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## 0. GENERAL DIRECTIONS

### 0.1 GENERAL SAFETY DIRECTIONS

#### 0.1.1 SAFETY AND WARNING DIRECTIONS

The following symbols and names will be used in this manual as safety and warning directions:



#### **WARNING TO A PLACE OF DANGER!**

If the handling instructions, with this symbol, are not strictly adhered to then serious injuries or even fatal accidents could occur.

Warning symbols must be **strictly observed**.



#### **ATTENTION!**

If the handling instructions, with this symbol, are not strictly adhered to then serious damage to the machine and/or other equipment could occur.

Directions marked with "Attention" must be **strictly observed**.

#### **DIRECTION!**

Work will be more effective if these instructions are followed. Directions make the work easier.



#### **EXPLOSION PROOF DIRECTIONS IN RELATION TO THE PRODUCT**



#### **WARNING TO EXPLOSIVE ATMOSPHERE**



#### **WARNING TO DANGEROUS ELECTRICAL VOLTAGE**



#### **ISOLATE BEFORE STARTING TO WORK**



#### **LEGAL DIRECTIONS**




### 0.2 USE IN POTENTIALLY EXPLOSIVE ATMOSPHERE

Pumps with Ex-proof are to be installed for handling non-combustible liquids.



Explosion proof class:   II 2G EEx d IIB T4 resp.   II 2G EEx d [ib] IIB T4

(for Hidrostat pumps with electrical motor)

or   II2G C T4 (for Hidrostat pumps with bearing frame)

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## 1. USE

### 1.1 INTRODUCTION

Each pump unit is equipped with a nameplate attached to the motor, containing all motor and pump data (section 1.3). It is **essential** to give the complete data for any inquiry about parts or service.

a) For pumps in normal operation (Fig. 1)

8213 NEUNKIRCH/SWITZERLAND  
Motor

TYP \_\_\_\_\_

O.NR. \_\_\_\_\_

M.NR. \_\_\_\_\_ VDE 0530 \_\_\_\_\_ I.C.L. \_\_\_\_\_ IP \_\_\_\_\_

3 ~ \_\_\_\_\_ Hz \_\_\_\_\_ V \_\_\_\_\_ A

P1 \_\_\_\_\_ kW cos φ \_\_\_\_\_ RPM 1/min

P2 \_\_\_\_\_ kW Con. Schalt. \_\_\_\_\_ kg

Q \_\_\_\_\_ l/s H \_\_\_\_\_ m

amb. temperature \_\_\_\_\_ °C  
Umg. Temperatur \_\_\_\_\_ °C

Fig. 1



b) Motors approved for **hazardous location** according norm 94/9/EG (ATEX 100)

- for online operation (Fig. 2).

Gigering 27  
8213 NEUNKIRCH/SWITZERLAND

3~ Motor für Netzbetrieb IC \_\_\_\_\_ IP \_\_\_\_\_ S \_\_\_\_\_

Typ \_\_\_\_\_

P2 \_\_\_\_\_ kW \_\_\_\_\_ min<sup>-1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ Hz

Con. Schalt. \_\_\_\_\_ V \_\_\_\_\_ A

EEx d \_\_\_\_\_ IIB T \_\_\_\_\_ EN 60034 \_\_\_\_\_ cos φ \_\_\_\_\_

IA/IN \_\_\_\_\_ t<sub>A</sub> \_\_\_\_\_ s Th.c.L. \_\_\_\_\_

PTC DIN 44081/82- \_\_\_\_\_ Auslösegerät \_\_\_\_\_

CE 0102 Ex II 2 G PTB \_\_\_\_\_ ATEX \_\_\_\_\_

Bauj. \_\_\_\_\_ M.NR. \_\_\_\_\_ kg

Q \_\_\_\_\_ l/s H \_\_\_\_\_ m

TMS, bei Angabe der t<sub>A</sub>-Zeit, nur mit zugelassenem PTC-Auslösegerät

Fig. 2

- for variable frequency driver (Fig. 3).  
These motors are equipped with triple-thermistor according DIN - 44082 - S 150° C

Gigering 27  
8213 NEUNKIRCH/SWITZERLAND

3~ Motor für Umrichterbetrieb IC \_\_\_\_\_ IP \_\_\_\_\_ S \_\_\_\_\_

Typ \_\_\_\_\_

Umrichter Typ \_\_\_\_\_ Motordaten bei \_\_\_\_\_ Hz

P2 \_\_\_\_\_ kW \_\_\_\_\_ min<sup>-1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ V

EEx d \_\_\_\_\_ IIB T \_\_\_\_\_ EN 60034 \_\_\_\_\_ A

Auslösegerät \_\_\_\_\_ Th.c.L. \_\_\_\_\_

PTC DIN 44081/82- \_\_\_\_\_ t<sub>A</sub> \_\_\_\_\_ s

CE 0102 Ex II 2 G PTB \_\_\_\_\_ ATEX \_\_\_\_\_

Bauj. \_\_\_\_\_ M.NR. \_\_\_\_\_ kg

Q \_\_\_\_\_ l/s H \_\_\_\_\_ m

M \_\_\_\_\_ Nm \_\_\_\_\_ min<sup>-1</sup> ED \_\_\_\_\_ %/ \_\_\_\_\_ min

M \_\_\_\_\_ Nm \_\_\_\_\_ min<sup>-1</sup> MA \_\_\_\_\_ Nm

P2 \_\_\_\_\_ kW \_\_\_\_\_ min<sup>-1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ Hz

Fig. 3

The HIDROSTAL warranty is void unless the following requirements are met:

1. Temperature protection circuit is wired so as to positively disconnect power to the motor when excessive winding temperature is sensed (Section 1.6.1.2f for wiring instructions).
2. Proper extra-quick-trip overload protectors **M U S T** be used on all three phases of each motor (Section 1.6.1.2e).
3. Optional conductivity probe circuit is wired to a special relay for use with these motors. See Section 1.6.1.3g for wiring instructions and a list of approved relays.

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4. Any repairs must be made exactly as per instructions in this manual, and using only genuine HIDROSTAL replacement parts furnished through the HIDROSTAL distribution organisation. Use of any other parts will void the HIDROSTAL warranty.

Prior to shipment, each pump has been tested by the factory for proper mechanical and electrical operation as well as absolute water-tightness of the motor. Disassembly of the pump by other than official HIDROSTAL service centers may cause loss of any remaining warranty.


## 1.2 DELIVERY

 **HIDROSTAL** will not assume responsibility for damage to the pump that has been caused due to not following instructions in this manual, nor for consequential damages of any kind.

### 1.2.1 RECEPTION OF PUMP UNIT

Inspect the shipment for shortages or damage. Report any discrepancies to the carrier, note them on the shipping documents and sign them with date together with the carrier.

### 1.2.2 NAMEPLATE DATA

 Each pump is equipped with a nameplate showing all technical data of the pump. It is essential to give the complete data when enquiring about parts or service.

### 1.2.3 STORAGE

If the unit is not to be installed immediately, note:

- Store in a dry and clean place without extreme changes in temperature (storage room temperature - 10° to +40°C (14° to 104°F)).
- Rotate the shaft by turning the impeller once every two weeks to ensure positive coating on the lubricated surfaces and to prevent sticking of surfaces due to rust or oxidation.
- Do not store in a location where the pump would be subject to vibrations, otherwise brinelling of the bearings could occur.

## 1.3 TYPE CODE EXPLANATION

The type code is found on the first line of the pump name plate.

Example:

|                   |   |                   |   |                |
|-------------------|---|-------------------|---|----------------|
| <u>E08A-ML1RD</u> | + | <u>ENXA6-MNEA</u> | + | <u>NBA1-10</u> |
| hydraulic code    |   | motor code        |   | cable code     |

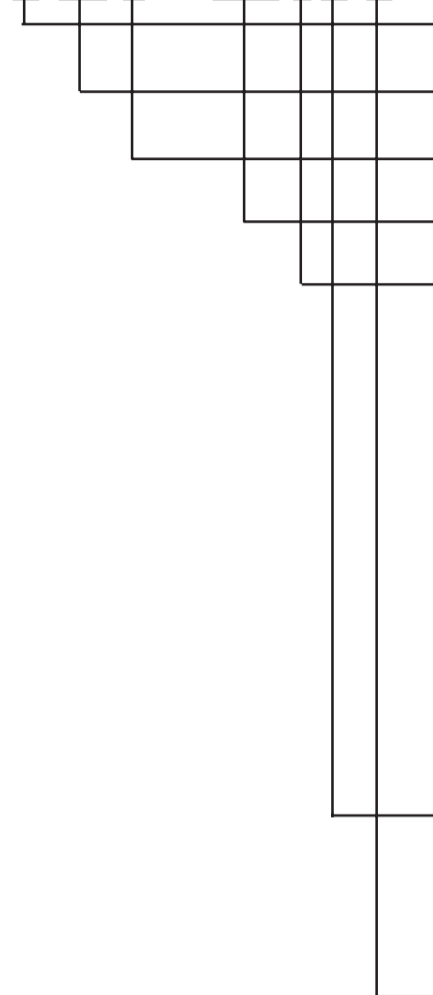
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### HYDRAULIC CODE:

E 08 A - M L 1 R D



hydraulic size (E, F, H, I, L, M)

discharge flange size (in inches)

impeller type (axial flow)

impeller size

material:

1 = standard pump: all castings of grey iron (GG20), except impeller of nodular iron (GGG60).

2 = advanced wear resistance: liner of Hi-chrome, other parts as 1.

3 = improved wear resistance, beat and corrosion: casing and suction casing same as 1, impeller of stainless steel, liner and wear-ring of Hi-chrome.

4 = improved wear and corrosion resistance: same as 3, except with Hi-chrome impeller.

5 = corrosion resistance: all wetted parts of stainless steel.

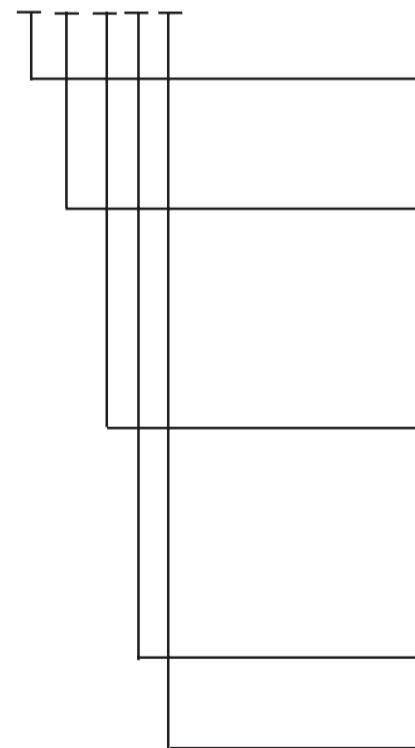
R = "regulable" construction: impeller clearance adjustable by three external screws (Absence of "R" in code implies impeller clearance is adjustable by shims).

D = bigger or smaller cone size than standard (first digit of code) D < E etc.  
C = 20, D = 28, E = 38, F = 50 etc.

S = special execution

### MOTOR CODE:

E N X A 6 - M N E A



Identification letter of the hydraulic size to which this motor can be assembled.  
Sizes are: D, E, F, H, I, L

Identification letter of the **cooling type** of this motor.

N = Submersible: cooled by direct transfer of heat from submerged stator housing to surrounding ambient liquid.

Motor size, according to IEC norms:

|       |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| size: | 0/Z | 2/Y | 3/X | 4/W | 5/V | N   | 6/U | 7/T |
| IEC:  | 90  | 100 | 132 | 180 | 225 | 250 | 280 | 315 |

Motor construction classification

Motor speed

2 - 2 pole motor

4 - 4 pole motor

6 - 6 pole motor

8 - 8 pole motor

|                  | Nominal Speed |       |
|------------------|---------------|-------|
|                  | 50 Hz         | 60 Hz |
| 2 - 2 pole motor | 3000          | 3600  |
| 4 - 4 pole motor | 1500          | 1800  |
| 6 - 6 pole motor | 1000          | 1200  |
| 8 - 8 pole motor | 750           | 900   |



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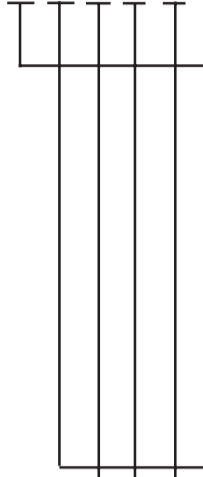
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Motor Code, continued:

E N X A 6 - M N E A 1



### Pump side mechanical seal Pos. 515 type

- C = Fitted with Carbon-ceramic seal faces. Recommended for handling water, activated sludge and non-abrasive liquids.
- G = Silicon carbide seal faces, rubber bellows with external spring.
- M = Tungsten carbide - silicon carbide seal faces, rubber bellows with internal spring. For sludges, slurries and abrasive liquids.
- X = Tungsten carbide - silicon carbide seal faces, stainless steel shell for higher pump pressures and/or higher motor speeds.

### Electrical classification:

| Standard     |     |                | Ex-proof                                      |     |                 |
|--------------|-----|----------------|-----------------------------------------------|-----|-----------------|
| W/V<br>N/U/T | new | old            | Additional elements                           | Y/X | old<br>X<br>4/5 |
|              | X/Y | X/4/5<br>6/7** |                                               |     |                 |
| N            | N   | N              | without monitoring elements                   | X   | X               |
| M*           | S   | S              | with internal moisture probe                  | I   | Y*              |
|              | F   | -              | with float switch                             | Z   |                 |
|              | V   | F              | with internal moisture probe and float switch | U   |                 |
|              | -   | -              | with bearing temperature probe                | -   |                 |
| W*           | W*  | W              | construction with flywheel                    | -   |                 |

\* fitted additional elements are mentioned in the order

\*\* Motorsize 6+7: always with SA1-.. (containing all above additional elements)

### Voltage of winding (see nameplate):

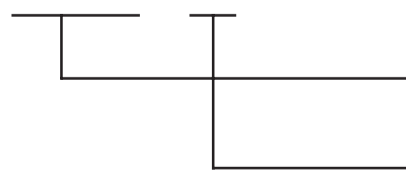
- A = 230/460 V      60 Hz
- E = 400 V          50 Hz
- G = 415 V          50 Hz
- K = 575 V          60 Hz
- S = special voltage

A = A-hydraulic

- 1 or blank = Material execution 1
- 5 = Material execution 5
- 6 = Material execution 6

### CABLE CODE

N B A 1 - 1 0



factory code (not important for instruction)

length in metres

## 1.4 INSTALLATION

### 1.4.1 AXIAL FLOW PUMPS

All building and technical construction work must be finished before the pump will be installed. Make sure that length of cable supplied is sufficient for local conditions.



**Attention: very important:** For installation and servicing it is recommended to install a block and tackle or chain hoist over the pump sump (or at least make sure that it could be installed later on). The lifting capacity of the crane has to support at least double the weight of the pump. There should be a water supply of about 4 bar (70 psi) pressure to wash down the pump when removed from the sump.



Before installing any accessories or the pump ensure that the atmosphere is not potentially explosive.



During the installation of the pump make sure that the free ends of the cables **NEVER CONTACT WATER**.



### 1.4.2 PREPARATORY CHECKS

Before lowering the pump into the sump check to see that:

- The **lifting chain** or **steel lifting cable** is **correctly fastened** to the lifting eyes.
- The **cable entry assemblies** on motor have **not been damaged** or loosened and that the cables are firmly gripped by the cable entry assemblies.
- The **cables** have **not been damaged** during transportation or installation. Look especially for nicks and cuts on insulation; any damage penetrating through the outer layer of the cable will require replacement of them.
- The **cables** are **long enough** and that they can follow the pump unhindered.
- The **cable ends** have **never come in contact with water**.
- The rubber seal on the pump discharge is correctly seated in its groove, and is not damaged.
- The **direction of rotation** is **correct** (Section 1.4.3, Fig. 4).

### 1.4.3 DIRECTION OF ROTATION

Before lowering the pump into the sump, make electrical connections as indicated in Section 1.6.2 and check the direction of rotation. This must be counter-clockwise viewed from suction end. Check impeller rotation by suspending pump from the lifting eyes, resting inclined on the floor, and start up for one second. The starting jerk should be counter-clockwise viewed from driving side (Fig. 4).

This procedure must be repeated for each speed, if units are multi-speed pumps.



#### **WARNING:**

If rotation is not correct on multi-speed or multi-pump installations, **only change the pump cable leads of the pump or speed with wrong rotation at its starter in the control panel. DO NOT** change the primary power leads coming into the control panel: This would change the rotation of all pumps or speeds.

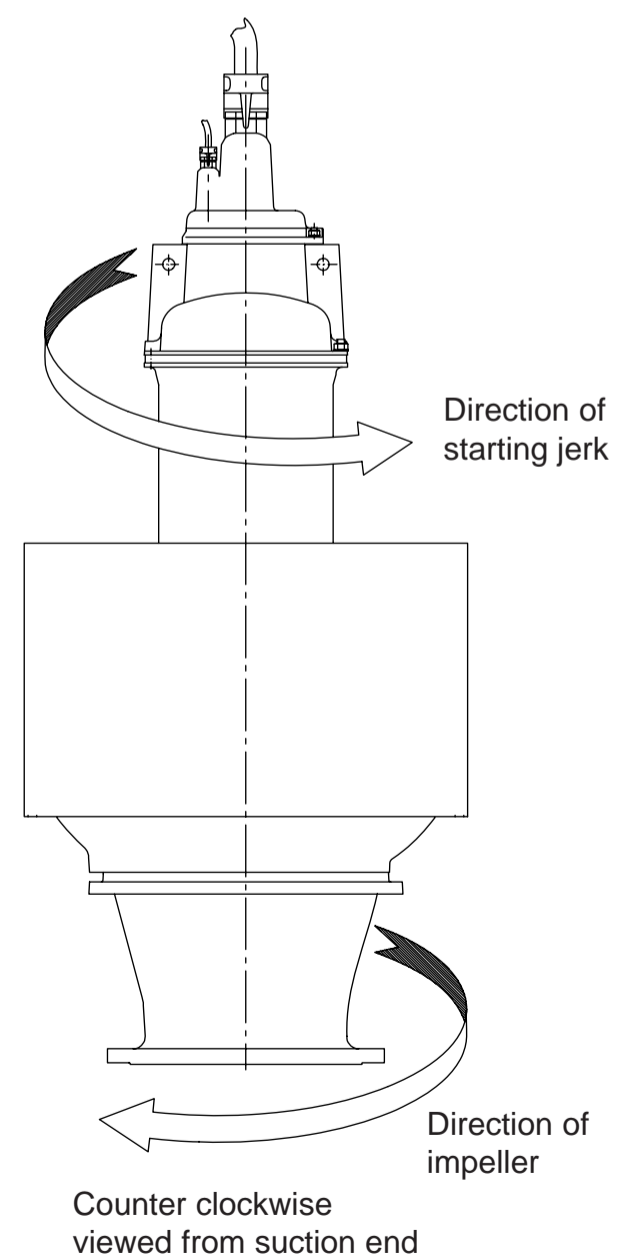


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#### 1.4.4 LOWERING THE PUMP INTO THE SUMP

- **Clear the sump bottom** carefully of all **building debris** and other solid particles.
- Lift and move the pump to a position directly over the discharge tube. Lower the pump unit slowly. When engaged, lower the pump steadily down to seat against the bottom plate. The sealing of mating faces in the pump casing is accomplished by a rubber ring. This sealing ring is pressed to the base plate (after the pump is in position) by the pump's own weight.
- When the chain is slack, unfasten it from the lifting device and fasten it to its retaining hook, so that there is as little slack as possible.



#### WARNING:



The **chain and cable** must be fastened **reliably** to their retaining hooks. **If they come loose they may be drawn into the pump suction** with severe **destructive consequences**.



#### 1.5 START-UP

- Prior to starting, check that:
- level controls are correctly set
  - off-level is sufficiently high to prevent air entrance to the pump suction
  - the pump may not be started if potentially explosive atmosphere is present



#### STARTING OF PUMP

Start the pump using manual operation. **Measure the amperage** drawn on each phase leg. Record and **verify** these **readings** with the **nameplate ratings**. If amperage is more than 5 % higher, stop pump and check probable causes according to "Operating Troubles" chart (Section 1.7.1).

Once preliminary checks are complete, place the pump into automatic operation. Cycle the system through several wetwell pumpdowns to observe that level controls are properly set and functioning correctly. **Observe** that the **alarm system** and change over switch (if included in control panel) **are working properly**.

Log date and hours meter reading, and set pump for automatic operation. Perform maintenance according to Section 2.

#### GENERAL OPERATING CONDITIONS

The pump should not be allowed to operate continuous-duty outside of performance curve: high discharge pressure with low flow or low discharge pressure with high flow. Bearing life is shortened and abrasive wear is accelerated in these operating conditions.

#### OPERATING TROUBLES

See chart, Section 1.7, maintenance.



#### 1.6 ELECTRICAL CONNECTION

The electrical connection must be made by specialists in accordance with local specifications.



The explosion proof class of the pump is **CE**  **II 2G EEx d IIB T4 (T3)**.

Switch boxes and pump control devices may not be mounted in potentially explosive atmosphere. Ensure that the protection equipment is correctly connected.

The motor winding leads will be factory-connected according specifications (see nameplate).

Make sure that the power supply to the control panel is the same as on the pump nameplates (tolerance +/- 5 %). From 5 % to 10 % lower voltage, there may be a slight diminishing of hydraulic performance and a slight increase in amperage, but no harm to the motor. For voltages lower than 10 % of rating, severe performance drop and excessive draw (motor overheating and considerable operating problems) can be expected. The motor ratings shown on the nameplate are for ambient temperature (liquid and air) of up to 40° C. For higher temperatures, contact factory.

All electrical connections are made according to electrical diagram.

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## 1.6.1 PANEL CONTROLS



### 1.6.1.1 OPERATOR SAFETY



Prior to any work on the pump, the power supply must be disconnected either by means of a locked isolator or by removing the fuses from the panel. It is not safe enough to switch off the control switch. A wiring mistake or a control system malfunction could put the motor back into operation.

### 1.6.1.2 MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

The control panel must contain the following components:

- a) **Isolation switch**, preferably lockable.
- b) **Slow trip fuses or circuit breakers** in each incoming phase.
- c) **Lightning protection**. Lightning arrestor on each incoming phase, if there is any possibility of lightning damage.
- d) **Motor starter**. Full-voltage magnetic-contact starter has to be sized according to local electrical code requirements based on motor power rating.
- e) **Extra quick trip overload protectors**. They must be selected according to the amperage indicated on the nameplate. They must trip within 6 seconds on locked rotor condition (approximately 6 times full load amps) in order to adequately protect the motor windings; consult "trip curve" of overload protectors to ensure they meet this requirement.



#### **WARNING:**

Warranty on submersible pump motor is void unless proper extra quick trip overload protectors are used on all motor phases. Claims for warranty repair of motors must include documentation that proper overload protectors have been installed.

- f) **Temperature sensor circuit**. Each motor is manufactured with **temperature limit switches** in the winding-head (control leads 1 and 2). They are Bimetal type switches (similar to "Klixon"). They can be connected directly into the motor control circuit, as long as this circuit does not exceed 220/240 volts, 2,5 amps.



Explosion-proof submersible motors have in addition to the temperature limit switch a **temperature regulator** (control leads 1 and 3). This will disconnect 12 to 15° C before the temperature limit switches will disconnect.

For variable frequency driver (Section 1.1) the motors must be equipped with triple-thermistor according DIN 44082-S 150° C. For Ex-proof motors this is prescribed and may only be used with thermistor control units.

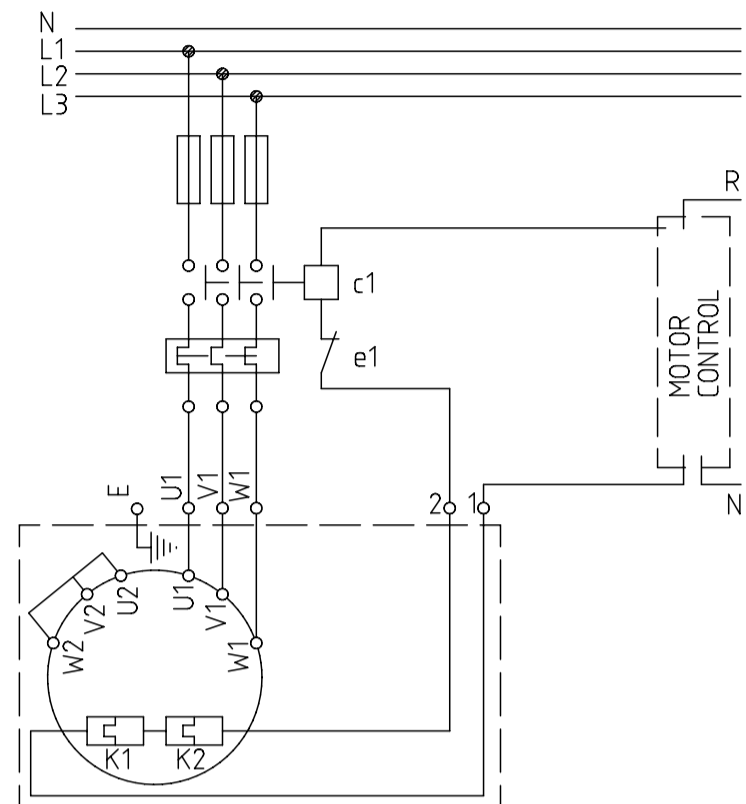
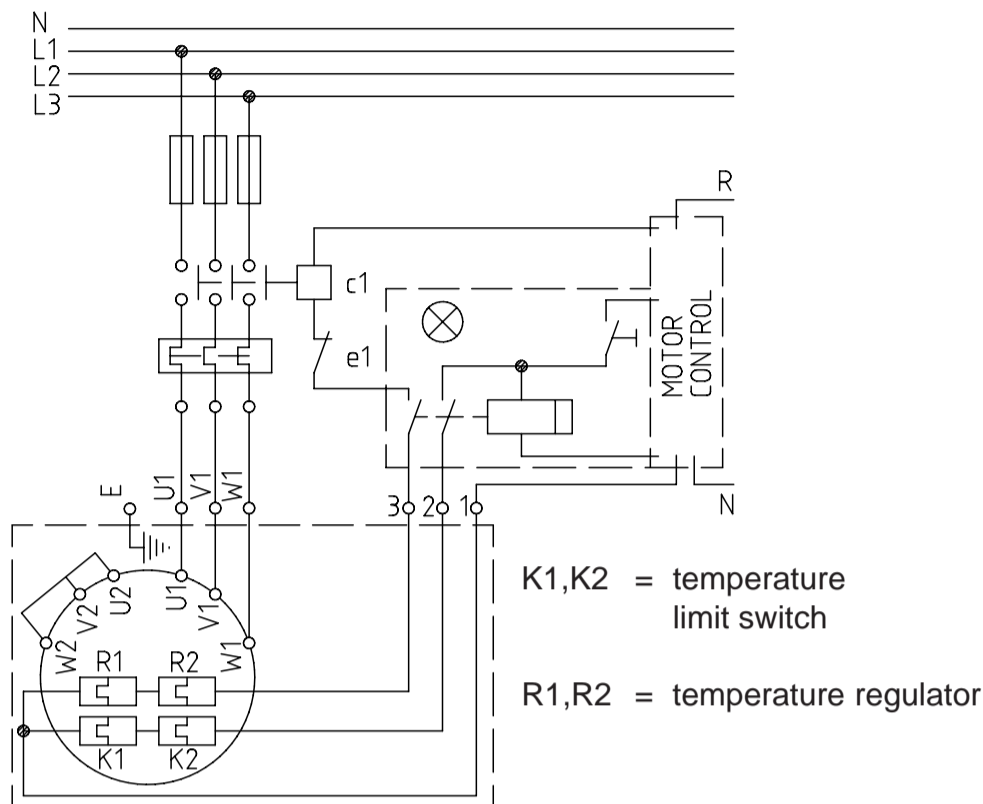
As alternative (special order) thermistors can also be used for normal motors. All motors equipped with thermistor have a label at the end of the cable with the following words:



#### **ATTENTION! Semiconductor switch! More than 2.5 Volt destroys the motor winding!**

Warranty is void if these leads are not connected to immediately de-energize the motor when their circuit is opened due to internal motor malfunction or temporary overheating.

### g) Connections of the motor



#### EEx-proof execution

The control leads 1 and 3 (**temperature regulator**) can be connected in such a way that the motor can automatically re-start after the motor cools down and the circuit is re-closed. A motor overheated due to emergence from its cooling water can resume operation as soon as he is submerged.

The control leads 1 and 2 (**temperature limit switch**) have to be connected in such a way that the motor cannot automatically restart. The reason for the failure of the temperature controller circuit to disconnect first must be determined and corrected before the motor is put back into service.



#### WARNING:

Note that the temperature sensors will only de-energize the motor when gradually overheated due to electrical malfunction. These devices are not a protection for quick temperature rise due to overload such as a locked rotor condition. They are **not** a sufficient substitute for the overload protectors specified in (e) above.

#### Standard execution

The control leads 1 and 2 can be connected in such a way that the pump can automatically re-start after the motor cools down and the circuit is re-closed. A motor overheated due to emergence from its cooling water can resume operation as soon as he is submerged.

### 1.6.1.3 RECOMMENDED ADDITIONAL CONTROLS

- "Hand - Off - Automatic" switch.
- Low voltage terminals for level switches.
- Pump-on and pump-failure lamps.
- Hours run meter: Important to schedule service.
- Change-over switch for multiple-pump stations.
- Alarm-system for high sump-level: Preferably on a separate power supply, to ensure continued protection in the event of a main power supply failure.
- Moisture probe
- Float switch
- Bearing temperature probe

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**1.6.2 CONNECTION TABULATION**

Each cable set provides three or six power leads per speed, one earth lead and additional leads for temperature protection and seal failure circuits.



**To connect the motor to the power supply it is not necessary to open it. This should be avoided in order to retain the original factory-hermetic seal.**

If the sealing of the motor cover is disturbed, tightness tests must be performed as per Section 2.4.

Power leads of the motor are marked according to the following table:

| MOTOR TYPE                    | number of speeds | number of conductors | winding connections | markings on cable end, according DIN VDE 0530 norms |
|-------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| up to 4 kW<br>direct start    | 1                | 3+C+E                | Y                   | U1 V1 W1                                            |
| over 4 kW<br>star/delta start | 1                | 6+C+E                | Δ                   | U1 V1 W1<br>W2 U2 V2                                |

E = earth (yellow-green)  
C = control leads



for EEx (explosion proof) motors, with two-level temperature protection circuits: \*  
lowest, temperature regulator  
highest, temperature limit switch  
seal failure circuit (optional)

1 to 3  
1 to 2  
see note

for normal motors: \*  
temperature protection circuit  
seal failure circuit (optional)

1 to 2  
E to 4



**DIRECTION:**

On EEx, seal failure circuit will always be in a separate cable originating near bottom of motor.

\* If in doubt whether motor is normal or Ex-proof refer to Section 1.3.



**1.6.3 LEVEL SWITCHES**

- Remark: Observe the relevant instructions for level controls in explosion proof installations.
- It is recommended to use an intrinsically safe circuit for the level controls, for explosion-proof installations.
- For the on and off levels, use control systems that are appropriate for the pumped liquid.
- Use a floating-ball type switch for the high-level alarm, even when there is another type used for the pump control (this has proven to be the most fail-safe type).
- The floating ball for the alarm should be placed at a reasonable distance above the highest pump start level to avoid false alarms.

**1.6.4 LEVEL CONTROL**

"ON" and "OFF" levels must be set in such a way as to provide sufficient sump capacity between "ON" and "OFF" so that the pump cannot be switched on more than 10 times per hour. Higher starting frequency may damage the motor control devices in the panel and will cause excessive power consumption. The following formula will calculate the required minimum sump capacity:

$$V = \frac{0.9 \times Q_p}{Z}$$

V = sump capacity or volume, between on and off levels (in cubic meters)  
Q<sub>p</sub> = pump flow for one pump (in litres/second)  
Z = number of starts per hour (Z = 10, maximum)

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**1.7 MAINTENANCE**

**1.7.1 OPERATING TROUBLES**



Instructions for pumps in potentially explosive atmosphere must be observed.



Ensure, that no work is carried out in a potentially explosive atmosphere.

| POSSIBLE REASONS                                  | TROUBLE |                     |                     |                                          |            |                |                      |
|---------------------------------------------------|---------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------------|------------|----------------|----------------------|
|                                                   | No flow | Flow not sufficient | Head not sufficient | Reduction of flow or head after start up | Vibrations | Motor overload | Motor does not start |
| 1. Pump not sufficient submerged, not vented      | X       |                     |                     |                                          |            |                |                      |
| 2. RPM too low                                    | X       |                     | X                   |                                          |            |                |                      |
| 3. RPM too high                                   |         |                     |                     |                                          | X          | X              |                      |
| 4. Air entrance into suction line                 | X       | X                   |                     | X                                        | X          |                |                      |
| 5. Discharge line clogged / Valve closed          | X       |                     |                     |                                          | X          | X              |                      |
| 6. Air or gas in pumped liquid                    | X       | X                   | X                   | X                                        | X          |                |                      |
| 7. TDH too high (higher than calculated)          | X       | X                   |                     |                                          | X          |                |                      |
| 8. Suction head too high                          |         |                     |                     | X                                        | X          |                |                      |
| 9. Insufficient suction head on hot liquids       |         | X                   |                     |                                          | X          |                |                      |
| 10. Insufficient submergence of suction           | X       | X                   | X                   | X                                        | X          |                |                      |
| 11. Sludge concentration higher than assumed      |         | X                   | X                   |                                          |            | X              |                      |
| 12. Specific weight of medium higher than assumed |         |                     |                     |                                          |            | X              |                      |
| 13. Impeller or suction line clogged              | X       | X                   |                     |                                          | X          |                |                      |
| 14. Wrong direction of rotation                   | X       | X                   | X                   |                                          |            |                |                      |
| 15. Impeller clearances too high                  |         | X                   | X                   |                                          |            |                |                      |
| 16. Damaged impeller                              |         | X                   | X                   |                                          | X          |                |                      |
| 17. Thermal overloads tripped; control switch off |         |                     |                     |                                          |            |                | X                    |
| 18. Motor damage                                  |         |                     |                     |                                          | X          | X              | X                    |
| 19. Low voltage                                   |         | X                   | X                   |                                          |            | X              | X                    |
| 20. Attachments loose                             |         |                     |                     |                                          | X          |                |                      |
| 21. Bearings worn out                             |         |                     |                     |                                          | X          |                |                      |
| 22. Impeller out of balance                       |         |                     |                     |                                          | X          |                |                      |
| 23. On-level switch not overflowed, or damaged    |         |                     |                     |                                          |            |                | X                    |
| 24. Impeller too small                            |         |                     | X                   |                                          |            |                |                      |
| 25. Impeller dragging against suction cover       |         |                     |                     |                                          | X          | X              |                      |
| 26. Thick sludge and tight impeller clearance     |         |                     |                     |                                          |            | X              |                      |
| 27. Air or gas on impeller backside               | X       |                     | X                   |                                          |            |                |                      |

**2. MAINTENANCE AND SERVICE****2.1 GENERAL**

Pay attention to the relevant instructions.



Before doing any work on the pump unit, switch off main isolator switch and remove fuses from panel.

The following checks (Section 2.2) can be done in the field. When a repair is indicated, send the pump unit to the nearest authorized Hidrostat service station.

**WARNING:**

When disconnecting the power cable at the control panel, take care that the cable ends **CANNOT** come in contact with water. Replace the plastic cable-end shipped with the pump (if this is no longer available, wrap the cable ends inside a plastic bag, and seal with tape) for water-tightness during handling and shipping.

**2.1.1 COOLING TYPES**

HIDROSTAL submersible motors must be operated submerged in the liquid for continuous duty (cooling type: second digit of motor code).

**SUBMERSIBLE COOLING - Code "N"**

This type transfers motor heat directly through the stator housing to the surrounding ambient liquid.

**KEY FOR SYMBOLS ON FIG. 5:**

MOT = Stator housing opening  
OIL = Oil drain opening

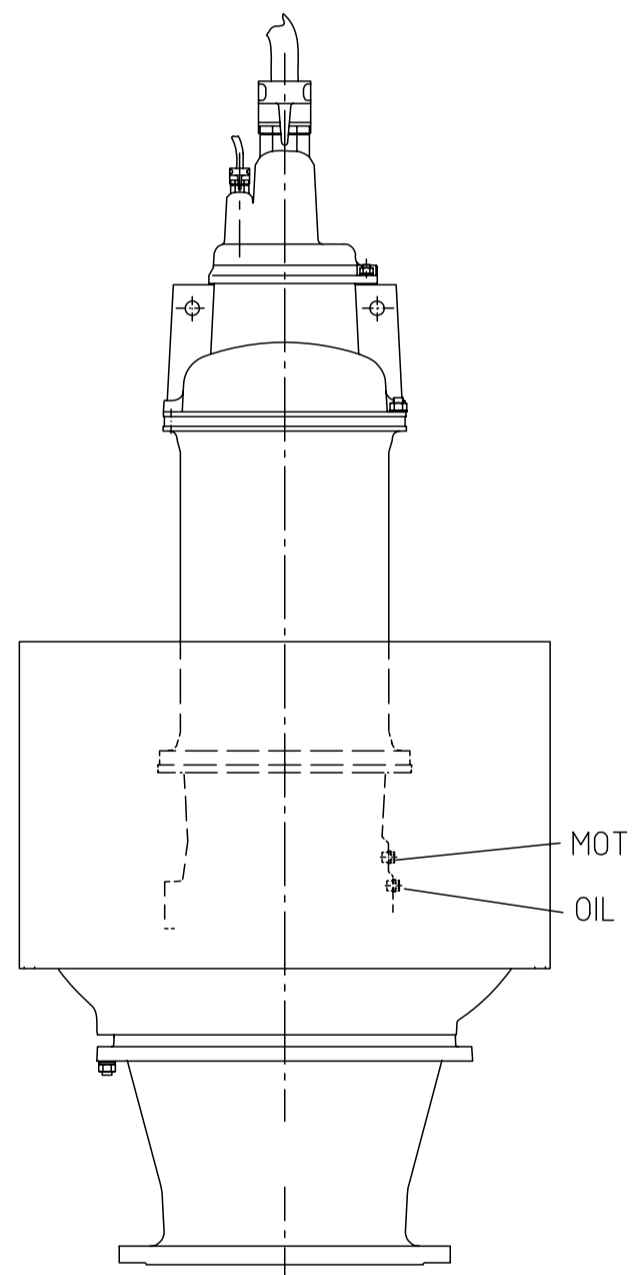


Fig. 5

**2.2 FIELD TESTS****2.2.1 VISUAL CHECKS AFTER PULLING PUMP UNIT FROM SUMP**

- Check pump and motor for possible mechanical damage. Pay attention to the cable.
- If pump volume or pressure are not acceptable, check impeller clearance (Section 3.1).
- Check overload relay, fuses and time relays (if any) for correct setting.
- Check correct function of level control.
- Check insulation resistance of motor windings and cables with a high-voltage ohm-meter ("megger"). This initial test should be made from the point where the cables attach to the motor starter. Check from each winding lead to the other two winding leads and to the ground lead.

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| INSULATION CHART                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                       |               |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| CONDITION OF MOTOR AND CABLES                                                                                                                                                                                                         | OHM VALUE             | MEGAOHM VALUE |
| A new motor.                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 2'000'000 (or more)   | 2             |
| A used motor which can be re-installed in the well.                                                                                                                                                                                   | 1'000'000 (or more)   | 1             |
| MOTOR IN PIT. Ohm readings are for cable plus motor.<br>A motor in the pit in reasonable good condition.                                                                                                                              | 500'000 - 1'000'000   | 0.5 - 1.0     |
| A motor which may have been damaged by lightning or with damaged leads. Do not pull the pump for this reason.                                                                                                                         | 20'000 - 500'000      | 0.02 - 0.5    |
| A motor which has wet or damaged cable or windings. The pump should be pulled soon and repairs made to the cable or the motor dried and replaced. The motor will not fail for this reason, but it will probably not operate for long. | 10'000 - 20'000       | 0.01 - 0.02   |
| A motor which has failed or with completely destroyed cable insulation. The pump must be pulled and repaired or the motor replaced.<br>- The motor will probably not operate for long.<br>- The motor will not run in this condition. | Less than 10'000<br>0 | 0 - 0.01<br>0 |



**WARNING:**

Do **NOT** "Megger test" control leads when thermistors are fitted: Voltages over 2,5 V will cause thermistors to fail, and may destroy the winding.

Any reading less than 1.0 Megaohm could indicate failure of cable or winding insulation. If failure is indicated, remove pump with cable and proceed to Section 2.4 for further tests.

**2.2.2 MOTOR HOUSING TEST**

This test consists of a check on the condition of the motor side mechanical seal and/or motor housing "O"-rings.

Stand pump vertically on its suction flange. Remove screw plug "MOT" (Fig. 5) with copper washer (536) so that any liquid can run out. Do the following repairs according to what comes out of the motor housings:

|                   |   |                                                    |
|-------------------|---|----------------------------------------------------|
| WATER             | } | General overhaul with change of bearings and seals |
| MIXTURE WATER/OIL |   |                                                    |
| OIL               | = | Change motor side mechanical seal (Pos. 516)       |
| NO LIQUID (DRY)   | = | Stator housing is OK. No defect.                   |



**WARNING:**

This screw plug must be completely watertight. Sealing surfaces must be clean and smooth before assembly. Heat new copper ring to dull red and immediately quench in water to soften copper ring for best seal. All copper rings supplied by Hidrostal are softened.

**2.2.3 OIL CHECKING ON SUBMERSIBLE MOTORS**

This is a check on the condition of the pump side mechanical seal. For pump units supplied with a moisture probe, total failure of the pump side seal will be indicated by activation of the resistance relay. However, even without this circuit, a slow failure can be detected earlier by the following oil check.

Oil checking must be done after the first 1'000 hours of operation and once a year thereafter.

Immediately before checking, run the pump for a few minutes to distribute any impurities throughout the oil. Raise the pump out of the sump and clean it with a water hose.

**Oil level check**

Stand pump with shaft vertical, and remove screw plug marked "OIL". Coolant level must be at the level of opening "OIL".

If coolant is far below this level, the pump side mechanical seal may have leaked and may require replacement (Section 3.3.1). If oil level is only a small amount below this level, proceed with following test. Top-up with new oil and re-check in 200-500 hours (Fig. 6).

**Oil quality check**

Lay pump down horizontally with opening "OIL" (536) upwards. Remove screw plug "OIL". Insert a tube or rubber hose, place a finger over top of tube and remove it with a small sample. Repeat until a sufficient quantity has been collected for observation. Evaluation will show one of three conditions:

- a) If oil is clear there are no problems with the pump side seal. Fill oil back in again with pump vertical to the level of opening "OIL" and close with screw plug and a new softened copper seal ring.
- b) If there is just a little water in the oil but the oil is clear, repair of the pump is not necessary. Remove oil and separate water from oil (Section 2.2.3.1).

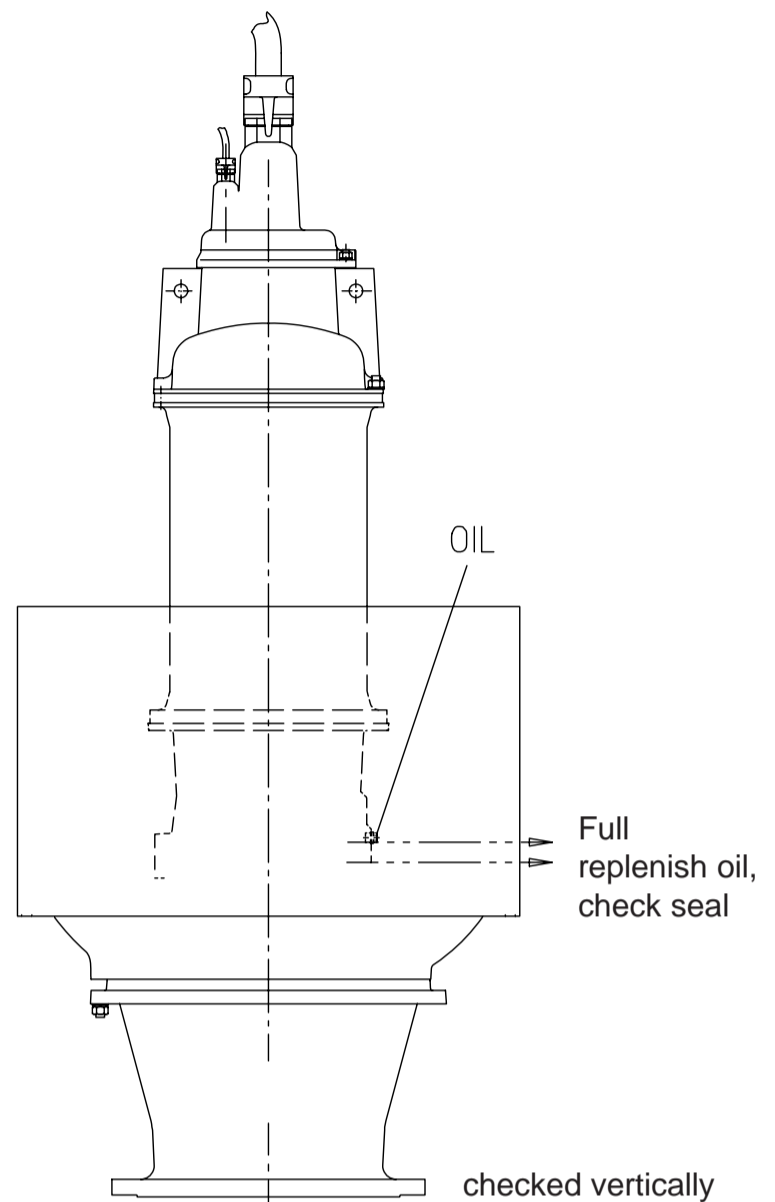


Fig. 6

Pour back the clean oil into the mechanical seal housing and close opening "OIL" with screw plug and softened copper seal ring (536). However, check oil quality again after 500 hours of operation.

With a new mechanical seal (515) it is possible that during the run-in period a small amount of water could enter into the oil chamber. Thus, if at the first check after start-up a small quantity of water is detected, it can be neglected.

Oil with a small amount of water will be milky in appearance, but will still be of very low viscosity, that is, it will still run much more freely than motor oil, almost as thin as kerosene.

- c) If too much water has entered the oil, the viscosity will be much higher, then oil will be as thick as motor oil or even thicker. In this case, or when sludge or sewage smell are detected in the oil, the pump side mechanical seal (515) must be repaired or replaced.

Replace oil with new oil only if strongly contaminated, otherwise separate water from oil and re-use oil. Required oil must be extremely low viscosity. Factory uses the following oil:

|                           |       |                          |
|---------------------------|-------|--------------------------|
| Specific gravity at 20° C | 0,812 | g/ml                     |
| Viscosity at 40° C        | 3,5   | mm <sup>2</sup> /s (cst) |
| Solidification point      | -38,0 | °C                       |
| Flash point               | 132,0 | °C                       |
| Burning point             | 142,0 | °C                       |
| Evaporation energy        | 251,0 | kJ/kg                    |
| Solubility in water       | none  |                          |

Other recommended oils: Shell **Morlina 5** or others with equal specification. The specified low viscosity is very important for proper cooling.



If another oil is used, check the consistency with the used elastomers!

### 2.2.3.1 OIL CHANGE

Remove screw plug "OIL" (536) and drain oil chamber housing (504) completely, by turning the pump around slowly until opening "OIL" is upside down (Fig. 7).

When the oil chamber casing is completely empty stand pump vertically on suction flange and refill with separated oil or new oil. The correct level is reached when the oil is at the bottom of opening "OIL".

Re-install screw plug "OIL" with softened copper seal ring.

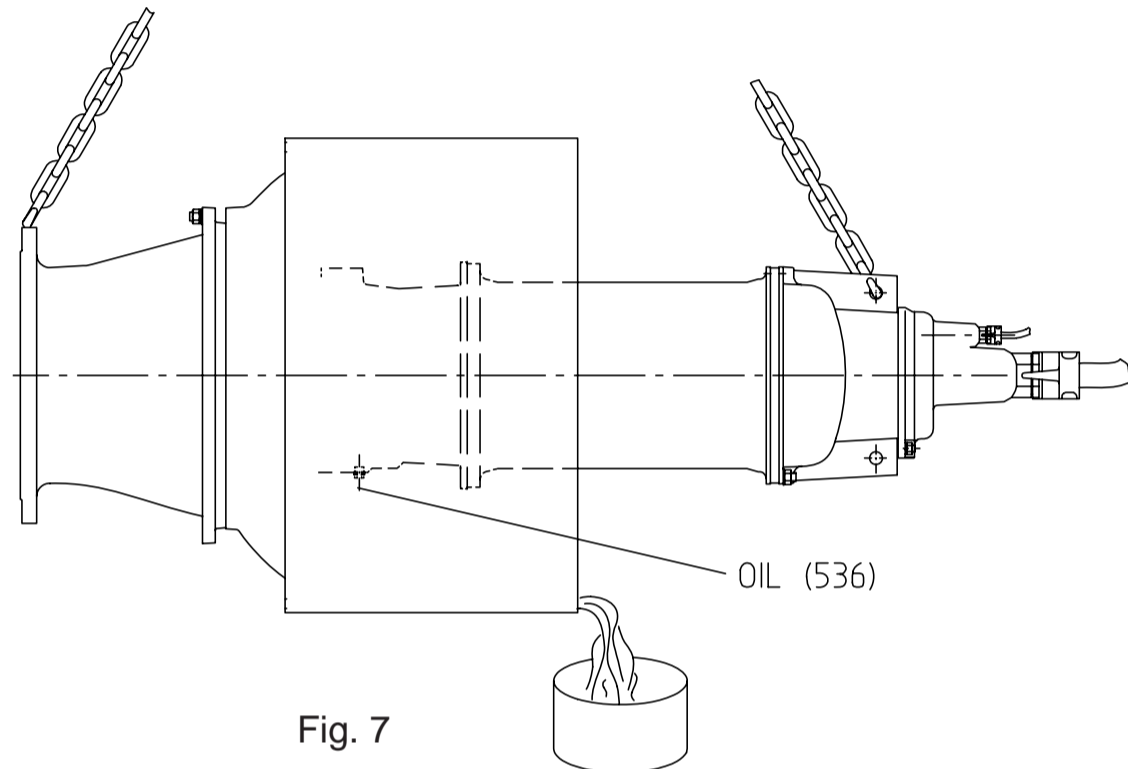


Fig. 7

### 2.3 GREASING INSTRUCTIONS

Hidrostal motors use bearings which are grease lubricated. For re-lubrication, grease is handpacked into the bearings when the motor is disassembled during a major overhaul. Sufficient grease is provided initially and at each overhaul to allow for the number of operating hours between overhauls ("Overhaul Chart", Section 2.5). The overhaul should be done by an authorized Hidrostal service center.



**WARNING:**

**The overhaul of Ex-proof-motors must be done in the factory or in an authorized Hidrostal service center, otherwise the Ex-certification will be invalidated.**

No other lubrication service is required between overhauls for these motors.

For regreasing we recommend:

**STABURAGS NBU 8 EP by Kluber-Lubrication.**

This grease is of a mineral oil base containing a barium complex as thickener.

Typical characteristics:

|                                   |                     |      |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| Colour                            | beige               |      |
| Apparent dynamic visco. (approx.) | 6000                | mPas |
| Operating temperature range       | -30..150            | ° C  |
| Max. temperature (short time)     | 170                 | ° C  |
| Consistency class (NLGI)          | 2                   |      |
| Penetration DIN ISO 2137 (0.1 mm) | 280                 |      |
| Dropping point DIN ISO 2176       | > 220               | ° C  |
| Corrosion protection DIN 51802    | 0                   |      |
| RPM-parameter (n x d m)           | 5 x 10 <sup>5</sup> |      |

**2.4 MOTOR CABLES**

Whenever opening motor housing, it is imperative that all O-rings have to be replaced with new items supplied from HIDROSTAL. O-rings glued-up from bulk stock are totally unsatisfactory for this critical application; the glued joint will inevitably leak water into the motor after a short time.

If tests conducted through the cables in the field (Section 2.2.1) showed insufficient insulation resistance, and if humidity relay has not tripped (continuity exists between lead 1 and 2), it can be assumed that the insulation failure is in the cable rather than in the stator. Remove fasteners (509) and carefully lift off cable cover.

Cut the leads between cable and winding and now make a separate "megger" test on cable and winding. If windings are at fault, send the entire motor to the nearest authorized Hidrostal service station. If cable is at fault, a new cable set can be installed.

**2.4.1 RE-CONNECTION OF CABLE**

Place O-ring (525) into position around the seal face on cover (500). Cables should be re-connected to the winding leads, using new insulated splices. Take care that this insulation is rated for 110° C.

**2.4.2 TEST FOR LEAKS**

Before putting the pump back into operation after opening of the motor (as when changing cables), a test for leaks should be carried out as follows:

Connect source of dry air (from air compressor or bicycle hand pump) to opening left by removal of plug "MOT" (Fig. 5). Air pressure should be a maximum of 0.5 bar (7 psi). Motor should then be totally submerged in a test tank.



**WARNING:**  
**Do not immerse loose end of cables.**

If any continuously escaping bubbles are detected, motor cover is not water-tight. The preceding procedure for cable installation should be repeated to eliminate leaks.

## 2.5 OVERHAUL CHART



### WARNING:



The overhaul of Ex-motors must be done in factory or in a authorized Hidrostal service center, otherwise the Ex-certification will be invalidated.

| Motor type  | motor-side seal | pump-side seal | seal oil lit. | hours between regreasing |
|-------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| DNY..       | 1 1/2"          | 1 1/8"         | 1,2           | 35'000                   |
| ENY..       | 1 1/2"          | 1 1/8"         | 1,2           | 35'000                   |
| ENX..       | 1 1/2"          | 1 1/2"         | 3.8           | 20'000                   |
| FNX..       | 2"              | 2"             | 6             | 20'000                   |
| HNX..       | 2"              | 2"             | 8             | 20'000                   |
| HN4../HNW.. | 2 1/2"          | 2"             | 14            | 20'000                   |
| HN5../HNV.. | 3"              | 3"             | 22/19         | 18'000                   |
| IN5../INV.. | 3"              | 3"             | 35/22         | 20'000                   |
| LN5../LNV.. | 3"              | 3"             | 42            | 20'000                   |
| LN6../LNU.. | 95              | 3"             | 45/30         | 20'000                   |
| LN7../LNT.. | 100             | 100            | 49            | 20'000                   |

## 3. MAINTENANCE OF HYDRAULIC PARTS

### 3.1 IMPELLER CLEARANCE ADJUSTMENT FOR WEAR



- The impeller gap should be checked and readjusted whenever a significant decrease in pump performance is noticed, or at least once every year (until experience indicates how often this will be required).



- Excessive clearance can cause a drop in performance.
- Less clearance than the minimum listed can overload the motor and/or cause vibration due to a too great friction.
- When pumping thick sludges or high consistency material, it may be necessary to double the clearances in Figure 8.
- Regulable pumps are adjusted by means of a movable liner (421); its position is regulated by three external regulator nuts (422) found on the suction casing (416) or volute casing (400). These pumps include the letter "R" in the pump code (Section 1.3).
- Other pumps have a one-piece suction cover (402), or in pumps D04A a fixed liner (421); these pumps are adjusted by changing the thickness of the shims (411) between suction cover and the volute casing (400).

#### 3.1.1 IMPELLER CLEARANCE ADJUSTMENT FOR "REGULABLE" PUMPS

Loosen and back off hex nuts (413) on end of each regulator nut (422). Now slowly and evenly screw in each large threaded regulator nut just until pump shaft cannot be turned (this will eliminate all clearance between the impeller and the liner). Be sure to take the same number of turns on each threaded regulator nut; this keeps the liner concentric to the impeller.



**ATTENTION:** If impeller tip is binding, see section 3.5.

Now back off the threaded regulator nut a bit. Holding each threaded regulator nut from turning, tighten the three hex nuts (413) (this pulls liner (421) away from impeller (401) the required clearance, and also locks the regulator nut in place).

With a feeler gauge, check the actual clearance between impeller and liner (reaching in through the suction of the pump). If the clearance "C" is significantly different to the table (Fig. 8), it is possible that the wear is excessive or not uniform: disassembly and inspection is recommended.

**3.1.2 IMPELLER CLEARANCE ADJUSTMENT FOR "NON-REGULABLE" PUMPS**

Move the suction cover inward toward the volute casing. Loosen all fasteners (417) between suction cover and volute casing and remove shims.

To estimate correct shim (411) thickness, lower casing unit into suction cover just until impeller cannot be turned. Measure gap between suction cover and volute casing at several places and take average. Now add the distance "B" (Fig. 8) to the average gap measured; this will be approximate shim thickness required to obtain correct clearance "C" (Fig. 8).



**ATTENTION:** If impeller tip is binding, see section 3.5.



Loosen fasteners (417), and place shims of calculated thickness between suction cover and volute casing. Use washers of **uniform thickness**, or U-shaped shimstock. These must be placed under **each** fastener (417). Thin shims may be a single piece of steel wire (diameter = calculated thickness) wrapped all the way around suction cover, under the studs (417); ends can be bent outward around last studs (417), to avoid overlapping.

Tighten fasteners (417) again, and with a feeler gauge, check the actual clearance between impeller and liner (reaching in through the suction of the pump). If the clearance "C" is significantly different to the table (Fig. 8), it is possible that the wear is excessive or not uniform: disassembly and inspection is recommended.

| Pump Code | Impeller-clearance |        |
|-----------|--------------------|--------|
|           | "C" mm             | "B" mm |
| D04A      | 0.3                | 1      |
| E08A      | 0.4                | 1      |
| F10A      | 0.5                | 1      |
| H12A      | 0.6                | 1      |
| I16A      | 0.7                | 2      |
| L20A      | 0.8                | 2      |

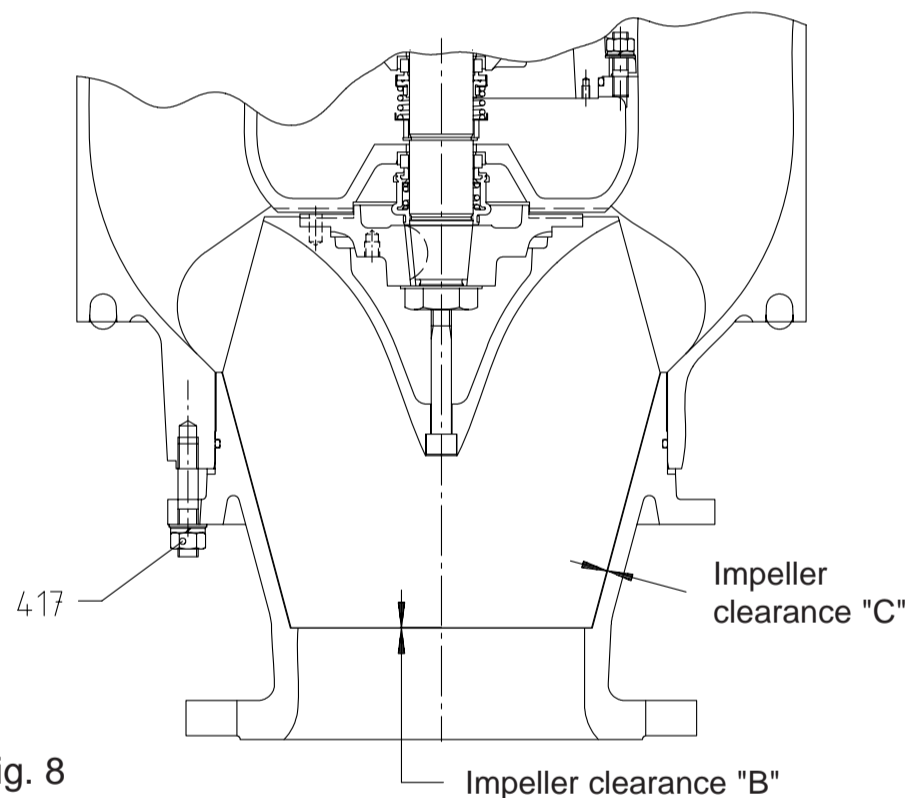


Fig. 8

**Note:** Clearance "C" should be checked along entire impeller edge, and again after rotating impeller 1/4, 1/2 and 3/4 turns.

**3.2 DISASSEMBLY OF HYDRAULIC PARTS**

**3.2.1 DISASSEMBLY FOR INSPECTION**

Casing-suction cover assembly should be placed with the suction flange flat on the floor or workbench, and the drive unit-impeller assembly removed or lowered into place from above by a suitable hoist.

Remove nuts (417) around the flange. Lift the rotating assembly including impeller from the suction cover. Areas to be examined for wear will be the impeller surface (especially the edges) and the conical machined surface in the liner or suction cover. Uniform wear on any of these surfaces can be compensated by re-shimming or adjusting according to Section 3.1. However, excessive or uneven wear will require replacement of the worn parts.

**3.2.2 REMOVAL OF IMPELLER**

| FACTORY FITTED IMPELLER BOLTS |         |           |
|-------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| SIZE                          | HEXAGON | TORQUE Nm |
| M8                            | 6       | 7.7       |
| M10                           | 8       | 35.5      |
| M12                           | 10      | 61.3      |
| M16                           | 14      | 147.1     |
| M27                           | 19      | 402.2     |
| M36                           | 27      | 971.0     |

Hold the impeller (401) from turning by hand, or by a strap wrench, or by locking pliers clamped to the impeller. Inset a hexagonal key wrench into the impeller bolt (415) and with a hammer, tap the wrench counterclockwise to loosen the bolt.

**3.2.3 REMOVAL OF LINER OR SUCTION COVER**

**a) For pump type D04A**

These pumps have a non adjustable liner (421) held in a fixed position inside a one-piece volute casing. It can be pressed out of the casing after releasing of the screw (418).

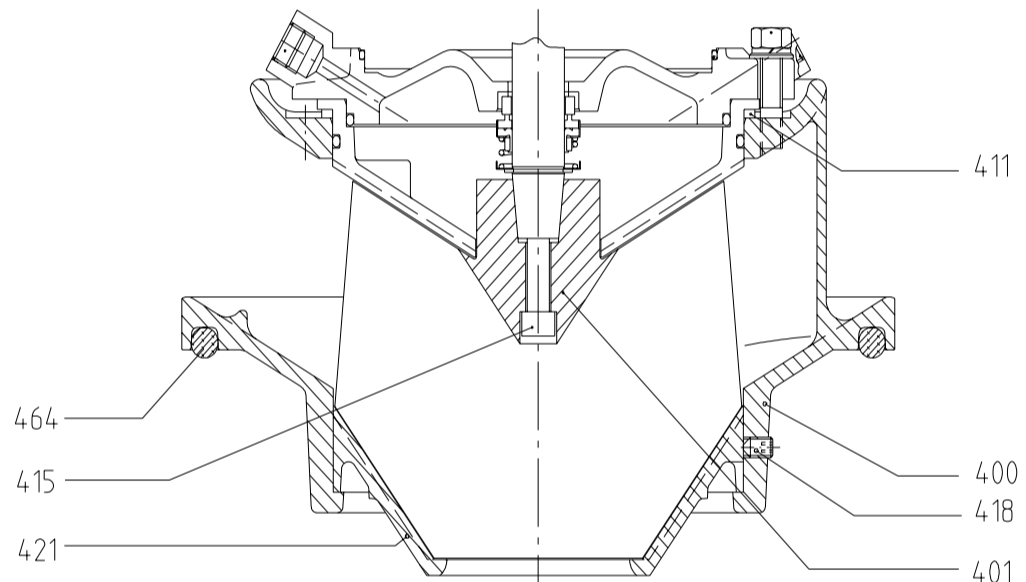


Fig. 9

**b) For all other pumps without "regulable" feature**

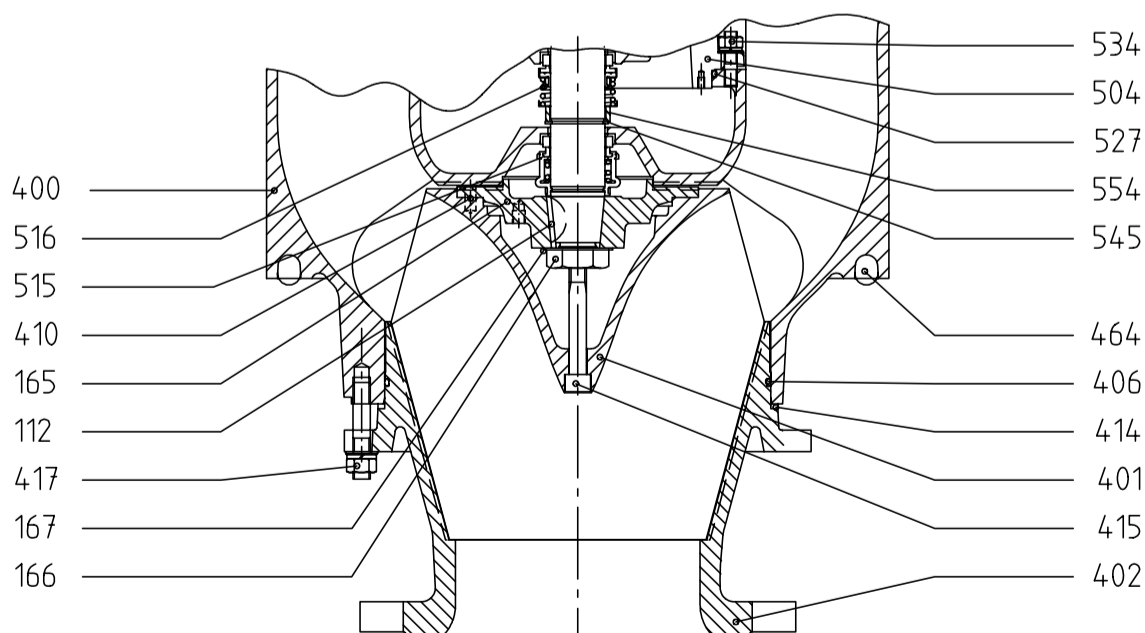


Fig. 10

These pumps have a one-piece suction cover (402) which is bolted to the volute casing (400) by studs and nuts (417). Adjustment of clearance is by shims (411) between the volute casing and the suction cover.

**NOTE:**

Certain models may have a spacer ring (414) between mating surfaces of the suction cover and the volute casing. When there is excessive wear on the conical surface, the suction cover (402) should be replaced.

**c) For all pumps with "regulable" feature**

These pumps have an externally-adjustable liner (421), held in place by the volute casing (400) or the suction casing (416) which is bolted to the volute casing (400) by studs and nuts (417). This construction can be recognized by the presence of three large regulator nuts (422).

If the conical surface is worn, the liner need be replaced. It can be removed while the volute casing or suction casing remain attached to the piping. Alternately, the suction casing may be removed by removing nuts (417).

Removing of liner: completely remove nuts (413). To force the liner out, push the three studs through the holes in the large regulator nuts (422), or the large regulator nuts can be turned all the way into the casing. **Do not yet disassemble the regulator studs (412)! They are loctited in place, and must be heated with a torch to break the locktite bond after removing of the liner.**

The wear ring (408) should only be removed from suction casing or volute casing if badly damaged. Therefore heat the mating surfaces with a torch to destroy the special adhesive between these two parts. Then press out suction ring with a hydraulic press.

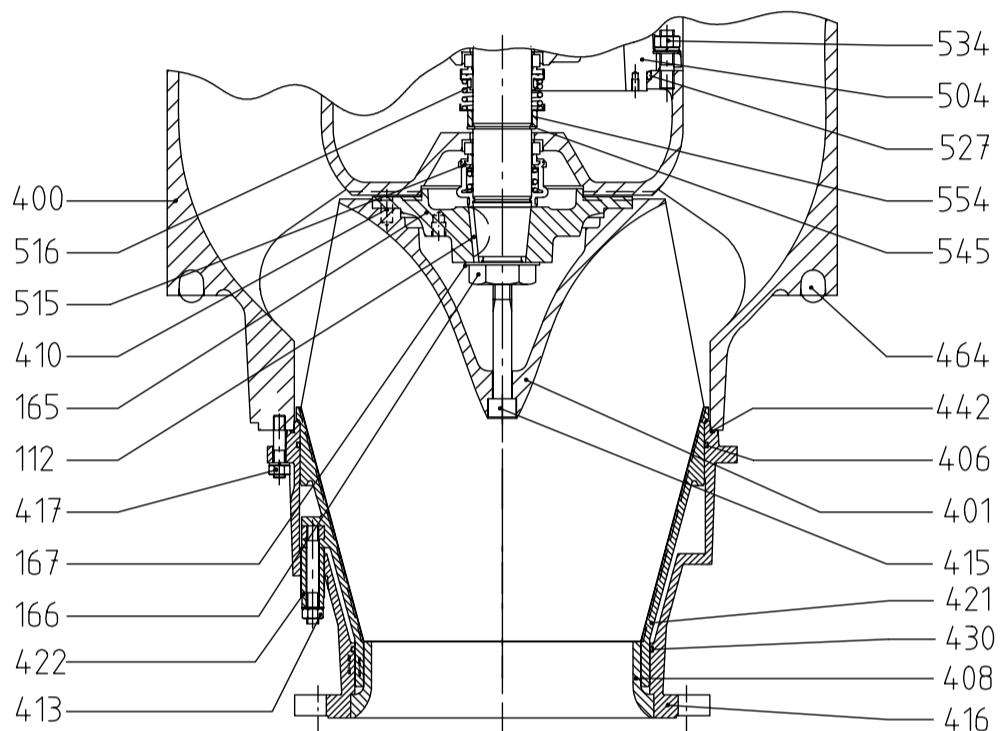


Fig. 11

**3.2.4 REMOVAL OF IMPELLER FLANGE (if existing)**

If existing, disengage tabs on locking washer (167) and remove impeller nut (166) with coupling end of shaft secured from rotation. Remove impeller flange (165) by either levering with two screw drivers between impeller flange and back cover (507) or seal plate (511) or tapping with a rubber mallet at 90° intervals. Or, it may be required to use a gear puller. Remove Woodruff key (112).

| Hydraulic size | Cone size | Impeller nut |             | Thread size "M" |
|----------------|-----------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|
|                |           | size         | wrench size |                 |
| E              | 28        | -            | -           | M12             |
| E              | 38        | M28          | 41 mm       | M12             |
| F              | 50        | M35          | 46 mm       | M12             |
| H              | 50        | M35          | 46 mm       | M16             |
| H/I/L          | 75        | M56          | 70 mm       | M16             |
| I/L            | 100       | -            | -           | M16             |

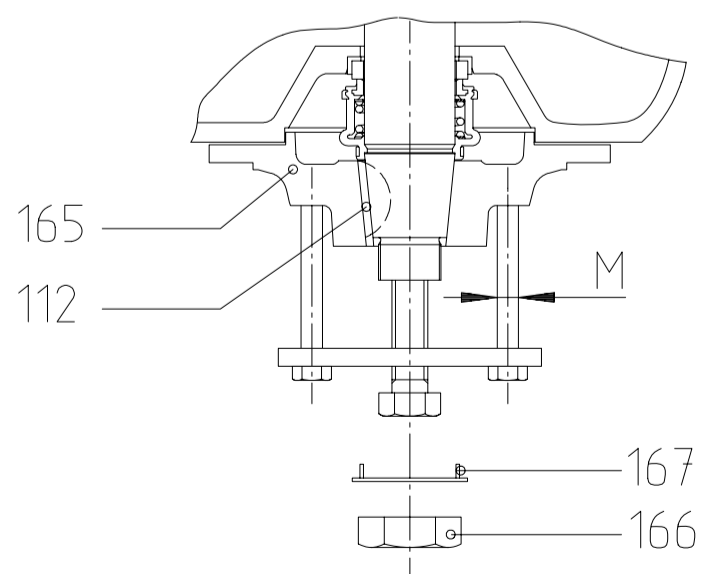


Fig. 12

**3.3 ASSEMBLY / DISASSEMBLY**



**3.3.1 REPLACEMENT OF MECHANICAL SEAL**

**3.3.1.1 REMOVAL OF PUMP SIDE MECHANICAL SEAL (515)**

**a) Exposed-spring seal - type "C"**  
(Fig. 13)

Remove snap ring (Seeger, 546), then remove spring. Make sure that the shaft is free of burrs and has no sharp edges so that the rubber parts of the seal cannot be damaged as they are removed. Oil the shaft for ease of disassembly. Now the seal rotating parts can be pulled off the shaft by hand.

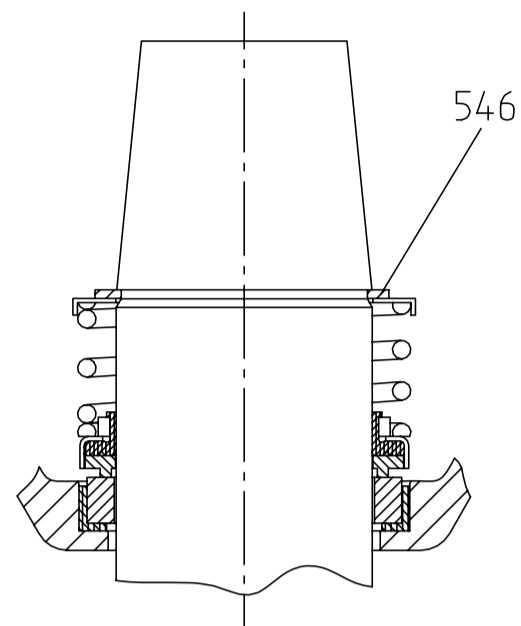


Fig. 13

**b) Rubber-bellows seal, internal spring - type "M"**  
(Fig. 14)

Remove retaining ring "A" from the rubber bellows of the seal by gently prying with two screwdrivers on opposite sides, between the rubber bellows and the retaining ring (Fig. 15).



**WARNING:**

Use only dull-edged screwdrivers since sharp edges could cut the rubber bellows. Do not twist screwdriver, as this can puncture rubber boot.

Rather, lay some convenient object onto back cover or seal plate, to act as a fulcrum for each screwdriver, and pry ring directly up away from rubber bellows (Fig. 15).

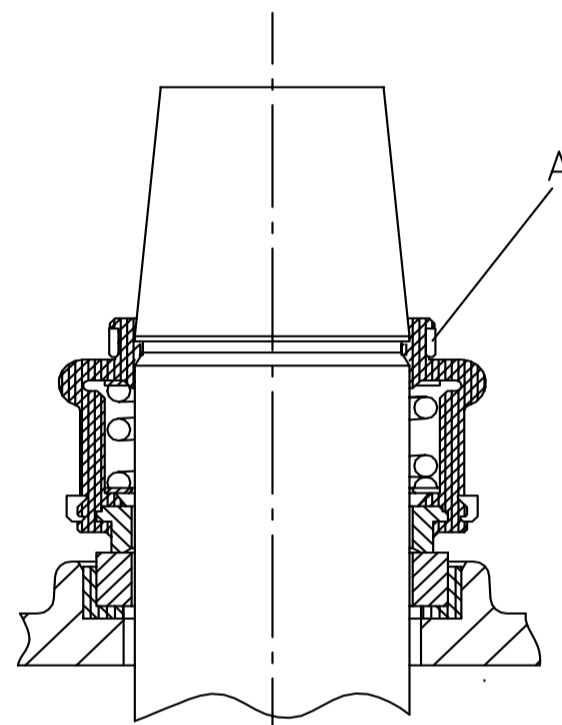


Fig. 14

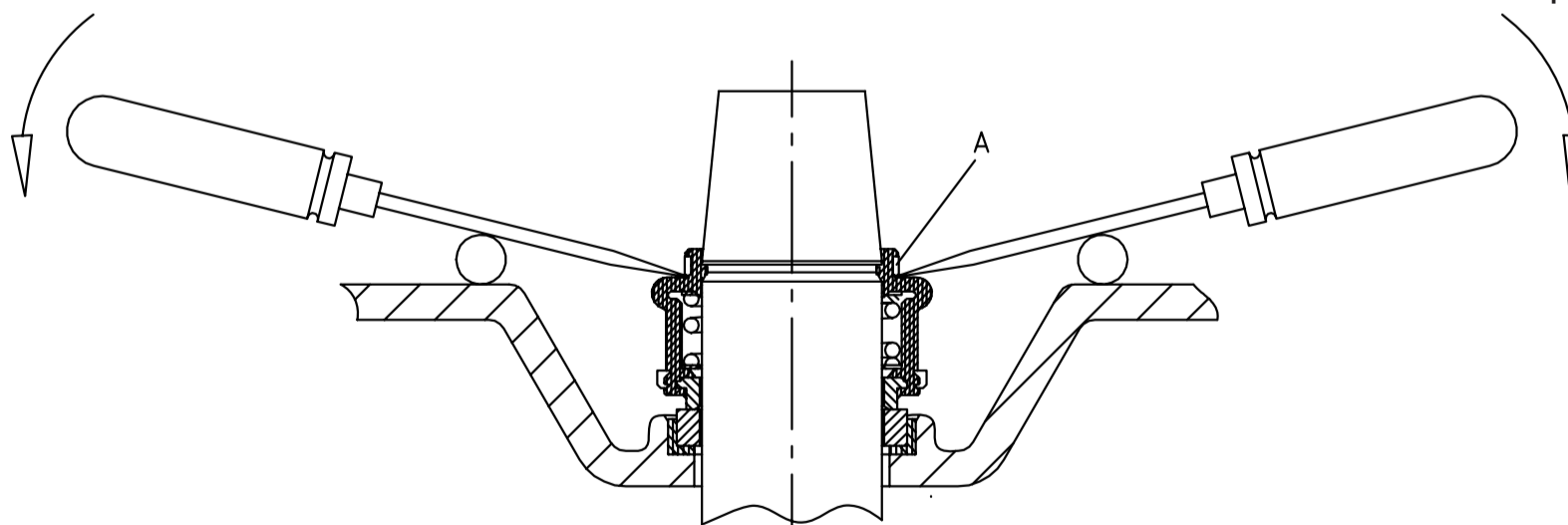


Fig. 15

Make sure that the shaft is free of burrs and has no sharp edges so that the rubber parts of the seal cannot be damaged as they are removed. Oil shaft and bellows for ease of disassembly. Gently insert a screwdriver between the shaft and the rubber bellows.

By lifting and turning the screwdriver around the shaft, the lip of the rubber bellows can be lifted out of the shaft groove. Once the boot is free of the groove, the entire rotating part of the seal with bellows can be pulled off the shaft. If necessary, use two screwdrivers deep into the seal to pry the seal face loose (Fig. 16).

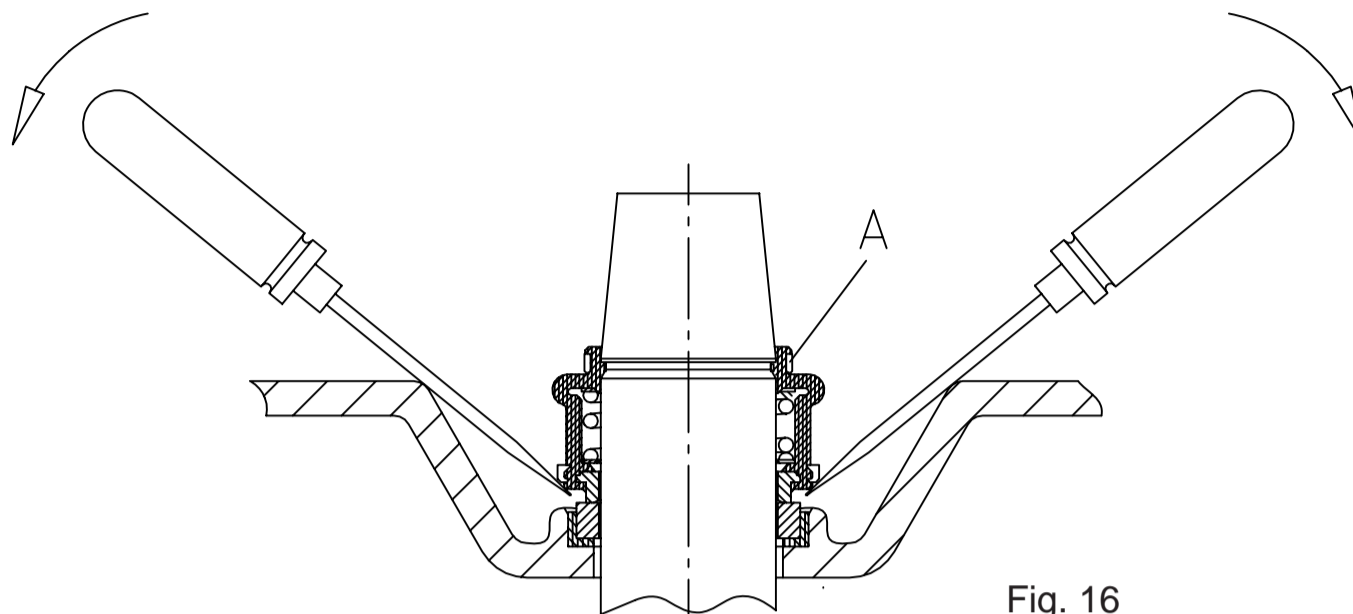


Fig. 16

**c) Rubber-bellows seal - type "G" (Fig. 17)**

Remove snap ring (546), if existing.  
Pull out the removable part (A) by hand.

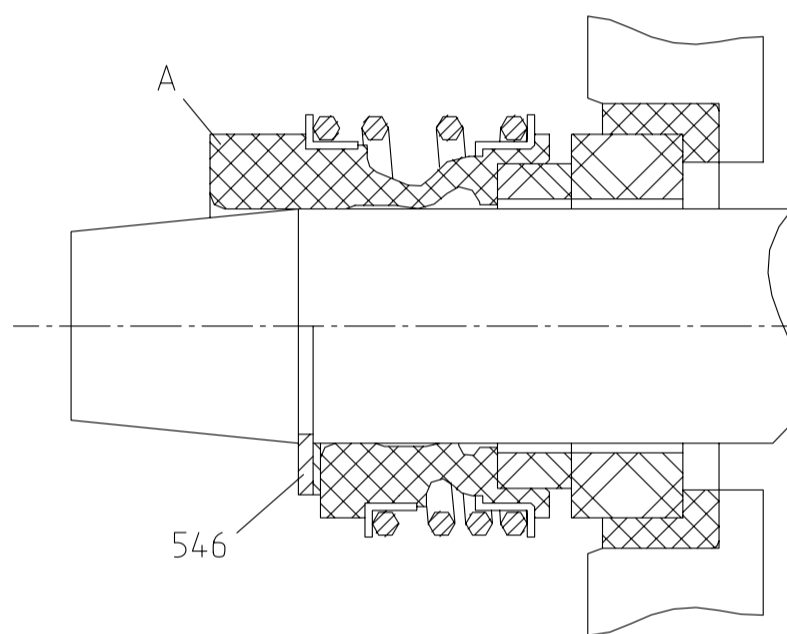


Fig. 17

**d) Stainless-steel-shroud seal - type "X" (Fig. 18)**

Remove all three small setscrews from outer body of rotating part. Remove snap ring (546). Oil the shaft for ease of disassembly. Now the seal rotating part can be pulled off the shaft by hand.

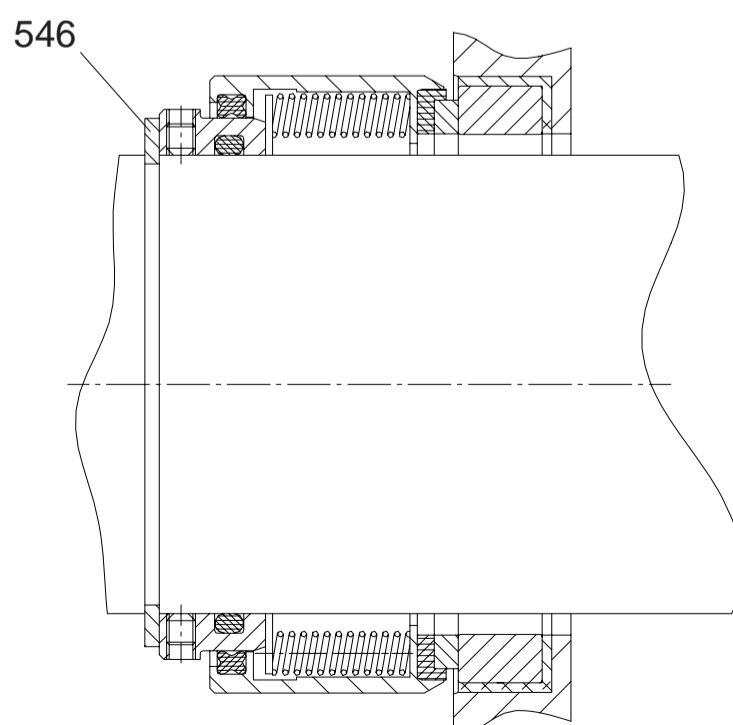


Fig. 18

**e) Stationary seat (all types)**  
(Fig. 19)

Remove static part of the mechanical seal as follows:

Unfasten nuts (534) and carefully remove back cover or mechanical seal plate (507) from oil chamber casing. Make sure that the static part of the seal (515) does not hit the shaft so that it can't be damaged.

Now the static part of the seal can be carefully pushed out of the chamber from the back side.

Some HIDROSTAL seals can be repolished or repaired (Consult nearest service center). When sending a seal for inspection or repair, it is important to thoroughly protect the seal faces to prevent damage during transportation.

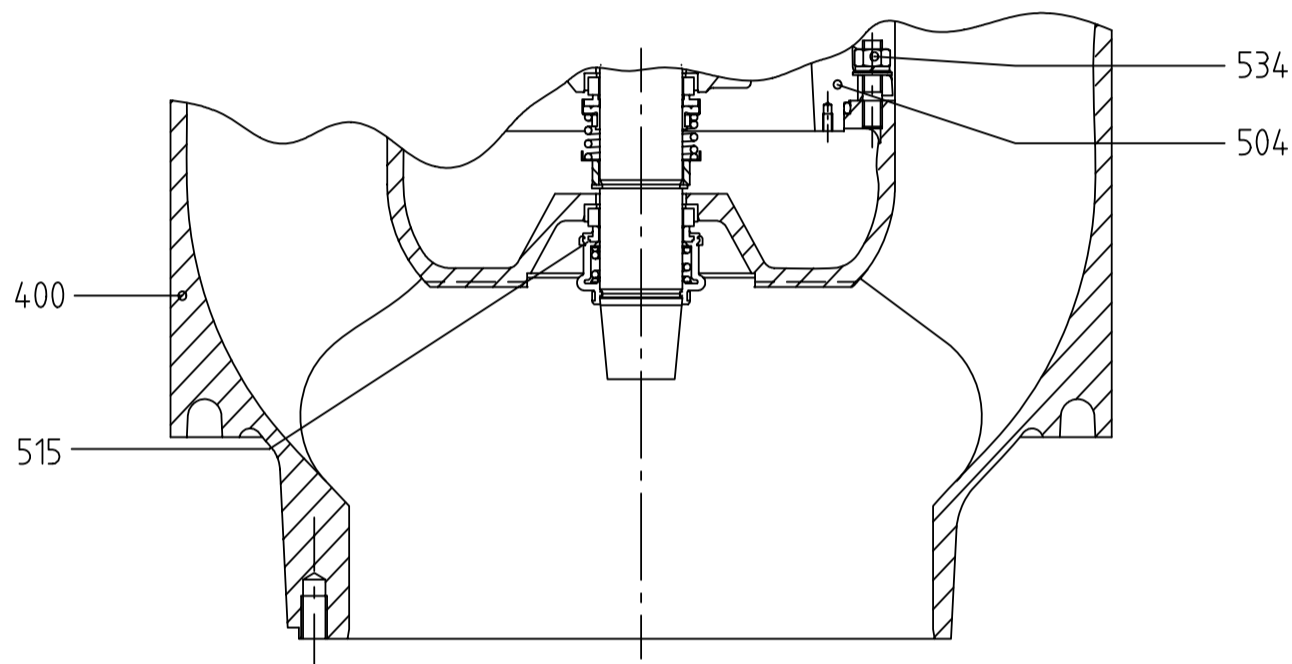


Fig. 19

**3.3.1.2 MAINTENANCE OF MOTOR SIDE MECHANICAL SEAL (516)**

It is **IMPORTANT** to note that removal of this seal should not be attempted in the field. If leakage of this seal has been detected from the motor housing test as described in Section 2.2.2, the entire motor should be sent to the nearest authorized HIDROSTAL service center for a complete inspection.

**3.3.1.3 ASSEMBLY OF BACK COVER**

**Cleanliness is of utmost importance for this assembly work!** All parts must be washed in solvent before assembly. All machined mating surfaces must be clean and free from burrs. All grooves and seatings for "O"-rings and other static seals must be inspected for nicks or scratches. All threads must be clean especially those in holes for studs. **All "O"-rings MUST be replaced with new ones and they should be lubricated with light oil prior to assembly.**

**ATTENTION:**

For "O"-rings in the motor (that is, "O"-rings with 500 series numbers), never use "O"-rings glued from "O"-ring stock. Our experience is that this glue joint will inevitably leak. Glued "O"-rings may be used in the hydraulic end (that is "O"-rings with 400 series numbers) if a slight leakage from the pump is not a problem.

Place a new "O"-ring (527) on the oil chamber casing (504). Carefully assemble motor to pump casing and fasten with fastening set (534).

**3.3.1.4 ASSEMBLY OF PUMP SIDE MECHANICAL SEAL**

**a) Stationary seat (all types)**

Lubricate the rubber circumference of the static mechanical seal part and carefully press all the way into its seat in the pump casing (400). The ring must fit tightly in place. Protect the seal face during this operation. Examine gap between shaft and inner diameter of seal face; when face is correctly installed, gap will be uniform all the way around.



**ATTENTION:**

The seal face is very brittle, and can easily snap unless pressure is uniform during installation. We suggest pushing in with special tool (Fig. 20).

Make sure that the shaft is free of burrs and has no sharp edges, so that the rubber part or the mechanical seal cannot be damaged. File groove edges if necessary.

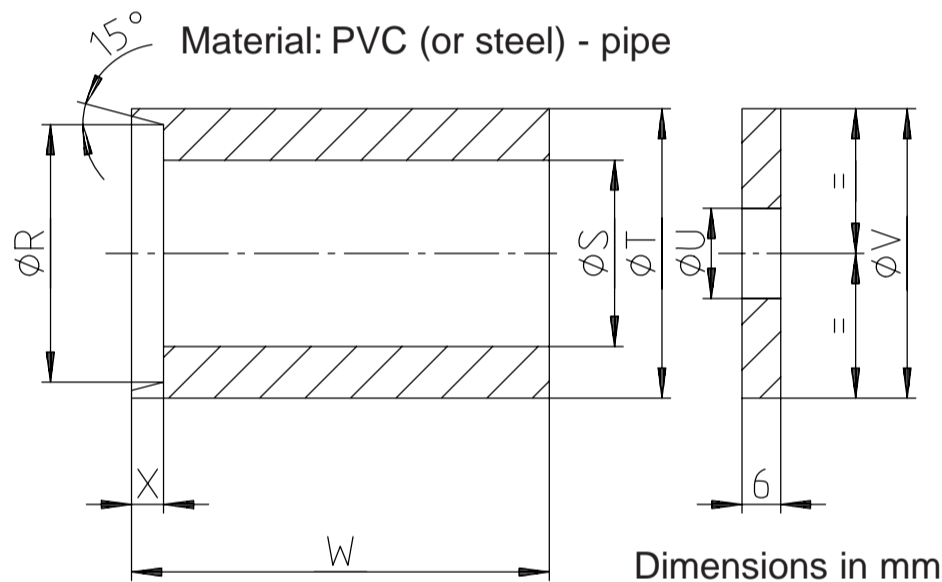


Fig. 20

| Motor size                                               | φ R     | φ S      | φ T      | φ U | φ V | W   | X | Size of screw |
|----------------------------------------------------------|---------|----------|----------|-----|-----|-----|---|---------------|
| DNY../ENY..                                              | 40 +/-1 | 29 +1/-0 | 45 +/-1  | 13  | 50  | 65  | 5 | M 10 / M 12   |
| ENX..                                                    | 50 +/-1 | 39 +1/-0 | 55 +/-1  | 14  | 60  | 75  | 5 | M 12          |
| FNX..<br>HNX..<br>HN4../HNW..                            | 65 +/-1 | 51 +1/-0 | 70 +/-1  | 18  | 80  | 95  | 5 | M 16          |
| HN5../HNV..<br>IN5../INV..<br>LN5../LNV..<br>LN6../LNU.. | 92 +/-1 | 77 +1/-0 | 100 +/-1 | 28  | 110 | 170 | 5 | M 27          |
| LN7../LNT..                                              | -       | 101+1/-0 | 120 +/-1 | 37  | 120 | 250 | - | M 36          |

**b) Exposed-spring seal - type "C"**

Remove spring and spring retaining ring of mechanical seal. **Seal surfaces must be absolutely clean!** Place a few drops of light oil on the rotating (carbon) face of the mechanical seal, then lubricate inner bore of rubber part of the seal with oil and put a small amount of oil onto shaft. Install rotating face (with its rubber part) over shaft, and press gently down length of exposed shaft until carbon face touches stationary face. It may help to use a small wood "pusher" or a plastic pipe mandrel only slightly larger than shaft diameter, to push directly on the rubber part of the seal (Fig. 20). Be sure rubber part sits uniformly on shaft, and has *NOT* rolled out from under the metal part of the seal. Put on seal spring, and spring retaining ring.

Install snap ring (Seeger, 546) and turn shaft by hand to check for free running.

**c) Rubber-bellows seal, external spring - type "G"**

Wet the rotating part of the mechanical seal with soapy water. Push the whole assembly by hand over the shaft as far as possible. On size 20 mm (Fig. 21) final assembly by installing of impeller. On other sizes (Fig. 22) secure with snap ring (546).

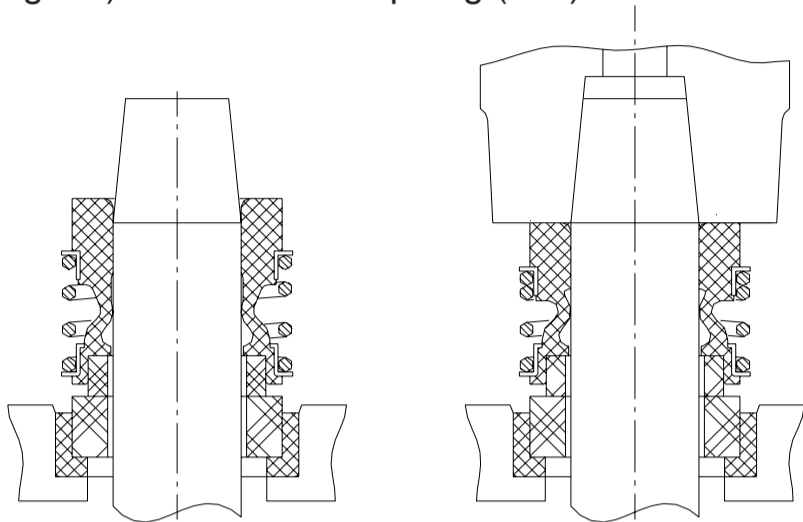


Fig. 21

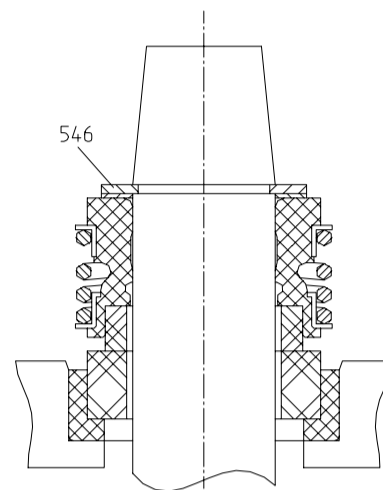


Fig. 22

**d) Rubber-bellows seal, internal spring - type "M"**

Lubricate the rotating part of the mechanical seal, position the retaining ring "A" on the rubber bellows (Fig. 23). Push the whole assembly by hand over the shaft as far as possible. Mount the special tool over the shaft tip (Fig. 24), and compress the mechanical seal until the lip of the rubber bellows is engaged in the shaft groove. Remove special tool. Turn the shaft by hand and watch that the retaining ring turns perfectly in line with the rubber bellows and that it is not cocked. Then try to pull the rubber bellows off shaft by hand to make sure that the lip has reliably engaged in the shaft groove.

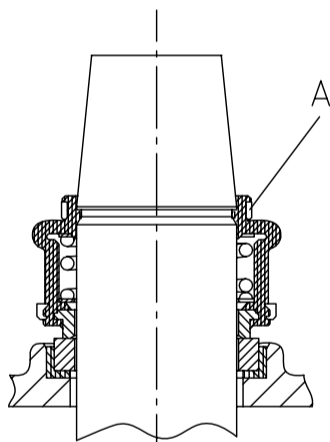


Fig. 23

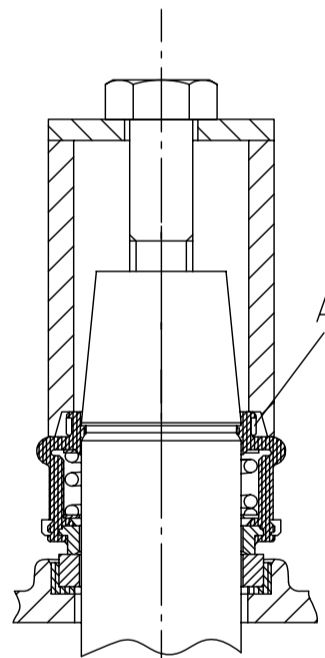


Fig. 24

**e) Stainless-steel-shroud seal - type "X"**

Lubricate inner rubber O-rings of seal and put a small amount of oil onto shaft. Install entire seal over shaft, and press gently down shaft until rotating face touches stationary face. Now install snapping over shaft, and push until it snaps into its groove. If necessary use the special tool (Fig. 20). Then re-install the three small setscrews into the seal rotating part, and tighten firmly.

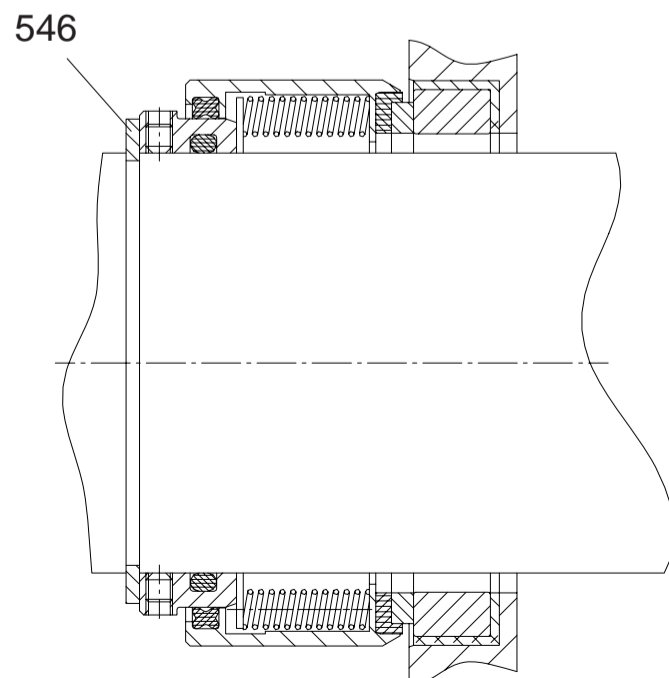


Fig. 25

**3.3.1.5 LEAKAGE TEST FOR PUMP SIDE MECHANICAL SEAL (All Types)**

Remove screw plug "OIL" (536) and drain the oil from the motor. Connect dry compressed air source such as bicycle tyre pump to the opening. Use a pressure reducing valve and relief valve set to 0.5 bar (7 psi).



**WARNING:**

- Make sure that the pressure never exceeds 1 bar. This could displace the seal.
- Immerse the motor into a test tank full of water and watch for continuously escaping bubbles. This would indicate leakage past the seal or associated "O"-ring.
- **Do not immerse end of cable!**
- Correct failure if leakage has been found. After finishing tightness test remove pressure connection hose and fill with oil according to Section 2.2.3.1.

**3.4 ASSEMBLY OF HYDRAULIC PARTS**

**3.4.1 ASSEMBLY OF IMPELLER FLANGE**

Put in Woodruff key (112), coat the shaft taper with an anti-rust paste, put on the impeller flange (165), the locking washer (167) and the nut (166).

The nut must be tightened to 120 Nm (90 ft-lbs) by using torque wrench. Bend over locking washer tab. Measure the clearance between the impeller flange (165) and the casing (400) with a feeler gauge. This clearance must be within the values given in the table below. If ever the clearance has to be adjusted, this can be done by inserting or revising shims between oil chamber casing (504) and casing (400) (Fig. 26).

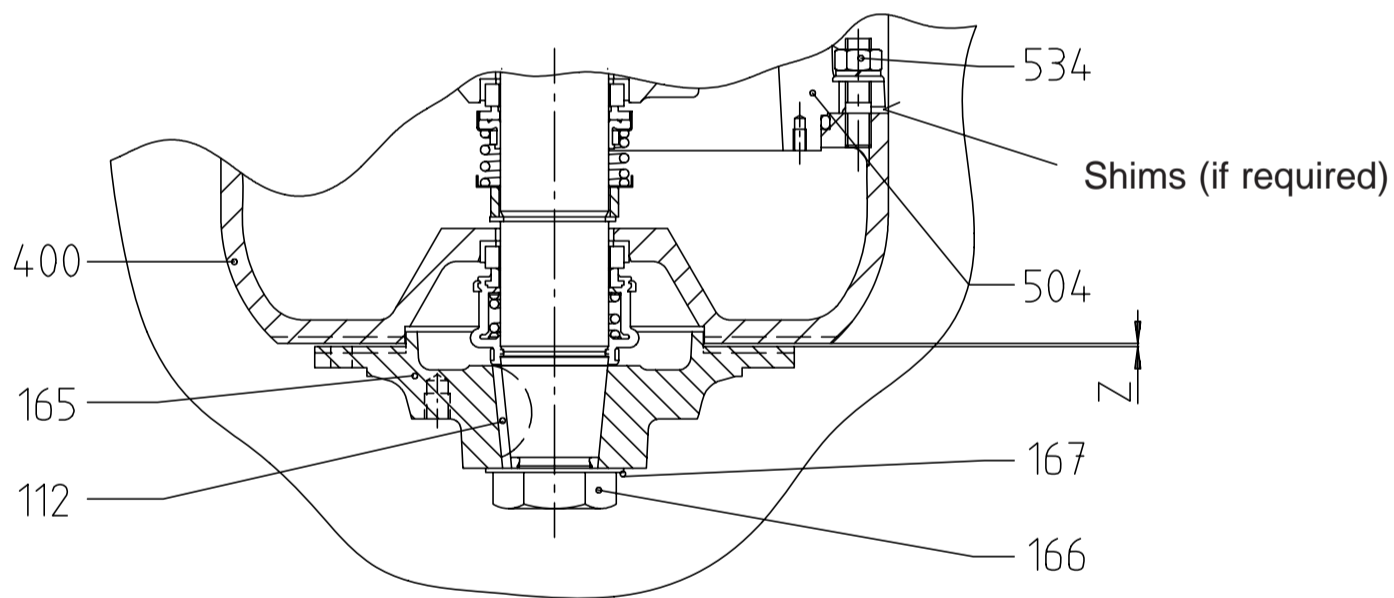


Fig 26

| Pump size | Clearance Z |
|-----------|-------------|
| E         | 0.3-1.0     |
| F-H       | 0.4-1.5     |
| I-L       | 0.5-2.0     |



**ATTENTION:**

Set two times above clearance when pumping lime water or materials that tend to deposit in a like manner. It may be necessary to machine off back surface of impeller flange to obtain this larger clearance.

### 3.4.2 ASSEMBLY OF IMPELLER

If impeller (401) with impeller flange (165) is used, mount it so that the pin (410) on back of impeller will fit in the corresponding hole on flange. Before fitting a new impeller or a new impeller bolt, length "L" of impeller bolt should be checked as follows:

By measuring of the impeller and the impeller bolt, it must be secured that:

1. thread reach "L" is 1.25 x thread diameter, e.g. M16:  
 $16 \times 1.25 = 20 \text{ mm}$ .
2. end of thread "G1" on impeller bolt is sufficient (re-cut the thread).
3. end of thread "G2" in the shaft is sufficient (shorten impeller bolt, see point 1.).



**ATTENTION:**

Oil shaft taper slightly with a shred. **NEVER use thick oil, grease or anti-size compound!** Install impeller directly onto shaft. Coat the impeller bolt thread with grease or anti-size compound. Tighten screw with torque according table 3.2.2.

**NOTE:**

If torque wrench not available, torque can be approximated with an extension pipe and weight.

### 3.4.3 ASSEMBLY OF LINER OR SUCTION COVER

**a) For pump type D04A (Fig. 9)**

Carefully position liner (421) into one-piece casing (400). Fix into casing (418) with fastening screws.

**b) For all other pumps without "regulable" feature (Fig. 10)**

Place spacer ring (414) over spigot of suction cover (402), then grease and install O-ring (406) into groove on suction cover.

Install suction cover into down side of the volute casing with fastening set (417).

**c) For all pumps with "regulable" feature (Fig. 11)**

Glue three regulation screws (413) into liner (421).

Thoroughly grease O-ring (430) and install into grove in suction casing (416). This grove is nearly hidden by the wear ring in some pump models.

If wear ring (408) was removed, glue it firmly back into place. Tap wear ring into suction casing with a lead hammer, until wear ring is flush with flange surface.

Grease and install O-ring (406) onto large end of liner.

Coat the external threaded portion of large regulator nuts (422) and install these into the suction casing (416). Hex-side toward the outside (toward the suction flange). Screw these into the suction casing (416) until they are flush with the inside.

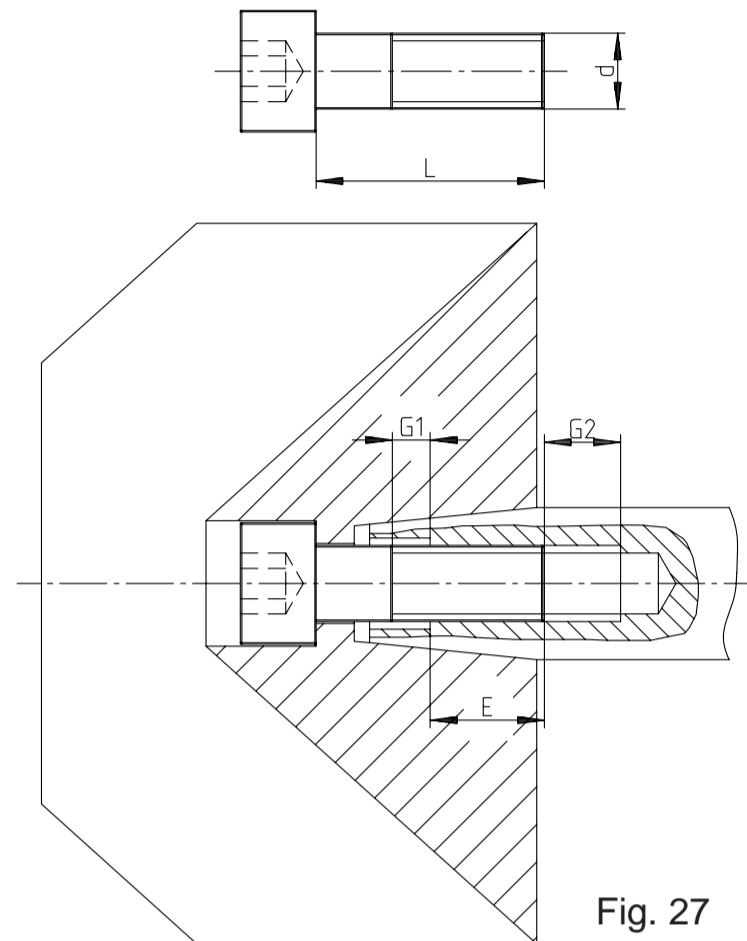


Fig. 27

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Now place liner into suction casing, engaging the three studs into the holes through the three regulator nuts.

**NOTE:**

The three studs are not spaced evenly around the liner, so there is only one orientation of the liner where the studs will correctly fit through the regulator nuts.

Now grease O-ring (442) and install in groove on edge of suction casing (this O-ring is not used on some models).

Install suction casing into down-side of volute casing with fastening set (417).

**3.5 FINAL ASSEMBLY**

When ONLY a new impeller is fitted, the following clearance check must be done: install drive unit-impeller assembly into volute casing.

If the tip of the impeller touches the wear ring (408) or the lip in the liner (or suction cover) or if there is less than 1 mm clearance between the tip and the lip (the spiral edge of the impeller is firmly seated against the conical taper inside the liner or suction cover), then the impeller tip must be ground off, parallel to the suction flange, until 1 to 2 mm clearance is obtained. (Fig. 28)

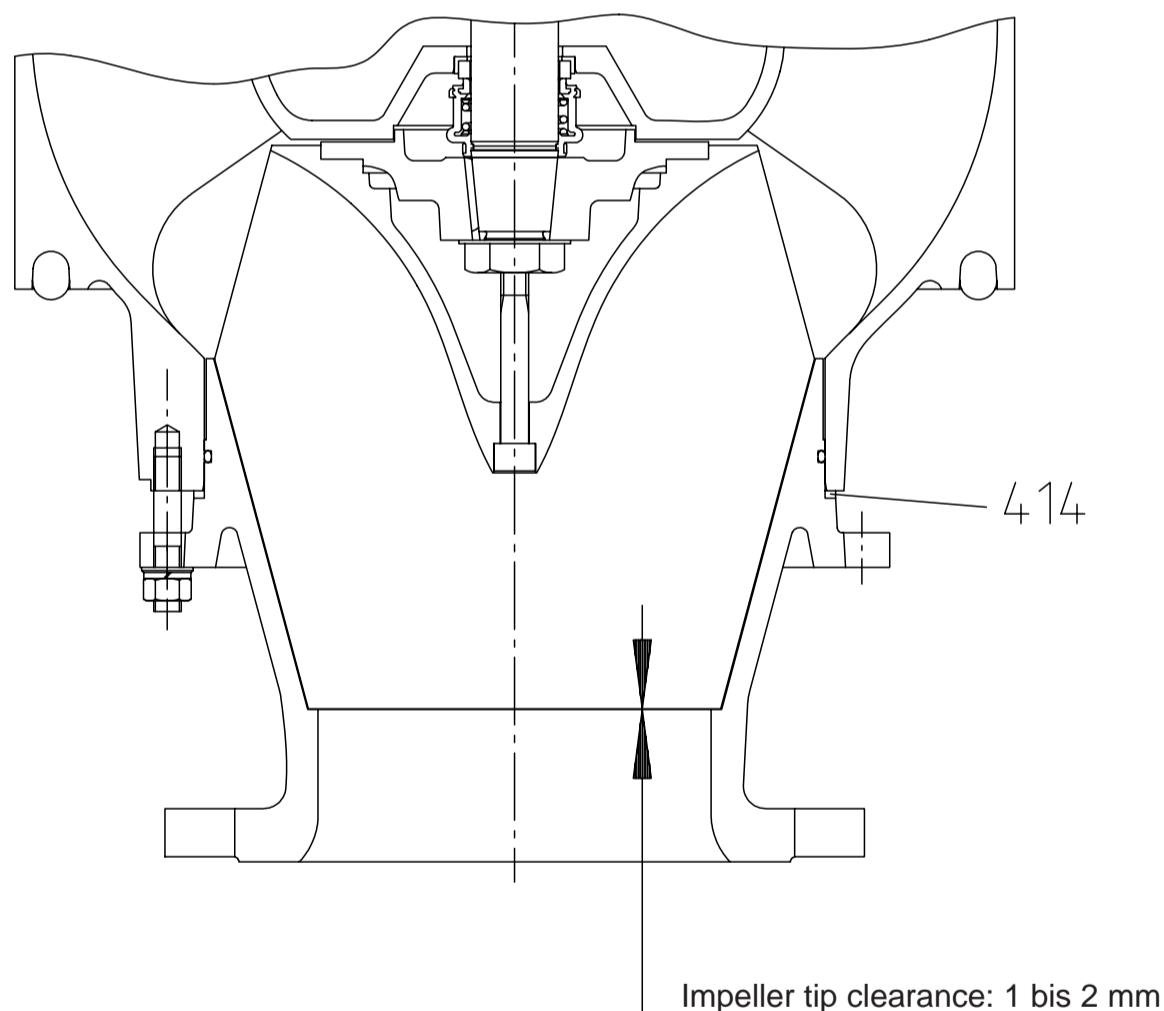


Fig. 28

**a) For pump type D04A**

If (411) is a spacer ring in lieu of shims place this ring over the spigot of the casing (see Fig. 9). See Section 3.1 for the adjustment of impeller clearance.

**b) For all other types**

See Section 3.1 for correct setting of regulator nuts, or for placement of shims (414) for final adjustment of impeller clearance.