



**ALTA-TEC SERIES**



# ALTA-TEC 11 – 15VS

## *User's Maintenance and Spare Parts Manual*

Dear Customer,

Thank you for choosing Pilot Air.

In order to get the best performance out of this product, please read this manual carefully.

To avoid incorrect operation of the equipment and possible physical risk to the operator, please read and strictly follow the instructions contained in this manual.

Note, these instructions are in addition to the safety rules that apply in the country where the air compressor is installed.

Before packing for shipment, each machine undergoes a rigorous test to ensure the absence of any manufacturing faults and to demonstrate that the device can perform all the functions for which it has been designed.

This manual must be maintained available in any moment for future references and it has to be intended as inherent part of the relevant dryer.

Due to the continuous technical evolution, we reserve the right to introduce any necessary change without giving previous notice.

Should you experience any trouble, or for further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Best Regards,



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## DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY

The following declaration is attached to the compressor in original copy.  
 All identification data: manufacturer, model, code and serial number are stamped on EC label.  
 For any request for copies it is ESSENTIAL to provide ALL the data stamped on EC label.

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| IT | Dichiara sotto la sua esclusiva responsabilità, che il compressore d'aria qui di seguito descritto è conforme a tutte le disposizioni pertinenti delle seguenti direttive comunitarie: 2006/42/CE, 2014/30/UE<br>Sono state applicate le seguenti norme armonizzate nell'ultima versione pubblicata sulla Gazzetta Ufficiale Europea: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4       |
| GB | Declares under its sole responsibility that the air compressor described below complies with all relevant regulations of the following EU directives: 2006/42/EC, 2014/30/EU<br>The following harmonised standards have been applied in the latest version published on the Official Journal of the European Union: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4                         |
| FR | Déclare sous son entière responsabilité que le compresseur d'air décrit ci-après est conforme à toutes les dispositions pertinentes des directives communautaires suivantes: 2006/42/CE, 2014/30/UE<br>Les normes suivantes harmonisées dans la dernière version publiée au Journal Officiel de l'Union Européenne ont été appliquées: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4      |
| DE | Erklärt unter Ihrer alleinigen Verantwortung, dass der in Folge beschriebene Luftkompressor allen einschlägigen Bestimmungen der folgenden EU-Richtlinien entspricht: 2006/42/EG, 2014/30/EU<br>Die folgenden Harmonisierten Normen wurden in der jüngsten im Amtsblatt der Europäischen Union veröffentlichten Version angewendet: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4         |
| ES | Declara, bajo su exclusiva responsabilidad, que el compresor de aire descrito a continuación responde a todas las disposiciones pertinentes de las siguientes directivas comunitarias: 2006/42/CE, 2014/30/UE<br>Se han aplicado las siguientes normas armonizadas en la última versión publicada en el Diario Oficial de la Unión Europea: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4 |
| PT | Declara sob a sua exclusiva responsabilidade que o compressor de ar descrito a seguir está em conformidade com todas as normas relevantes das seguintes diretivas da UE: 2006/42/CE, 2014/30/UE<br>As seguintes normas harmonizadas foram aplicadas na última versão publicada no Jornal Oficial da União Europeia: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4                         |
| NL | Verklaart onder zijn(eigen) verantwoordelijkheid dat de hieronder beschreven persluchtcompressor voldoet aan alle voorschriften van de volgende EG-richtlijnen: 2006/42/EG, 2014/30/EU<br>De volgende geharmoniseerde standaards zijn toegepast in de laatste versie gepubliceerd in het Publicatieblad van de Europese Unie: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4               |
| DK | Erklærer under eget ansvar, at luftkompressoren, der beskrives nedenfor, er i overensstemmelse med alle relevante forordninger fra de følgende EU-direktiver: 2006/42/EC, 2014/30/EU<br>De følgende harmoniserede standarder gør sig gældende for den seneste version, som er offentliggjort i De Europæiske Fællesskabers Tidende: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4         |
| SE | Försäkrar under eget ansvar att den luftkompressor som beskrivs nedan överensstämmer med alla tillhörande föreskrifter i följande EG-direktiv: 2006/42/EG, 2014/30/EU<br>Följande harmoniserade standarder har tillämpats i den senaste versionen, som publicerats i den Europeiska unionens officiella tidning: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4                            |
| FI | Vakuuttaa omalla vastuullaan, että seuraavassa esitelly ilmakompressorin vastaa kaikki seuraavien Euroopan direktiivien vaatimuksia: 2006/42/EY, 2014/30/EU<br>Seuraavia harmonisoituja normeja, joiden viimeisin versio on julkaistu Euroopan unionin virallisessa lehdessä, on sovellettu: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4  |
| GR | Ανέπτυξε με αποκλειστική δική της ευθύνη, ότι ο συμπιεστής αέρα που περιγράφεται παρακάτω συμμορφώνεται με όλες τις σχετικές διατάξεις των ετήσις κοινοτικών οδηγιών: 2006/42/ΕΚ, 2014/30/ΕΕ<br>Εφαρμόστηκαν οι ετήσις ευαρμοσμένοι κανονισμοί στην τελευταία έκδοση της Επισήμησης Εφαρμογής των Ευρωπαϊκών Κοινοτήτων: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4                    |
| PL | Oświadczca na swoją wyłączną odpowiedzialność, że opisana poniżej sprężarka spełnia wszystkie stosowne przepisy zawarte w następujących dyrektywach Unii Europejskiej: 2006/42/EC, 2014/30/UE<br>Następujące ujednolicone normy mają zastosowanie w najbardziej aktualnej wersji opublikowanej w Dzienniku Urzędowym Unii Europejskiej: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4     |
| HR | Izjavlja pod vlastitom odgovornošću da dolje opisani kompresor zraka udovoljava svim važećim propisima slijedećih Direktiva EU: 2006/42/EZ, 2014/30/EU<br>Slijedeće usklađene norme primjenjuju se u najnovijoj verziji objavljenoj u Službenom listu Evropske unije: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4   |
| SI | Izjavlja pod lastno odgovornostjo, da je v nadaljevanju opisan kompresor za zrak skladen z vsemi določili s področja naslednjih direktiv skupnosti: 2006/42/EU, 2014/30/EU<br>Uveljavljeni so naslednji harmonizirani standardi zadnje verzije, objavljene v Uradnem listu Evropske skupnosti: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4  |
| HU | Kiszárolagos felelősséggel tudatában kijelenti, hogy a lent megnevezett kompresszor megfelel a következő EU irányelvek vonatkozó rendelkezésének: 2006/42/EK, 2014/30/EU<br>Az alábbi harmonizált szabványokat az Európai Unió Hivatalos Lapjában közzétett legutóbbi változatuk szerint alkalmaztuk: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4                                       |
| CZ | Prohlašuje s plnou odpovědností, že uvedený vzduchový kompresor splňuje všechna příslušná nařízení následujících směrnic EU: 2006/42/ES, 2014/30/UE<br>Použity byly následující harmonizované normy publikované v Úředním věstníku Evropské unie v nejnovějších verzích: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4  |
| SK | Vyhlasuje na vlastnú zodpovednosť, že uvedený vzduchový kompresor spĺňa všetky príslušné nariadenia nasledujúcich smerníc EÚ: 2006/42/ES, 2014/30/UE<br>Boli použité nasledujúce harmonizované normy publikované v Úradnom vestníku Európskej únie v najnovších verzách: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4  |
| RU | Заявляет под свою исключительную ответственность, что воздушный компрессор, описанный ниже, отвечает всем соответствующим положениям следующих европейских директив: 2006/42/EC, 2014/30/EU<br>Следующие гармонизированные стандарты были применены в последней редакции, опубликованной в правительственном вестнике ЕС: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4                   |
| NO | Erklærer under eget ansvar at luftkompressoren her beskrevet er i overensstemmelse med alle krav i de følgende EU-forskriftene: 2006/42/EC, 2014/30/EU<br>De følgende harmoniserede standardene er brukt i den siste versjonen trykt i den europeiske unions tidende (EUT): EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4   |
| TR | Tek sorumluluk kendisinde olmak üzere, aşağıda açıklanan hava kompresörünün, İzleyen AB direktiflerinin ilgili tüm yönetmeliklerine uygun olduğunu beyan eder: 2006/42/EC, 2014/30/UE<br>Avrupa Birliği'nin Resmî Gazetesinde yayınlanan son sürümde, aşağıdaki uyumlaştırılmış standartlar uygulanmıştır: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4                                  |
| RO | Declară pe propria răspundere că compresorul de aer descris în continuare este conform cu toate dispozițiile în materie ale următoarelor directive comunitare: 2006/42/CE, 2014/30/UE<br>Au fost aplicate următoarele standarde armonizate în ultima versiune publicată în Jurnalul Oficial al Uniunii Europene: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4                            |
| BG | Декларира на собствена отговорност, че описаният по-долу въздушен компресор отговаря на всички съответни разпоредби на следните директиви на ЕС: 2006/42/EC, 2014/30/EC<br>Следните хармонизирани стандарти са приложени в най-новото издание, публикувано в Официален вестник на Европейския съюз: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4   |
| RS | Izjavlja pod ličnom odgovornošću da je dole opisan kompresor vazduha u skladu sa svim važećim propisima slijedećih Direktiva EU: 2006/42/EZ, 2014/30/EU<br>Slijedeće usklađene norme primjenjuju se u najnovijoj verziji objavljenoj u Službenom glasniku Evropske unije: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4   |
| LT | Su visa atsakomybe pareiškia, kad žemiau aprašytas oro kompresorius atitinka visus taikomus reglamentus, apibrėžtus šiose ES direktyvose: 2006/42/EB, 2014/30/ES<br>Toliau nurodyti damieji standartai buvo pritaikyti naujausioje versijoje, publikuotoje Europos Sąjungos oficialiajame leidinyje: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4  |
| EE | Avaldab enda täieliku vastutusega, et järgnevalt kirjeldatud õhukompressor vastab kõigile järgmistele EL-i direktiivide eeskirjadele: 2006/42/EÜ, 2014/30/EÜ<br>Euroopa Liidu Teatajas avaldatud uusimas versioonis on kohaldatud järgmisi õhustatud standardeid: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4   |
| LV | Pilnībā apstiprina, ka tālāk minētais gaisa kompresors atbilst visiem šādu ES direktīvu noteikumiem: 2006/42/EK, 2014/30/ES<br>Jaunākajai versijai, kas publicēta Eiropas Savienības oficiālajā laikrakstā, ir piemēroti šādi vienoti standarti: EN 1012-1, EN 60204-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-6-4  |

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### **OUTFIT**

The following accessories are supplied with the compressor:

- Use and maintenance manual
- Anti-vibration elements
- Electric box panel key
- Oil/Condensate exhaust tube

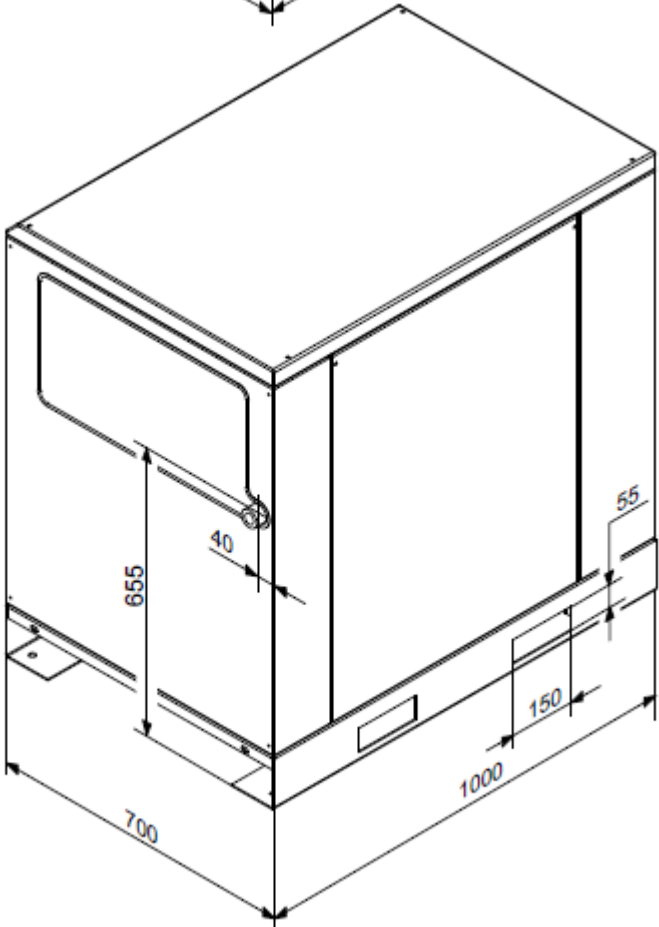
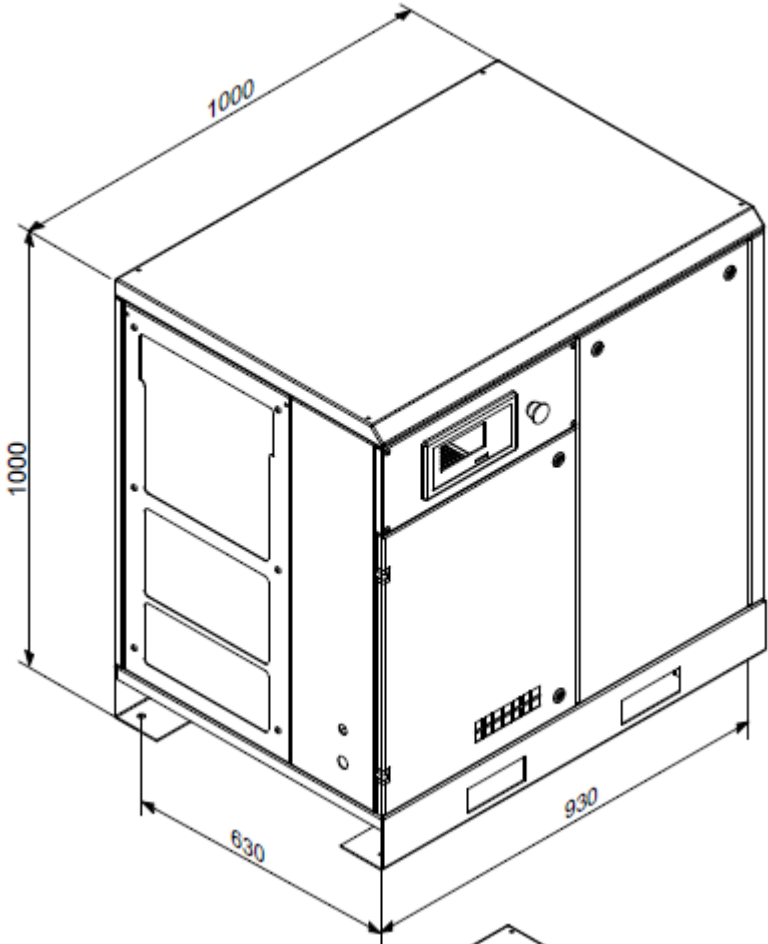
Check that the above accessories are available. Once the goods have been delivered and accepted, no complaints are accepted.

### **CONDITION OF THE MACHINE WHEN SUPPLIED**

Every compressor is shop tested and delivered ready to be installed and to be set at work.

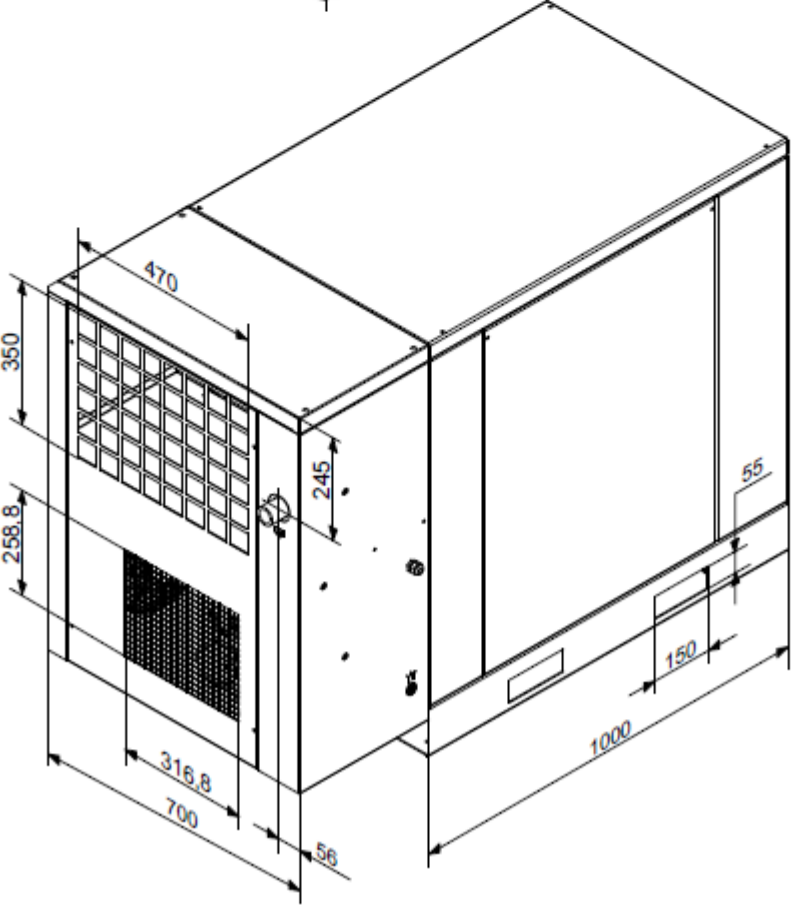
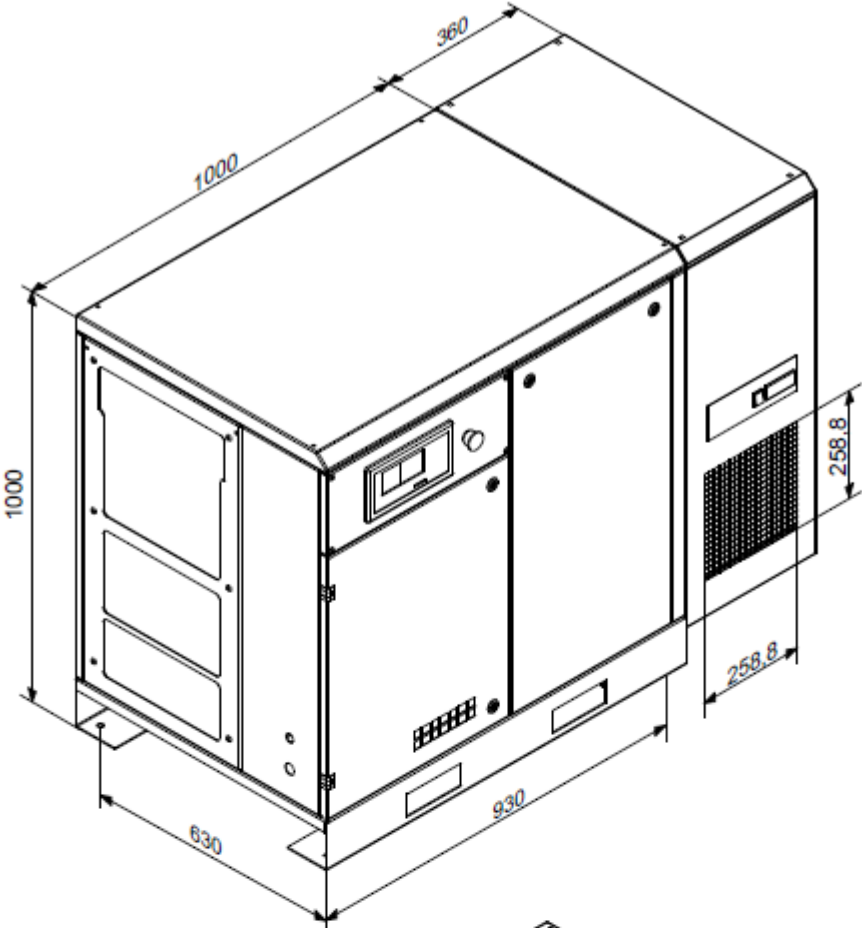
The oil for first filling used is: FSN Original Oil.

Overall Dimensions



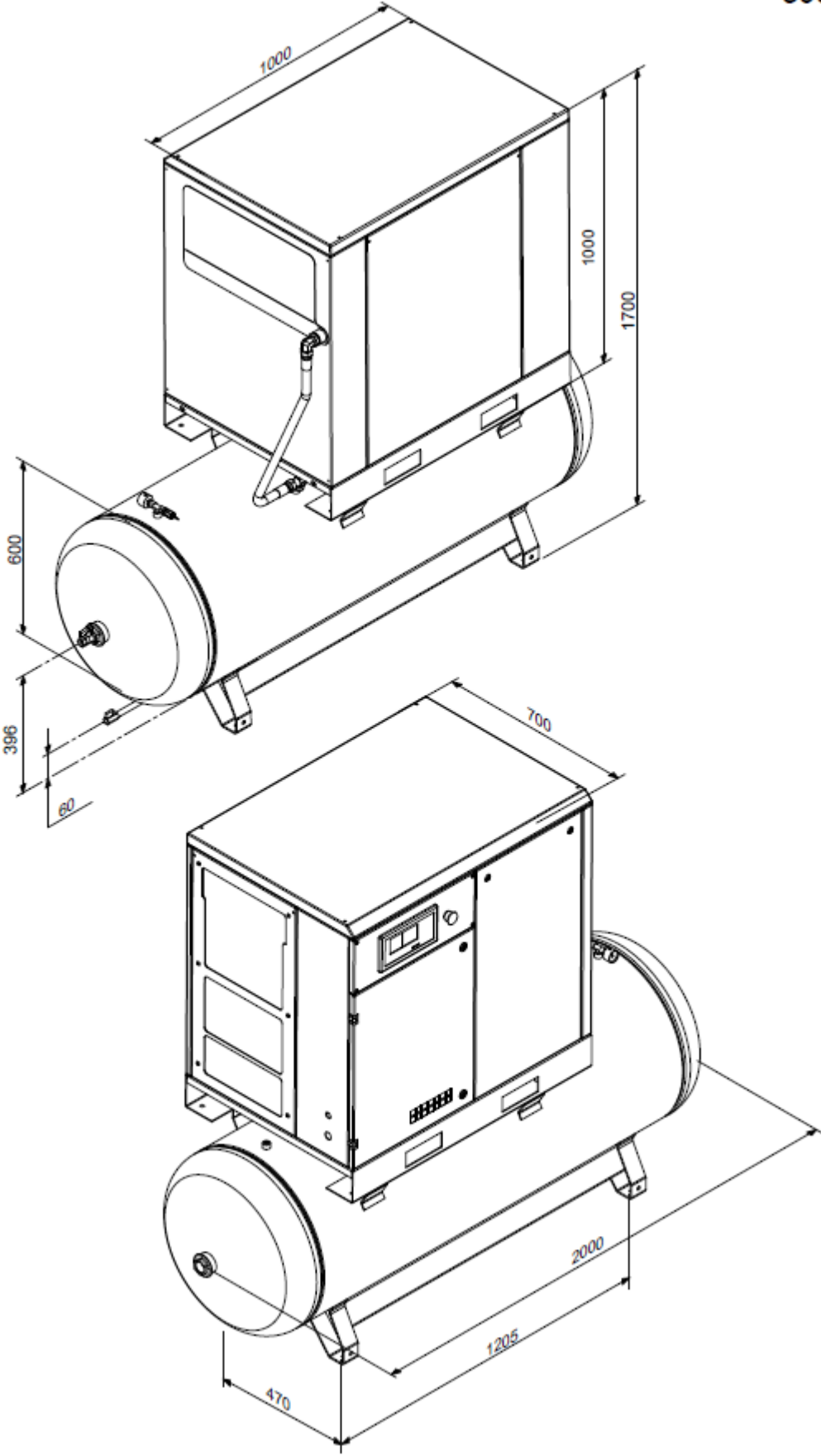
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Dryer



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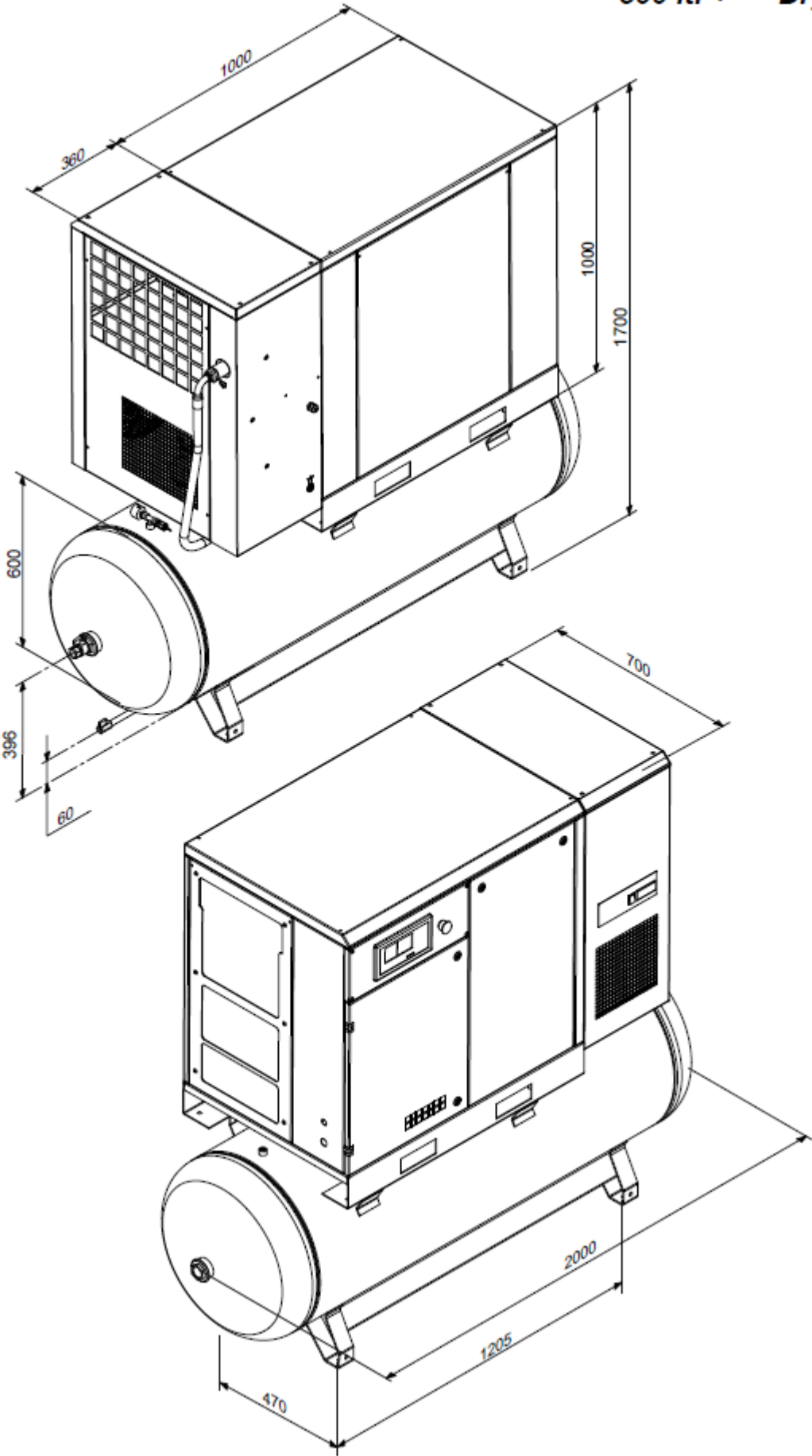
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Overall Dimensions

500 lt. + Dryer



**READ THIS PAGE CAREFULLY BEFORE PERFORMING ANY OPERATION ON THE COMPRESSOR**

### General Warnings

- The rotating compressors are destined for arduous and continuous industrial use. They are particularly adapt for application in industries where a large consumption of air is requested for long periods of time.
- The compressor must be used exclusively as indicated in this manual which must be kept carefully in an easily accessible place known to everyone as it must remain with the machine for its entire duration.
- The company in which the compressor is to be installed must appoint a person n charged of the compressor itself. Controls, adjustments and maintenance interventions are under his responsibility: if this person must be replaced, the substitute must read the user and maintenance manual and any notes made regarding technical and maintenance interventions carried out up to this time.

### SYMBOLS USED IN THE MANUAL

Several symbols have been used inside the manual, which highlight dangerous situations, give practical advice or simple information. These symbols are found at the side of a text, at the side of a figure or at the top of a page (in this case they refer to all subjects considered o the entire page).

Pay attention to the meaning of this symbols:



#### ATTENTION!

Highlights an important description regarding: technical interventions, dangerous conditions, safety warnings, advice and/or very important information.



#### REMOVE VOLTAGE!

It is compulsory to deactivate the electric power supply to the machine before carrying out any interventions on the machine.



#### MACHINE AT A STANDSTILL!

Every operation highlighted by this symbol must only be carried out with the machine at a standstill.



#### SPECIALISED STAFF!

All interventions highlighted with this symbol must be carried out exclusively by a specialised technician.

## Safety Regulations

**READ THIS PAGE CAREFULLY BEFORE PERFORMING ANY OPERATION ON THE COMPRESSOR**

### SYMBOLS USED ON THE COMPRESSOR

Several different labels are applied to the compressor. Their function is most of all to highlight any hidden dangers and to indicate correct behavior during use of the machine or in particular situations.

It is of fundamental importance that they are respected.

#### Warning symbols



High temperature risk



Electric shock risk



Risk from hot or dangerous gases in the work area



Pressurised container



Moving mechanical parts



Maintenance in progress



Machine with automatic start-up

#### Prohibition symbols



Do not open hatches when the machine is functioning



If necessary, always use the emergency stop button and not the line isolating switch



Do not use water to put out fires on electrical appliances

#### Obligation symbols



Carefully read the user instructions

### TO DO:

- Make sure that mains voltage corresponds to the voltage indicated on CE plate and that cable of suitable cross-section are used for electric connections.
- Always check oil level before starting the compressor.
- Be familiar with emergency stop control and all other controls.
- Unplug the connector before any maintenance work, so to avoid accidental start.
- Ensure that all parts have been correctly reassembled after any maintenance work.
- Keep children and animals off the working area to avoid injuries caused by devices connected to the compressor.
- Ensure that temperature of the working environment ranges between +2 and + 45 °C. Compressor working temperature shall range between 70÷85°C (20-25°C room temperature). Lower temperatures may cause condensate accumulation inside the oil separator tank (inside the compressor).
- **Check for condensate and if necessary, drain it (see maintenance).**
- The compressor should be installed and operated in a non-explosive environment.
- Allow at least 80 cm between the compressor and the wall so to allow free air flow to the fan.
- Press the emergency button on the control panel only in case of actual need so as to avoid possible damages to people or the very compressor.
- **When calling for technical assistance** and/or advice, always mention model, code and serial number indicated on CE plate.
- Always follow the maintenance schedule specified in the user's guide.

## Safety Regulations

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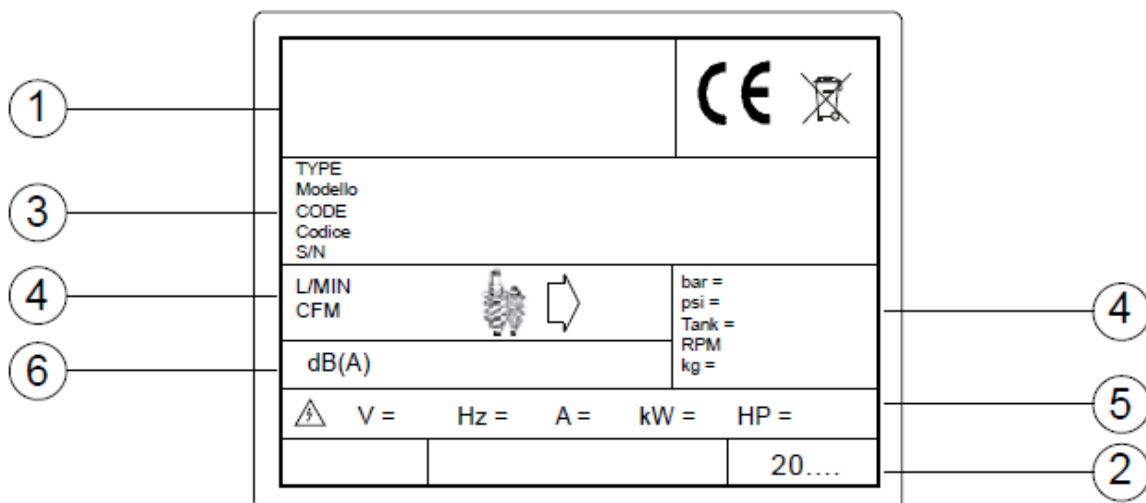
### DO NOT:

- Do not touch inner parts and pipes as they are very hot during compressor operation and stay hot for a certain time after compressor stops.
- Do not position inflammable close to and onto the compressor.
- Do not move the compressor when the tank is under pressure.
- Do not operate the compressor if the power cable is damaged or defective or if connection is unstable.
- Do not operate the compressor in wet or dusty environments.
- Never aim the air jet at people or animals.
- Do not allow unauthorized people to operate the compressor and give them all required instructions.
- Do not hit fans with blunt objects as they might break during compressor operation.
- Never operate the compressor without air filter.
- Do not tamper with safety and adjusting devices.
- Never operate the compressor when doors/panels are open or removed.
- Do not strike the fans with contusive or metal objects as they could cause sudden breakage during functioning.
- Do not allow the compressor to function without the filter and/or air pre-filter.
- Do not tamper with safety and adjustment devices.
- Never allow the compressor to function with the hatches/panels open or removed.

### PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

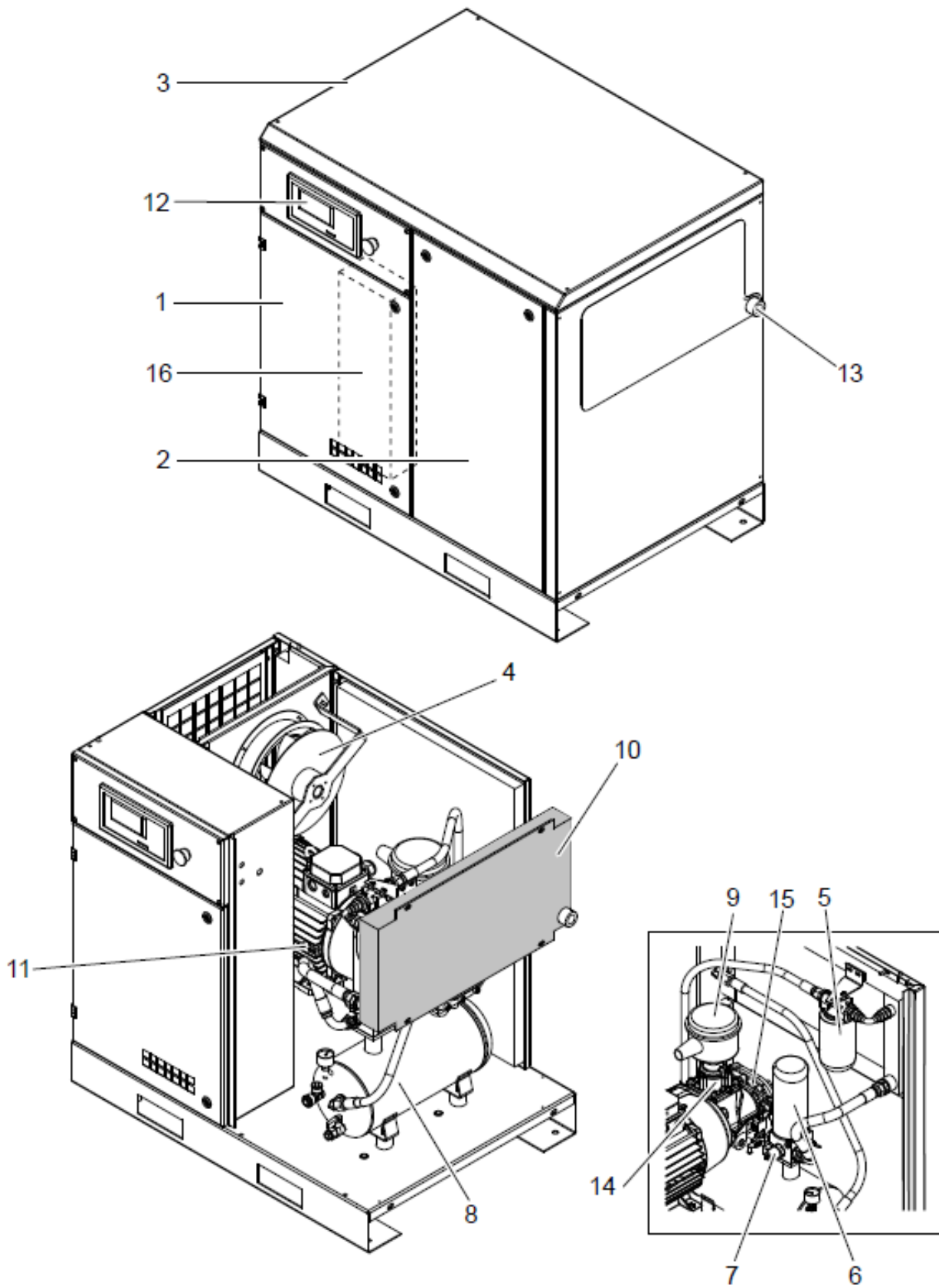
The compressor you have purchased has its own CE plate showing the following data:

1. Manufacturer's data
2. Year of manufacture
3. TYPE = name  
CODE = code  
SERIAL NO. = serial number (to be always mentioned when calling for technical assistance)
4. Tech data: air intake/air delivery, max. operating pressure, tank capacity, rotations per minute, weight
5. Voltage, frequency, absorption, power
6. Noise level



DESCRIPTION OF THE COMPRESSOR

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## Installation

### DESCRIPTION OF THE COMPRESSOR

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|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Electrical Equipment   | 11. Electric Motor    |
| 2. Front Panel            | 12. Control Panel     |
| 3. Lid                    | 13. Air Intake Outlet |
| 4. Electric Fan           | 14. Suction Regulator |
| 5. Oil Filter             | 15. Screw Compressor  |
| 6. Oil Separator Filter   | 16. Inverter          |
| 7. Minimum Pressure Valve |                       |
| 8. Oil separator tank     |                       |
| 9. Air Filter             |                       |
| 10. Oil Radiator          |                       |

### UNPACKING AND HANDLING THE MACHINE



- When delivered, compressor top is protected by cardboard packing.
- Wear suitable protective gloves and then cut outer straps and then remove cardboard from the top. Check the (outer) good condition of the machine before moving the compressor. Visually check that no parts are damaged. Also, ensure that all accessories are available.
- Lift the machine using a forklift truck. Move the machine to the room chosen for its location with maximum care.
- Keep all packing materials at least for the warranty period for possible moving. In case of need, it will be safer for delivery to technical assistance department.
- **Then, dispose of packing materials in compliance with current laws.**

### LOCATION (fig. 2)

The room chosen for the installation of the compressor should meet the following requirements and comply with what is specified in the current safety and accident prevention regulations:

- **low percentage** of fine dust,
- **proper room ventilation and size** that allow room temperature under 45° C. In the event of inadequate hot air discharge, fit the exhaust fans as high as possible.

Condensate should be collected either into a container or a tank, or a water/oil separator should be fitted.

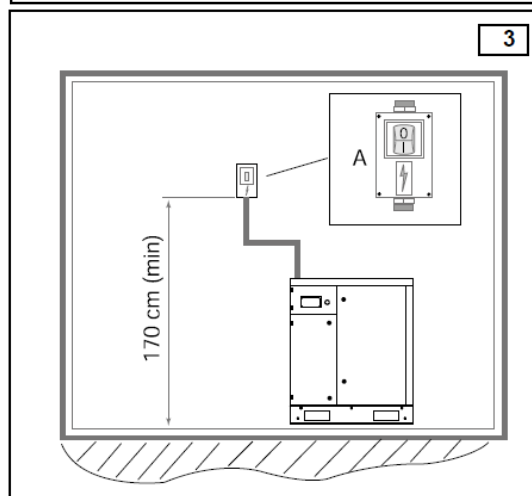
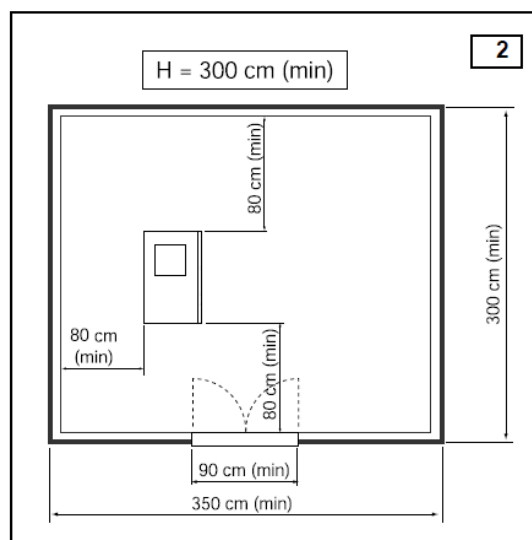
**CONDENSATE IS A POLLUTING MIXTURE!** It must not be let into the sewage.

The dimensions of the spaces are indicative only but it is advisable to follow them as closely as possible.

### ELECTRICAL HOOK-UP (fig. 3)

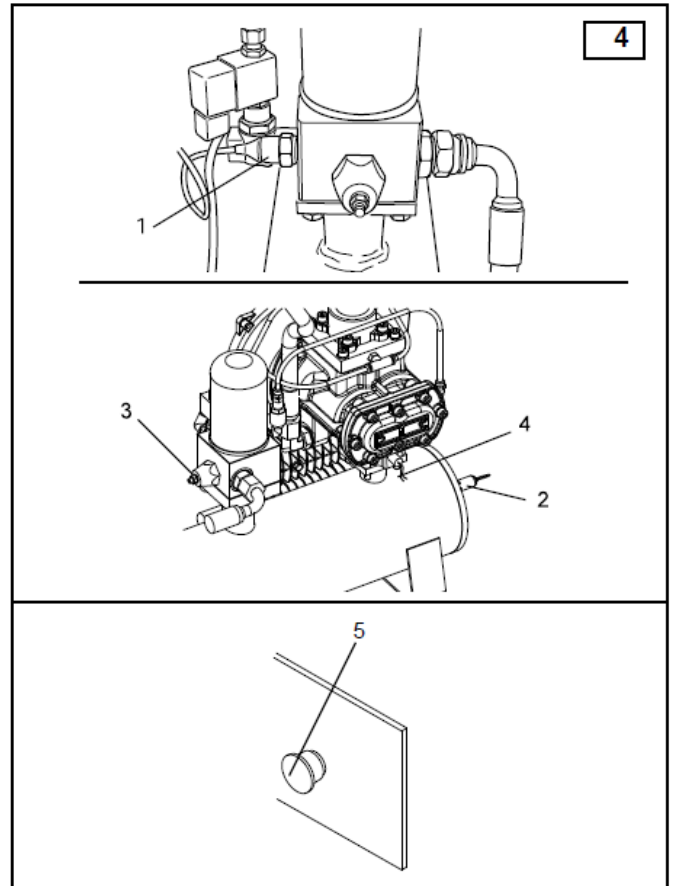
- The mains cable should have a cross-section suitable for the machine power and should include no. 3 phase wires, no. 1 neutral cable and no. 1 earth wire.
- Between the mains cable and the compressor control panel a fused switch near the point where the cables go into the machine **is absolutely necessary**. The switch should be at least at 1.7 m from the ground.
- The switch (A) should be easily reached by the operator. The cables should be of the approved type and installed with the following grade of protection: minimum IP44.

**N.B.** To determine the cables cross-section follow the sizing indications in compliance with the "VDE 0100, Part 430 and 523" Standard, star-delta starter, 30 °C room temperature and cable length lower than 50 meters.



### SAFETY AND CONTROL DEVICES (Fig.4)

- 1) **Pressure switch:** regulates STOP and START pressure
- 2) **Safety valve:** opens the air drainage to the safety valve.
- 3) **Minimum pressure valve:** prevents leakage of compressed air if the pressure is below the calibration value of the valve
- 4) **Temperature probe:** shuts down motor when 110° is exceeded
- 5) **Emergency button.**



## Technical Features

| Technical characteristics                     | TYPE    | K-Max 11 VS |             |         | K-Max 15 VS |             |           |
|---|---------|-------------|-------------|---------|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| Working pressure                              | bar g   | 8           | 10          | 13      | 8           | 10          | 13        |
| Air-end                                       | type    | FS50TMC     | FS50TMC     | FS50TMC | FS50TFC     | FS50TFC     | FS50TFC20 |
| F.a.d. (according to ISO 1217 annex C) Max.   | l/min   | 1700        | 1550        |         | 2400        | 2100        |           |
| F.a.d. (according to ISO 1217 annex C) Min.   | l/min   | 680         | 620         |         | 950         | 840         |           |
| Oil quantity                                  | l       |             | 6,5         |         |             | 6,5         |           |
| Oil quantity for topping-up                   | l       |             | 0,8         |         |             | 0,8         |           |
| Max final air temperature above ambient       | °C      |             | 12          |         |             | 12          |           |
| Re-claimable heat                             | kJ/h    |             | 37600       |         |             | 51300       |           |
| Cooling fan flow rate                         | m3/h    |             | 1800        |         |             | 1800        |           |
| Oil carry over                                | mg/m3   |             | 2-4         |         |             | 2-4         |           |
| Electric motor                                | type    |             | 132 MC/2    |         |             | 132 MC/2    |           |
| Rated power                                   | kW      |             | 11          |         |             | 15          |           |
| Max. power absorbed                           | kW      |             | 14,3        |         |             | 16,3        |           |
| Electrical box protection class               | IP      |             | 54          |         |             | 54          |           |
| Maximum ambient temperature                   | °C      |             | +2/+45      |         |             | +2/+45      |           |
| Noise level (according Pneurop/Cagi PN2CPTC2) | dB(A)   |             | 67          |         |             | 67          |           |
| Electrical data                               |         |             |             |         |             |             |           |
| Voltage                                       | V/Ph/Hz |             | 400/3 ~/50  |         |             | 400/3 ~/50  |           |
| Auxiliary voltage                             | V/Ph/Hz |             | 24/1 ~/50   |         |             | 24/1 ~/50   |           |
| Start-up absorbed current                     | A       |             | 59          |         |             | 79          |           |
| Max. absorbed current                         | A       |             | 24          |         |             | 30          |           |
| Idle running absorbed power                   | kW      |             | 5,1         |         |             | 5,8         |           |
| Electrical motor protection class             | IP      |             | 55          |         |             | 55          |           |
| Motor insulation class                        |         |             | F           |         |             | F           |           |
| Service factor                                |         |             | 1,1         |         |             | 1,1         |           |
| Protection devices                            |         |             |             |         |             |             |           |
| Max oil temperature                           | °C      |             | 110         |         |             | 110         |           |
| Pre-alarm oil temperature                     | °C      |             | 105         |         |             | 105         |           |
| Inverter electronic relay setting             | A       |             | 14,5        |         |             | 17,5        |           |
| Safety valve setting                          | bar     |             | 14          |         |             | 14          |           |
| Dimensions and weight                         |         |             |             |         |             |             |           |
| Length (dryer)                                | mm      |             | 1000 (1360) |         |             | 1000 (1360) |           |
| Width   | mm      |             | 700         |         |             | 700         |           |
| Height  | mm      |             | 1000        |         |             | 1000        |           |
| Weight (dryer)                                | kg      |             | 240 (282)   |         |             | 260 (302)   |           |
| Air outlet size                               | G       |             | 3/4"        |         |             | 3/4"        |           |
| Dimensions and weight +500 l.                 |         |             |             |         |             |             |           |
| Length (dryer)                                | mm      |             | 2000 (2000) |         |             | 2000 (2000) |           |
| Width   | mm      |             | 730         |         |             | 730         |           |
| Height  | mm      |             | 1700        |         |             | 1700        |           |
| Weight (dryer)                                | kg      |             | 390 (432)   |         |             | 410 (452)   |           |
| Air outlet size                               | G       |             | 3/4"        |         |             | 3/4"        |           |



### 1 CHECKS TO BE CARRIED OUT PRIOR TO START-UP

**N.B.:** The customer is responsible for installing the machine and making the required electrical and air connections.

Initial system start-up must be carried out by skilled personnel who will make the various checks required and follow the respective instructions.

Each machine was thoroughly tested at the plant before shipping.

**You should monitor the compressor during the first hours of operations to check for faults.**



- Follow the installation prescriptions given in the previous chapters
- Remove all packaging materials and tools
- Connect the compressor to the distribution line as shown in paragraphs.
- Check the oil level in the tank: refer to section: "Maintenance, Oil Control and Topping Up." In the event of low oil level, top up with FSN Original Oil.
- Check for correspondence between the compressor plate data with the actual specification of the electrical system. A variation of  $\pm 5\%$  with respect to the rated value is allowed.
- Connect the machine to the electrical system as described in the previous chapters.

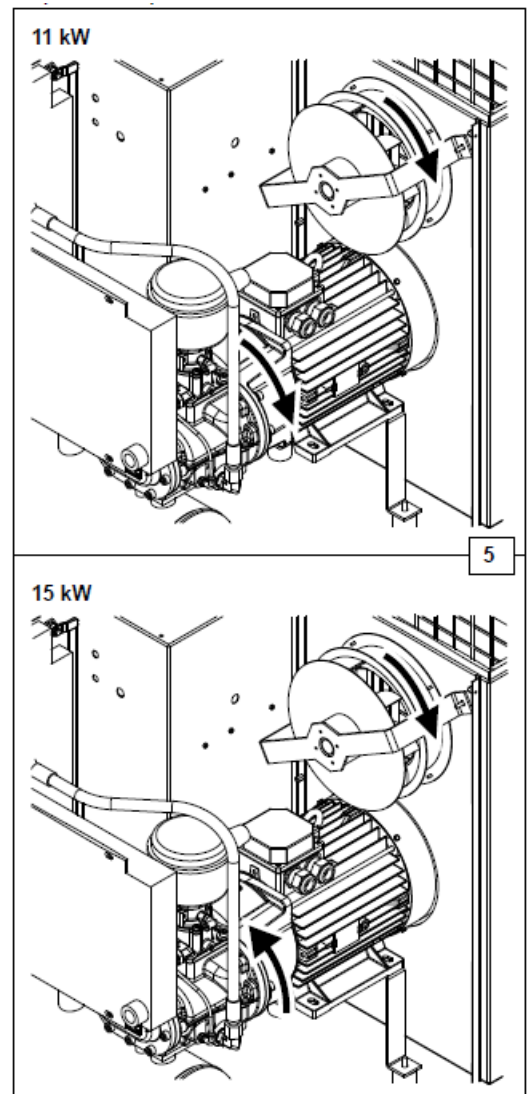
**Compliance with the correct voltage phase sequence is fundamental since this defines the direction of rotation of the motor. The direction of rotation must be that indicated by the adhesive label located to the side of the screw unit (see picture).**

**Note that even a few seconds of incorrect rotation may cause serious damage.**

**A phase sequence checking device to prevent mistakes is fitted in the electrical panel.**

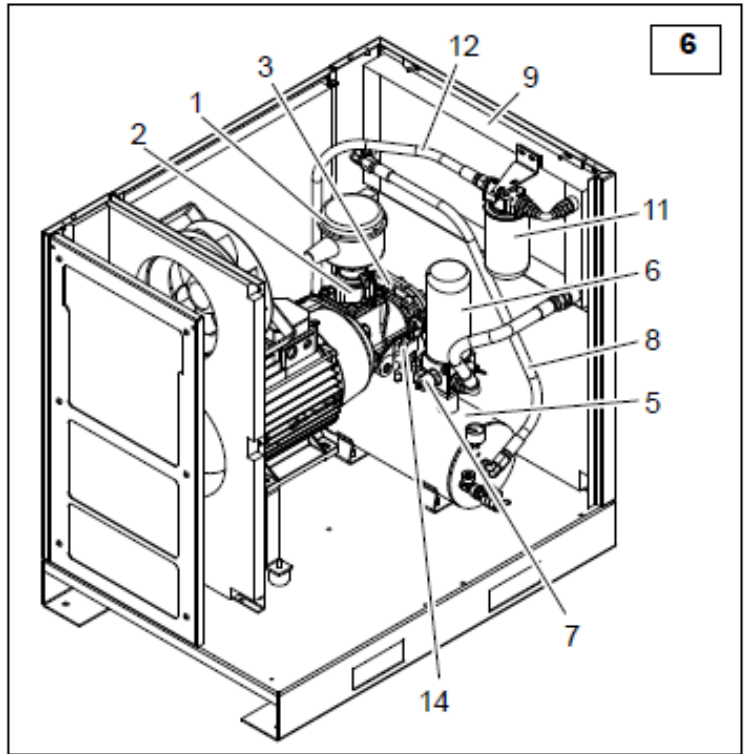
Now the machine is ready to go.

**Before starting the machine, read the following sections and the chapter on maintenance operations for in depth knowledge of the machine.**



### OPERATING MODE

- At the end of the start cycle, the compressor goes to the maximum operation speed and begins to compress air in the tank (5).
- When approaching the desired operating pressure, the compressor begins to modulate the frequency of rotation of the motor (max.100%, min. 50%) so as to maintain a constant air flow rate according to the pressure selected.
- Compressed air cannot escape through the min. pressure valve (7), which is set at 3÷4 bar.
- Compressed air compresses oil inside tank (5) and causes it to flow through tube (8) to the radiator (9).
- Cooled oil is returned to filter (11).
- From filter (11), oil reaches compressor (3) through tube (12). Oil is mixed with sucked air to form an air/oil mixture that provides sealing and lubrication of compressor moving parts.
- The air / oil mixture returns into the tank (5) where air undergoes a pre-separation and subsequently a final separation from the oil through the oil separator filter (6). Then air passes through the minimum pressure valve (7) and finally is sent to the distribution system.
- Min. pressure valve (7) serves also as a check valve.
- Compressor delivers compressed air to outer air tank.
- Tank inner pressure increases until reaching max. calibration value.
- Once max. value is reached, pressure gauge starts timer and powers off solenoid valve of regulator (2).
- Regulator (2) closes and compressor stops compressing and starts idling.
- Timer continues counting until reaching set value and, if pressure is unchanged, stops the electric motor. If pressure drops to minimum value set on controller, solenoid valve is powered and opens before timer counting is over.
- Regulator (2) opens and compressor operates under normal load; timer is reset.
- This cycle is automatically repeated.









### 2 CONTROL PANEL

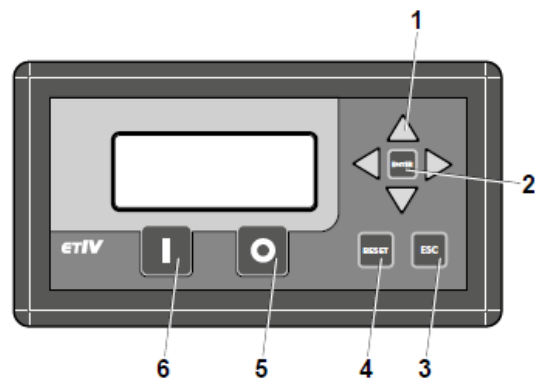
The compressor is fitted with a “control panel” for setting up and monitoring machine operation. The operating parameters were entered by the manufacturer during “testing”. The parameters were tested for several hours in the various operating conditions.

The features offered by this electronic control system include:

- **Fully automatic compressor operation**
- **Real-time operating parameter display**
- **Customization operating parameter**
- Programming of compressor operation on a daily or weekly basis
- Programming and signalling of the manufacturer’s maintenance schedule.
- Machine self-protection system to signal fault pre-alarms and automatically stop the machine in the event of serious problems.
- Remote machine control
- Possibility of connecting the compressor to other similar compressors with the same controller for integrated management of the set of machines.
- Remote compressor monitoring via personal computer and dedicated software (optional)

#### COMMAND AND PROGRAMMING KEYPAD

|   |                                  |  |
|---|----------------------------------|--|
| 1 | Scroll menu \ change values keys |                                   |
| 2 | Enter key –                      |  to confirm settings             |
| 3 | Esc key –                        |  to return to the previous menu |
| 4 | Reset –                          |  to silence the alarms          |
| 5 | 0 / Off key –                    |  shut-down - STOP               |
| 6 | 1 / On key –                     |  start-up - START               |



### Compressor Functioning

#### Start-up procedure:

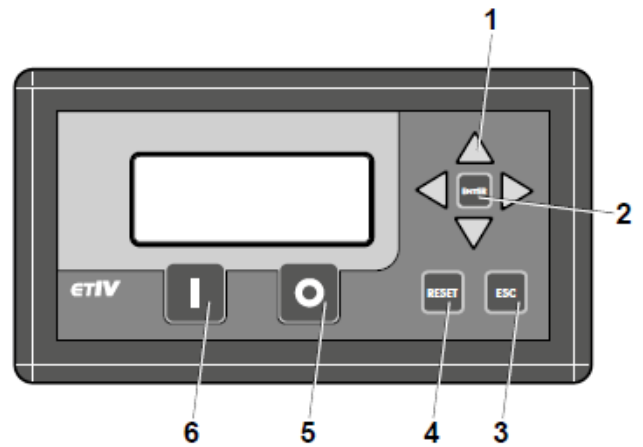
Press the **START (1)** button. If no alarms are on, the start-up cycle activates:

**Stand-by for start-up:** the control unit is waiting to verify the following conditions before starting the compressor:

- If the machine was switched off or a previous stoppage was executed, the control unit waits 15 seconds before starting the compressor.
- The control unit waits for the pressure to go below the value set in the “Load pressure” set before starting the compressor. (“**STAND -BY**” is displayed)
- **Star compressor start-up:** the line and star remote control switch for the time defined in the parameter “Star/delta time” (“**NO LOAD**” is displayed)
- **Transition from star to delta:** the remote control switch for the line remains active, while the star relay is deactivated; this phase lasts for the set time of 20 msec. (“**NO LOAD**” is displayed)
- **Fully operational compressor start-up:** the line relay is maintained active and also the delta relay is activated; this phase lasts for the time set in the parameter “Load delay”. (“**NO LOAD**” is displayed)
- **Compressor loading phase:** the solenoid valve relay of the load is active. This phase lasts until the pressure measured reaches the pressure set in the parameter “No load pressure”. (“**LOADED**” is displayed)
- **Compressor no load phase:** the solenoid valve relay of the load is deactivated; this phase lasts as long as set in the parameter “No load time”. After this, the cycle re-starts from the Start-up stand-by phase (“**NO LOAD**” is displayed).

### Stoppage procedure:

- Press the **STOP button (O)** to activate the stoppage procedure. The load solenoid valve is deactivated and the no load cycle starts for the time set in the parameter "Stoppage time" ("**NO LOAD**" and then "**STATUS - OFF**" are displayed)



### Remote pressure

- By enabling remote pressure control using the parameter "**Enable remote**", the remote pressure digital input is enabled. The control unit in this configuration keeps the remote input under control like an external pressure switch. Furthermore, it is also controlled that this acts within the range of the values set (load set, no load set or working and delta pressure in the event of an inverter). If the set pressure is surpassed due to an anomaly on the remote pressure control, the control unit will take command of the compressor cycle by working with the internal set values, signalling a "**remote press. err.**"
- If the anomaly is solved, pressure control is again entrusted to the remote pressure input, (at this point the alarm can be reset).

### ON/OFF remote

- Using the "**ON/OFF from remote**" the compressor can be activated remotely, by pressing the **Start (I)** key. Provided no alarms are on, remote start-up takes place. The remote command has less priority over the **Start (I)** and **Stop (O)** keys on the panel.

### Compressor Functioning with an Inverter

#### Start-up procedure:

Press the **START (I)** button. If no alarms are on, the start-up cycle activates:

- **Stand-by for start-up:** the control unit is waiting to verify the following conditions before starting the compressor:
  - If the machine was switched off or a previous stoppage was executed, the control unit waits 15 seconds before starting the compressor.
  - The control unit waits for pressure to go under the value set in the “working Pressure-working Delta/2” set before starting the compressor. (“**STAND-BY**” is displayed)
- **Compressor start-up:** the line remote control switch is powered.
- Fully operational compressor start-up: the line relay is maintained active and also the delta relay is activated; this phase lasts for the time set in the parameter “Load delay”. (“**NO LOAD**” is displayed).
- **Compressor loading phase:** the solenoid valve relay of the load is active. This phase lasts until the pressure measured reaches that set in the parameter “working Press. + working Delta/2”. (“**LOADED**” is displayed)
- **Compressor no load phase:** the solenoid valve relay of the load is deactivated; this phase lasts as long as set in the parameter “No load time”. After this, the cycle re-starts from the Start-up stand-by phase (“**NO LOAD**” is displayed)

In this phase, the control unit executes a control algorithm to keep the pressure as close as possible to the working pressure by adapting the speed of the motor based on air consumption.

### Dryer Functioning

- For machines supplied with a dryer, the control unit can control the drying cycle.
- Using the “**Dryer ON**” parameter, if its functioning is enabled, which can be continuous or linked to compressor motor functioning, by setting the parameter “Functioning mode”.
- The dryer motor is activated if the temperature is over the total of the temperatures defined in the parameters “**Temperature OFF**” and “**Thermic drift**” and deactivated if lower than the parameter “**Temperature OFF**”.

If the temperature remains outside the aforementioned limits for a time over that set in the parameter “Alarms delay”, an alarm sounds (see ALARMS and WARNINGS paragraph)

To avoid damaging the motor due to over-frequent start-ups you can moderate re-starts for the time defined in the parameter “Minimum time”. (see DRYER MENU paragraph)

### Condensate Drainage Functioning

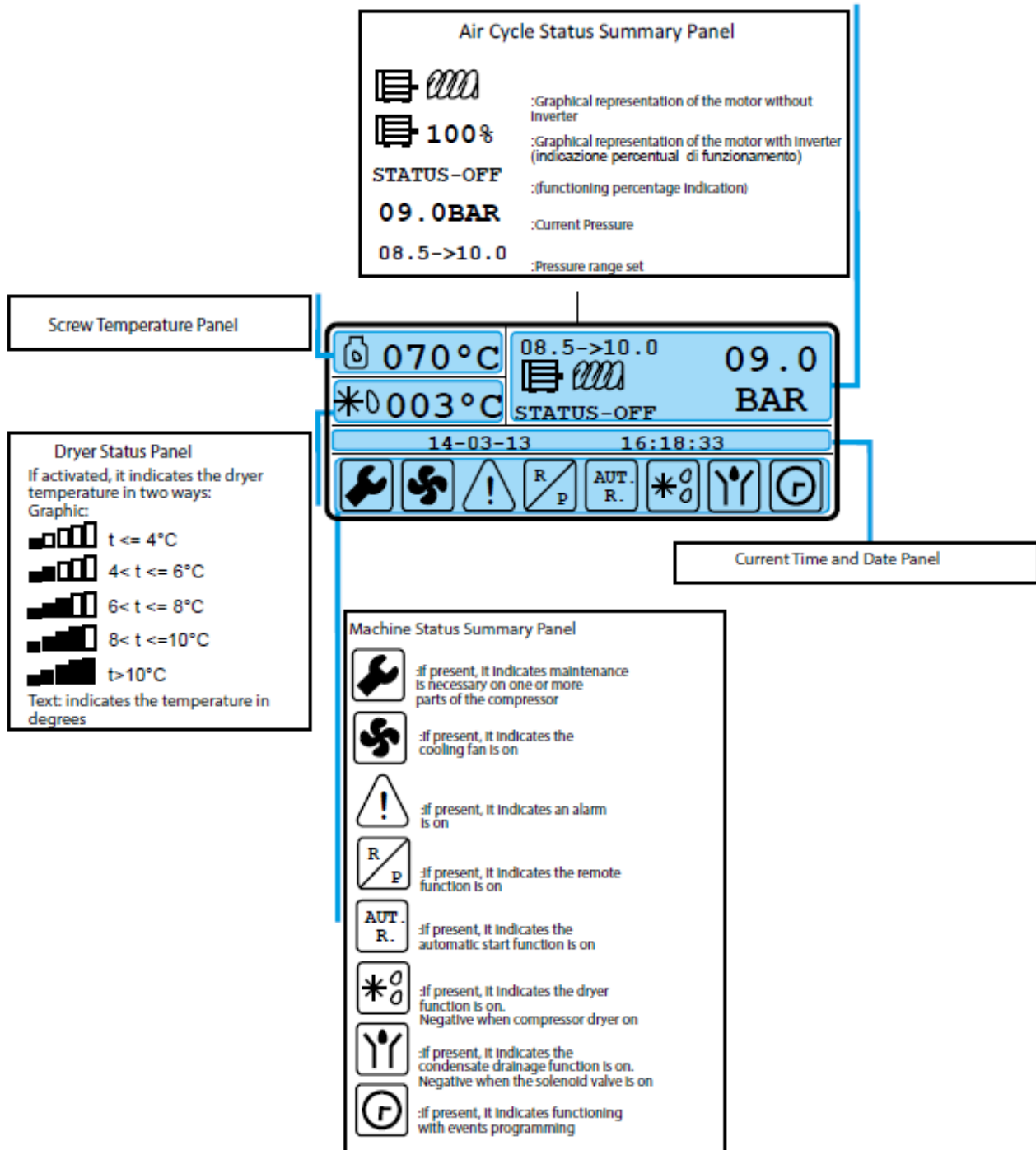
For machines requiring the condensate drainage function using the parameter “**Condensate drainage ON**”, the function can be enabled and defined by setting the parameter “**Functioning mode**”

The drainage solenoid valve stays on for the time set in the “Interval” parameter and remains deactivated for the time defined in the parameter “Opening time” (see the **CONDENSATE DRAINAGE MENU** paragraph).

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### Main Screen

The main screen summarises the current status of the machine.

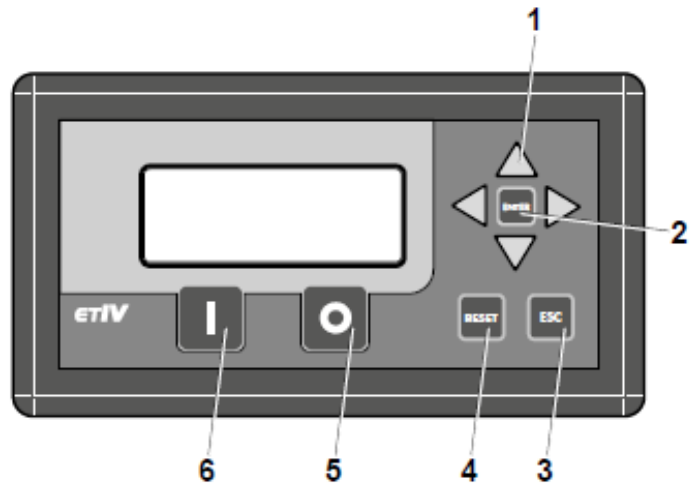


#### Current Air Cycle Status (1):

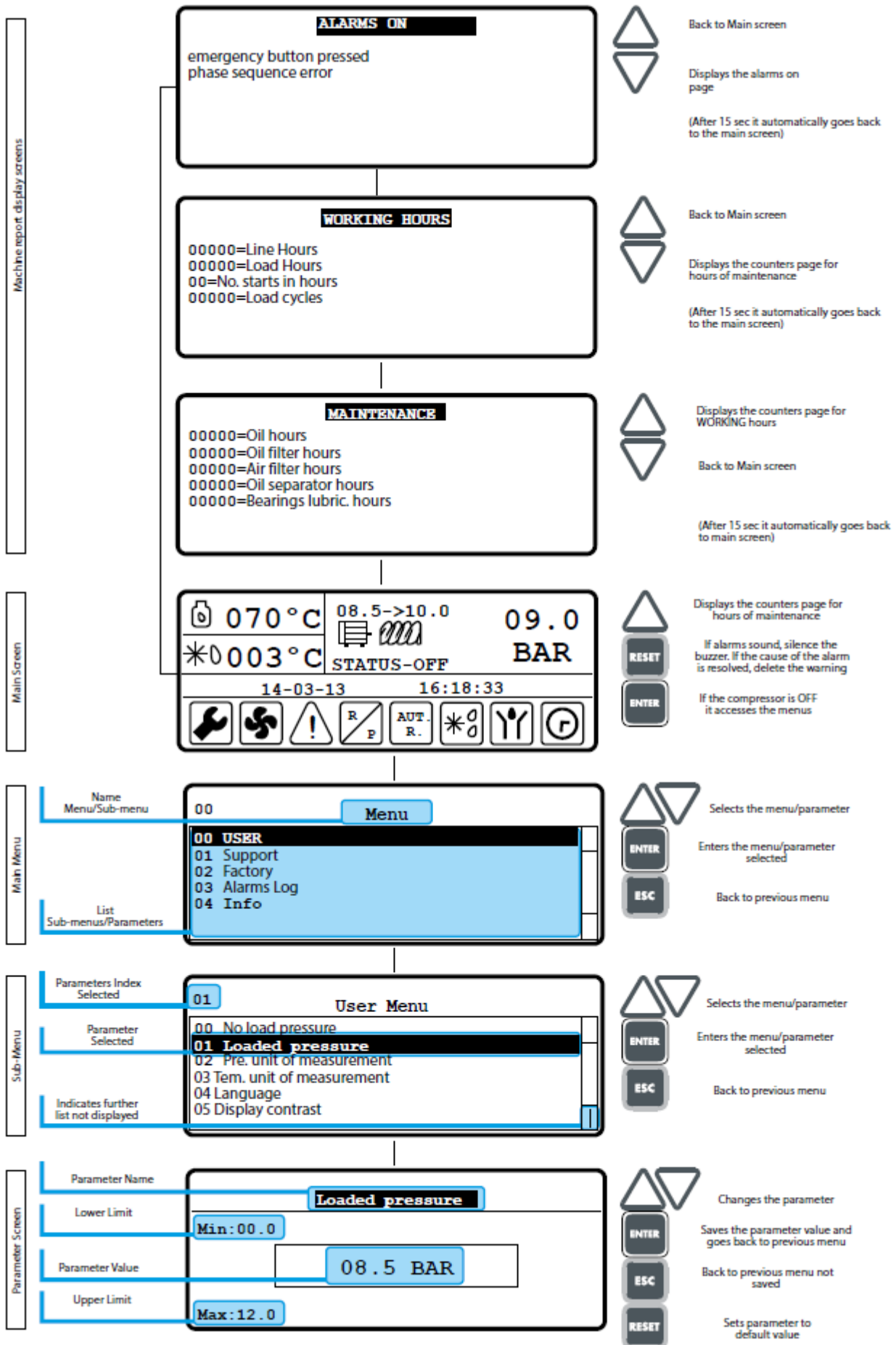
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| a) STAND-BY:   | on status but motor off.  |
| b) STATUS-OFF: | the motor is off and the load solenoid valve is disabled.           |
| c) NO LOAD :   | the motor is on but the load solenoid valve is disabled.            |
| d) LOADED:     | the motor is on and the load solenoid valve is enabled.             |
| e) REMOTE-OFF: | Remote program enabled in stand-by for the start-up remote command. |
| f) TIME-OFF:   | Start-up program enabled, in stand-by for start time.               |

### Menus and Parameters

- The menus are structured as vertical drop-down menus; the title is on top and is followed by the list of parameters or sub-menus available. If the menu contains more items than the LCD display can show, two arrows (**Up and Down**) appear on the right to indicate more items are present.
- Use the “**Arrow up**” and “**Arrow down**” keys to find the parameter or sub-menu and highlight it to then open it by pressing the “**Enter**” key; go back by pressing the “**Esc**” key.
- If you go to a parameter screen you can change its value using the “**Arrow up**” and “**Arrow down**” keys or you can make this value the default value using the “**reset**” key. By pressing the “**Enter**” key, you exit the menu, saving the parameter value. Press the “**Esc**” key to return to the previous menu only.
- Some menus contain exceptions in relation to parameter entries, which will be dealt with individually in the following paragraphs.



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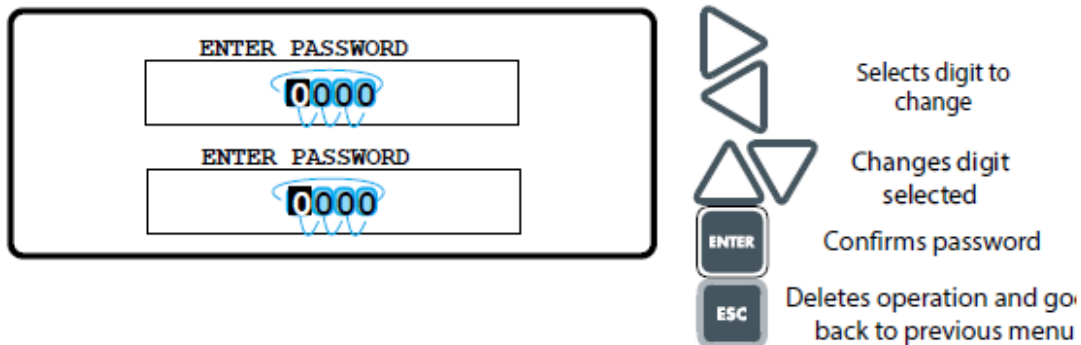




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### Password

Certain menus are password protected. A password is requested if you try to access the reserved areas. Removal of menu protection persists until you go back to the main screen.



### Main Menu

- User** : Menu containing the user parameters (see USER MENU paragraph).
- Support** : Menu containing the Support parameters (see SUPPORT MENU paragraph).  
**Password protected.**
- Factory** : Menu containing the Factory parameters (see FACTORY MENU paragraph).  
**Password protected.**
- Alarms Log** : List of last alarms.

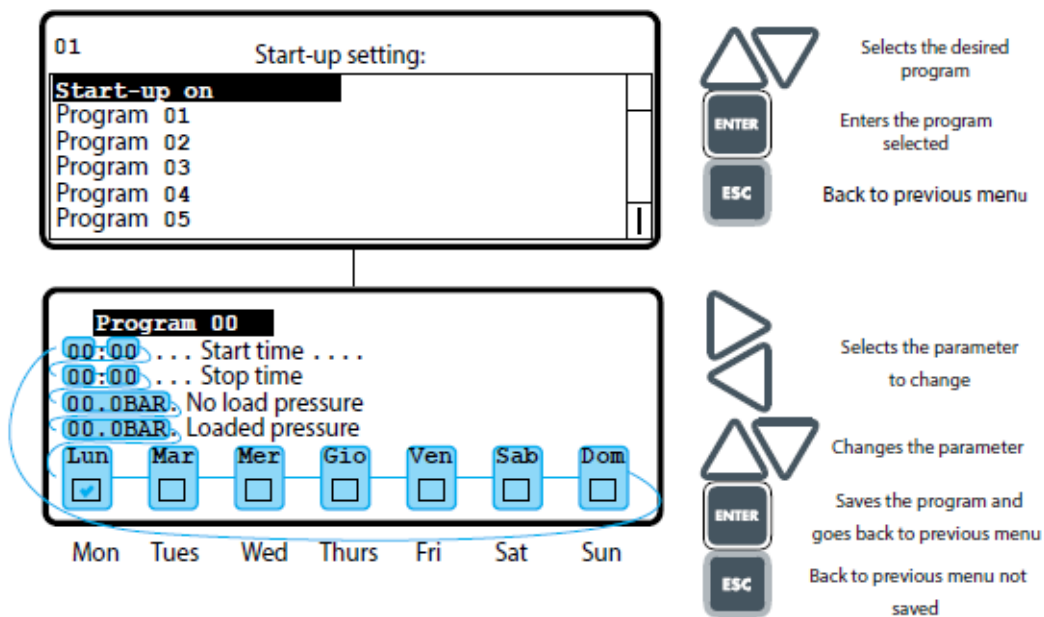
Pressing “ENTER” on the highlighted alarm not only displays the type of alarm, but also the date, time, pressure and the oil temperature in the instance in which the alarm occurred.

- Info** : Displays information on the board and firmware.

### User Menu

- No load pressure** : Defines the pressure at which the compressor must run with no load. The maximum value you can set is defined by the parameter “Maximum pressure” in the factory menu.
- Loaded pressure** : Defines the pressure necessary to restart the compressor. The recommended value is 1.5 bar lower than that defined in the “No load pressure” parameter.
- Pre. unit of measurement:** Defines the pressure unit of measurement.
- Tem. unit of measurement:** Defines the temperature unit of measurement.
- Language** : Defines the language used in the menus.
- Display contrast** : Defines the display contrast level.
- Display lighting** : Defines the display backlighting level.
- Time/Date setting** : Sets the date and time. Entry is guided and the procedure is only complete when all the settings are saved.
- Start-up setting** : Sub-menu where you can define 10 programs (0-9) per week for compressor start-up and stoppage. The parameters you can set are the start time, stoppage time, no load pressure loaded pressure and the day of the week.

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### Support Menu

- Oil Hours** : Indicates the hours remaining before the oil needs to be changed
- Oil Filter Hours** : Indicates the hours remaining before the oil filter needs to be changed
- Air filter hours** : Indicates the hours remaining before the air filter needs to be changed.
- Oil separator hours** : Indicates the hours remaining before the oil separator filter needs to be changed.
- Bearings lubric. Hours**: Indicates the hours remaining before the main electric motor bearing needs to be lubricated.
- Fan temperature** : Defines the working temperature of the cooling fan. The threshold set has a hysteresis that can be changed by 10°C. e.g. if the operating temperature is set at 80°C, the fan will activate at 80°C and stop at 70°C (screw unit supply temperature).
- No load time** : Defines the motor stoppage time from the moment the load solenoid valve was deactivated because the desired pressure was reached.
- Stoppage time** : Defines the stoppage time of the compressor from the moment in which stoppage is requested using the STOP(O) key. The solenoid valve is immediately deactivated.
- Automatic start** : If the compressor is on, it starts automatically after an electricity cut. The first start should be activated by pressing the START (I) key on the panel.
- Max start-up hours** : Defines the maximum number of start-ups of the main electric motor within the arc of one hour. If surpassed, the compressor will stay on (loaded or with no load depending on the pressure) until the hour is up as calculated from first start-up and then returning to normal functioning.
- Remote enabling** : Remote command enabling.
- Fan extra time** : Defines the time in which the cooling fan stays on after the working temperature of the compressor has returned within the safety limits.
- Inverter** : Sub-menu for inverter configuration (see INVERTER MENU paragraph).
- Fan temperature hysteresis**: Defines the delta temperature in which the main cooling fan must work.
- Diagnostic** : Using the diagnostic menu, you can control the various inputs and outputs of the control unit:
- Input** : The status of 9 digital inputs can be controlled
- Output** : Using the right and left keys, you can move on the relay output you want to command, while using the up and down buttons to activate the output

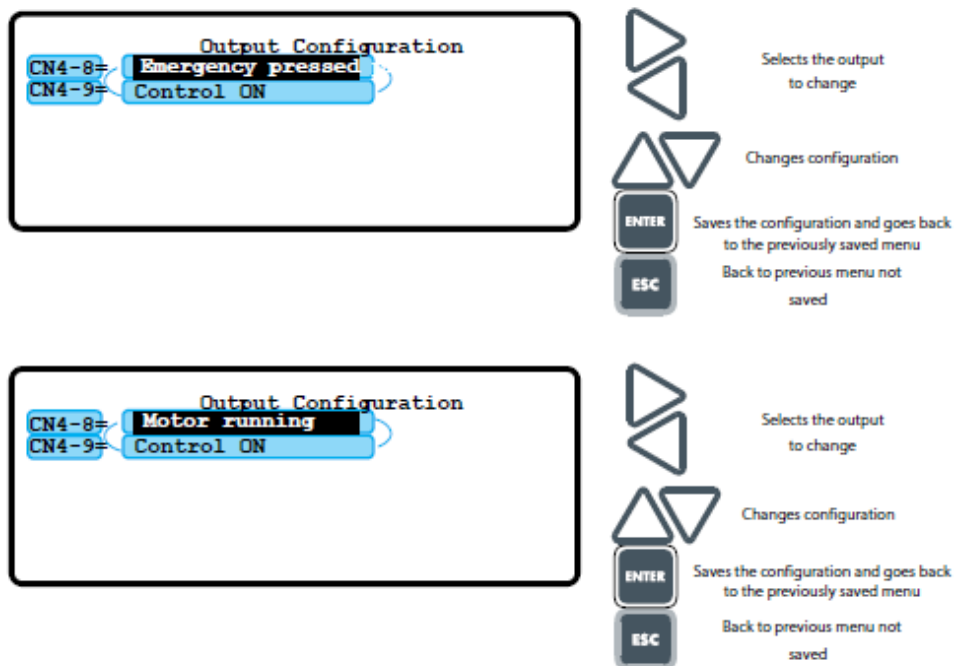
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|            |   |
|------------|---|
| <b>AN1</b> | : Indicates pressure in bar with centesimal precision         |
| <b>AN2</b> | : Indicates the temperature in °C Screw probe                 |
| <b>AN3</b> | : Indicates the temperature in °C Dryer probe                 |
| <b>INV</b> | : Indicates the inverter output automatically switches 4-20mA |

Keeping the I key pressed, you can execute a motor start-up test. Pressing the 0 key, you can upload the default parameters (there are 32 sets of parameters present). The Factory password is required.

Press the **RESET** key to execute calibration of the pressure transducer (the Factory password is required)

**Output configuration** : Sub-menu that allows you to associate the outputs CN4-8 and CN4-9 with a function, choosing from: “Pre-alarm”, “Control ON”, “Compressor ON”, “Motor running” and “Compress No Load/Loaded”



**Comp. rotation man.** : To define.

**Dryer** : Sub-menu for dryer configuration (see DRYER MENU paragraph).

**Condensate drainage**: Sub-menu for dryer configuration (see CONDENSATE DRAINAGE MENU paragraph).

### Inverter Menu

|                              |   |
|------------------------------|---|
| <b>Enable Inverter</b>       | : Inverter enabling.  |
| <b>% Min functioning</b>     | : Defines the frequency minimum percentage at which the inverter must work. The maximum is 100% |
| <b>Inverter Integral</b>     | : Defines the integral part on the PID calculation of the inverter percentage.                  |
| <b>Inverter Proportional</b> | : Defines the proportional part on the PID calculation of the inverter percentage.              |
| <b>Inverter Differential</b> | : Defines the differential part on the PID calculation of the inverter percentage.              |
| <b>Pressure at 100%</b>      | : the pressure at which the inverter can work up to 100%  |
| <b>Minimum pressure %</b>    | : the pressure at which the inverter must work at the % Min functioning percentage set.         |

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### Dryer Menu

|                           |  |
|---------------------------|--|
| <b>Dryer ON</b>           | : Dryer Enabling.  |
| <b>Minimum time</b>       | : Defines the minimum maintenance time of the deactivated dryer. It serves to protect the dryer compressor from over-frequent start-ups.               |
| <b>Temperature OFF</b>    | : Defines the value of the temperature at which the dryer compressor is deactivated.   |
| <b>Temp. differential</b> | : Defines the positive differential between the OFF temperature and the re-activation temperature.   |
| <b>Temperature offset</b> | : Defines the difference between the temperature measured and the temperature displayed.   |
| <b>Functioning mode</b>   | : Defines the functioning mode of the dryer:   |
| <b>Automatic</b>          | : The compressor starts and stops based on the main motor of the compressor functioning.   |
| <b>Continuous</b>         | : the dryer starts as soon as the compressor is switched on and will only stop when it is switched off.  |
| <b>Alarms Delay</b>       | : Defines the delay with which the dryer alarms are displayed.   |
| <b>Alarm type</b>         | : Defines the effects of the alarm on the compressor:  |
| <b>Alarm</b>              | : blocks the compressor.   |
| <b>Warning</b>            | : warning without blocking the compressor.   |
| <b>Extra run</b>          | : Defines the time in which the dryer must continue to work, also after the compressor motor has stopped, if the functioning mode is set to automatic. |

### Condensate Drainage Menu

|                               |   |
|-------------------------------|---|
| <b>Condensate drainage on</b> | : Condensate drainage enabling.   |
| <b>Interval</b>               | : Defines the time in which the condensate drainage solenoid valve remains closed.  |
| <b>Opening time</b>           | : Defines the time in which the condensate drainage solenoid valve must stay open.  |
| <b>Functioning mode</b>       | : Defines the functioning mode of condensate drainage:                              |
| <b>Automatic</b>              | : condensate drainage only takes place when the compressor is on and in loaded mode |
| <b>Continuous</b>             | : condensate drainage is always on.   |


### Factory Menu

|                            |   |
|----------------------------|---|
| <b>Oil pre-alarm</b>       | : Defines the advance time with which an oil temperature pre-alarm should sound compared to the maximum oil temperature.        |
| <b>Maximum temperature</b> | : Defines the surpassed maximum oil temperature value to generate an alarm and block the compressor.                            |
| <b>Minimum temperature</b> | : Defines the minimum oil temperature. If the oil temperature detected is lower, an alarm sounds and the compressor is blocked. |
| <b>Thermic drift</b>       | : Defines the maximum variation per second of the oil temperature. If surpassed, an alarm sounds and the compressor is blocked. |
| <b>Max. Press. Alarm</b>   | : Defines the permitted pressure of the compressor. If surpassed, an alarm sounds and the compressor is blocked.                |
| <b>Maximum pressure</b>    | : Defines the maximum pressure value which can be set in the parameter "No Load Pressure".                                      |

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- Total Hours** : Indicates the working hours of the main motor.
- Loaded hours** : Indicates the working hours the compressor is loaded.
- AN3** : Indicates the dryer probe temperature
- INV** : Indicates the inverter output automatically switches 4-20mA
- Star/delta time** : Defines the duration of the star phase during start-up of the main motor of the compressor.
- Load delay** : Defines the delay to enable the solenoid valve to command the calculated suction of the regulator from the moment in which the motor is considered fully operational.
- Inverter** : Sub-menu for inverter configuration (see INVERTER MENU paragraph).
- Load insertion temperature:** Defines the screw oil probe temperature threshold in which the loaded command solenoid valve of the suction regulator can work
- Stand-by time** : Defines the stand-by time in which the compressor cannot re-start after a stoppage or a re-start of the control unit.
- Input configuration** : Sub-menu allowing you to configure the logic of all the control unit inputs and associate a function of your choice to input CN2-1, among: “oil filter”, “air filter” and “air pressure switch”. By setting the configuration equal to 1, the input logic will be denied. Vice versa, if left at 0 the logic will be normal.

|                                      | Configure inputs |            |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Input reference                      | CN2=             | 1          | 2 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| Input current status                 | IN =             | 0          | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Input configuration                  | CFG=             | 1          | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Input final status                   | OUT=             | 1          | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Function associated with input CN2-1 | CN2-1 =          | Air filter |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |



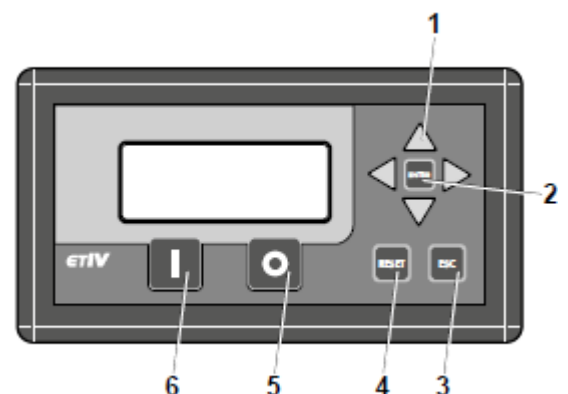
- Selects the configuration of the input to change
- Changes configuration
- Saves the configuration and goes to the previously saved menu
- Back to previous menu not saved

### Alarms and Warnings

All the alarms that occur are visually displayed on the main screen in the “Alarms and warnings Panel”, in the “Machine Status Summary Panel” (see Main Screen paragraph) and acoustically via the buzzer.

The acoustic alarm can be immediately silenced by pressing the “RESET” key, while the alarm indication on the LCD will only disappear if the cause of the alarm has been resolved.

The last 50 alarms are visible in the “Alarms log” (see Main menu paragraph) where you can check their chronological order, the pressure and temperature in the instant in which they occurred.



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The possible alarms are as follows:

**Alarm! Minimum temp.:** Having reached the oil minimum temperature, the alarm BLOCKS the compressor. To re-start the compressor, you need to wait for the temperature to rise above the programmed value.

**Alarm! Maximum temp.:** Having reached the oil maximum temperature, the alarm BLOCKS the compressor. To re-start the compressor, you need to wait for the temperature to go below the programmed value.

**Warning! Pre-alarm temp.:** having reached the oil pre-alarm temperature, the alarm DOES NOT BLOCK the compressor.

**Alarm! Temp. sen. Fault:** when an anomaly occurs on the oil temperature sensor (sensor short-circuits or open), the alarm BLOCKS the compressor. To re-start the compressor, you need to replace the probe.

**Alarm! Motor thermal switch:** when the main motor thermal switch activates, the alarm BLOCKS the compressor. To re-start the compressor, wait for the motor to cool down.

**Alarm! Fan thermal switch:** when the fan thermal switch activates, the alarm BLOCKS the compressor. To re-start the compressor, wait for the fan to cool down.

**Alarm! Max. press. alarm:** Having reached the maximum permitted pressure, the alarm BLOCKS the compressor. To re-start the compressor, you have to bring pressure under the maximum pressure programmed.

**Alarm! Press. sen. fault:** when a pressure sensor anomaly occurs (sensor broken or disconnected), the alarm BLOCKS the compressor. To re-start the compressor, you need to reset the probe.

**Alarm! rotation direction err.:** when a wrong sequence of the main motor phases occurs, the alarm BLOCKS the compressor. To re-start, you need to check the phases sequence is right.

**Alarm! Emergency button pressed:** having pressed the emergency button, the alarm BLOCKS the compressor. To re-start, you need to reset the emergency button.

**Alarm! Air filter:** When an air filter anomaly occurs, the alarm BLOCKS the compressor.

**Alarm! Oil separator filter:** When an oil separator filter anomaly occurs, the alarm BLOCKS the compressor.

**Alarm! Inverter fault:** When an inverter anomaly occurs, the alarm BLOCKS the compressor. To re-start the compressor, you need to reset the inverter. (NOTE: there is an alarm only if the inverter is enabled)

**Warning! remote press. alarm:** When the remote command and the loaded/no load pressures set on the control unit are inconsistent, the alarm DOES NOT BLOCK the compressor. The compressor continues to work with the pressures programmed on the control unit. The alarm stops only when the remote command starts working correctly again. (NOTE: there is an alarm only if remote is enabled)

**Warning! High dew point:** The dryer temperature remains over the total of the temperatures defined in the parameters "Temperature OFF" and "Temperature differential" for the time defined in the parameter "Alarms delay". (NOTE: there is an alarm only if the dryer is enabled)

**Warning! Ice alarm:** The dryer temperature remains under the temperature defined in the parameter "Temperature OFF" for the time defined in the parameter "Alarms delay" (NOTE: there is an alarm only if the dryer is enabled)

**Alarm! Dryer sen. fault:** when an anomaly occurs on the dryer temperature sensor (sensor short-circuited or open), if the parameter "Alarm type" is set as the "alarm"(see Dryer menu paragraph), the alarm BLOCKS the compressor, otherwise the compressor continues to work. To re-start the compressor, you need to replace the probe. (NOTE: there is an alarm only if the dryer is enabled).

**Attention:** ET-IV control unit connection diagram (see wiring/electronic diagrams section).

## Maintenance

- Correct maintenance is crucial to achieve maximum efficiency of your compressor, and to lengthen its operating life.
- It is also important to comply with the maintenance intervals recommended, but it must be remembered that such intervals are suggested by the manufacturer in the event that the environmental conditions of use of the compressor are optimal (see “Installation” chapter).
- The maintenance intervals can therefore be reduced depending on the environmental conditions in which the compressor operates.
- The oil used is FSN Original Oil, the use of a different oil does not guarantee perfect efficiency and compliance with the maintenance intervals.
- The maintenance operations described in the table below and on the following pages must be carried out by authorized staff.



**Maintenance table**

| Type of maintenance   | Maintenance schedule       |                              | o at least     |
|---|----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|
|   | work hours                 |                              |                |
|   | (when MINERAL OIL is used) | (when SYNTHETIC OIL is used) |                |
| Drain condensate from air tank (if present)   | 50                         | 50                           | weekly         |
| Drain condensate from the oil tank  | 50                         | 50                           | weekly         |
| Clean air pre-filter  | 50                         | 50                           | weekly         |
| Oil check and top up  | 500                        | 500                          | once per month |
| Clean air filter  | 500                        | 500                          | -              |
| Check and clean radiator  | 1000                       | 1000                         | once a year    |
| Replace air filter  | 1000                       | 1000                         | once a year    |
| Replace oil filter  | 2000                       | 4000                         | once a year    |
| Replace oil separator filter  | 2000                       | 4000                         | once a year    |
| Replace oil   | 2000                       | 4000                         | once a year    |
| Replace scavenge non return valve   | 4000                       | 4000                         | once a year    |
| Intake valve service  | 4000                       | 4000                         |                |
| Minimum pressure valve over haul  | 12000                      | 12000                        |                |
| Replace flexible hoses  | 12000                      | 12000                        |                |
| Solenoid valve replacement  | 12000                      | 12000                        |                |
| Air-end over haul/ replacement  | 24000                      | 24000                        |                |
| Refer to the motor manual and/or to the motor data plate for electric motor bearing maintenance |                            |                              |                |

To verify correct machine operation, perform the following checks **after the first 100 hours of work**:

1. **Check the oil level:** top up with the same type of oil if necessary.
2. **Check for proper screw tightening:** in particular, the power electric connection screws.
3. Visually check that all **fittings seal properly**.
4. Check the **hours of work** and the **type of service selected**.
5. Check **room temperature**.

**BEFORE MAINTAINING THE MACHINE ALWAYS PERFORM THE FOLLOWING:**

- ✓ **Stop the engine using the “0” key on the keypad command (do not use the emergency button).**
- ✓ Power the machine off by means of the wall outer switch.
- ✓ Close the line cock.
- ✓ Make sure that no compressed air is inside the oil separator tank.
- ✓ Remove fairing and/ or panels.

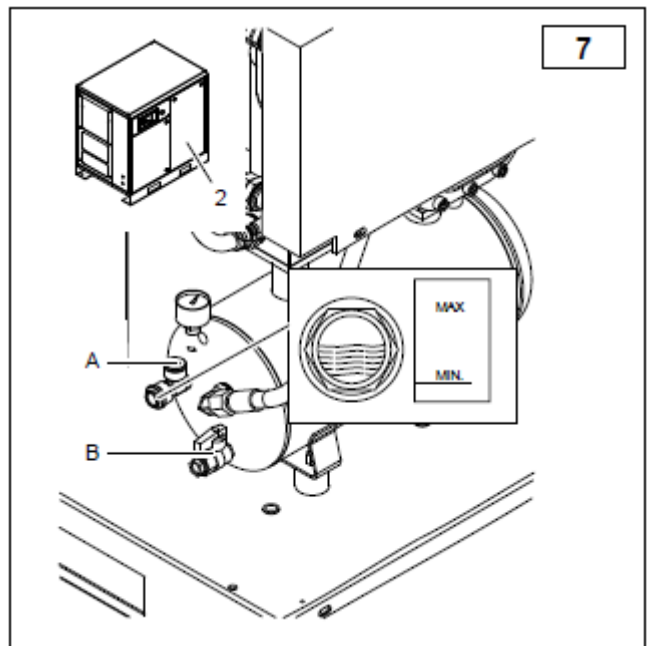
### DRAIN CONDENSATE (Fig. 7)

- The oil/air mixture cooling is set at a higher temperature with respect to the dew point of the air (under standard operating conditions of the compressor). however, the condensate in the oil cannot be fully removed.
- Discharge the condensate by opening the ball valve B and then close it as soon as oil begins to flow out instead of water. Check the oil level and top up if necessary.

**CONDENSATE IS A POLLUTING MIXTURE!** It must not be let into the sewage.

### OIL CHECK AND TOP UP IF NECESSARY (Fig.7)

- **With the compressor off**, check the oil level by means of the oil level indicator positioned on the tank.
- If the level is under the minimum, remove the front panel and refill through hole A.
- Quantity of oil for refilling from the min to the max level, see the technical data table.
- Use **ONLY** oil of the same type (FSN Original Oil).



### CLEANING/REPLACING THE FILTERING ELEMENT (FIG. 8)

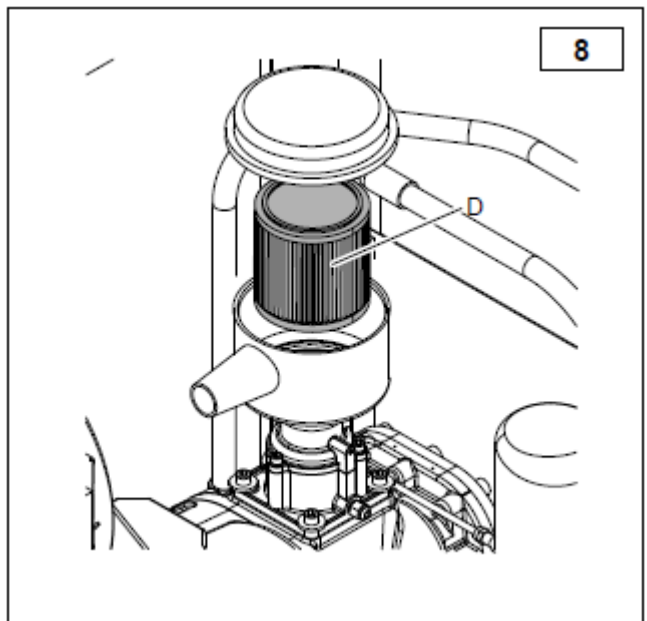
- With the compressor is stopped, to the cover and pull the filter element **D**.
- Clean them using compressed air, acting from the inside towards the outside.
- Control, against the light, for the presence of splits: in this case replace filters.
- The filtering elements and the cover must be assembled carefully, so as not to allow the passage of dust into the compressor unit.
- Never allow the compressor to function without the filtering element.

### CLEANING THE RADIATOR

It is recommended that in case of over temperature anomalies and however, at least once a year that the radiator is cleaned.

Proceed as follows:

- position a sheet of protective plastic under the radiant pack;
- spray (with a washing + detergent gun) from outside towards the inside;
- check that the air flows correctly by means of the radiator.





### REPLACING THE OIL FILTER (FIG. 9)

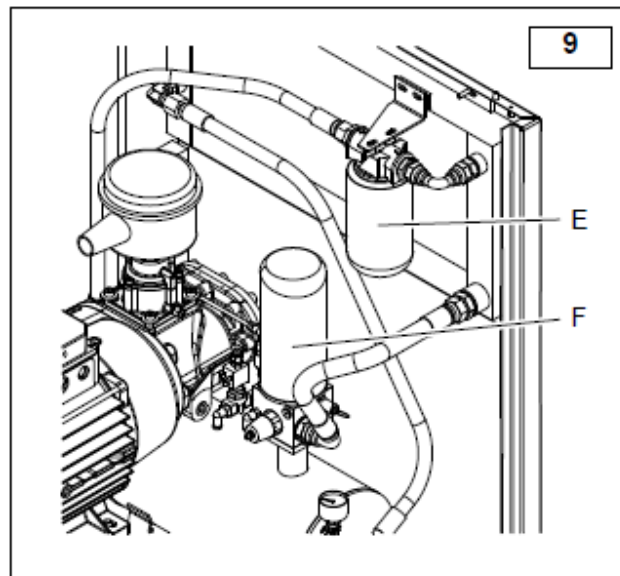
(Reporting maintenance alarm on the command keypad)

- With the compressor stopped, remove the front panel.
- At each change replace also the oil filter **E**, unscrew the old filter and replace it.
- Always apply some oil on the edge of the filter and on the seal before refitting manually the filter.

### REPLACING THE SEPARATOR FILTER (FIG. 9)

(Reporting maintenance alarm on the command keypad)

- With the compressor stopped, open the front panel.
- The oil separator filter **F** cannot be cleaned, but must be replaced.
- Unscrew filter manually (or if necessary use an appropriate filter tool) turning it anti-clockwise.
- After having slightly greased the oil separator filter seal and O-ring, fit the new filter by turning clockwise.

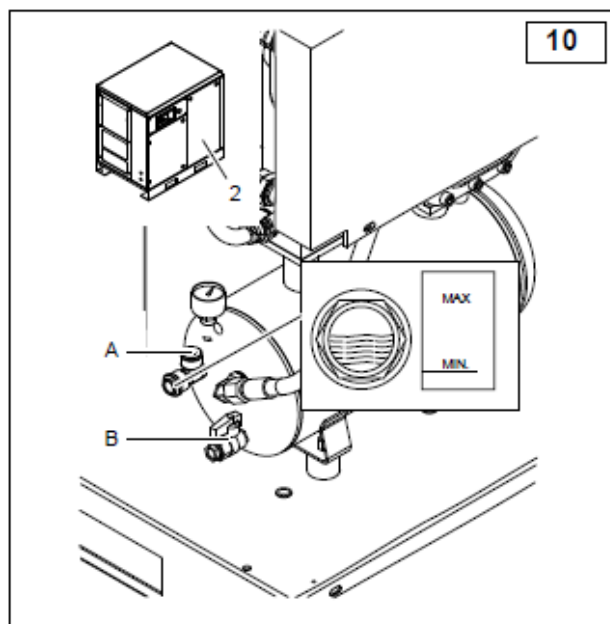


### REPLACING THE OIL (Fig. 10)

When the compressor is hot - above 70 °C, replace the oil.

#### Alarm Signal

- Open the front panel **2**.
- Connect the drain hose provided to cock **B** located at the base of the separator tank.
- Unscrew the plug from hole **A**, open the cock and allow the oil to drain in to a container until draining is complete.
- Close cock **B** and withdraw the hose.
- Refill with new oil using hole **A** (quantity for complete refilling: see the technical data table) and refit the plug.
- Start up the compressor and allow to function for 5 minutes, and then shut it down. Discharge all of the air and wait 5 minutes before controlling the oil level. Top up, if necessary.
- **THE EXHAUSTED OIL IS HIGHLY POLLUTANT!**  
For its disposal comply with the current laws on environmental protection.
- The oil in the original equipment is FSN Original Oil in the following list:



| Description         | Type of oil                                   |
|---------------------|---|
| RotEnergyPlus 46cST | Synthetic lubricant ISO 46 for industrial use |
| RotEnergyFood 46cST | Synthetic lubricant ISO 46 for foodstuff use  |
| RotarECOFLUID 46cST | Mineral lubricant ISO 46 for industrial use   |

A label attached to the compressor tank indicates the exact type of oil used before first installation.

You are advised to use that type of oil in all the oil changes planned for ordinary maintenance (for the time intervals, refer to the maintenance table).

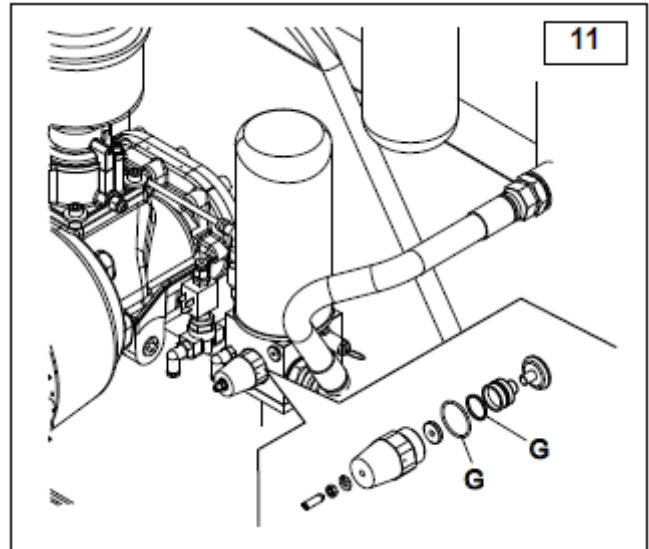
In case of changing the type of oil, operate only for the complete replacement.

**NEVER MIX DIFFERENT TYPES OF OIL.**

In this case, change also the oil filter and the separator filter

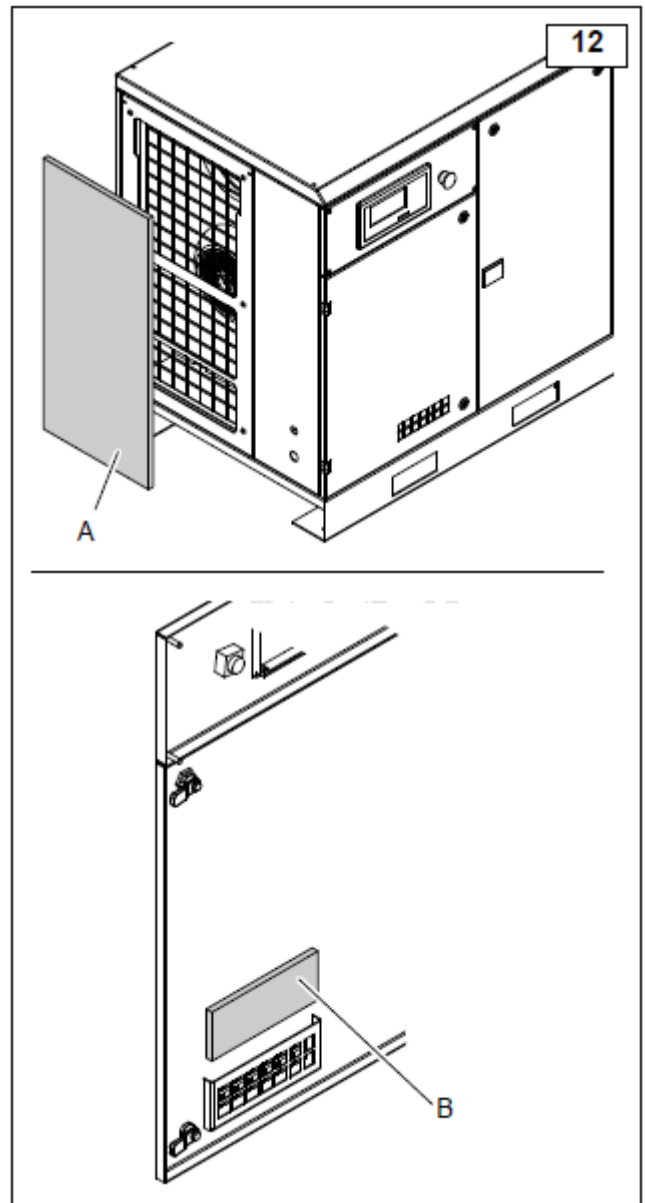
**REPLACING THE MINIMUM VALVE (FIG. 11)**

Replace the seals highlighted with the letter **G**.



**CLEAN AIR PREFILTER (FIG. 12)**

- Remove the prefilter **A,B** from their home.
- Was with soapy water solution, dry it completely and reposition before restarting the machine.

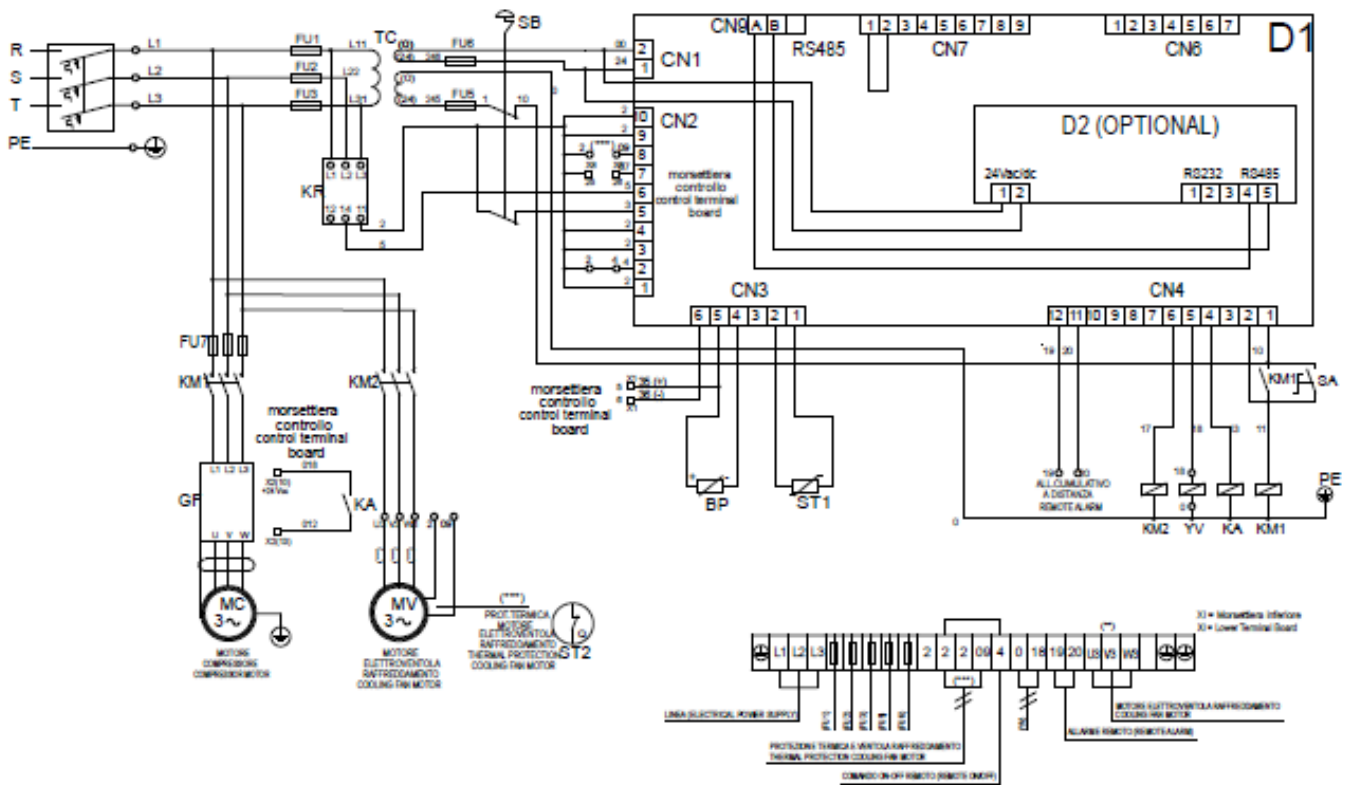


## Troubleshooting



| Problem  | Cause  | Remedy  |
|--|--|---|
| Motor stopped (thermal relay operation signal)     | Voltage too low.   | Check voltage, press Reset and then restart.  |
|  | Overtemperature.   | Check motor absorption and relay setting. In case of regular absorption press Reset and restart.        |
| Oil consumption high                               | Drainage faulty.   | Check oil drain hose and check valve.   |
|  | Oil level too high.  | Check oil level and drain some, if necessary.   |
|  | Oil separator filter broken.                                     | Replace oil separator filter.   |
|  | Oil separator filter seal leaking.                               | Replace oil separator nipple seals.   |
| Intake filter leaks oil                            | Intake regulator stays open.                                     | Check regulator and solenoid valve.   |
| Safety valve opening                               | Pressure too high.   | Check the pressure setting.   |
|  | Intake regulator does not close at the end of the cycle.         | Check regulator and solenoid valve.   |
|  | Oil separator filter clogged.                                    | Replace oil separator filter.   |
| Sensor for compressor temperature triggered        | Room temperature too high  | Improve ventilation.  |
|  | Radiator clogged.  | Clean radiator with solvent.  |
|  | Oil level too low.   | Top up oil.   |
|  | Cooling fan does not start.                                      | Check the electric fan motor.   |
| Compressor performance low                         | Air filter dirty or clogged.                                     | Clean or replace filter.  |
| Compressor does not compress air while running     | Regulator closed. It cannot open because dirty.                  | Remove intake filter and check for proper manual opening. Remove and clean, if necessary.               |
|  | Regulator closed. It cannot open because no command is received. | Check for signal on solenoid valve. Replace damaged part, if any.                                       |
| Compressor compresses air over max. pressure value | Regulator open. It cannot open because dirty.                    | Remove and clean regulator.   |
|  | Regulator open. It cannot open because no command is received.   | Check for signal availability between pressure switch and solenoid valve. Replace damaged part, if any. |
| Compressor hardly starts                           | Oil separator filter clogged.                                    | Replace oil separator filter.   |
|  | Min. pressure valve does not close perfectly.                    | Remove the valve, clean and replace seal, if necessary.   |
|  | Voltage too low.   | Check mains voltage.  |
|  | Tube leaking.  | Tighten fittings.   |

# Wiring Diagram



| Rif.        | Denominazione - Denomination  | kW 11 VS    | kW 15 VS     |
|-------------|---|-------------|--------------|
| TC          | Trasformatore (Transformer) Pr.0/230/400 Sec.0/24 100VA                             |             |              |
| SA          | Selettore NA alimentazione inverter (INVERTER FEEDING SELECTOR)                     |             |              |
| SB          | Pulsante di emergenza (EMERGENCY BUTTON) + n.2 NC 230V 10A                          |             |              |
| FU1.FU2.FU3 | Fusibili ceramici (CERAMIC FUSES) 2A  |             |              |
| FU5         | Fusibile ceramico (CERAMIC FUSE) 4A   |             |              |
| FU6         | Fusibile ceramico (CERAMIC FUSE) 1A   |             |              |
| FU7         | Base portafusibile tripolare (TRIPOLAR FUSE HOLDER BASE) 500V                       | 32A (14x51) | 32A (14x51)  |
| KM1         | Contattore linea alimentazione inverter (INVERTER LINE CONTACTOR) kob.24 V 50/60 Hz | 50A AC1     | 50A AC1      |
| KM2         | Contattore elettroventola raffreddamento (COOLING FAN CONTACTOR) kob.24 V 50/60 Hz  | 3 kW(*)     | 3 kW(*)      |
| KA          | Rele' ausiliario (AUXILIARY RELE') kob.24 V 50/60 Hz                                |             |              |
| GF          | Inverter (INVERTER)   | 11 kW       | 15 kW        |
| KR          | Dispositivo sequenza fase (PHASE SEQUENCE DEVICE)                                   |             |              |
| YV          | Elettrovalvola compressore (SOLENOID VALVE COMPRESSOR PUMP) 24 VAC 50/60 Hz         |             |              |
| BP          | Trasduttore di pressione (PRESSURE TRANSDUCER) 0-16 Bar 4-20 mA                     |             |              |
| D1          | Controllore elettronico (ELECTRONIC CONTROLLER) 24VAC                               |             |              |
| D2          | Device "SMS" 24VAC  |             |              |
| ST1         | Sonda termica mandata vite (TEMPERATURE PROBE COMPRESSOR PUMP)                      |             |              |
|             | Sez. cavo motore (MOTOR CABLE CROSS-SECTION AREA)(mmq)                              | 4G6 SCHERM. | 4G10 SCHERM. |
|             | 1) Sez. ausiliari (Auxiliary section) = 1mmq  |             |              |
|             | 2) (*) = 400V AC3   |             |              |
|             | 3) (**) = 400 V   |             |              |
|             | ALIM. - NERO-BLU-MARRONE VOLTAGE - BLACK-BLUE-BROWN                                 |             |              |
|             | JOINT IN: GIALLO-VERDE-BIANCO - YELLOW-GREEN-WHITE                                  |             |              |

## Warranty

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Pilot Air Compressors Pty Ltd **manufactured goods - 1 Year Warranty and 3 Year Warranty (where applicable)**

(DATE)

Pilot Air Compressors Pty Ltd (**Pilot Air**) warrants to the first purchaser of goods (manufactured by it) (Product) from Pilot Air and the last purchaser prior to installation that, subject to compliance with the Conditions of Warranties below that:

1. For a period of 12 months from the date of purchase, the Product will be free from defects due to defective factory workmanship or materials; and
2. For a period of 12 months from the date of purchase that Pilot Air branded accessories supplied by Pilot Air will be free from defects due to defective factory workmanship or materials.
3. The compressor pump only (and excluding all other components of the unit) in the following units:
  - a. TM Series Units
  - b. Classic K Series Units
  - c. Petrol Industrial Series Units
  - d. Three Phase Industrial Series Units

will be free from defects due to defective factory workmanship or materials for a period of 3 years from the date of purchase.

4. The 'ALTA TEC', 'DCR', 'PAC' and 'FP' Series of Rotary Screw type compressors will be free from defects due to defective factory workmanship or materials for 3,000 working hours in the first 12 months from the date of purchase. This warranty is extended to a period of 2 years for the air end of the DCR PAC and FP Series Compressors.
5. Where compressors are powered with either petrol or diesel engines, the engine only is subject to the warranty provided by the manufacturer of the engine.
6. Non-Pilot Air accessories (meaning accessories which are not Pilot Air manufactured and branded) which are supplied by Pilot Air are not covered by this warranty. Purchasers are referred to the individual manufacturer's warranty. Purchasers can request a copy of the applicable warranties by contacting Pilot Air using the contact details below.

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### Conditions of Warranties

The warranties specified herein are subject to the following conditions:

- (a) Pilot Air will not be liable for a breach of any of its warranties unless the Claimant provides proof of purchase of the Product and makes a written claim to Pilot Air at the address set out below, either within 30 days after the defect would have become reasonably apparent, or if the defect was reasonably apparent prior to installation, then the claim must be made prior to installation;
- (b) The warranties are not transferable;
- (c) The Product must be installed, operated, maintained and serviced strictly in accordance with the relevant Pilot Air literature current at the time of installation and must be installed in conjunction with the components or products specified in the Pilot Air literature. To obtain copies of such literature go to [www.pilotair.com.au](http://www.pilotair.com.au) or telephone Pilot Air on (02) 9648 3099;
- (d) If the claimant chooses to rely upon any warranty specified herein the claimant's sole remedy under the warranty for breach of the warranty is (at Pilot Air's option) that Pilot Air will either supply replacement Product, rectify the affected Product or pay for the cost of the replacement or rectification of the affected product;
- (e) In the circumstances where the guarantees under the Australian Consumer Law do not apply in respect to the purchase of its Products, Pilot Air will not be liable for any losses or damages (whether direct or indirect) including property damage or personal injury, consequential loss, economic loss or loss of profits, arising in contract or negligence or howsoever arising. Without limiting the foregoing, Pilot Air will not be liable for any claims, damages or defects arising from misuse of the Product, inadequate maintenance and storage of the Product, repairs rendered necessary or arising from the use of non- genuine Pilot Air parts in the product, normal wear and tear maintenance of the Product, deterioration of any part of the Product due to normal wear and tear, work performed on the Product other than by an authorised Pilot Air service technician or their agent, use of the Product for any purpose other than which it was intended to be used, use of the Product after essential parts and accessories have been removed, operating the Product continuously under excessive load, and if the serial/model label has been removed or obscured on the Product;
- (f) In circumstances where the guarantees under the Australian Consumer Law do not apply in respect to the purchase of its Product/s: all warranties, conditions, liabilities and obligations other than those specified herein are excluded to the fullest extent allowed by law.

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- (g) Parts repaired or replaced under any warranty specified herein are warranted only for the remaining period of the original warranty period.
- (h) All defective parts that are the subject of a claim under any warranty specified herein become the property of Pilot Air.
- (i) The warranties specified herein do not apply to the following parts or conditions and cannot be relied upon in the situation whereby:
  - i) any Pilot Air product or part has been subject to misuse, negligence, accidental damage, improper or inadequate use, inadequate maintenance or improper storage or been operated under unusual conditions or continuously under excessive load;
  - ii) the defect has been caused by the use of non-genuine Pilot Air parts;
  - iii) the defect or deterioration was due to normal use, fair wear and tear and exposure, unless due to any defect in material or workmanship;
  - iv) work was undertaken on any Pilot Air product or part by an unauthorised Pilot Air agent;
  - v) the serial /model label has been removed from any Pilot Air product or part;
  - vi) normal maintenance items/parts including valves and piston rings
- (j) Warranty repairs on all 240 Volt and portable units shall be on a back to base basis that the Claimant is required to return the Product to the nominated warranty agent as advised by Pilot Air, provided that such costs are not significant;
- (k) The replacement or repair of any defective part or correction of operating faults under any warranty specified herein is to be made only after Pilot Air, or its authorised representative, have examined the unit to their satisfaction, with their decision being final.
- (l) In the circumstances where Pilot Air accepts or it is determined by Pilot Air that the claimant has a valid claim under this warranty, and subject to paragraph (m) below, Pilot Air will bear all of the claimant's reasonable and proximate expenses incurred as a result of claiming under this warranty. The claimant is to inform Pilot Air in writing to the address identified below within 21 days from when the claimant first makes a claim under this warranty of all such claims and expenses and provide it with copies of all receipts and invoices where relevant before any reimbursement is made by Pilot Air to the claimant. The claimant is responsible for all other costs of claiming under this warranty.

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- (m) Pilot Air will not be responsible for any courier, transport or freight related costs whatsoever associated with the return to it of any defective Product that have not first been approved by it. Pilot Air reserves the right to first inspect any defective Product and decide how, if at all, the defective Product is to be returned to it. Any unapproved courier, transport or freight related costs will be to the claimant's account.

### **Important Note:**

If you acquire goods from Pilot Air as a consumer according to the Australian Consumer Law, our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and for compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure.

Any rights a consumer may have under any warranty specified herein are in addition to other rights and remedies of a consumer under a law in relation to the goods to which these warranties relate. Nothing in this document shall exclude or modify any legal rights a customer may have under the Australian Consumer Law or otherwise which cannot be excluded or modified at law.

### **Contact details if you wish to make a claim under any warranty specified herein:**

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