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Console Control System

ARC

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guide
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Introduction

Congratulations! You have just purchased the world's most ergonomically advanced console. Your Ramses MSC Console should provide you with many years of trouble free operation, however it is important to follow these instructions carefully to remove or replace the ARC.

Scope

This document contains instructions for the safe installation or removal of an ARC to your Ramses MSC Console.

If you experience any problems or need any assistance please contact your local distributor or you can contact Merging Technology technical support in Switzerland via telephone on: +41 21 946 04 44 or via email on:

support@merging.com

Important - Before You Begin

The Ramses MSC Console should be shut down before installing or removing the ARC assembly. Failure to do this could result in damage to the console or personal injury. Please ensure you follow these directions carefully to ensure that you do not experience any problems.
ARC Removal

Remove the Rear ARC Support Covers

*Note:* Before commencing work ensure that the Ramses MSC is *NOT* powered on.

The first step is to remove the rear covers off the ARC supports. Remove the 4 outside and 3 inside screws from each ARC support cover. These screws are all M3 x 6 CSK. The screw locations are identified in the image below. Pull the cover rearward to remove the cover as shown.
**Disconnect Cables**

Removing the covers will have exposed the ARC cables within each ARC support. Carefully pull out these cables from the support and disconnect them (on both sides of the console) as shown in the image below. Release the locking tab on the connectors before pulling them apart.
Unscrew ARC Supports

Note: IMPORTANT  Ensure a second person is supporting the ARC during the following steps.

Locate the 2 screws inside the ARC supports and remove these screws. Now remove the 2 screws on the outside of each ARC support. The location of all these screws is shown in the image below.

The internal screws are **M3 X 6 PAN** and the external are **M3 X 6 CSK**.

Repeat this step for both sides of the console.
Removing The ARC

Note: IMPORTANT  This step requires 2 people to ensure the ARC is not damaged during removal.

Grip each of the ARC supports (1 person each) and lift the ARC free from the console as shown in the image below. Take care not to scratch any of the painted surfaces and DO NOT lift the ARC by the plastic moldings as damage may occur.

Grip ARC By the Supports
Fitting The Front Covers

Push the protruding cables back into the console on each side. Now place the supplied covers over the holes where the ARC supports were sitting previously. Fasten the covers in place with 2 screws each in the locations shown in the image below.

The screws used for these covers are M3 X 6 CSK.

Refitting an ARC

To fit an ARC to your console, simply reverse the above steps.

Note: Before commencing work ensure that the Ramses MSC is NOT powered on. Ensure the ARC is supported by a second person at all times.

When replacing the screws holding the ARC supports in place, fix the internal screws first followed by the external screws.
New ARC Installation

**Note:** Ensure the Ramses MSC is NOT powered on before installing the ARC.

The ARC support pillars are supplied packed separately. Please attach them using the following procedure before fitting the ARC to the Ramses MSC.

Place the ARC face down on a protective and secure surface. E.g. a blanket on a level and adequately sized horizontal work surface.

Locate the two support columns and the six M3 X 6mm screws, washers and star washers.
Note: The support brackets are handed. I.e. there is a left and a right version:

There are several identifying features but perhaps the most obvious is to check that the sides with the longest right-angle bracket with the "V" cutout go to the outside of the ARC.
Dress the cables so that they will run through the gap in the support.
Attach each support using three M3 X 6mm screws, washers and star washers. Be careful to ensure that the cables are not pinched under the support.

When both support columns are securely fastened you can now proceed with fitting the ARC to Ramses MSC.
**Fitting The ARC**

**Note: IMPORTANT** This step requires 2 people to ensure the **ARC** and **Ramses MSC** are not damaged during positioning.

Grip each of the **ARC** supports (1 person each) and align the **ARC** with the console as shown in the image below. Take care not to scratch any of the painted surfaces and **DO NOT** lift the **ARC** by the plastic moldings as damage may occur.

Once the **ARC** is aligned, carefully lower it into position and continue to support it while the fixing screws are inserted and tightened.
**Attaching the ARC**

**Note: IMPORTANT** Ensure a second person is supporting the ARC during the following steps.

Begin by loosely fitting 2 M3 X 6 PAN head screws inside each the ARC support. Now add the 2 MS CSk head screws on the outside of each ARC support. The location of all these screws is shown in the image below.

When all the screws are in place, tighten each of them. Repeat this step for both sides of the console.
Connect Cables

Locate the ARC cables housed within each side of the Ramses MSC and bring them through the ARC support.

The connectors will only fit one way. Examine them and line them up accordingly. Carefully connect the cables (on both sides of the console) as shown in the image below. Ensure the locking tab on the connectors is secure before tucking the cables into the supports.
Fit the Rear ARC Support Covers

Carefully position each cover and align the screwholes. Loosely fit all 4 outside and 3 inside screws for each ARC support cover. These screws are all M3 x 6 CSK head. The screw locations are identified in the image below.

When all the screws are inserted, tighten each of them.