

# **Application Guidelines**

Copeland Stream<sup>™</sup> Semi-Hermetic Compressors 4MF-13X to 4MK-35X & 6MM-30X to 6MK-50X







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# 1 Safety instructions

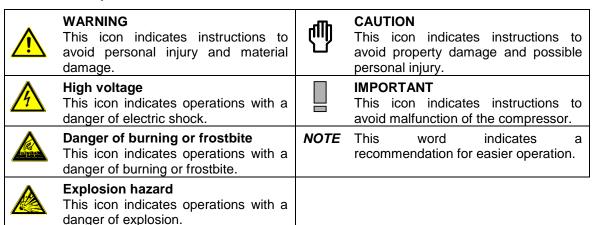
Copeland™ brand products semi-hermetic compressors are manufactured according to the latest European safety standards. Particular emphasis has been placed on the user's safety.

These compressors are intended for installation in systems according to the Machinery Directive MD 2006/42/EC. They may be put to service only if they have been installed in these systems according to instructions and conform to the corresponding provisions of legislation. For relevant standards please refer to the Manufacturer's Declaration, available on request.

These instructions should be retained throughout the lifetime of the compressor.

You are strongly advised to follow these safety instructions.

# 1.1 Icon explanation



# 1.2 Safety statements

- Refrigerant compressors must be employed only for their intended use.
- Only qualified and authorized HVAC or refrigeration personnel are permitted to install, commission and maintain this equipment.
- Electrical connections must be made by qualified electrical personnel.
- All valid standards for connecting electrical and refrigeration equipment must be observed.
- The national legislation and regulations regarding personnel protection must be observed.









**Use personal safety equipment.** Safety goggles, gloves, protective clothing, safety boots and hard hats should be worn where necessary.

# 1.3 General instructions



## **WARNING**

**System breakdown! Personal injuries!** Never install a system in the field and leave it unattended when it has no charge, a holding charge, or with the service valves closed without electrically locking out the system.

**System breakdown! Personal injuries!** Only approved refrigerants and refrigeration oils must be used.



## **WARNING**

**High shell temperature! Burning!** Do not touch the compressor until it has cooled down. Ensure that other materials in the area of the compressor do not get in touch with it. Lock and mark accessible sections.



# **CAUTION**

**Overheating! Bearing damage!** Do not operate compressors without refrigerant charge or without being connected to the system.





# **CAUTION**

**Contact with POE! Material damage!** POE lubricant must be handled carefully and the proper protective equipment (gloves, eye protection, etc.) must be used at all times. POE must not come into contact with any surface or material that might be harmed by POE, including without limitation, certain polymers, eg,. PVC/CPVC and polycarbonate.



# **IMPORTANT**

**Transit damage! Compressor malfunction!** Use original packaging. Avoid collisions and tilting.

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# 2 Product description

# 2.1 Common information about Copeland Stream™ semi-hermetic compressors

These guidelines cover Copeland Stream<sup>™</sup> semi-hermetic compressors. The semi-hermetic reciprocating compressor family consists of different ranges. The Stream<sup>™</sup> series of 4M\* and 6M\* models ranges from 13 hp to 50 hp.

		High tempera	High temperature <sup>1)</sup> Medium temperat		rature <sup>2)</sup>	ture <sup>2)</sup> Low temperature <sup>3)</sup>				
Model	Nominal horsepower hp	Displacement (m³/h)	capacity (kW)	COP -	Cooling capacity (kW)	COP -	Cooling capacity (kW)	COP -	Net weight (kg)	Footprint (mm)
			R134a		R404A		R404A	,		
4MF-13X	13	62	33.20	3.28	31.60	2.29	10.65	1.43	177	
4MA-22X	22	02	34.60	3.41	32.70	2.39	10.45	1.44	178	
4ML-15X	15	71	39.70	3.30	38.40	2.31	13.30	1.48	180	
4MH-25X	25	] '' [	39.90	3.30	38.50	2.37	12.40	1.44	187	
4MM-20X	17	78	43.50	3.28	42.00	2.31	15.10	1.49	182	
4MI-30X	27	/*	43.70	3.30	42.80	2.37	14.40	1.47	188	
4MT-22X	22	00	49.30	3.26	47.60	2.31	16.95	1.48	183	
4MJ-33X	30	88	48.60	3.30	47.60	2.38	16.15	1.49	190	381 x 305
4MU-25X	25	00	55.10	3.20	53.10	2.27	18.60	1.45	186	361 X 303
4MK-35X	32	99	54.50	3.17	53.50	2.31	18.25	1.45	202	
6MM-30X	27	120	65.80	3.21	64.20	2.30	22.70	1.45	215	
6MI-40X	35	120	64.70	3.16	64.60	2.34	21.90	1.44	219	
6MT-35X	32	405	73.60	3.17	72.40	2.30	25.60	1.47	221	
6MJ-45X	40	135	72.60	3.16	72.40	2.32	24.30	1.45	223	
6MU-40X	40	450	81.10	3.07	81.40	2.29	28.40	1.44	225	
6MK-50X	50	153	80.70	3.05	80.90	2.29	27.30	1.41	230	

<sup>1)</sup> R134a Evaporating 5°C, condensing 50°C, suction superheat 10K, subcooling 0K

Table 1: Stream compressors range and performance

Stream semi-hermetic compressors are suitable for a wide range of applications in the form of either single compressors, condensing units or as multi-compressor equipment.

The compressor is only one component which must be combined with many others to build a functional and efficient refrigeration system.

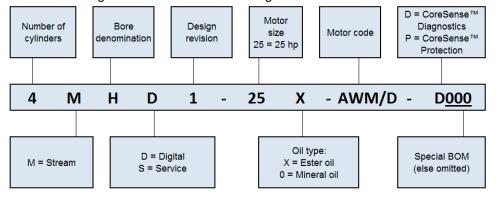
Therefore the information in this manual relates to Copeland Stream semi-hermetic compressors with standard equipment and accessories only.

# 2.2 About these guidelines

These guidelines are intended to enable users to ensure the safe installation, starting, operation and maintenance of semi-hermetic compressors. They are not intended to replace the system expertise available from system manufacturers.

# 2.3 Nomenclature

The model designation contains the following technical information about Stream compressors:



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup> R404A Evaporating -10°C, condensing 45°C, suction gas temperature 20°C, subcooling 0K

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3)</sup> R404A Evaporating -35°C, condensing 40°C, suction gas temperature 20°C, subcooling 0K



# 2.4 Nameplate information

All important information for identification of the compressor is printed on the nameplate located below the compressor oil pump. The type of refrigerant used should be stamped on the nameplate by the installer.





Figure 1

The year and month of production are shown as part of the serial number (Jan = A, Feb = B,  $\dots$  Dec = L).

# 2.5 Application range

# 2.5.1 Qualified refrigerants and oils



#### **WARNING**

Use of R450A and R513A refrigerants! Risk of compressor damage! Refrigerant migration of R450A or R513A into the compressor crankcase could cause low oil viscosity, which could lead to compressor damage. When using R450A or R513A it is critical to meet the following requirements:

- maintain adequate superheat settings with a minimum superheat of 8-10K;
- no liquid refrigerant migration into the compressor at any time, especially during standstill, during or after defrost, or after reverse mode for example in heat pumps;
- pumpdown is recommended;
- the use of a crankcase heater is mandatory;
- retrofit to R450A and R513A is only allowed for compressors which are approved for these refrigerants.

Contact Application Engineering for any further information.



#### **IMPORTANT**

It is essential that the glide of refrigerant blends (primarily R407C) is carefully considered when adjusting pressure and superheat controls.

Oil recharge values can be taken from Copeland™ brand products Select software available at www.emersonclimate.eu.

Qualified refrigerants	R134a, R22, R404A, R407A, R407C, R407F, R448A, R449A, R450A, R507, R513A	R22
Copeland brand products standard oils	Emkarate RL 32 3MAF	Suniso 3 GS
Servicing oils	Emkarate RL 32 3MAF Mobil EAL Arctic 22 CC	Shell 22-12, Suniso 3 GS Fuchs Reniso KM 32, Capella WF32

Table 2: Qualified refrigerants and oils for recharging and topping up

## To recharge:

When the compressor is completely empty of oil, the amount of oil to be "recharged" is typically 0.12 litre less than the original oil charge (oil will already be present in the system).

## To top up:

 During commissioning, planned maintenance or servicing, add oil so that the compressor oil level is between min ¼ and max ¾ of sight glass.



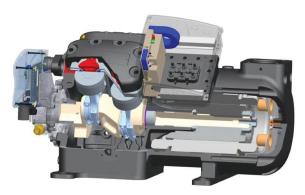
## 2.5.2 Application limits

For application envelopes please refer to Copeland brand products Select software at www.emersonclimate.eu.

# 2.6 Design features

## 2.6.1 Compressor construction

All compressors are fitted with Stream valve plates which cannot be dismantled. To maintain the high capacity of these compressors in case of exchange, the correct valve-plate-to-body gasket must always be selected.



Each cylinder head has 2 plugged 1/8" - 27 NPTF tapped holes for connecting high-pressure switches.

These high-pressure switches must be calibrated and tested before putting the compressor into service. They must stop the compressor if the allowable pressure is exceeded.

The complete cylinder head is under discharge pressure.

Figure 2

## 2.6.2 Compressor cooling

Compressor motors must always be cooled, and cylinder head cooling may also be needed at certain operating conditions.

All Stream compressors are suction gas-cooled. With suction gas-cooled compressors, the motor is cooled by refrigerant gas that is led over the motor. An additional fan may be required depending upon the operating conditions (see Copeland brand products Select software at <a href="https://www.emersonclimate.eu">www.emersonclimate.eu</a>).

# 2.6.3 Demand cooling

"Demand Cooling" as the term implies means liquid refrigerant injection on demand.

For low temperature applications with R407F, R407A, R448A, R449A and R22, Demand Cooling can be required on the following compressors:

4MF-13X 4ML-15X 4MM-20X 4MT-22X 4MU-25X

6MM-30X 6MT-35X 6MU-40X

NOTE: R22 is no longer allowed for new refrigeration systems in Europe.

## 2.6.4 Unloaded start

With direct starting the motor of a compressor is switched directly into the mains by means of a switch. The resulting breakaway starting current amounts to multiple times the rated motor current operating maximum, without consideration being given to transient phenomena.

In the case of high-powered motors the breakaway starting currents become so large that they lead to disruptive voltage dips in the mains. The compressors that are subject to current limitation must therefore by all means be equipped with starting load reduction to guarantee perfect starting even when the voltages amount to less than approximately 85% of the voltage on the nameplate.

#### 2.6.5 Capacity control

For 4M\* and 6M\* compressors a mechanical capacity control is available. The system used is blocked suction. Be aware that unloaded operation changes the application range of the compressor.

*NOTE*: For the application range of the compressors with capacity control, refer to Technical Information D7.21.2 "Stream semi-hermetic compressor capacity control".



# 2.6.6 Oil pumps

The oil pumps used for Stream compressors are independent of their rotating direction.

On compressors delivered with CoreSense™ Diagnostics (-D), the oil pump integrates the electronic switch for integrating oil pressure safety functionality.

Compressors with CoreSense™ Protection (-P) are designed to accommodate fittings for an OPS2, FD-113ZU, or Sentronic oil safety system or a standard oil pressure switch (OPS2 oil sensor included in the oil pump).

## 2.6.7 Oil pressure

Normal oil pressure is between 1.05 and 4.2 bar higher than crankcase pressure. Net oil pressure can be read by connecting two pressure gauges to the compressor and comparing the readings. One gauge should be connected to the oil pump. The second gauge should be connected to the crankcase (T-fitting instead of plug on the compressor crankcase) or the suction service valve.

During irregular operating conditions, eg, a blockage of the suction filter, the pressure measured at the suction shut-off valve of the compressor may differ widely from that measured at the crankcase. Therefore pressure drops have to be avoided.

#### 2.6.8 Oil circulation

Oil returns with the suction gases through a suction strainer and separates in the motor chamber reaching the crankcase by way of oil return relief valve in the partition between motor housing and crankcase. This relief valve closes on compressor start-up due to the pressure difference arising between motor side and crankcase, thus slowing down pressure decrease in the crankcase over a certain period of time. It reduces the foaming of the oil/refrigerant mixture that would occur if the pressure decreased rapidly. The valve does not reopen until the pressure has been equalized by means of a crankcase ventilating valve. This second valve connects the crankcase and suction side cylinder head. It reduces the pressure difference by means of a very small bore in the plate of the valve so slowly that oil foams less and only limited oil/refrigerant foam is transferred to the oil pump.

Four-cylinder compressors have one crankcase ventilating valve on the left cylinder bank whereas six-cylinder compressors have two ventilating valves on the left and right cylinder banks.

# 2.6.9 Oil level

All compressors are delivered with sufficient oil for normal operation (see **Table 2**). The optimum oil level should be checked by operating the compressor until the system is stable and then comparing the sight glass reading with the appropriate diagram below. The oil level should be min ¼ and max ¾ of the sight glass.

For service compressors when an oil regulator is used the oil level should be min  $\frac{1}{4}$  and max  $\frac{3}{4}$  of the sight glass. The level can also be checked within 10 seconds of compressor shutdown.

For 4M\* and 6M\* compressors a higher oil level may be accepted when an oil regulator is in use because the oil separator will reduce excessive oil circulation.

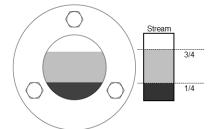


Figure 3: Sight glass reading on 4M\* and 6M\* compressors

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## 3 Installation



#### WARNING

**High pressure! Injury to skin and eyes possible!** Be careful when opening connections on a pressurized item.

# 3.1 Compressor handling

# 3.1.1 Delivery

Please check whether the delivery is correct and complete. Any deficiency should be reported immediately in writing.

Standard delivery:

- Suction and discharge shut-off valves
- Oil charge, oil sight glass
- Mounting kit
- CoreSense<sup>™</sup> Diagnostics or CoreSense<sup>™</sup> Protection module
- Holding charge up to 2.5 bar(g) (dry air)

# 3.1.2 Transport and storage



#### **WARNING**

**Risk of collapse! Personal injuries!** Move compressors only with appropriate mechanical or handling equipment according to weight. Keep in the upright position. Do not stack pallets on top of each other. Keep the packaging dry at all times.

4M, 6M



Figure 4

Compressors are delivered on pallets. Cooling fans are delivered in separate boxes. Accessories may be mounted or delivered loose. Solenoid valves are never mounted.

# 3.1.3 Positioning and securing

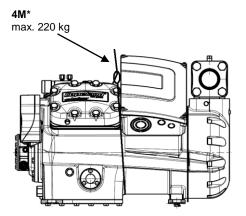


#### **IMPORTANT**

**Handling damage! Compressor malfunction!** Only use the lifting eyes whenever the compressor requires positioning. Using discharge or suction connections for lifting may cause damage or leaks.

If possible, the compressor should be kept horizontal during handling.

For safety reasons two lifting eyes should be fitted before moving a compressor (½" - 13 UNC). Otherwise refer to drawings on **Figure 5** to see how to apply other lifting methods.



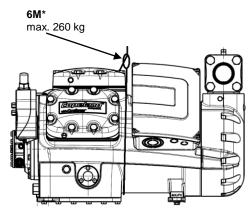


Figure 5



In order to avoid refrigerant leaks or other damage the compressors should not be lifted by the service valves or other accessories.

#### 3.1.4 Installation location

Ensure the compressors are installed on a solid level base.

#### 3.1.5 Mounting parts

To minimize vibration and start/stop impulses flexible mounting should be used. For this purpose one set of spring mounting parts for each of the Stream models is delivered with each 4M\* and 6M\* compressor.

Due to differences in weight (cylinder / motor side) different springs have to be used on both sides. Springs have different colours for easier identification: violet on motor side and orange on cylinder side.

Transport clamp

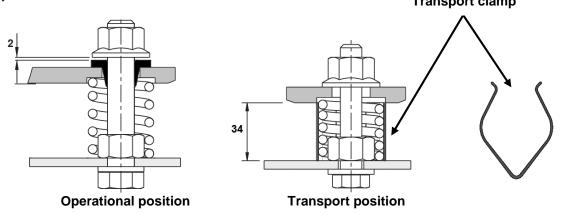


Figure 6: Position of vibration dampers during transport and operation

When Stream compressors are mounted in racks rubber mounting parts should be used.

A compressor may be rigidly mounted, ie, without springs. In this case more shock and vibration loading will be transmitted to the frame.

Unevenness in the mounting surface will have to be compensated by the rack and/or the compressor bottom plate/feet. Excessive unevenness can result in too high mechanical stress to the system and could damage the compressor or rack. Therefore, the flatness of the mounting location is essential. In addition, both vibration/shock and mechanical stress to compressor can be avoided by using rubber mounting parts.

If the installation requires a very high level of vibration absorption, additional vibration absorbers – available on the market – can be fitted between the rails and the foundation.

#### 3.2 Pressure safety controls

# 3.2.1 High-pressure control

A high-pressure control with a maximum cut-out setting of 28.8 bar(g) is required.

The high-pressure cut-out should have a manual reset feature for the highest level of system protection.

# 3.2.2 Low-pressure control

The normal minimum cut-out setting is 0.1 bar(g) for R404A.

The low-pressure cut-out should have a manual reset feature for the highest level of system protection.

# 3.2.3 Maximum allowable pressures

The maximum allowable pressures according to EN 12693 shown on the compressor nameplate are obligatory and must not be exceeded.

High-pressure side (HP): 28.0 bar (g) (up to S/N 14K46143M)

32.5 bar (g) (from S/N 14K46144M onwards)

Low-pressure side (LP): 22.5 bar

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*NOTE:* The compressor operating range may be restricted for various reasons. Check the application range limitations in Copeland brand products Select software at www.emersonclimate.eu.

# 3.3 Brazing procedure

# **IMPORTANT**



**Blockage!** Compressor breakdown! Maintain a flow of oxygen-free nitrogen through the system at very low pressure during brazing. Nitrogen displaces the air and prevents the formation of copper oxides in the system. If allowed to form, the copper oxide material can later be swept through the system and block screens such as those protecting capillary tubes, thermal expansion valves, and accumulator oil return holes.

**Contamination or moisture! Bearing failure!** Do not remove the plugs until the compressor is set into the unit. This minimises any entry of contaminants and moisture.

Refer to Figure 7 and procedure below for the brazing of the suction and discharge lines:

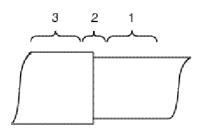


Figure 7: Suction tube brazing areas

- The copper-coated steel tubes on Stream compressors can be brazed in approximately the same manner as any copper tube.
- Recommended brazing material: any silfos material is recommended, preferably with a minimum of 5% silver. However, 0% silver is acceptable.
- Be sure tube fitting inner diameter and tube outer diameter are clean prior to assembly.
- Using a double-tipped torch, apply heat in area 1.
- As the tube approaches brazing temperature, move the torch flame to area 2.
- Heat area 2 until braze temperature is attained, moving the torch up and down and rotating around the tube as necessary to heat the tube evenly. Add braze material to the joint while moving the torch around the joint to flow braze material around the circumference.
- After the braze material flows around the joint, move the torch to heat area 3. This will draw
  the braze material down into the joint. The time spent heating area 3 should be minimal.
- As with any brazed joint, overheating may be detrimental to the final result.

# To disconnect:

 Heat joint areas 2 and 3 slowly and uniformly until the braze material softens and the tube can be pulled out of the fitting.

#### To reconnect:

 Recommended brazing materials: Silfos with minimum 5% silver or silver braze used on other compressors.

## 3.4 Screens



#### **CAUTION**

**Screen blocking! Compressor breakdown!** Use screens with at least 0.6 mm openings.

The use of screens finer than 30 x 30 meshes (0.6 mm openings) anywhere in the system should be avoided with these compressors. Field experience has shown that finer mesh screens used to protect thermal expansion valves, capillary tubes or accumulators can become temporarily or permanently plugged with normal system debris and block the flow of either oil or refrigerant to the compressor. Such blockage can result in compressor failure.



#### 4 Electrical connection

#### 4.1 General recommendations

The compressor terminal box has a wiring diagram on the inside of its cover. Before connecting the compressor, ensure that the supply voltage, the phases and the frequency match the nameplate data.

The knockouts have to be removed before the electrical glands can be installed. First make sure that the terminal box is closed with the terminal box cover. We recommend to use a subland twist driller to avoid any damage to the box while removing the knockouts.



Figure 8

#### 4.2 Electrical installation

All compressors can be started Direct-On-Line.

The position of bridges required for Direct-On-Line start (depending on type of motor and/or mains voltage) is shown in Chapter 4.3 "Wiring diagrams".

# 4.2.1 Part-winding motors (YY/Y) - Code A

Part-winding motors contain two separate windings (2/3 + 1/3) which are internally connected in star and operated in parallel. You cannot change the voltage by changing the electrical connections as the motor is only suitable for one voltage.

The first part-winding, ie, the 2/3 winding on terminals 1-2-3, can be used for part-winding start (remove the bridges!). After a time delay of  $1 \pm 0.1$  seconds the second part-winding, ie, the 1/3 winding on terminals 7-8-9, must be brought on line.

## 4.2.2 Star / Delta motors (Y/△) - Code E

This motor is interchangeable for star (Y) or delta ( $\Delta$ ) operation by means of bridges. It is suitable for two voltages, eg, 230V in delta, 400V in star connection. If the supply voltage and the nominal voltage of the motor in  $\Delta$ -connection are identical, the star connection motor can also be used for starting (remove the bridges!).

# 4.3 Wiring diagrams

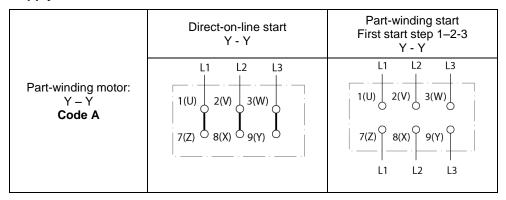
The position of the jumpers in the terminal box and the recommended wiring diagrams are shown in Figures 9 to 12.



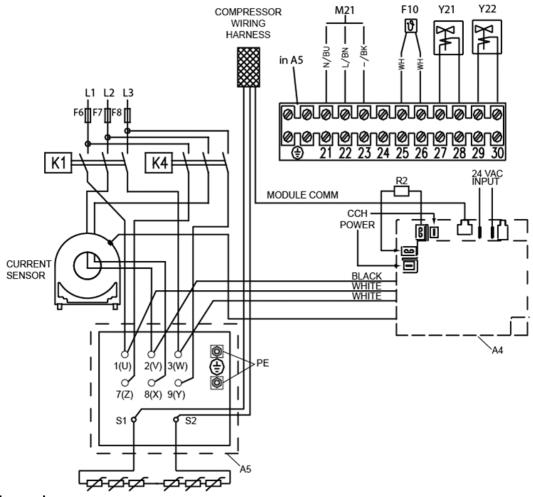
# 4.3.1 Wiring diagram for part-winding motors (AW...)

Part winding motors can be connected direct-on-line or part-winding start.

# NOTE: The sensor module inside the terminal box requires a separate 24V AC power supply.



# 4.3.1.1 Compressors with CoreSense Diagnostics module



# **Legend**

	A4	Sensor	module
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A5 ...... Compressor terminal box

CCH.... Crankcase heater

F6 ...... Fuse for control circuit F7 ...... Fuse for control circuit

F8 ...... Fuse for control circuit

F10 ..... Thermal protection switch M21

K1......Contactor M1

K4...... Contactor M1 for second part-winding

M21 ..... Fan motor / condenser

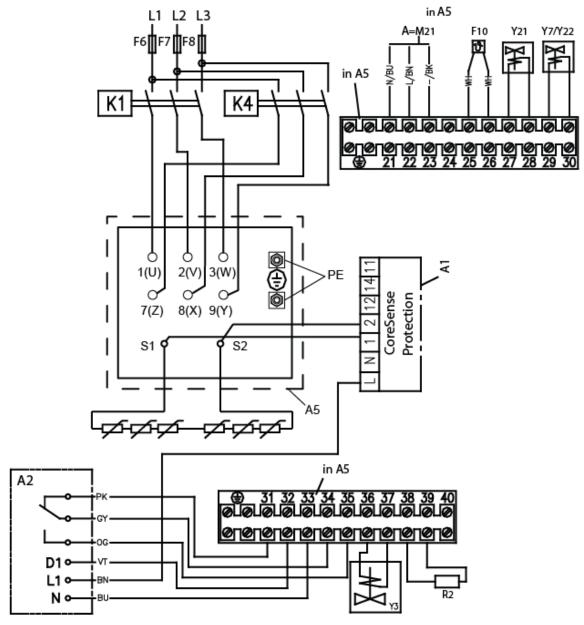
R2...... Crankcase heater

Y21..... Solenoid valve capacity control 1 Y22..... Solenoid valve capacity control 2

# Figure 9



# 4.3.1.2 Compressors with CoreSense Protection module



# **Legend**

A1 CoreSense Protection module	K1Contactor M1
A2 OPS2 Oil pressure switch	K4 Contactor M1 for second part-winding
A5 Compressor terminal box	M21 Fan motor / condenser
F6 Fuse for control circuit	R2Crankcase heater
F7 Fuse for control circuit	Y21Solenoid valve capacity control 1
F8 Fuse for control circuit	Y22 Solenoid valve capacity control 2
F10 Thermal protection switch M21	Y3Solenoid valve unloaded start

Figure 10



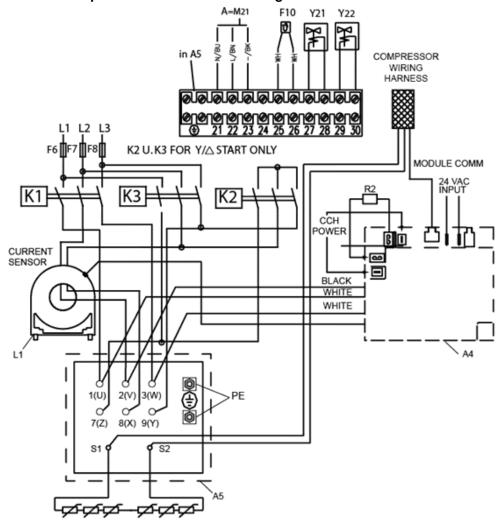
# 4.3.2 Wiring diagram for Star / Delta motors (EW...)

Star / Delta motors can be connected direct-on-line or Star / Delta start.

# NOTE: The sensor module inside the terminal box requires a separate 24V AC power supply.

	Direct-on-line start $\Delta$	Direct-on-line start Y	Star / Delta start $\Delta$
Star / Delta motor Y - Δ Code E	1(U) 2(V) 3(W) 7(Z) 8(X) 9(Y)	1(U) 2(V) 3(W) 7(Z) 8(X) 9(Y)	1(U) 2(V) 3(W) 7(Z) 8(X) 9(Y) L1 L2 L3

# 4.3.2.1 Compressors with CoreSense Diagnostics module



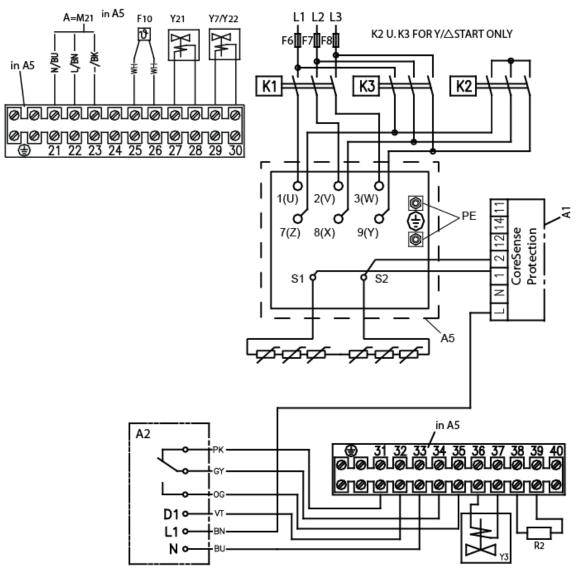
# Legend

A4 Sensor module	K1Contactor M1
A5 Compressor terminal box	K2Contactor M1 Y-connection
CCH Crankcase heater	K3 Contactor M1 Δ-connection
F6 Fuse for control circuit	M21Fan motor / condenser
F7 Fuse for control circuit	R2Crankcase heater
F8 Fuse for control circuit	Y21Solenoid valve capacity control 1
F10 Thermal protection switch M21	Y22Solenoid valve capacity control 2

Figure 11



# 4.3.2.2 Compressors with CoreSense Protection module



# Legend

A1 CoreSense Protection module	K1Contactor M1
A2 OPS2 Oil pressure switch	K2Contactor M1 Y-connection
A5 Compressor terminal box	K3Contactor M1 Δ-connection
F6 Fuse for control circuit	M21Fan motor / condenser
F7 Fuse for control circuit	R2Crankcase heater
F8 Fuse for control circuit	Y21/22. Solenoid valve capacity controls
F10 Thermal protection switch M21	Y3Solenoid valve unloaded start

Figure 12



# 4.4 Protection devices

Independently from the internal motor protection, fuses must be installed before compressor start-up. The selection of fuses has to be carried out according to VDE 0635, DIN 57635, IEC 269-1 or EN 60-269-1.

# 4.5 CoreSense™ Diagnostics

CoreSense™ Diagnostics is used for all 4M\* and 6M\* Stream semi-hermetic compressors. It combines oil and motor protection in one module, replacing OPS1/2 and the electronic module INT69TM. In addition it provides advanced protection against faults such as high discharge temperature, locked rotor, single/missing phase, voltage imbalance and low voltage protection. The module is capable of communication via Modbus® protocol. An external overload protection is not necessary.





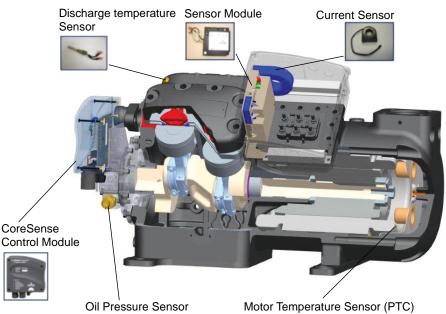


Figure 13: CoreSense Diagnostics module



For the electrical connection of the CoreSense Diagnostics module, refer to the wiring diagram below:

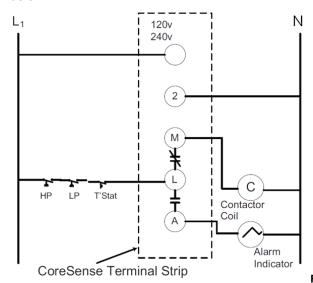


Figure 14: CoreSense module wiring diagram

NOTE: For more information please refer to Technical Information D7.8.4 "CoreSense™ Diagnostics for Stream refrigeration compressors".

# 4.6 CoreSense™ Protection

#### 4.6.1 Motor protection

Stream compressors with "-P" at the end of the description are equipped with a CoreSense Protection device. The temperature-dependent resistance of the thermistor (also PTC-resistance) is used to sense the winding temperature. Two chains of three thermistors each connected in series are embedded in the motor windings in such a manner that the temperature of the thermistors can follow with little inertia.

The CoreSense Protection module switches a control relay depending on the thermistor resistance. It is installed in the terminal box to which the thermistors are connected.

Caution: The maximum test voltage for thermistors is 3V.

The total resistance of the thermistor chains on a cold compressor should be ≤ 1800Ω.

Protection class of the module: IP20.



#### **IMPORTANT**

Different sources for power supply and contact 11-14! Module malfunction! Use the same potential for the power supply (L) and the switch contact of the control loop (11-14).

## Control circuit wiring:

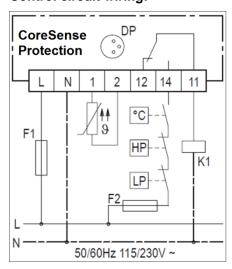


Figure 15: Control circuit wiring diagram



# 4.6.2 Oil pressure control

The oil pressure switch breaks the control circuit when the pressure difference between the oil pump outlet and the crankcase is too low. The switch must be properly adjusted and tamper-proof. If the oil differential pressure drops below the minimum acceptable value the compressor will be stopped after a 120-second delay. After having solved the problem the control has to be reset manually.

# **NOTE:** Proper oil pressure safety control with an approved switch is a condition of warranty!

The following oil pressure switches can be delivered as accessories:

- Electronic oil pressure switch OPS2
- Mechanical oil pressure switch ALCO FD-113ZU

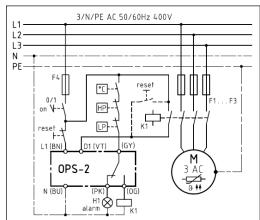
# 4.6.2.1 Electronic oil pressure switch – OPS2

The specifications for the OPS2 oil pressure switch are as follows:

Differential pressure: 0.95 ± 0.15 bar
 Time delay: 120 ± 15 sec.

Where there is a 5-wire cable connection between the electrical control panel and the compressor terminal box to the OPS module, the same wires can be applied to the OPS2 which will give the functions of an OPS1 module.

To obtain use of all of the features of the OPS2 a 7-wire cable between the electrical control cabinet and the compressor terminal box should be used. Wiring diagrams for OPS2 are shown in Technical Information D7.8.3 "DWM Copeland™ Semi-hermetic Compressor Oil Pressure Differential Switch OPS2" available at <a href="www.emersonclimate.eu">www.emersonclimate.eu</a>. The wiring diagram relates to an option using a 7-wire cable.



# Wiring:

Brown (BN) = Power supply input

Violet (VIO) = Running signal from the compressor

Grey (GR) = Input changeover contact from the daisy chain

uaisy chain

Orange (OG) = Output changeover contact linked to the compressor contactor

Pink (PK) = Output changeover contact linked to the alarm

Blue (BU) = Power supply output

Figure 16

NOTE: Where a 5- or 7-wire cable is stated a 4- or 6-wire cable is required. In some countries only a 5- or 7-wire cable is available. See more information about OPS2 in Technical Information D7.8.3 "DWM Copeland™ Semi-hermetic Compressor Oil Pressure Differential Switch OPS2".

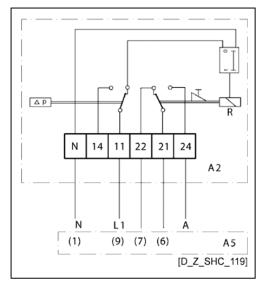


# 4.6.2.2 Mechanical oil pressure switch - ALCO FD-113ZU (A22 - 057)

Specifications for electro-mechanical oil pressure switches are as follows:

Cut-out pressure: 0.63 ± 0.14 bar
 Cut-in pressure: 0.9 ± 0.1 bar
 Time delay: 120 ± 15 sec.

The Alco Control FD-113ZU mechanical oil pressure switch operates with the above set points.



Legend:

11 ..... Voltage connection

21 ..... Control voltage connection

22 ..... Control circuit

24 ..... Alarm connection

A2.... Oil pressure switch

A5..... Compressor terminal box

R..... Relay

N...... Neutral connection

t...... Time delay

Figure 17

Protection class: IP30.

# 4.7 Crankcase heaters



# **IMPORTANT**

**Oil dilution! Bearing malfunction!** Turn the crankcase heater on 12 hours before starting the compressor.

A crankcase heater is used to prevent refrigerant from migrating into the shell during standstill periods. Heaters for 4M\* and 6M\* compressors are screwed into a sleeve (see **Figure 18**).

The crankcase heater is available in 120V, 230V and 480V.

The operation of 120V and 230V crankcase heaters is controlled by the CoreSense Diagnostics module; this is not possible with 480V heaters.

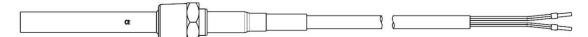


Figure 18: 100 Watt crankcase heater element

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# 5 Starting up & operation



#### **WARNING**

**Diesel effect! Compressor destruction!** The mixture of air and oil at high temperature can lead to an explosion. Avoid operating with air.

#### 5.1 Leak test

The suction shut-off valve and discharge shut-off valve on the compressor must remain closed during pressure testing to prevent air and moisture from entering the compressor. The test pressure (dried nitrogen) must not exceed 20.5 bar provided no other system component's pressure is lower. In this case the lower pressure is the test pressure.

# 5.2 System evacuation

Before commissioning, remove the holding charge then evacuate with a vacuum pump. Proper evacuation reduces residual moisture to 50 ppm. The installation of adequately sized access valves at the furthest point from the compressor in the suction and liquid lines is advisable. To achieve undisturbed operation the compressor valves are closed and the system is evacuated down to 0.3 mbar / 0.225 Torr. Pressure must be measured using a vacuum pressure (Torr) gauge on the access valves and not on the vacuum pump; this serves to avoid incorrect measurements resulting from the pressure gradient along the connecting lines to the pump. Then the compressor must be evacuated.

Due to the factory holding charge of dry air the compressor is under pressure (about 1 to 2.5 bar), this is to indicate that the compressor does not leak.

When removing plugs from the compressor in order to connect a pressure gauge or to fill in oil, the plug may pop out under pressure and oil can spurt out.

# 5.3 Preliminary checks – Pre-starting

Discuss details of the installation with the installer. If possible, obtain drawings, wiring diagrams, etc. It is ideal to use a check-list but always check the following:

- Visual check of the electrics, wiring, fuses etc.
- Visual check of the plant for leaks, loose fittings such as TXV bulbs etc.
- Compressor oil level
- Calibration of HP & LP switches and any pressure actuated valves
- Check setting and operation of all safety features and protection devices
- All valves in the correct running position
- Pressure and compound gauges fitted
- Correctly charged with refrigerant
- Compressor electrical isolator location & position

## 5.4 Charging procedure



# **CAUTION**

**Low suction pressure operation! Compressor Damage!** Do not operate with a restricted suction. Do not operate with the low-pressure cut-out bridged.

The system should be liquid-charged through the liquid-receiver shut-off valve or through a valve in the liquid line. The use of a filter drier in the charging line is highly recommended. The majority of the charge should be placed in the high side of the system to prevent bearing washout during first-time start.



## 5.5 Initial start-up



#### **CAUTION**

**Oil dilution! Bearing malfunction!** It is important to ensure that new compressors are not subjected to liquid abuse. Turn the crankcase heater on 12 hours before starting the compressor.



#### CAUTION

**High discharge pressure operation! Compressor damage!** Do not use the compressor to test opening set point of high-pressure cut-out.

The compressor must be equipped according to our technical documentation considering the application intended. Make sure this requirement is met before start-up.

For brazing connections where dissimilar or ferric metals are joined a silver alloy rod with a minimum content of 30% silver shall be used being either flux-coated or with a separate flux.

Bolt torque settings are listed in Appendix 2.

With the exception of rubber-coated metallic gaskets (Wolverine) all gaskets should be oiled before fitting. O-rings should also be oiled.

*NOTE:* A compressor should never be operated beyond its approved application range! Check by consulting the appropriate data sheet. To avoid motor damage the compressor MUST NOT be started, nor may high-potential testing be carried out under vacuum.

## 5.6 Minimum run time

Emerson Climate Technologies recommends a maximum of 10 starts per hour. The most critical consideration is the minimum run time required to return oil to the compressor after start-up.

# 5.7 Recommended inverter range

Stream compressors are released for inverter applications from Control Techniques or other brands available on the market.

Over a frequency range the compressor system combination can have frequency bands with higher vibration. The degree of vibration and frequency bands are highly dependent on the system. To help reduce these vibration levels rubber mounting should be used on all inverter driven compressors.

Active oil management should be used for all inverter driven compressors.

# 6 Maintenance & repair

# 6.1 Exchanging the refrigerant

Qualified refrigerants and oils are given in Chapter 2.5.1.

It is not necessary to replace the refrigerant with new unless contamination due to an error such as topping up the system with an incorrect refrigerant is suspected. To verify correct refrigerant composition, a sample can be taken for chemical analysis. A check can be made during shut down by comparing the refrigerant temperature and pressure using precision measurements at a location in the system where liquid and vapour phases are present and when the temperatures have stabilised.

In the event that the refrigerant needs replacing, the charge should be recovered using a suitable recovery unit.

In the event that R22 in a system with mineral oil is to be replaced with an HFC refrigerant, the oil must also be changed.

*NOTE*: Please refer to Technical Information CC7.26.1 "Refrigerant Changeover from HCFC to HFC Refrigerants" and CC7.26.3 "Refrigerant Changeover from R404A/R507 to HFC R407A, R407F, R448A, R449A".

# 6.2 Replacing a compressor



## **CAUTION**

**Inadequate Iubrication! Bearing destruction!** Exchange the accumulator after replacing a compressor with a burned out motor. The accumulator oil return orifice or screen may be plugged with debris or may become plugged. This will result in starvation of oil to the new compressor and a second failure.

In the case of a motor burnout, the majority of contaminated oil will be removed with the compressor. The rest of the oil is cleaned through the use of suction and liquid line filter driers. A 100% activated alumina suction line filter drier is recommended but must be removed after 72 hours. It is highly recommended that the suction accumulator be replaced if the system contains one. This is because the accumulator oil-return orifice or screen may be plugged with debris or may become plugged shortly after a compressor failure. This will result in starvation of oil to the replacement compressor and a second failure. When a single compressor or tandem is exchanged in the field, it is possible that a major portion of the oil may still be in the system. While this may not affect the reliability of the replacement compressor, the extra oil will add to rotor drag and increase power usage.

## 6.3 Lubrication and oil removal



#### CAUTION

**Chemical reaction! Compressor destruction!** Do not mix up ester oils with mineral oil and/or alkyl benzene when used with chlorine-free (HFC) refrigerants.

The compressor is supplied with an initial oil charge. The standard oil charge for use with refrigerants R404A, R407A, R407C, R407F, R448A, R449A, R450A, R507, R513A and R134a is a polyolester (POE) lubricant Emkarate RL 32 3MAF. In the field the oil level could be topped up with Mobil EAL Arctic 22 CC if 3MAF is not available. The standard mineral oil for R22 is Suniso 3GS.

One disadvantage of POE is that it is far more hygroscopic than mineral oil (see **Figure 19**). Only brief exposure to ambient air is needed for POE to absorb sufficient moisture to make it unacceptable for use in a refrigeration system. Since POE holds moisture more readily than mineral oil it is more difficult to remove it through the use of vacuum. Compressors supplied by Emerson Climate Technologies contain oil with low moisture content, and it may rise during the system assembling process. Therefore it is recommended that a properly sized filter-drier is installed in all POE systems. This will maintain the moisture level in the oil to less than 50 ppm. If oil is charged into a system, it is recommended to use POE with moisture content no higher than 50 ppm.

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The diagram below compares the hygroscopic characteristics of POE oil with mineral oil (moisture absorption in PPM at 25°C and 50% relative humidity).

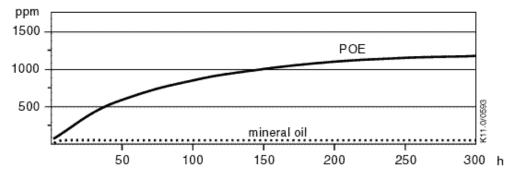


Figure 19: Absorption of moisture in ester oil in comparison to mineral oil in ppm by weight at 25°C and 50% relative humidity (h=hours)

If the moisture content of the oil in a refrigeration system reaches unacceptably high levels, corrosion and copper plating may occur. The system should be evacuated down to 0.3 mbar or lower. If there is uncertainty as to the moisture content in the system, an oil sample should be taken and tested for moisture. Sight glass/moisture indicators currently available can be used with the HFC refrigerants and lubricants; however, the moisture indicator will just show the moisture content of the refrigerant. The actual moisture level of POE would be higher than the sight glass indicates. This is due to the high hygroscopicity of the POE oil. To determine the actual moisture content of the lubricant, samples have to be taken from the system and analysed.

# 6.4 Oil additives

Although Emerson Climate Technologies cannot comment on any specific product, from our own testing and past experience, we do not recommend the use of any additive to reduce compressor bearing losses or for any other purpose. Furthermore, the long-term chemical stability of any additive in the presence of refrigerant, low and high temperatures, and materials commonly found in refrigeration systems is complex and difficult to evaluate without rigorously controlled chemical laboratory testing. The use of additives without adequate testing may result in malfunction or premature failure of components in the system and, in specific cases, in voiding the warranty on the component.

# 6.5 Unbrazing system components



#### **WARNING**

**Explosive flame! Burning!** Oil-refrigerant mixtures are highly flammable. Remove all refrigerant before opening the system. Avoid working with an unshielded flame in a refrigerant charged system.

Before opening up a system it is important to remove all refrigerant from both the high and low sides of the system. If a brazing torch is then applied to the low side while the low side shell and suction line contain pressure, the pressurized refrigerant and oil mixture could ignite when it escapes and contacts the brazing flame. To prevent this occurrence, it is important to check both the high and low sides with manifold gauges before unbrazing. Instructions should be provided in appropriate product literature and assembly (line repair) areas. If compressor removal is required, the compressor should be cut out of system rather than unbrazed.

# 7 Dismantling & disposal



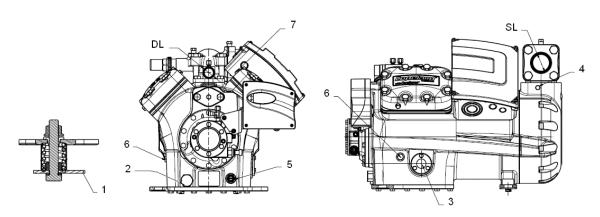
Removing oil and refrigerant:
Do not disperse in the environment.
Use the correct equipment and method of removal.
Dispose of oil and refrigerant properly.
Dispose of compressor properly.



# **Appendix 1: Stream compressor connections**

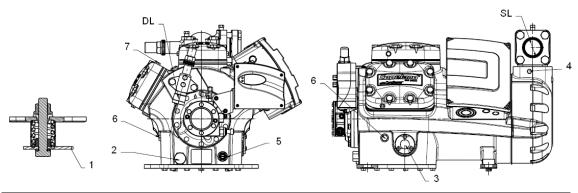
# 4M\*

4MF-13X 4ML-15X 4MM-20X 4MT-22X 4MU-25X 4MA-22X 4MH-25X 4MI-30X 4MJ-30X 4MK-32X



SL	Suction line size (sweat) 4MF13X, 4ML15X, 4MA22X	Ø 1 5/8"	DL	Discharge line size (sweat) 4MF13X, 4ML15X, 4MA22X, 4MM20X, 4MH25X, 4MI30X	Ø 1 1/8"
SL	Suction line size (sweat) 4MM20X, 4MH25X, 4MI30X, 4MT22X,4MJ33X, 4MU25X, 4MK35X	Ø 2 1/8"	DL	Discharge line size (sweat) 4MT22X,4MJ33X, 4MU25X, 4MK35X	Ø 1 3/8"
1	Base mountings	Ø 25.5 mm	5	Crankcase heater	
2	Magnetic plug	1" - 16 UN	6	Plug oil charge	1/4"
3	Oil sight glass	1/4"-20 UNC	7	Plug high pressure connection	1/8"
4	Plug low pressure connection	1/8"			

# **6M\*** 6MM-30X, 6MT-35X, 6MU-40X 6MI-40X, 6MJ-45X, 6MK-50X



SL	Suction line size (sweat) 6MM30X, 6MT35X, 6MI40X, 6MJ45X	Ø 2 1/8"	DL	Discharge line size (sweat) 6MT35X, 6MU-40X, 6MJ45X, 6MK-50X	Ø 1 5/8"
SL	Suction line size (sweat) 6MK50X, 6MU40X	Ø 2 5/8"	DL	Discharge line size (sweat) 6MI40X, 6MM30X	Ø 1 3/8"
1	Base mountings	Ø 25.5 mm	5	Crankcase heater	
2	Magnetic plug	1" - 16 UN	6	Plug oil charge	1/4"
3	Oil sight glass	1/4"-20 UNC	7	Plug high pressure connection	1/8"
4	Plug low pressure connection	1/8"			

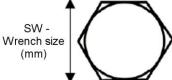


# **Appendix 2: Tightening torques in Nm**

Suction	1/2"-13 UNC 53 - 84 Nm SW 19	Discharge shut-off valve	1/2"-13 UNC 53 - 84 Nm SW 19
shut-off valve	5/8"-11 UNC 104 - 164 Nm SW 23.8	Rotalock nut	1 3/4"-12 UNF 41 - 54 Nm SW 50
Bottom plate	3/8"-16 UNC 57 - 68 Nm SW 14.2	Mounting foot	3/8"-16 UNC 57 - 68 Nm SW 14.2
Stator cover	1/2"-13 UNC 68-79 Nm SW 18	Housing cover	3/8"-16 UNC 57 - 68 Nm SW 14.2
Oil pump	5/16"-18 UNC 31 - 37 Nm SW 12.7	Oil sight glass	1/4"-20 UNC 4.5 - 6 Nm SW 11
Oil pressure switch – OPS2	60 - 75 Nm	Magnetic plug	1"-16 UN 102 - 136 Nm SW 25.4
Terminal stud	10-32 UNF 3-4 Nm SW 9	Terminal stud thermistors	10 - 32 UNF 3.4 - 4 Nm SW 9
r erminai stud	1/4"-28 UNF 5-6.5 Nm SW 10	Mounting plate for terminals	3/8"-16 UNC 57 - 68 Nm SW 14.2
Cylinder head	1/2"-13 UNC 129-149 Nm SW 18	Bolt for connecting rod	1/4"-28 UNF 15 - 18 Nm Torx screws*
Plug 4	1/4"-18 NPTF 27 - 50 Nm SW 17.5		

<sup>\*</sup> In case of replacement of the piston con-rod assemblies, clean the Torx screws and apply Loctite 2701.

The ranges of torque values given in this specification are assembly torques. Torque after joint relaxation must be within 15% of the minimum assembly torque unless re-torque is called for and must not be above 10% of the maximum assembly torque.



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