AA-160 Air Amplifier

INSTALLATION, OPERATION & MAINTENANCE MANUAL





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IMPORTANT! FILE THIS MANUAL IN A SAFE PLACE FOR FUTURE SERVICE & PARTS NEEDS

ALWAYS REFERENCE THE SERIAL NUMBER FOR SERVICE & PARTS REQUESTS

Pump Serial Number:	
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1.0 INSTALLATION

1.1 MOUNTING:

The amplifier comes standard with a foot mounting bracket (four 1/4 inch fasteners required).

The unit may be mounted vertically (wall mount) or horizontally (floor mount).

1.2 CONNECTIONS:

Connect a regulated and filtered air supply to the 1/2 NPT "AIR IN" port on the pump (1/2 NPT, or larger size filter/regulator and plumbing. NO Lubricator Is required).

Connect your high pressure circuit to the 1/2 NPT "AIR OUT" port on the pump.

1.3 STARTUP:

Starting with the external air regulator backed-out all the way, slowly increase the pressure by turning the regulator knob clockwise. The pump will start to cycle while regulated pressure flows directly through the pump to the circuit.

The pump will stall when circuit pressure reaches 2 times the regulated pressure. The pump will maintain this pressure even if there is some circuit leakage. At this time check for and fix any circuit leaks since this only causes unnecessary air consumption and wear and tear on the pump.

2.0 MAINTAINENCE:

2.1 ROUTINE MAINTAINENCE:

The only routine maintenance required is to re-grease the main air spool (item 9), the pilot piston O-ring (item 10) and the T-seals (items 7) every 6 months. Refer to the enclosed 4-way cycling valve assembly drawing.

2.2 RECOMMENDED SPARE PARTS*

QTY	PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	
1	12894	Kit, 4-Way Air Reciprocation Valve	
1	11690	Kit, Seal (All Seals)	
3	10017	2-Way Air Valve Assembly	

^{*}Consult your local distributor or IDI for current price and delivery.

2.3 TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE:

AA-160, 2:1 AIR AMPLIFIER TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE (Refer to enclosed Exploded View Drawings)

SYMPTOM	PROBABLE CAUSE(S)	REMEDY
Pump will not cycle. No pressure at output.	No air supply to pump. Pump air regulator supply set too low.	Look for and fix. Increase setting.
Pump will not cycle with regulated pressure at output.	Four-way Air reciprocating valve spool stuck at mid-position. After trying remedy above, spool still sticks:	Disconnect/Reconnect air supply (Re-sets air spool to end position.) Disassemble air valve assembly Inspect for contamination or mechanical bind. Repair or replace, lubricate seals with water-proof grease.
Pump makes one cycle, then stops.	Faulty item 24 "2-way air valve" (Broken, leaks or contaminated).	Repair or replace.
Pump cycles constantly when "dead-headed".	External leak at pump or downstream high pressure circuit.	Look for and correct.
	Stuck open or contaminated item 6 "Check Valve" cartridge (4 places). Internal leak in pump.	Clean or replace. Note valve orientation at assembly. Check all dynamic and static seals
		and gaskets. Replace if necessary.

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