Single Phase Openwell Submersible Monoblocks

Instruction & Operating Manual





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1. Introduction

Thank you for choosing a quality product manufactured by Texmo Industries. We request you to read this manual thoroughly so as to ensure that the product you have purchased will be operated correctly.

This manual is intended to provide you with information on your product and information on installation and operation. You will also find information on how you could contact Texmo Industries, should you need further information or help and support

2. Warranty information

Please refer to your warranty card or visit **www.taropumps.com** for more information on your warranty.

3. Complying standards

- IS 3043: Code of Practice for earthing: Specification IS 9283: Motors for Submersible Pumpsets: Specification
- IS13730: Specifications for Particular Types of

Winding Wires

IS 14220: Open well Submersible Pumpsets : Specification

4. Contents of the packing box

Based on the model you have purchased, your Single Phase Openwell Submersible is packed along with the instruction manual and warranty card in either a corrugated box or in a wooden crate.

5. Information about your pump

The discharge of a pump depends on the static suction lift. During summer, the static suction lift increases due to drop in water levels, and this results in reduced discharge. This will require frequent lowering of the pump to reduce the static suction lift. During monsoons, water levels can significantly rise. Under such conditions, there is a possibility that the pump can get submerged, resulting in the motor getting damaged. Such issues are overcome by the use of an openwell submersible pump as it operates submerged in water.

Single phase monoblock There are three series of Single Phase Openwell Submersibles:

The TSSM and SSM Series are operated horizontally. However, the SVSM series can be operated vertically inside a 6-inch borewell as well as horizontally in a sump / tank by provision of two suitable clamps supplied along with the product.

Texmo Single Phase Openwell Submersible Monoblocks are manufactured using high quality raw materials and components using state-of-the-art manufacturing facilities and will give trouble-free performance if properly installed and maintained. These are compact pumping systems with the pump and motor mounted on a common shaft. As a coupling is not required, alignment of the pump and motor is assured. Installation therefore quick and easy. They do not require frequent maintenance as the packing rope and grease-lubricated deep groove ball bearings are replaced by oilseals and water-lubricated journal bearings respectively. Such products find application for irrigation of farms, domestic water supply, cooling water circulating systems, fountains, dairies, water supply to high rise buildings, housing complexes, bungalows, cattle and poultry farms.

Prior to installation, read this manual thoroughly and follow the instructions for installation and maintenance of our Single Phase Openwell Submersible Monoblock to ensure reliable operation. The product should be installed by technically qualified personnel in compliance with national and local electrical codes and as per our instructions in order to avoid electrical shocks, unsatisfactory performance, and / or equipment failure.

6. Schematic drawing

View of an Single Phase Openwell Submersible Monoblock is shown below in Fig. 1:

Fig. 1 View of Single Phase Openwell Submersible Monoblock

7. Key specifications & features

Standard Specifications of Single Phase Openwell Submersible are shown below in TABLE 1:

	SVSM: 1.0, 1.5 HP					
Power	SSM: 1 - 5 HP					
	TSSM: 0.5, 1.0 HP					
Phase	1					
Motor Type	Squirrel-cage Induction Motor – Wet type					
Operating Voltage	180 - 240 V					
Frequency	50 Hz					
Speed	2850 rpm					
Duty	S1 Continuous					
Max. Fluid Temperature	33°C					
Impeller Type	Radial					

Key features

Wide voltage band operation

The motor houses water-lubricated journal bearings to take up the radial loads

A water-lubricated thrust bearing is provided to take up the thrust load generated by the rotating impeller

A water-lubricated counter thrust bearing is provided to limit the movement of the shaft when the Single Phase Openwell Submersible is switched OFF

Adequate motor surface area is provided for effective cooling

Electrical connection

Standard products are supplied with a 3-m long 3-core PVC-insulated flat cable

Control panel is offered with some of our products

For products supplied without a control panel, the customer shall ensure appropriate capacitors are used (CSCR)

8. Cross-section view

Cross-section view of TSSM Series Openwell Submersible Monoblock is shown below in Fig. 2:

Fig. 2 Cross-section view of single phase openwell submersible monoblock "TSSM" series

No.	PART NAME	No.	PART NAME	No.	PART NAME
1	Flange Oval	10	Csk Head Hex Socket Set	22	Stator Stack
2	Lock Nut	12	Screw	23	Coil
3	Casing	13	Support - Rear Cover	24	Eye Bolt (Collapsable Ring)
4	Parallel Key	14	Rear Cover	24	& Washer
5	Hex Nut	15	Diaphragm	25	Front Cover
6	Oil Seal	16	Diaphragm Cap	26	O-Ring
7	Bush	17	Hexagon Head Bolt	27	Impeller
8	Thrust Collar	18	Pvc Insulated Cable	28	Gasket Oval
9	Rotor With Shaft	19	Cable Gland	29	Plug
10	Stud	20	Cable Gland Bush	30	Bend
11	Thrust Pad	21	Stator Housing Shell	31	Strainer

Cross-section view of a SSM Series Single Phase Openwell Submersible Monoblock is shown below in Fig. 3:

No.	PART NAME	No.	PART NAME
1	Strainer Cap	15	Hex. Head Bolt & Washer
2	Strainer	16	Stator Stack
3	Nipple	17	Hex. Head Bolt & Nut
4	Stud & Nut	18	Hex. Socket Set Screw
5	Hexagon Dome Nut	19	CT & BG Collar
6	Parallel Key	20	Base Plate
7	Casing	21	Thrust Bush
8	Sand Guard	22	Rear Cover
9	Oil Seal	23	Cable Gland
10	Front Cover	24	PVC Insulated Cable
11	Bush	25	Cable Gland Bush
12	Thrust Pad	26	C.H Screw
13	Hex. Head Bolt	27	Coil
14	Rotor With Shaft	28	Motor Body

No.	PART NAME
29	Eye Bolt
30	Сар
31	Hex. Socket Set Screw
32	Rotor Balancing Collar
33	Thrust Collar
34	O-Ring
35	Drain Plug
36	Flange Circular
37	Gasket Circular
38	Impeller
39	Gasket Circular
40	Strainer Bracket
41	CSK Screw

Cross-section view of a SVSM Series Single Phase Vertical Openwell Submersible Monoblock is shown below in Fig. 4:

No.	PART NAME
1	Hex Socket Head Cap
I	Screw
2	Motor Base
3	Wdg Over Hang Protector
4	Carbon Bush
5	Thrust Pad
6	Thrust Collar
7	Body With Stator
8	Sand Guard
9	Strainer
10	Suction Chamber
11	Earth Screw

No.	PART NAME
12	Washer
13	Cable Gland
14	Stud
15	Sleeve
16	Lock Pin
17	Bush
18	Cable Clamp
19	Cable Protector
20	Cable
21	Delivery Chamber
22	Hexagonal Nut
23	Lock Nut

No.	PART NAME
24	Intermediate Housing
25	Pump Housing Shell
26	Diffuser Housing
27	Impeller
28	Pump Shaft
29	Coupling
30	Drain Plug With Washer
31	Oil Seal
32	Tie Bar
33	Rotor With Shaft
34	Parallel Key

9. Pre-installation requirements

Arrangement for Installation

Use the services of a professional and trained mechanic with experience in erecting Openwell submersible

Ensure proper safety precautions during installation

Use the eye bolts / lifting lugs for lifting / lowering the Single Phase Openwell submersible using appropriate equipment

General Installation Precautions

Note	If you detect damage or discrepancy in the product, contact the dealer from whom the pump was purchased
Warning	Do not use this pump for oil or toxic, acidic, corrosive, and flammable liquids. Pumping flammable liquids could cause explosion
Caution	Use the eye bolt for lifting/lowering the Single Phase Openwell submersible. Ensure suitable precautions are taken while lifting and lowering the product
Caution	Use trained professionals to install the Single Phase Openwell Submersible
Warning	Use a power supply cable that has sufficient rating. Factor in low-voltage operation
Warning	Provide proper Earthing. Improper Earthing can cause electrical shock
Caution	Use a Megger to verify the insulation resistance of the motor. Insulation resistance should be 20M Ω minimum
Caution	Do not run the Single Phase Openwell Submersible dry as it contains water- lubricated bearings and oilseals
Warning	Mount the TSSM and SSM pumps with their axis horizontal. SVSM products can be mounted vertically or horizontally

Note

Check the bottom of the well. In case there is mud accumulated at the well bottom, de-silt the well

Periodically de-silt the bottom of the well so that the Openwell Submersibles rests on the rocky bottom

Operation Precautions

Warning	Switch OFF the power before working on electrical lines
Caution	Do not use this pump for pumping liquid exceeding 33ºC as this may lead to product failure
Warning	Do not switch ON the pump if there is any human contact with the pumped medium. If any electrical leakage occurs, this could be fatal
Caution	The Single Phase Openwell Submersible has water-lubricated journal and thrust bearings and therefore shall not be run dry. Starting of the Single Phase Openwell Submersible without water must be strictly avoided as it will cause damage to the bearings
Caution	Ensure proper direction of rotation of the pump on powering up

10. Installation procedure

Please follow the below procedure to install the Single Phase Openwell Submersible monoblock

	The supply voltage should be within the specified voltage range. Water temperature for operation of the pump should not exceed 33°C. Failure to observe the precautions given above could cause the pump to
Caution	malfunction and may lead to current leakage or electrical shock.
Warning	If you find any abnormalities like vibration, noise, smell, etc. from the pump during trial operation, switch OFF the pump and contact the dealer from whom this pump was purchased.

Installation:

The following steps are executed prior to installation:

Fig. 5 Single phase openwell submersible monoblock with flooded suction

Prior to installation, unscrew the Brass Plugs 1 and 2, fitted on top of the motor as shown in Fig. 5 below, and fill the motor with pure drinking water till water overflows from the other filling hole. Gently rock the motor to release air bubbles and further top up if necessary. Then replace the two plugs.

In case the installation has a high delivery head, mount a good quality check valve in the delivery line.

Fig. 6 Filling the motor of single phase openwell submersible monoblock with pure drinking water

SVSM products are prefilled with pure drinking water and dispatched from the factory. TSSM and SSM products shall be filled with pure drinking water before installation. For SSM and TSSM products (Fig. 6a and b), unscrew plugs 1 and 2, fitted on top of the motor and fill up the motor with pure drinking water. For SVSM products, in case the motor is not full, top up the motor with pure drinking water, as illustrated below in Fig. 6c. Gently rock the motor to release air bubbles and further top up if necessary. Then replace the two plugs.

Fig. 6(a)

Fig. 6(b)

Fig. 6(c)

SVSM - Horizontal Mounting:

Motor and pump stand assembly - procedure

Refer Fig. 7 and Fig. 8 for the assembling the motor stand and pump stand.

♥ Fig. 7 Assembly procedure – Motor stand

Remove the screws in the clamps (a) and insert Motor Stand in the motor base flange (b) as shown in below pictures and tight the screws (c).

🕑 Fig. 8 Assembly procedure – Pump stand

Similarly assemble the pump stand in the delivery flange as shown in pictures (d), (e) and (f) and tighten the screws.

Both Motor & Pump Stands should be assembled opposite to the cable side

Waterproofing the Submersible Motor Cable - Supply Cable Joint

Hazardous voltage will cause death, serious injury, electrocution Disconnect all power before working on this equipment and that it cannot be accidentally switched ON.

Standard Single Phase Openwell Submersible are supplied with a 3-core PVC-insulated flat cable of length 3 meters. On demand a 10-m long cable can be supplied

The free end of the 3-core cable of the motor needs to be connected to the supply cable from the control panel

As this joint is always nearly submerged in water, the joint needs to be waterproof

Refer the sequence shown in Fig. 9 below for insulating the cable joint for under water application:

Procedure for joining and insulating the 3 core conductors

Step 1: Soldering / knot the copper strands

Step 2: Layer 1 - 1st layer of virgin rubber insulation

Step 3: Layer 2 - 1st layer of PVC insulation tape

Step 4: Layer 3 - 2nd layer of virgin rubber insulation

Step 5: Layer 4 - 2nd layer of PVC insulation tape

▲ Fig. 9 Cable Joint for Under Water Application

Proedure for joining and insulating the cable joint for under-water cable

Step 6: Layer 1 - 1st layer of virgin rubber insulation

Step 7: Layer 2 - 1st layer of PVC insulation tape

Step 8: Layer 3 - 2nd layer of PVC insulation tape

Cable Lead Wire Connection to Control Panel

Cable	Terminal
Red	R
Yellow	Y
Blue	В

Cable Selection

Refer TABLE 2 for the selection of cables from Control Panel to Submersible Motor:

FL	Motor Rating		Cable size in Sq.mm								
Current			1.5	2.5	4.0	6.0	10.0	16.0	25.0	35.0	50.0
(Amps)	KW	HP		Maximum Length of Cable in Metres							
4.5	0.37	0.5	160	267	430	646					
5.4	0.55	0.75	133	222	359	538					
6	0.75	1	120	200	323	484	837				
9.5	1.1	1.5	75	126	204	306	529	835			
13	1.5	2	55	92	149	223	386	610	946		
20	2.2	3		60	96	145	251	396	615	866	
28	3.7	5			69	103	179	283	439	618	888

Submersible Cable Selection Chart (For 220 V, 50 Hz Ac power supply)

Notes:

- Table shows maximum allowable length of submersible cable for the given full load current where site voltage is normal ie 220 V.
- For other voltages, the cable size is to be selected for the length which is calculated as follows.
- Calculated length = (220 / Actual voltage) x Actual length

Checking direction of rotation of Single Phase Openwell Submersible Monoblock

Hazardous voltage will cause death, serious injury, electrocution. All electrical work must be performed by an authorised electrician, in compliance with local electrical equipment standards and internal wiring codes.

Connect the Single Phase Openwell Submersible to the control panel, power up the Openwell Submersible, and observe if the direction of rotation of the impeller matches the arrow mark on the volute casing / suction chamber

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In case the direction does not match the arrow mark, please take the product to the dealer from whom the purchase was made for rectification

Electrical Installation

Observe relevant EB regulations while giving power supply to the motor

As far as possible, do not use multiple joints in the electrical cabling while connecting the Control Panel to the Single Phase Openwell Submersible Ground the Single Phase Openwell Submersible using the two earth screws provided on the base plate of SSM and single earth screw provided on the motor body of SVSM

Ensure electrical joints, if any, are properly and adequately insulated

Connect the cable properly to the starter terminals to avoid loose connections

Factor in low-voltage operation while selecting cable size

Electrical Wiring Work

All electrical work must be performed by an authorised electrician in compliance with local electrical equipment standards and internal wiring codes. Improper wiring can lead to current leakage, electrical shock, or fire.

Earthing

♥ Fig. 10 Earth Connections – SSM and SVSM

Connecting the Power Supply

Caution	Observe relevant Electricity Board regulations while powering up the pumpset
Warning	Before inserting the power plug or connecting the wires to the terminal board, make sure the power supply is properly disconnected. Failure to do so may lead to electrical shock, short, or injury caused by the unintended starting of the pump
Caution	Do not use damaged cables, power plugs, or loose power outlets. Failure to observe this precaution could lead to electrical shock, short circuit or fire

11. Basic troubleshooting

To prevent serious accidents, disconnect the power supply before inspecting the pump.

Read this operation manual thoroughly before requesting repair. Contact the dealer from whom the pump was purchased. Servicing and troubleshooting must be handled by qualified persons with proper tools and equipment. Common faults, root causes for these, and suggested actions are provided in TABLE 2 below:

Fault	Possible Causes	Suggested Actions
Pump does not run	No power supply to the motor	Check for availability of power
	Burnt motor coil	Rewind the motor
	Low-voltage operation	Operate in the recommended voltage range
	The motor starter overload has tripped	Reset the motor starter overload. If it trips again, check the voltage
	Pump is jammed	Dismantle the pump and clear the jammed parts
	Fuse has blown	Replace fuse
	Loose connections	Tighten the electrical connections
	Pump has been kept idle for a long time	Ensure free rotation of shaft by running the pump for a few minutes at least every alternate day
Less discharge from pump	Low-voltage operation	Check the supply voltage, Operate in the recommended voltage range
	Wrong direction of rotation	Send the pump to authorised service centre
	Increased delivery head	Ensure delivery head within specified value
	Smaller pipe size used when compared to nameplate recommendations	Replace with suggested pipe size

Fault	Possible causes	Suggested actions
Less discharge from pump	Discharge pipe internally coated with depositions	Clean the pipe
	Foreign bodies lodged in impellers	Check the impellers and remove the foreign bodies
	The valve in the discharge pipe is partly closed / blocked	Check and clean / replace the valves, if necessary
	Discharge pipe internally coated with depositions	Check and clean NRV. Replace if necessary
	Foreign bodies lodged in impellers	Check and replace
	Leakage in the pipework	Check and repair / replace piping
Total head developed is too low	Abrasive wear of pump hydraulics due to operation in water of higher sand content or corrosiveness	Change the worn-out pump parts
	Running at low-voltage	Wait for voltage to increase or contact local EB representative
	Low system head and therefore higher discharge	Throttle the discharge
Pump runs rough and noisy	Dry running of pump	Keep pump idle for sometime/reduce the discharge by throttling
	Shaft is bent	Replace the shaft
	Excessive wear and tear	Service the pump replacing the worn out parts
Pump leaks excessively	Gaskets / O-rings damaged	Check and replace gaskets / O- rings
	Pipeline damaged	Check and replace piping
	Gaskets / O-rings damaged	Check and replace gaskets / O- rings
	Pipeline damaged	Check and replace piping

Note	Conduct trial operation after maintenance
Note	Dispose replaced components with appropriate care so as to protect the environment
Warning	Do not try to solve unspecified troubles of Single Phase OWS as it may lead to severe damage to the pump or injury to personnel. Contact the dealer from whom this pump was purchased
Caution	If the Single Phase Openwell Submersible runs with unusual noise, stop it immediately. Check (a) the journal bearings for wear (b) rotor outside diameter rubbing against stator inner diameter.

12. Preventive maintenance checks

Precautions to be taken

to avoid electrical shock

Disconnect the power supply before starting maintenance or inspection of the pump

If you find any damages or abnormalities, switch OFF the pump and report the problem to the dealer from whom the set was purchased

NOTE: The manufacturer assumes no responsibility for damage or injury due to disassembly in the field.

A definite schedule of preventive maintenance inspections should be established to avoid breakdown, serious damage, and / or extensive downtime. The schedule will depend on operating conditions and experience with similar equipment. The below checklist does not represent an exhaustive survey of maintenance steps necessary to ensure safe operation of the Single Phase Openwell submersible.

The pump must not be operated with the delivery valve shut-off for more than a few seconds; otherwise the motor will overheat, possibly causing permanent damage

Warning

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Utilise the services of an electrician to carry out electrical measurements / checking the functioning of the control panel

It is good practice to monitor the conditions and performance of the Single Phase Openwell Submersible. Diagnosis may be carried out by checking the following:

13. Do's and don'ts

Do's	Don'ts
Before installation, rotate the shaft to ensure that pump is not jammed	Do not use piping smaller than what is mentioned on the nameplate
Ensure proper earthing is provided	Do not place the pump at the bottom of the well as it can sink in the mud at the well bottom. De-silt the well and ensure the pump rests on a firm surface
Mount the Openwell Submersible on a level surface	Do not have multiple joints on the cable. More the cable joints, more will be the voltage drop
Check the direction of rotation of the openwell submerisible monoblock matches the arrow mark cast on the volute casing	Do not remove the strainer as debris can get sucked into the pump and jam it
Rubber gaskets assembled on the openwell submersible monoblock do not have a central hole. Cut out the central hole and re-install	Do not use to pump corrosive and flammable liquids
Check all fasteners are tight	
In case of high delivery head, use a check valve in the discharge line	Do not use undersized electric cables between Pump and control panel. Factor in low-voltage usage
In case of flooded suction, ensure that the pump suction is kept above the motor body to prevent the motor from getting exposed during running and resulting in poor heat dissipation	Do not use the power cable for lifting / lowering the pump. Use the eye bolts provided on the motor body
Water levels rise significantly during monsoons. Under such conditions, pumps will operate with higher discharges and therefore higher current. It is advisable to install a flow control valve in the delivery pipeline and throttle the discharge till the current is less than that specified on the product nameplate	Do not keep the pump idle for a long time to prevent jamming of the rotating components. Run the pump for a few minutes every week
Ensure the position of pump strainer (TSSM and SSM) is located above the motor to prevent water level from dropping below the motor body	Do not operate the pump at shut-off conditions to prevent the pumpset from getting overheated

14. Important safety instructions

Only qualified personnel should be involved for inspection, maintenance, and repairs. The successful and safe operation of such a product depends on proper handling, installation, and maintenance. It is suggested that in case of non-functioning of the product, the customer is requested to contact the dealer through whom the purchase was made.

Hazardous voltage will cause death, serious injury, electrocution. Disconnect all power before working on this equipment. Maintenance should be performed by only qualified personnel.

15. Storage & handling

The Single Phase Openwell Submersibles are supplied from the factory in proper packing in which they should remain until they are to be installed
The product should be stored in a closed, dry, and well-ventilated room
Do not store the products under direct sunlight
Handle the pumps with care and do not expose the product to unnecessary impact and shocks
During unpacking and prior to installation, care must be taken while handling the pump to ensure that the product is not subjected to shock loads
If the product has been stored for a very long period, check the condition of the rubber gaskets, free rotation of the shaft, and level of water inside the motor

16. Company contact information

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