

Support

Service[®] Obsolescence Announcement

Programmable Logic Controller (PLC)

Oxford Instruments Plasma Technology would like to notify customers that the manufacturer of our Black Coloured PLCs have announced the obsolescence of the following Oxford Instruments part number boards:

- 94-EXP0699 - MINICONT, WITH CARDS, NO MEM
- 94-EXP0701 - MINICONTROLLER (ARCNET)
- 94-EXP0725 - ANALOGUE MOD. 4 I/P 4 O/P
- 94-EXP0730 - DIG MOD. 16 I/P 16 O/P
- 94-EXP0745 - MCPEA8-10 12 BIT A I/O
- 94-EXP0750 - ARCNET INTERFACE EE32-0
- 94-EXP0755 - POSITION CARD FOR STEPPER MOTOR

Our policy is to continue to offer support to customers by either repair, service exchange or upgrade.

- Repair to component level
- Service exchange at board level*
- Unit upgrade

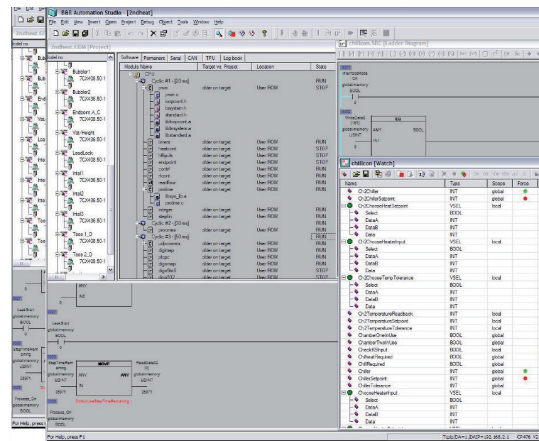
**faulty boards must be returned*

Oxford Instruments' Upgrade Policy

Black** colour PLC (with either PC Plus or PC2000)
Upgrade to X20 PLC (Grey colour)

If you are interested in the upgrade option, we will be offering preferential pricing for a period of time, please contact us for more details.

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All exchange units will be refurbished, in order to maintain support stock levels for a longer period

Benefits to the X20 Upgrade

- Long term support
- Ethernet connection
- Upgrade includes WIN7 and PC200, latest operating system
- Future upgradeability

*** Please see overleaf for Black PLC identification*



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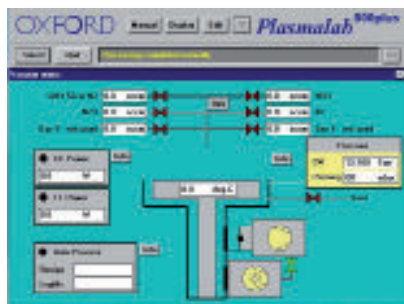
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System Identification

You have a **BLACK PLC** If your interface displays either:



Two buttons at the top left of the page without a Utilities button



A totally different process page



An Arcnet card in rear of PLC

Systems Affected

- All plasma systems shipped late 1995 up to 2004
- All Ion Beam Systems shipped late 1995 up to 2010

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