Three Phase High Speed and Slow Speed 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 carefully to ensure that the system 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 4029: Guide for testing three phase motors

- IS 7538: Three Phase Squirrel Cage induction motors for centrifugal pumps for agricultural applications: Specification
- IS9079: Electric monoset pumps for clear, cold water for agricultural and water supply purposes: Specification
- IS13730: Specifications for particular types of winding wires

4. Contents of the packing box

Based on the model you have purchased, your Three Phase monoblock 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

Taro Monoblocks are manufactured using high quality raw materials and components using state-of-the-art manufacturing facilities and will give trouble free performance if they are properly installed and maintained. These monoblocs 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 becomes quick. Monoblocks find wide 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 carefully and follow the instructions for installation and maintenance of our monoblock so as to ensure reliable operation. The monoblock 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 equipment failure

6. Schematic drawing

View of a Three Phase Monoblock is shown below in Fig. 1:

Fig. 1 View of Three Phase Monoblock



7. Key specifications & features

Standard specifications of Monoblock is shown below in TABLE 1:

| Phase and Power | Three-phase – 2 Pole: 1.0 - 30 HP |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Phase and Power | Three-phase – 4 Pole: 2.0 – 15 HP |
| Motor Type | Dry |
| Starting method | up to 2 HP: DOL |
| Starting method | 3.0 HP and above: SD |
| Operating Voltage | 350 - 440V |
| Frequency | 50 Hz |
| Greed | 2P: 2850 rpm |
| Speed | 4P: 1440 rpm |
| Duty | S1 Continuous |
| Insulation Class | Refer Name Plate |
| Max. Fluid Temperature | 33°C |
| Impeller Type | Radial |
| Type of Enclosure | TEFC |

Product performance specification

Texmo Industries has a wide variety of Monoblock to meet your requirements. Please consult our Sales team / your nearest dealer to meet your specific requirements.

Key features



Electrical Connection

Three phase three lead monoblocks are connected to a direct on line starter

Three phase six lead monoblocks are connected to a Star - Delta starter

8. Cross-section view

Cross-section view of Three Phase high speed monoblock is shown below in Fig. 2:

Fig. 2 Cross-section view of a three phase high speed monoblock



| No. | PART NAME | |
|-----|----------------------|--|
| 1 | Flange-square | |
| 2 | Stud With Hex.nut | |
| 3 | Impeller Lock Nut | |
| 4 | Washer | |
| 5 | Gasket Square | |
| 6 | Hex. Head Bolt - Nut | |
| 7 | Casing | |
| 8 | Flange Square | |
| 9 | Parallel Key | |
| 10 | Impeller | |
| 11 | Yoke | |
| 12 | Gasket-square | |
| 13 | Gasket-circular | |
| 14 | Stud With Hex. Nut | |
| 15 | Hex. Head Bolt | |

| No. | PART NAME | |
|-----|----------------------------|--|
| 16 | Cover Dome | |
| 17 | Ball Bearing-double Shield | |
| 18 | Bearing Cap - Front Inner | |
| 19 | Body | |
| 20 | Eye Bolt | |
| 21 | Hex. Socket Screw | |
| 22 | Stator Stack | |
| 23 | Rotor With Shaft | |
| 24 | Shield | |
| 25 | Ball Bearing-double Shield | |
| 26 | Rear Cover | |
| 27 | Fan | |
| 28 | Fan Shield | |
| 29 | Hex. Head Bolt & Nut | |
| 30 | C.h.screw & Spring Washer | |

| No. | PART NAME | |
|------|---------------------------|--|
| 31 | Hex. Head Bolt | |
| 32 | Hex. Head Bolt & Washer | |
| 33 | Terminal Box | |
| 34 | Terminal Board | |
| 35 | Terminal Box Cover | |
| 36 | Hex. Head Bolt | |
| 37 | Bearing Cap - Front Outer | |
| 38 | Water Slinger | |
| 39 | Stud With Hex. Nut | |
| 40 | Gland | |
| 41 | | |
| 41.1 | Packing Rope | |
| 42 | Oil Seal | |
| 43 | Sleeve | |

Cross-section view of Three Phase slow speed monoblock is shown below in Fig. 3:





| No. | PART NAME | |
|-----|----------------------|--|
| 1 | Stud With Hex.nut | |
| 2 | Flange-square | |
| 3 | Impeller Lock Nut | |
| 4 | Washer | |
| 5 | Impeller | |
| 6 | Gasket Square | |
| 7 | Hex. Head Bolt - Nut | |
| 8 | Parallel Key | |
| 9 | Casing | |
| 10 | Flange Square | |
| 11 | Gasket-square | |
| 12 | Gasket-circular | |
| 13 | Yoke | |
| 14 | Stud With Hex. Nut | |
| 15 | Hex. Head Bolt | |

| No. | PART NAME | |
|-----|----------------------------|--|
| 16 | Cover Dome | |
| 17 | Ball Bearing-double Shield | |
| 18 | Bearing Cap - Front Inner | |
| 19 | Body | |
| 20 | Eye Bolt | |
| 21 | Hex. Socket Screw | |
| 22 | Stator Stack | |
| 23 | Rotor With Shaft | |
| 24 | Shield | |
| 25 | Ball Bearing-double Shield | |
| 26 | Rear Cover | |
| 27 | Fan | |
| 28 | Fan Shield | |
| 29 | Hex. Head Bolt & Nut | |
| 30 | C.h.screw & Spring Washer | |

| No. | PART NAME | |
|------|---------------------------|--|
| 31 | Hex. Head Bolt | |
| 32 | Hex. Head Bolt & Washer | |
| 33 | Terminal Box | |
| 34 | Terminal Board | |
| 35 | Terminal Box Cover | |
| 36 | Hex. Head Bolt | |
| 37 | Bearing Cap - Front Outer | |
| 38 | Water Slinger | |
| 39 | Stud With Hex. Nut | |
| 40 | Gland | |
| 41 | Packing Rope | |
| 41.1 | | |
| 42 | Lantern Ring | |
| 43 | Sleeve | |

9. Pre-installation requirements

Arrangement for Installation



General Installation Precautions



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While connecting pumps in series ensure that the pumps are grouted properly as pipe line loads can act on the volute casing suction and delivery flanges, can result in damage to the volute casing. It is not advisable to connect pumps in series when in close proximity of each other as the volute casing of the second pump will be subject to a pressure about twice that of the first pump. It is advisable to place the second pump at a location where the pressure in the delivery line of the first pump has significantly dropped, thereby limiting the pressure rise in the second pump.

| 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, acetic, corrosive and flammable liquids. Pumping flammable liquids could cause explosion | |
| Caution | Use the eye bolt for lifting / lowering the monoblock. Ensure suitable precautions are taken while lifting and lowering the product | |
| Caution | Use trained professionals to install the monoblock | |
| Warning | Use a power supply cable that has sufficient rating. Factor in low voltage operation | |
| Warning | Provide proper earthing as improper earthing can cause electrical shock | |
| Caution | Use a megger to verify the insulation resistance of the motor. Insulation resistance should be $20 \text{M}\Omega$ minimum | |
| Caution | Do not place the monoblock in a location subject to flooding as water can enter the motor and damage the windings and bearings | |
| Warning | Mount the pump with its axis horizontal | |

Operation Precautions

| Caution | The shaft of the monoblock passes through a gland and stuffing box arrangement. Do not attempt to run the pump dry as the sleeve / oil seal can get damaged during dry rotation. Ensure the pump is primed and then only run it |
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| 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 |
| Note | For three phase models use a starter |

10. Installation procedure

Please follow the below procedure to install the monoblock.

| Caution | 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 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 where this pump was purchased |

Installation

The following steps are executed prior to installation

Measure the insulation resistance using a megger of 500 VDC



Ensure contact points are clean



Connect the measuring cable to the ground conductor



Connect the other measuring cable to every core of the motor cable in succession



Prepare a level concrete foundation for mounting the monoblock and tighten the motor base using the foundation bolts as shown in Fig. 4 below:



Fig. 4 Assembling a monoblock on a concrete foundation

Use prescribed pipe sizes as mentioned on the product name plate

Place the pump centre line as close as possible to the water surface and with the foot valve fixed above the bottom of the well. Refer Fig. 5, shown below, for recommendations:





Use as few pipe fittings as possible in the suction line



Use a good quality foot valve to reduce suction losses

Provide a priming facility in the pipe line adjacent to the pump discharge flange as shown in Fig. 6 below:

> Fig. 6 Priming arrangement for monoblocks





During priming, check the pump suction pipe for leakages

Ensure that the suction pipe connected to the pump suction flange is horizontal or sloping upwards towards the pump suction flange to prevent air lock. A pipe sloping downwards towards the pump suction flange will result in air lock. Refer Fig. 7, shown below, for the preferred suction pipe orientation.







Horizontal suction pipe

Suction pipe inclined up towards pump suction

Suction pipe inclined down towards pump suction

• Fig. 7 Preferred orientation of suction pipe for monoblocks



In case the installation has a high delivery head, mount a good quality check valve in the delivery line as close as possible to the pump delivery flange

Checking direction of rotation of Three phase monoblock



Danger

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.



Ensure pump is primed



Connect the monoblock to the starter and power up the monoblock

Check the direction of rotation of the motor shaft

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If the direction of rotation is in the same direction as that marked on the volute casing, the connections are right

In case the direction of rotation of the motor shaft does not match the marking on the volute casing, interchange any two lead wires at the starter and confirm the direction of rotation as before

Electrical Installation



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



Connecting the power supply

| Caution | Observe relevant electricity board regulations while powering up the pump set |
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| 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 |

Terminal board connection to monoblock - direct on line and star-delta connection





Star-Delta Connection



11. Basic troubleshooting



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

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

| Fault | Possible causes | Suggested actions |
|-------------------------------------|--|---|
| | No power supply | Check incoming power supply and rectify |
| | Very low voltage | Operate in the recommended voltage range |
| Pump does not | Impeller stuck | Remove the fan cover and rotate fan by hand |
| run | Loose connections | Check the connections |
| | Fuse blown | Replace fuse |
| | Pump has been kept for long time | Ensure free rotation of shaft by running the pump idle for a few minutes at least every alternate day |
| Pump does not discharge water | Faulty foot valve | Check and replace |
| | Pump not primed | Prime the pump |
| | Air leakage on the suction side | Check and correct for leakages |
| | Suction lift too high | Reduce the suction lift |
| | Foot valve not sufficiently submerged | Lower the foot valve and ensure that the foot valve is submerged at least 1 metre below the free surface of water |
| | Check valve is jammed | Check and replace |
| | Motor coil burnt | 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 |

| Fault | Possible causes | Suggested actions |
|-------------------------------------|--|---|
| Less discharge from pump | Low voltage operation | Operate in the recommended voltage range |
| | Wrong direction of rotation | Interchange the supply connections of any two phases |
| | Static suction lift high | Position the pump within recommended suction lift |
| | Total head higher than specified head | Ensure delivery head within specified value |
| | Leakage in pipes | Check the piping system and rectify the faults |
| | Smaller pipe size used when compared to name plate recommendations | Use recommended size of pipes |
| | Discharge pipe internally coated with deposits | 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 |
| | The Check valve of the pump is partly blocked | Check and clean Check valve. Replace if necessary |
| | Impeller is worn out | Check and replace |
| | Leakage in the pipework | Check and repair / replace piping |
| Current consumption in excess | Single phasing | Check line fuses / availability of three phase supply |
| | Voltage too low | Check the voltage |
| | Defective rotor | Change the rotor |
| | Rotor rubbing against stator ID due to bend | Check and replace the rotor |
| | Low system head and therefore higher discharge | Throttle the discharge |

| Fault | Possible causes | Suggested actions |
|---------------------------------|--|--|
| Pump runs rough and noisy | Bearings worn out | Dismantle and replace worn out bearings |
| | Pump cavitating due to high suction lift | Reduce static suction lift |
| | Pump not grouted | Grout the pump |
| | Rotor shaft is bent resulting in rotor rubbing against stator bore | Replace rotor shaft |
| | Excessive wear and tear | Check impeller. If excessive, replace impeller |
| Pump leaks excessively | Gland not adequately tightened | Tighten the gland |
| | Packing rope and oil seal worn out | Replace packing rope and oil seal |
| | Volute - yoke gasket / delivery flange gasket damaged | Check and replace gaskets |
| | Pipe line damaged | Check and replace piping |





12. Preventive maintenance checks

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN



Disconnect the power supply before starting maintenance or inspection of the pump to avoid electrical shock



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 extensive downtime. The schedule will depend on operating conditions and experience with similar equipment. The below check list does not represent an exhaustive survey of maintenance steps necessary to ensure safe operation of the monoblock.



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



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

It is good practice to monitor the conditions and performance of the Three phase monoblocks. Diagnosis may be carried out by checking the following:



Close the delivery valve for a few seconds and check the shut-off head generated by the pump. Do not run at shut-off conditions for a prolonged period of time as the water in the volute casing will get hot



Check the current drawn by the pump at the duty flow rate



Both these data should be compared to corresponding data recorded when the unit was initially installed



Any reduction in shut-off head may indicate wear of the pump hydraulics



Any increase in motor current at duty flow rate indicates a possible overload condition

Measure the insulation resistance of the winding to check the condition of the motor

13. Do's and don'ts

| Do's | Don'ts |
|---|---|
| Use a quality foot valve | Do not install the pump with high static suction lift |
| Ensure leak proof joints on the suction side to prevent air entry and therefore loss of priming | Do not use piping smaller than what is mentioned on the name plate |
| Use as few joints as possible on the suction line | Provide sufficient space around the monoblock so as to ensure proper airflow |
| After installation, prime the pump | Restrict the number of joints on the cable. More the cable joints, more will be the voltage drop |
| Rotate the shaft to ensure that pump is not jammed | Do not place the foot valve right near the bottom of the well / tank / river as there is possibility for solids to be entrained with water |
| Ensure proper earthing is provided | Do not over tighten the gland. Tighten so that at least a few drops of water continuously flows past the gland, thereby ensuring cooling of the shaft |
| Mount the monoblock on a level foundation | Do not restrict the space behind the cooling cover as this will obstruct the flow of air required for cooling of the motor |
| Check the direction of rotation of the monoblock matches the arrow mark cast on the volute casing | Do not use to pump corrosive and flammable liquids |
| Rubber gaskets assembled on the suction and delivery casing do not have a central hole. Cut out the central hole and re-install | Do not earth to a water line or gas line |
| Check all fasteners are tight | Do not use undersized electric cables between pump and starter panel. Factor in low voltage usage |
| Motor portion of monoblock is IP44 protected. Provide protection from rain | Do not cover the product as this will prevent effective cooling of the motor |
| Use a starter with inbuilt single phase preventer, Overload protection and high voltage and low voltage protection | Do not keep the pump suction tapering down towards the pump suction to prevent air lock |

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 monoblocks 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 in direct sunlight

Handle the pumps with care and do not expose the product to unnecessary impact and shocks

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During unpacking and prior to installation, care must be taken when 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

| Caution | If the motors are stored, the shaft must be turned by hand at least once a month |
|---------|---|
| Caution | If the motor has been stored for more than one year before installation, dismantle the motor and check the rotating parts before use |
| Caution | After a long period of storage, the pump should be inspected before it is put in operation. Ensure the impeller can rotate freely when turned by hand |
| Caution | The shaft of the monoblock passes through a gland and stuffing box arrangement. Do not attempt to run the pump dry as the sleeve / oil seal can get damaged during dry rotation. Ensure the pump is primed and then only run it |

16. Company contact information

For most up to date information on Texmo Industries, please visit www.taropumps.com



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