option

Maximum allowable force\*\* N 300 Lever operating angle  $\circ$  ±34

Expected life (operations) Greater than 2 million (0.5 million for Friction Lock (FL) action or handle options CL and EL)

Weight g 560 without handle fitted

## **ENVIRONMENTAL**

Operating temperature °C -20 to +70

Storage temperature °C -40 to +85

Environmental protection above the flange

# ELECTRICAL Analog Track

Resolution Virtually infinite Track resistance (±20%) kΩ 1.6, 2, 2.9, 5, 10

Track electrical angle ° ±32

Output voltage range % 0-100, 10-90, 25-75 of input voltage

Center tap voltage % 48 - 52 of applied voltage

Center tap angle  $^{\circ}$   $\pm 2.5$  Supply voltage - maximum Vdc  $^{35}$ 

**Wiper circuit impedance**  $M\Omega$  1 minimum recommended\*\*\*

Power dissipation @ 25°C W 0.25 (no load)

**Insulation resistance** Greater than  $50M\Omega$  at 500Vdc

# Switch-

# Directional or Center off

Switch operating angle ° 5 or 7.5 either side of center

**Standard** 

**Optional** 

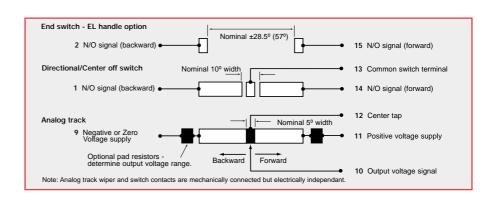
# **End Switch**

# Switch operating angle ° 28.5 either side of center

Supply voltage - maximum Vdc 35

Load current - maximum mA 10 (resistive)

# ANALOG TRACK &SWITCH DIAGRAM



<sup>\*</sup> Measured at 75mm above upper flange face (80mm for FL option) \*\* Measured at 135mm above upper flange face

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>The long life resistive elements require a high impedance load in the wiper circuit to minimise the current flowing through the wiper for optimum life conditions

# JC150 Joystick Controller

## DIMENSIONS

Note: drawings not to scale

## INSTALLATION

The joystick is designed to be fitted from below the mounting panel, through a 42 - 44mm diameter hole. The effectiveness of the joystick flange sealing is dependent on the panel mounting surface being sufficiently rigid to compress the sealing gaiter. The surface finish of the mounting panel is critical to achieving an adequate seal and rough surface finishes, paint chips, deep scratches, etc. should be avoided.

# Recommended panel thickness 3.5 to 6mm

# Recommended screw torque

M5 fixing screws can be driven to a maximum torque of 3.5Nm when clamped against a 3.5mm thick panel.

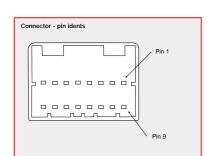
The mounting hole depth is 13mm.

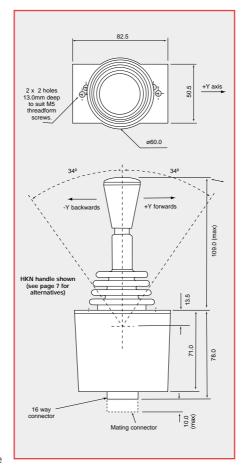
The joystick mounting flange should be connected to the vehicle chassis or reference plane (normally zero volts).

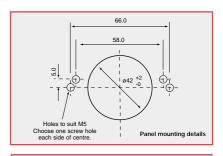
# ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS

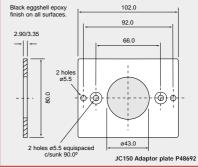
# Mating 16 way connector and pins

# Mating 16 way harness









# MOUNTING PLATE DETAILS

When the JC150 is selected with the 'A' range handle option, an adaptor plate (P48692) is required to mount the joystick assembly from the top of the panel.

All potentiometer track and directional/center/end switch connections terminate in a single 16-way AMP '040' series multi-lock connector in the joystick base.

**SA47931** (AMP 040 16 Way Connector 174046-2; Pins 175062-1 suitable for 20-24 AWG wire size)

P49780 (Connector, Pins and 380mm long cable with 16/0.2mm wires - 20 AWG)

Description	Connector Pin Number
Positive voltage supply	11
Center tap	12
Negative or zero voltage supply	9
Output voltage signal	10
Directional switch track N/O signal (lever forward +	Y) 14
Directional switch track N/O signal (lever backward	-Y) 1
End switch track N/O signal (lever fully forward +Y)	15 (EL handle option)
End switch track N/O signal (lever fully backward -Y)	) 2 (EL handle option)
Common terminal for directional switches	13
Common terminal for handle switches	16
	3
	4
Please refer to handle data sheets for detailed	5
connections on chosen handle	6
	7
	8

# JC150 JOYSTICK CONTROLLER HOW TO SPECIFY

option selected - go to Special	7.5° directional switch £7.5° directional switch £5° directional switch ° directional switch .5° directional switch	Y E L N Q R S T
tentiometer - 10k, 0-100%, ± tentiometer - 1.6k, 0-100%, ± tentiometer - 2.9k, 25-75%, ± tentiometer - 2k, 10-90%, ± 7 tentiometer - 2k, 10-90%, ± 7 tentiometer - 2.9k, 25-75%, ± uty spring to center, 7.8N brea option selected - go to Special	7.5° directional switch 27.5° directional switch 25° directional switch 3° directional switch 27.5° directional switch 27.5° directional switch 27.5° directional switch	L N Q R S T
option selected - go to Special	,	/
knob, no functions k handle andle with options for button or rock with optional button or rocke grip with multiple buttons and with optional 4-way rocker s	er switching d proportional rockers	CL EL HB MG A
nterface board (no electronics) nterface board, with adaptor p	olate - use when A handle selected	STN STA
-	n only Il travel position ition only	FLD0 FLD1 FLD2 FLD3 FLD4 FLD5
	ck with detent at center position ck with detent at center and ful ck with detent at full travel posi	ck with detent at center position only ck with detent at center and full travel position ck with detent at full travel position only ck with detent at center and 25° either side of center

# C 1 5 O JOYSTICK CONTROLLER HANDLE OPTIONS

### HKN

The HKN handle is the simplest option available for the JC150. This handle does not include any additional functionality, but is designed to allow



the JC150 joystick to be controlled by the operator gripping the handle, palm downwards.

### CL/EL

Developed to improve the integrity of your control system, the Center Lock (CL) and End Lock (EL) handles provide a mechanical safety lock - eliminating unwanted movement of the



lever. They mechanically hold the shaft of the JC150 in its safe central position or at either end of the JC150's range of travel. Lifting the collar under the base of the handle unlocks the shaft.

# **HB RANGE**

Developed to replicate the functionality of a traditional mechanical handle, the 'HB' range can be supplied with either a momentary action button or rocker switch, mounted into the top of the handle, within easy reach of the operator's thumb. These can be configured as a 'Person Present' feature or, for example, the steer signal for an access platform.

# **MG RANGE**

This option is designed to provide a simple approach to a 'Person Present' handle. The 'MG' range can be supplied with or without an operators hand rest and can be configured with a combination of momentary action button or rocker switch in the top of the handle, with a trigger switch at the front of the hand grip. The handle profile ensures the operator's fingers are permanently close to the buttons, minimising operator fatigue and maximising functional control. This handle can also be purchased separately, for fitting to customer levers or assemblies. Ask our sales team for more details on this option.



# **A RANGE**

This option is designed to meet the demands for more complex control systems in off-highway applications. The 'A' range of ergonomic multifunction hand grips can be fitted with a combination of analog outputs, push button and 'Person Present' switches. The handle can be supplied with two independent analog outputs generated by proportional rockers which, in turn, provide auxiliary directional switching in addition to the potentiometric output. When coupled with the JC150 joystick, this unit can provide a three-axis control device.

This handle can also be purchased separately, for fitting to customer levers or assemblies. Ask our sales team for more details on this option.

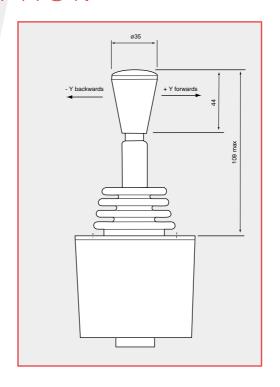


This option provides an alternative approach to a 'Person Present' handle whilst offering the flexibility of multiple switches in the top of the handle. The 'W' range can be supplied with (WT) or without (WN) the 'Person Present' trigger switch as well as up to four switches in the handle top. These can be specified to be in any of the four 'on axis' positions.



# HKN HANDLE OPTION

# **DIMENSIONS**



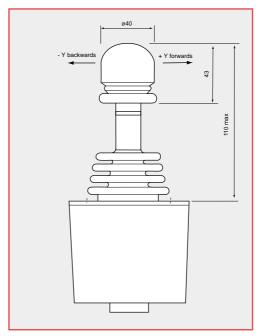
# **SPECIFICATION**

Handle material
Colour
Handle retention force

Gloss finish duroplast Black 60N min

# CL/EL HANDLE OPTION

# **DIMENSIONS**

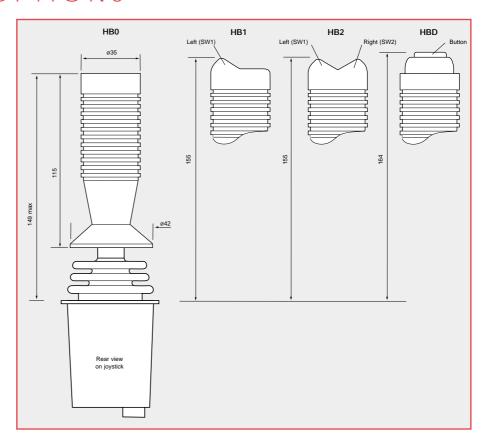


# **SPECIFICATION**

Handle material Colour Neoprene rubber Black

# HB HANDLE OPTIONS

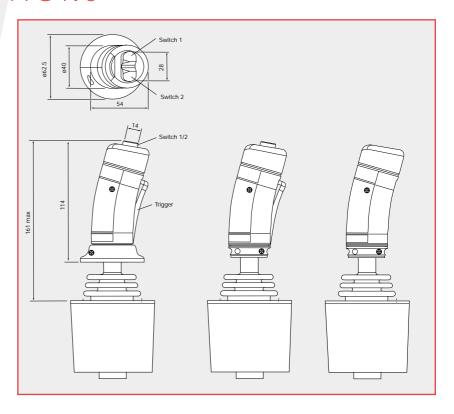
# **DIMENSIONS**



SPECIFICATION		HB0	HB1	HB2	HBD
Maximum height above flange	mm	149	155	155	164
Maximum grip diameter	mm	42	42	42	42
Environmental sealing (IEC 60529)		IP65	IP65	IP65	IP65
Number of switches		0	1	2	1
Action			Momentary rocker	Momentary rocker	Momentary button
Switch operating force	N	-	-	-	7
Maximum current @ 30Vdc	Α	-	2.5	2.5	5
Expected life (operations)		-	100,000	100,000	100,000
ELECTRICAL					
CONNECTIONS					
Common terminal		-	16	16	16
N/O contact switch 1 Left		-	6	6	3
N/C contact switch 1(HB1 only)		-	3	-	-
N/O contact switch 2 Right		-	-	3	-

# MG HANDLE OPTIONS

# DIMENSIONS



# **SPECIFICATION**

Maximum height above flangemm161Maximum grip diametermm40

**Environmental sealing (IEC 60529)**IP67 (IP66 with trigger switch)

Number of switches 0 to 3

Action Momentary Button (1), Rocker (1+2) or Trigger

Switch operating force

5 Trigger Ν Switch 1 or 2 Ν 7 100 Maximum current @ 30Vdc mΑ 1 million **Expected life (operations)** Operating temperature °C -25 to +75 °C -30 to +80 Storage temperature

HANDLE CODE	Top switch position	Trigger switch	Hand rest
MG00	None	No	No
MG01	1	No	No
MG02	1 & 2	No	No
MG03	1 & 2	Yes	No
MG04	1 & 2	Yes	Yes
MG05	1	Yes	Yes
MG06	1 & 2	No	Yes
MG07	1	No	Yes
MG08	1	Yes	No
MG09	None	Yes	Yes
MG10	None	No	Yes
MG11	None See electrical connections for wi	Yes ire color codes.	No

ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS	Pin number	Wire color
Common terminal (for top switches)	16	Black
Switch 1	6	Blue
Switch 2	3	Green
Trigger switch	4	Blue/Orange
Trigger switch	5	Yellow

# A RANGE HANDLE OPTIONS

# **SPECIFICATION**

Maximum height above flange mm 166 Maximum grip diameter 61 mm

**Environmental sealing** 

(IEC 60529) IP65

Number of switches 1 to 6 in the top plate Action Momentary button

Switch operating force Ν 3 Maximum current @ 50Vdc mA 200 **Expected life (operations)** 1 million

Weight 170 - A2LD option g

Operating temperature °C -40 to +70 Storage temperature °C -40 to +80

# ROCKER

Standard (S) or V profile (V) Rocker profile **Breakout force** Ν 5 at the end of the rocker Operating force Ν 15 at the end of the rocker Mechanical movement  $\pm 10 (\pm 1^{\circ})$ 

W

0.25

 $\pm 1.5$ 

Standard

o **Electrical movement**  $\pm 9 (\pm 1^{\circ})$ 

**Expected life (operations)** 5 million 200 (see note on page 4) mΑ

Load current (maximum) Power dissipation @ 25°C

Track resistance **Output voltage** 

Center tap angle

Directional or center off switch Switch gap

2.5 either side of center 35

Switch supply voltage Vdc

<sup>†</sup> Unless requested otherwise. ROCKERS

Will match JC150 resistance<sup>†</sup>

Will match JC150 output<sup>†</sup>

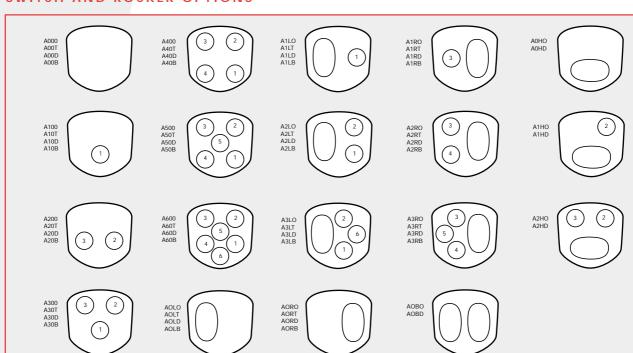
# **FUNCTIONALITY**

HORIZONTAL

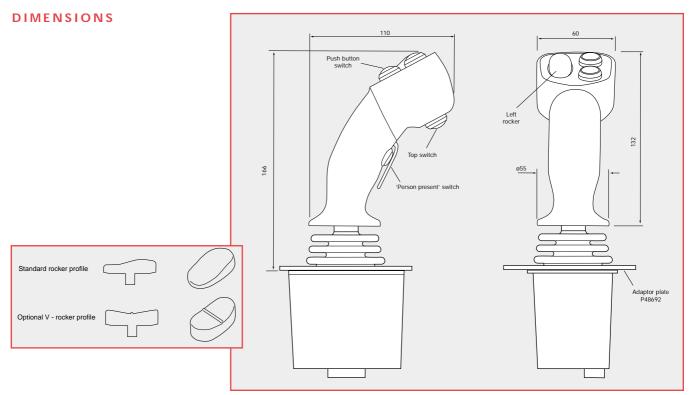
# **SWITCHES**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	TOP	Person Present	LEFT	RIGHT	HORIZONTAL
SWITCH 1		~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~		
SWITCH 2	~		~	~	~	~	~	~	~		•
SWITCH 3	~	~		~	~	~	~	~		V	<b>~</b>
SWITCH 4	~	~	~		~	~	~	<b>V</b>		<b>V</b>	
SWITCH 5	~	~	~	~		~	~	~		<b>V</b>	
SWITCH 6	~	~	~	~	~		~	<b>V</b>	~		
TOP SWITCH	V	~	~	~	<b>/</b>	~		<b>V</b>	V	V	
PERSON PRESENT	~	~	~	~	~	~	~		~	V	<b>✓</b>
LEFT ROCKER	~	~				~	~	V		V	
RIGHT ROCKER			~	~	~		~	V	~		

# SWITCH AND ROCKER OPTIONS



VV

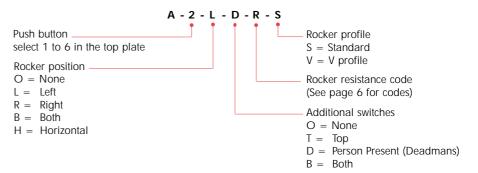


# ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS

Common terminal (for all switches)16BlackRocker center tap8Yellow/RedSwitch 16BlueRocker zero or negative supply (L, R or H)15Pink/GreySwitch 25YellowRocker output signal (L or H)7PinkSwitch 34Blue/WhiteRocker output signal (R)7WhiteSwitch 43White/GreenRocker switch common16BlackSwitch 57RedRocker switch (L forward)4Blue/OrangeSwitch 68VioletRocker switch (L backward)3GreenTop switch†Pink with markerRocker switch (R forward)5YellowPerson present switch†Red/GreenRocker switch (R backward)6BluePerson present switch†Black/WhiteRocker switch (H left)6Blue/OrangeRocker positive supply (L, R or H)2White/RedRocker switch (H right)3Green		Pin	Wire color		Pin	Wire color
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	Rocker positive supply (L, R or H)	2	White/Red	Rocker switch (H right)	3	Green

<sup>†</sup> Depends on other options selected

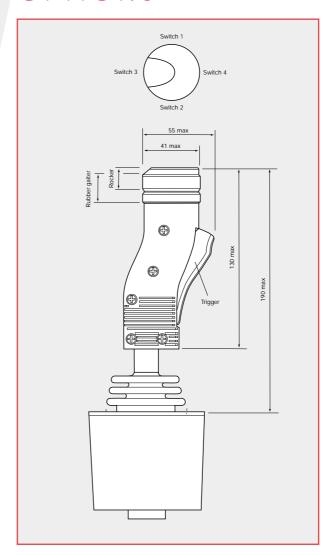
# **ORDERING CODES**



Note: When ordering a handle fitted with a rocker, two profiles can be supplied (S = standard profile; V = v profile) please specify style when ordering.

# WT/WN HANDLE OPTIONS

# DIMENSIONS



# **SPECIFICATION**

Maximum height above flangemm190Maximum grip diametermm40.5Environmental sealing (IEC 60529)IP66Number of switches0 to 5

Action Momentary Rocker or Trigger

Switch operating force

**Expected life (operations)** 

Switch 1, 2, 3 & 4N5 at 11mm radius (Rocker switches)TriggerN3 at center line of Trigger switchMaximum current @ 30VdcmA100 (Rocker switches)

Maximum current @ 28Vdc A 5 resistive (Trigger switch – two wires connected)

1 million at full power (Rocker switches)

500,000 @ 1A resistive (Trigger switch)

Operating temperature  $^{\circ}$ C  $^{-40}$  to  $_{+70}$ Storage temperature  $^{\circ}$ C  $^{-40}$  to  $_{+80}$ 

# **HANDLE CODE**

Trigger	No Trigger	Rocker switches in position				
WT00	WN00	No rockers				
WT01	WN01	1	-	-	-	
WT02	WN02	-	2	-	-	
WT03	WN03	-	-	3	-	
WT04	WN04	-	-	-	4	
WT05	WN05	1	2	-	-	
WT06	WN06	1	-	3	-	
WT07	WN07	1	-	-	4	
WT08	WN08	-	2	3	-	
WT09	WN09	-	2	-	4	
WT10	WN10	-	-	3	4	
WT11	WN11	1	2	3	-	
WT12	WN12	1	2	-	4	
WT13	WN13	1	-	3	4	
WT14	WN14	-	2	3	4	
WT15	WN15	1	2	3	4	

Note: Two switches can be operated by deflecting the handle top at  $45^{\circ}$ 

ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS	Pin number	Wire color
Common terminal (for Rocker switches)	16	Black
Switch position 1	6	Blue
Switch position 2	3	Green
Switch position 3	8	Yellow/Red
Switch position 4	7	Pink
Trigger switch	4	Blue/Orange (Two wires)
Trigger switch	5	Yellow (Two wires)



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