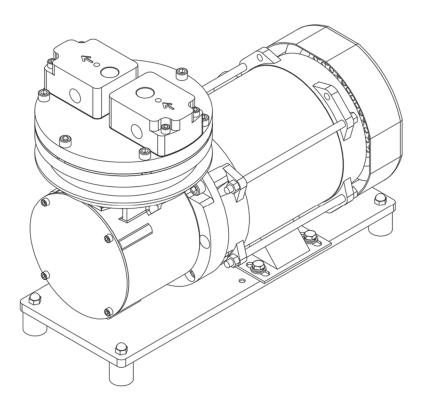


## **Dia-Vac® Pump Operating Instructions**

**Standard E-Series Pump with Explosion Proof Motor** 



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#### **General Operating Conditions**

The E-Series Dia-Vac<sup>®</sup> explosion proof motors are 1/2 HP and could have one of several UL certified explosion proof motors depending on the individual application requirements. Please reference the table below for the hazardous area rating, and agency recognition for each motor. Additional information about the motors is located on the label on the motor. If your motor does not appear on the table below, please contact Air Dimensions for details.

Motor	Rating	Agency Recognition
A13170	Division 1	
	Class I – Gr. C, D	UL/CSA
	Class II – Gr. E, F, G	
A13072A	Division 1	
	Class I – Gr. C, D	UL
	Class II – Gr. F, G	
A13078B	Division 1	
	Class I – Gr. C, D	UL/CSA
	Class II – Gr. F, G	

Dia-Vac<sup>®</sup> Pumps are intended for use with gases only, do not use this product for liquids. Mounting the pump at the highest point in the system will prevent liquid from collecting in the pump head. A heated head pump may be required to maintain the gas temperature through the head.

See motor label for wiring diagrams and full electrical data.

The Dia-Vac<sup>®</sup> Pump normally runs warm. It is not an indication of trouble if the outer surfaces of the pump or motor are hot to the touch.

The Dia-Vac<sup>®</sup> Pump normally runs quietly, especially when both pressure and vacuum ports are connected into a closed system. An obvious knock or rattle could indicate a problem. Check through "Troubleshooting" with particular attention to the tightness of all screw fasteners.

Ambient temperature of this pump should not exceed 40°C/104°F. The pump must have adequate ventilation and/or cooling to run properly.

#### Safety

Before running the pump, ensure that it is properly rated for the environment in which it is located.

All system components connected to the Dia-Vac<sup>®</sup> Pump must be capable of handling the maximum pressure of the pump.

Ensure that safety regulations are observed when connecting the pump to the electric supply. The connections are to be made in such a way that contact by any object or person with a live wire is impossible. The supply voltage must not vary more than  $\pm$  10% of the voltage shown on the motor plate.

All proper precautions for the controlled vapor must be observed, and followed. Proper wetted materials for handling corrosive, hot, and/or reactive gases must be used.



This Dia-Vac<sup>®</sup> Pump is thermally protected; when the temperature of the pump exceeds the maximum operating temperature, pump operation will be interrupted by the thermal switch. The pump will restart automatically once it cools down. Be sure to take necessary precautions to avoid injury during restart.

#### Operation

No oiling or other lubrication is necessary with a Dia-Vac® pump.

If the gas stream has a high level of particulate matter, a filter should be installed before the pump. If the gas stream has a high level of liquid matter, the liquid should be removed before the pump. This should be used in conjunction with best practices for pump installation including mounting the pump head so that the discharge port faces toward the ground. Keep in mind that the pump head can be rotated on the housing and the gas will always flow in the direction of the arrows.

This pump can be mounted in any position. If the housing needs to be rotated for mounting purposes, that can be done at the ADI facility.

This pump has an ingress protection rating of IP 54 and is suitable for outdoor use.

Do not start the pump against pressure or vacuum. For applications that must start under pressure or vacuum, contact ADI and a suitable motor will be selected.

Running amps are listed on the nameplate of the motor. A pump running at a substantially higher current than shown on the motor plate indicates a problem, please see section "Troubleshooting" below. Please note that the current draw at the startup of the pump will be three to four times the normal running amps.

The pump is designed for atmospheric pressure or vacuum on the inlet. For applications with inlet pressure greater than 0 psig; contact ADI and a suitable pump will be selected.

The diaphragm, valve gasket, and sealing washer of the pump are the only consumable parts of the pump. The degree of usage and condition of operating temperatures or pressure will determine the rate of replacement of part or parts. The corrosive content of the gas media being pumped can affect the recommended inspection and replacement cycle of the diaphragm.

The E-series pump is certain to be capable of creating a vacuum of at least 23.3 inhg gauge. When outputting at 15 psig the pump will create at least 81 LPM at 60 Hz operation and at least 68 LPM at 50 Hz operation. When creating a vacuum of 4.9 inhg gauge the pump will generate at least 103 LPM at 60 Hz operation and at least 86 LPM at 50 Hz operation.

### Troubleshooting

This section lists common problems that occur, possible causes and the most common fixes. If the problem persists, the pump may require inspection at the ADI facility. To have your pump inspected and repaired at the ADI facility please follow the instructions on the ADI website at http://www.airdimensions.com/service/rma/.

#### Pump draws excessively high current



- Motor is overloaded
  - Turn off pump
  - Remove all pressure and vacuum conditions
  - Restart and test at atmospheric pressure
- Power input is incorrect
  - Check motor wiring i.e. 115 V vs 230 V wiring
  - Check power source
    - Pumps are only rated for ±10% voltage on name plate

#### Low or zero flow

- Connection or sample line blocked
  - Remove blockage
  - Liquid or foreign debris has collected in the head
    - Clean out the head, see section "Servicing"
    - Place pump outlet facing downward
- Diaphragms, valves, or gasket are worn
  - See section "Servicing"

#### Pump is rattling or knocking

- Connecting rod bolt or diaphragm plate screw are under torqued
  - See section "Servicing" for torquing specifications
- Connecting rod cap is too close to one side of housing
  - Using a screw driver lightly pry the cap away from the side of the housing and center.

#### Servicing

Listed below is the predominant type of maintenance typical for Dia-Vac<sup>®</sup> pumps, the servicing of the consumable parts (diaphragm, flapper valve gasket, and Teflon<sup>®</sup> sealing washer). For video instructions on servicing the head and diaphragm visit <u>http://www.airdimensions.com/service/videos/</u>.

#### **Disassembly of Head Section and Diaphragm**

Remove port and valve body assembly by unscrewing the six large bolts. A flat-bladed screw driver may be needed to gently pry the head free of the service diaphragm.

The ports can then be removed from the valve body by unscrewing the eight smaller screws (four flat head screws and four socket head screws). When the valve body is removed, check all internal surfaces for any accumulation of dirt. Clean as needed. The two valve gaskets should be replaced with each diaphragm change.

The diaphragm is secured by the single screw in its center. Remove this screw with an Allen wrench. The diaphragm and its clamping plate should be easily lifted off. Some slight adherence to the metal may occur if the diaphragm has been in use for a long period. Before inserting the diaphragm plate screw into the diaphragm plate add the sealing washer (do not use Teflon tape).



When replacing the diaphragm, position the eccentric, and connecting rod assembly in the bottom dead center position before tightening the valve body bolts. This can be done by rotating the shaft so that the counterweight is between the shaft and the connecting rod cap.

The torque specifications for this pump can be found in Appendix A.

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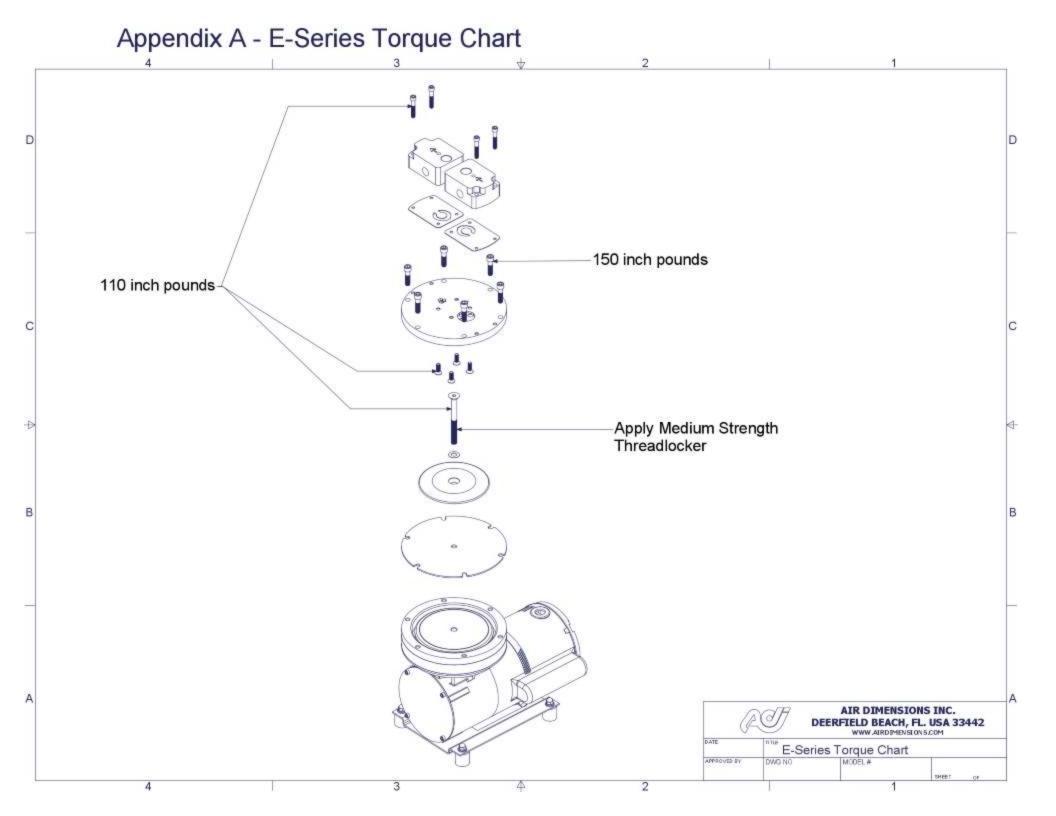
#### **Spare Parts**

Kit #	Description
11811	KIT, REPAIR – 3 PLY TEFLON®

#### Warranty

All Air Dimensions Incorporated Dia-Vac<sup>®</sup> Pumps are under warranty for 12 months from the ship date. The warranty does not cover consumable parts (diaphragm, flapper valve gasket, and Teflon<sup>®</sup> washer). For complete terms and conditions please see Appendix C.





## Appendix B- Maximum Gas Temperature for ADI Diaphragms

## Diaphragm Material Max Temperature

All Teflon

400 °F (205 °C)

#### Appendix C- TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF ORDER

1. EXCLUSIVE REMEDY. Seller will replace or, at its option, repair

any products or parts thereof which are found defective by Seller in material or workmanship within one year from date of shipment, provided the product has been properly installed, maintained and operated. Seller's obligation with respect to such products will be exclusively limited to repair or replacement F.O.B. Deerfield Beach, Florida, U.S.A., and in no event shall Seller be liable for consequential or special damages, or for transportation, installation, adjustment, or other expenses which may arise in connection with such products. **NO EXPRESS WARRANTIES AND NO IMPLIED WARRANTIES WHETHER OF MERCHANTABILITY OF FITNESS FOR ANY PARTICULAR USE, OR OTHERWISE (EXCEPT AS TO TITLE), SHALL APPLY TO PRODUCTS SOLD BY US, AND NO WAIVER, ALTERATION, OR MODIFICATION OF THE FOREGOING CONDITIONS SHALL BE VALID UNLESS MADE IN WRITING AND SIGNED BY AN OFFICER OF SELLER.** 

2. **METHOD OF SHIPMENT**. This apparatus will be shipped "knocked down" to the extent we consider necessary for proper shipment with small parts.

3. **SHIPMENT**. All goods are shipped F.O.B. shipping point which shall be Deerfield Beach, FL unless otherwise specified. Risk of loss of damage to goods in transit shall fall upon Buyer.

4. **TERMS**. Subject to any prior written agreement to the contrary, and to approval of credit, payment for products shall be made Net 30 days from date of invoice. If in Seller's opinion the financial condition of Buyer does not justify continuance of production or shipment on the terms of payment specified, Seller may, at its option, require full or partial payment in advance. Seller reserves the right to issue an invoice if shipment is delayed due to Buyer's responsibility, request or if partial shipment occurs. Goods held for Buyer shall be at the risk and expense of Buyer. All bank and collection charges are for Buyer's account.

5. **TAXES**. In addition to the purchase price, Buyer shall pay or upon receipt of invoice from Seller shall reimburse Seller for all sales, use, occupation, gross income, excise, documentary stamp, and other taxes, assessed or imposed by Purchaser, or on the machine as required to be collected by Seller, by reason of or on account of the delivery, purchase, or sale of any article here under or the execution of this contract.

6. **PATENT INDEMNITY**. Buyer shall indemnify and hold Seller harmless against any loss, liability or expense, including reasonable attorney's fees, resulting from infringement or patents or trademarks arising from compliance with Buyer's design, specifications or instructions. Upon notification by Seller, Buyer shall at its sole expense undertake the complete defense of all lawsuits or other proceedings brought under this paragraph. Buyer agrees that it will not reproduce any of the aforementioned equipment in whole or part for the purpose of use or resale or for any other purposes without the Seller's written consent.

7. **DELAYS**. Shipping dates are approximate and are based upon prompt receipt of all necessary instructions and information which will enable Seller to immediately start shop construction. Seller shall not be liable for delay in delivery due to causes beyond its reasonable controls such as acts of God, acts of Buyer, acts of civil or military authority, priority, fires, strikes, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, war, riot and delays in transportation. In the event of delay due to such causes, the date of delivery shall be extended for a period equal to the time lost by reason of delay. If by reason of any of the foregoing events or conditions shipment is delayed more than one year beyond the period specified herein, either party may terminate this contract by written notice to the other, and in that event Seller shall return to Buyer all payment previously made hereunder without interest.

8. **STANDARD PRICES**. Prices shown are standard to Industry and U.S. government for a like quantity and model.

9. **CLAIMS**. All claims must be made in writing within 30 days of receipt of goods; otherwise such claims shall be deemed waived and released by Buyer.

10. **DEFAULT.** In the event of a default by Buyer, Seller may, in addition to all other remedies it may have as a result of such default, elect to retain any and all payments made by Buyer hereunder as liquidated damages.



11. **RETURN OF GOODS**. No materials shall be returned without authorization and shipping instructions first being obtained from Seller. Unless Seller specifically an expressly agrees otherwise, freight forwarding, transportation and other associated shipping costs and customer clearance charges shall be paid by Buyer.

12. **CONTROLLING PROVISIONS**. These terms and conditions shall supersede any provisions, terms and conditions contained on any purchase order, or other writing Buyer may give or have given, and the rights of the parties shall be governed exclusively by the terms and conditions hereof.

13. **MERGER CLAUSE**. This writing constitutes the final expression of the parties' agreement, and it is a complete and exclusive statement of the terms of that agreement. The terms and conditions herein contained shall supersede all prior oral or written statement of any kind whatsoever made by Seller or its representative.

#### **IMPORTANT**

This merchandise was carefully packed and thoroughly inspected before leaving our factory. Responsibility for its safe delivery was assumed by the carrier upon acceptance of the shipment. Claims for loss or damage sustained in transit must, therefore, be made upon the carrier as follows:

#### CONCEALED LOSS OR DAMAGE

Concealed loss or damage means loss or damage which does not become apparent until the merchandise has been unpacked. The contents may be damaged in transit due to rough handling even though the carton may not show external damage. When the damage is discovered upon unpacking, make a written request for inspection by the carrier's agent within fifteen days of the delivery date. Then file a claim with the carrier since such damage is the carrier's responsibility. By following these instructions carefully, we guarantee our full support of your claims to protect you against loss from concealed damage.

#### VISIBLE LOSS OR DAMAGE

Any external evidence of loss or damage must be noted on the freight bill or express receipt, and signed by the carrier's agent. Failure to adequately describe such external evidence of loss or damage may result in the carrier refusing to honor a damage claim. The form required to file such a claim will be supplied by the carrier.

## DO NOT RETURN DAMAGED MERCHANDISE TO US FILE YOUR CLAIM AS ABOVE

