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1. Introduction

The VF-MB1 has a traverse function useful especially for textile machines. The manual explains about the traverse function. Please read this instruction manual carefully along with the VF-MB1 instruction manual.

2. Parameters for setting the traverse function

The parameters in Table 1 are used for traverse operation shown in Figure 1.

Table 1: Traverse function setting parameters

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<th>Title</th>
<th>Function</th>
<th>Adjustment range</th>
<th>Default setting</th>
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<tr>
<td>F 980</td>
<td>Traverse selection</td>
<td>0: Disabled</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>1: Enabled (Note)</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F 981</td>
<td>Traverse acceleration time</td>
<td>0.1~120.0 sec.</td>
<td>25.0 sec.</td>
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<tr>
<td>F 982</td>
<td>Traverse deceleration time</td>
<td>0.1~120.0 sec.</td>
<td>25.0 sec.</td>
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<tr>
<td>F 983</td>
<td>Traverse step</td>
<td>0.0~25.0%</td>
<td>10.0%</td>
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<tr>
<td>F 984</td>
<td>Traverse jump step</td>
<td>0.0~50.0%</td>
<td>10.0%</td>
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Note: To perform traverse operation, you need to assign the traverse permission signal 134 (135 [inverse]) to an input terminal.

The settings of the above parameters (F 981 to F 984) take effect once every half cycle of traverse operation.

\[
\text{Traverse frequency (Hz) = Reference frequency (Hz) \times F 983 (\%)}
\]

\[
\text{Peak jump frequency (Hz) = Traverse frequency (Hz) \times F 984 (\%)}
\]
3. Caution about the use of the traverse control

Note the following information when you use the traverse function.

■ Caution about the use of a potentiometer
If an external potentiometer (analog input) is used to set the reference frequency, an error of analog input may occur. If such an error becomes a problem, the operation panel or the preset speed operation function should be used instead. You can check the reference frequency by the status monitor function (operation frequency command).

■ Suspension of traverse operation
Traverse operation does not work in the acceleration/deceleration period before traverse starting.

■ Speed reach detection band ($F \text{ 102}$)
(Output terminal function No. 6 and 7 (acceleration/deceleration completed))
On completion of acceleration, an acceleration/deceleration completion signal is issued in relation to the traverse reference frequency.
If a traverse permission signal is OFF during traverse operation, the acceleration/deceleration completion signal is effective to the output frequency. The signal is OFF in the condition that the output frequency is the outside of the frequency range set by $F \text{ 102}$ (speed reach detection band). (See Fig. 2)
Furthermore, the setting of $F \text{ 102}$ determines also the traverse operation start point. High frequency setting of $F \text{ 102}$, enables to accelerate the machine, while continuing traverse operation. Note that the traverse frequency and the peak jump frequency before the output frequency reaches to the reference frequency are different from those during normal operation, and they vary with the output frequency during acceleration. (See Fig. 3)

![Graph](image1)
![Graph](image2)

* $F \text{ 102}=0$
Fig. 2: Acceleration/deceleration completed ($F \text{ 102}=0$)

![Graph](image3)

Fig. 3: Acceleration/deceleration completed with $F \text{ 102}$ setting.

■ Set frequency attainment signal, $F \text{ 101}$ and $F \text{ 102}$
(Output terminal function No. 8 and 9 (Set frequency attainment))
The set frequency attainment signal set with $F \text{ 101}$ (Speed reach setting frequency) and $F \text{ 102}$ (Speed reach detection band) operates on output frequency, including traverse operation frequency.
■ Relationship between traverse reference frequency and output frequency limit
The relationship between the traverse reference frequency and the output frequency limit is described. The output signals of lower limit frequency, the upper limit frequency and the low-speed detection during traverse operation are effective to the traverse reference frequency.

<table>
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<th>Traverse reference frequency</th>
<th>Output frequency</th>
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<tr>
<td>Between ( L ) (lower limit frequency) and ( UL ) (upper limit frequency) or ( FH ) (maximum frequency), whichever is lower.</td>
<td>Frequency between ( F ) (Starting frequency setting) and ( UL ) (upper limit frequency) or ( FH ) (maximum frequency), whichever is lower.</td>
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■ Setting parameters of the control terminal
Set the following parameter to carry out traverse operation.
1. Set \( \_ \) to 1 (traverse operation: Enabled).
2. Assign the function No. 134 / 135 (traverse permission signal) to an input terminal.
   When the terminal is turned on, traverse operation starts.
   If you don’t use external input signal, set \( F \) (always active function selection 1) to 134.
   Input terminal selection parameter; \( F \) 1 1 6 to \( F \) 1 1 6, \( F \) 1 5 1 to \( F \) 1 5 6

Example: Assign the traverse permission signal to the S3 terminal

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<tr>
<td>( F ) 1 1 6</td>
<td>Input terminal selection 6 (S3)</td>
<td>0~203</td>
<td>134 (Traverse permission signal)</td>
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Note: If the traverse function is turned off during traverse operation using a parameter or by the signal from the control terminal, the operation mode changes from traverse operation to constant speed operation according to the acceleration/deceleration time setting (see Fig. 4).

![Fig. 4 Timing when the traverse function is off](image-url)
The traverse operation signal can be sent from inverter to external devices.

Assign the function No. 124 / 125 \( \text{[inverse]} \) (traverse in progress) and 126 / 127 \( \text{[inverse]} \) (traverse deceleration in progress) to the output terminals.

Output terminal selection parameter: \( \text{F } 130 \text{ to F } 138 \)

Example:
- Output the traverse in progress signal from the RY-RC terminal.
- Output the traverse deceleration in progress signal from the OUT terminal.

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<tr>
<td>( \text{F } 130 )</td>
<td>Output terminal selection 1A (RY-RC)</td>
<td>( 0 \text{~} 255 )</td>
<td>124 (Traverse in progress)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>( \text{F } 131 )</td>
<td>Output terminal selection 2A (OUT)</td>
<td>( 0 \text{~} 255 )</td>
<td>126 (Traverse deceleration in progress)</td>
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Fig. 5 Traverse output signals