Robotics

IRB 4600 As sharp as you can get

The IRB 4600 is the pioneer of the new sharp generation with the enhanced and new capabilities. The design has been optimized to make it superior for the targeted applications. The IRB 4600 can give you more compact cells with a higher production output and higher quality, and that means productivity!

Sharpest accuracy

With the best accuracy in its class, the IRB 4600 can help you increase output with higher process speeds and lower scrap rates, resulting in improved productivity. This is particularly useful in cutting, dispensing, machining, measuring, assembly and welding applications. In addition, the programming time is minimized since what you program is what you get, and that in the shortest possible cycle time. This is useful in all applications to shorten commissioning times and minimize production stops when new programs or work pieces are introduced.

Shortest cycle times

Thanks to the new compact and optimized design resulting in a low weight, the IRB 4600 can cut the cycle times of the industry benchmark by up to 25%. The maximum acceleration achievable is highest in its class, together with high maximum speeds. The highest acceleration it is possible to use to avoid obstacles or to follow the path is always used. The benefit is increased production capacity and higher productivity.

Ultra-wide working range

You can position the IRB 4600 in the most favourable way with regard to reach, cycle time and auxiliary equipment. Flexible mounting with floor, tilted, semi-shelf or inverted mounting is very useful when you are simulating the best position for your application.

Slim fit

The small footprint, the slim swing base radius around axis 1, the fine elbow behind axis 3, the small lower and upper arms, and the compact wrist all contribute to the most compact robot in its class.



With the IRB 4600 you can create your production cell with a smaller workshop floor by placing the robot closer to the served machines, which also increases your output per m² and your productivity.

Best protection available

ABB has the most comprehensive protection program on the market and it will be even further enhanced with the IRB 4600. Foundry Plus include the IP 67, resistant paint, rust- protected mounting flange and protection for molten metal spits on non-moving cables on the rear of the robot and extra protection plates over the floor cable connections on the foot.

Optimize and go sharp

To get the IRB 4600 ready for the targeted applications you have access to the highly performing IRBP positioners, the IRBT Track motions, and the motor unit range.

To simulate your production cell to find the optimal position for the robot and program it offline, RobotStudio is available on a subscription basis together with the PowerPacs for several applications.

If you would like some ideas on how to use the IRB 4600 in your applications and environments, you can watch simulations on several applications at www.abb.com/robotics



Variants:	Reach	Payload	Armload
IRB 4600-60/2.05	2.05 m	60 kg	20 kg
IRB 4600-45/2.05	2.05 m	45 kg	20 kg
IRB 4600-40/2.55	2.55 m	40 kg	20 kg
IRB 4600-20/2.50	2.51 m	20 kg	11 kg

Main applications

Machine tending, Material handling, Arc welding, Cutting, Dispensing, Assembly, Palletizing and packing, Measuring, Deburring, Polishing

Features

Number of axes:	6+3 external (up to 36 with MultiMove)
Protection:	Standard IP67, Foundry Plus
Mounting:	Floor, semi-shelf inverted or tilted
Position repeatability (RP):	0.03-0.19 mm
Path repeatability (RT):	0.11-0.56 mm

Movement

Axis movements:	Working range:	Maximum speed:
Axis 1 Rotation	+180° to -180°	175°/s
Axis 2 Arm	+150° to -90°	175°/s
Axis 3 Wrist	+75° to -180°	175°/s
Axis 4 Rotation	+400° to -400°	250° (20/2.50 has 360°)/s
Axis 5 Bend*	+120° to -125°	250° (20/2.50 has 360°)/s
Axis 6 Turn	+400° to -400°	360° (20/2.50 has 500°)/s

^{*} Axis 5 for IRB 4600-20/2.50 +120°-120°

Electrical connections

Supply voltage:	200-600 V, 50-60 Hz

Physical

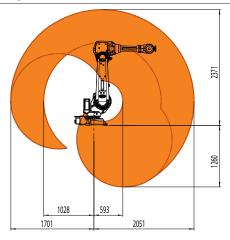
Dimensions robot base:	512 x 676 mm
Robot height: IRB 4600-60/2.05 and IRB 4600-45/2.05	1727 mm
Robot height: IRB 4600-40/2.55 and IRB 4600-20/2.50	1922 mm
Robot weight:	412 to 435 kg

Environment

Ambient temperature for mechanical unit:		
During operation:	+5° C (41° F) to +52° C (126° F)	
Relative transportation and storage:	-25° C (-13° F) to +55° C (131° F)	
For short periods (max 24 h):	up to +70° C (158° F)	
Relative humidity:	Max 95%	
Safety:	Double circuits with supervisions,	
	emergency stops and safety func-	
	tions. 3-position enable device	
Emission:	EMC/EMI shielded	

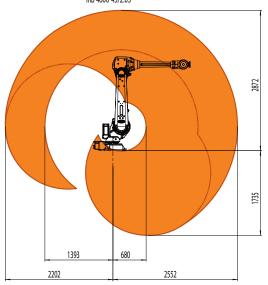
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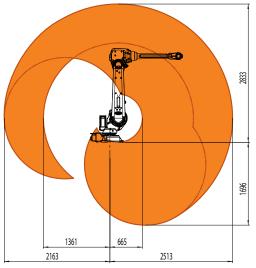


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