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Warning notice system

This manual contains notices you have to observe in order to ensure your personal safety, as well as to prevent damage to property. The notices referring to your personal safety are highlighted in the manual by a safety alert symbol, notices referring only to property damage have no safety alert symbol. These notices shown below are graded according to the degree of danger.

DANGER

indicates that death or severe personal injury will result if proper precautions are not taken.
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WARNING
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indicates that death or severe personal injury may result if proper precautions are not taken.

CAUTION
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indicates that minor personal injury can result if proper precautions are not taken.
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NOTICE

indicates that property damage can result if proper precautions are not taken.
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WARNING
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Introduction

Naming convention

This product, which can be used as a gear reduction unit or multiplier gear unit, is referred to below as "gear unit".

1.1 General information

Purpose of the operating instructions

These operating instructions describe the gear unit and provide information about handling it - from assembly to maintenance.

Please keep these operating instructions for later use. Please read these operating instructions prior to handling the gear unit and follow the information in them.

Note

Disclaimer

Please make sure that every person who is commissioned to work on the gear unit has read and understood these operating instructions prior to handling the gear unit and adheres to all of the points. Failure to observe these operating instructions can cause product or property damage or personal injury.

Flender does not accept any liability for damage or operating failures which are due to non-adherence to these operating instructions.

The gear unit described in these instructions reflects the state of technical development at the time these operating instructions went to print.

In the interest of technical advancements, Flender reserves the right to make changes to the individual components and accessories which are considered necessary for improving their performance and safety, while maintaining their essential features.

Basic knowledge required

In order to understand these operating instructions, you will need the following general knowledge about gear units. You will also need a basic understanding of the following topics:

- Application planning
- Assembly

- Commissioning
- Maintenance

Documentation landscape

These operating instructions form part of the delivery of your gear unit.

These operating instructions form part of the complete documentation supplied with the gear unit. The complete documentation encompasses other documents, including:

- Data sheet
- List of equipment
- Dimension drawing
- Operating instructions for gear unit lubrication and preservation BA 7300
- Operating instructions for mounted components
- Operating instructions for third-party vendor devices

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1.2 Lubricants

The quality of the oil used must meet the requirements of the operating instructions BA 7300, which is provided as a separate item, otherwise the warranty provided by Flender will be void. Flender urgently recommends using one of the oils listed in BA 7300, all of which have been appropriately tested and meet the requirements.

To avoid misunderstandings, Flender points out that, by making this recommendation, Flender is not approving the product in the sense of expressing a warranty for the quality of the lubricants supplied by your supplier. Every lubricant manufacturer is required to guarantee the quality of his/her products.

Information such as oil type, oil viscosity and required oil quantity can be found on the rating plate of the gear unit and in the documentation supplied with the gear unit.

The oil quantity specified on the rating plate is an approximate value. The actual quantity of oil required is determined by the marking on the oil dipstick or oil sight glass.

The operating instructions for the current lubricant recommendations of Flender can also be viewed in the Internet (<https://www.flender.com/lubricants>).

The oils listed there undergo continuous testing. As a result, the recommended oil types might in future be removed from the list or replaced by more advanced oils.

Flender recommends regular inspection to ascertain whether the selected lubricating oil is still approved by Flender. If it is not, another brand of oil should be selected instead.

Safety instructions

2.1 Security notes

Flender offers products and solutions with industrial security functions, which support the safe and secure operation of plants, systems, machines and networks.

In order to safeguard plants, systems, machines and networks against cyber threats it is necessary to implement (and continually maintain) a holistic industrial security concept that corresponds to the current state of the art. Flender products and solutions undergo continuous development in this respect.

Customers are responsible for preventing unauthorised access to their plants, systems, machines and networks. These systems, machines and components shall be connected to the company network or the Internet only when and to the extent that this is absolutely necessary and appropriate protective measures (e.g. firewalls and/or network segmentation) shall be taken.

You can find further information about possible protection measures as part of Industrial Security in the following international series of standards, for example: IEC 62443 "Network and system security".

Flender products and solutions undergo continuous development in order to make them even safer. Flender strongly recommends that you regularly implement product updates as soon as they become available and that you only use the current product versions. Use of older or no longer supported versions can increase the risk of cyber threats.

2.2 The five safety rules

In order to protect yourself and prevent any damage to property, always observe the safety relevant information and the following five safety rules (as per EN 50110-1 "Working on isolated equipment") when working on electrical components of the plant.

Prior to starting work on the machine, follow the safety rules listed below:

1. Disconnect
Also disconnect auxiliary circuits such as the anti-condensation heater
2. Safeguard against restart
3. Ensure that the system is de-energised
4. Earth and short circuit
5. Cover or cordon off adjacent live parts

When all the work is complete, cancel the safety measures in the reverse sequence.

2.3 General information

Introduction

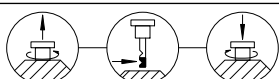
All work on the gear unit should be performed with care and only by qualified personnel.

Symbols on the gear unit

The following symbols apply to the gear unit; some of which are found as coloured markings on the gear unit:

Table 2-1 Symbols and markings

Points labelled on the gear unit	Symbol	Coloured markings
Earth connection point		
Air relief point		yellow
Oil filling point		yellow
Oil draining point		white
Oil level indicator		red
Oil level measurement		red
Oil overflow		
Connection point for vibration monitoring		
Lubrication point		red
Apply grease		
Lifting eye		
Eye bolt		

Points labelled on the gear unit	Symbol	Coloured markings
Do not unscrew		
Alignment surface, horizontal		
Alignment surface, vertical		
These symbols indicate the oil level checking procedure using the oil dipstick.		
These symbols indicate that the oil dipstick must be firmly screwed in.		

2.4 General warnings and symbols

The following table contains general warnings and their associated symbols.

Table 2-2 General warnings

ISO	ANSI	Warning
		Warning - hazardous electrical voltage
		Warning - explosive substances
	---	Warning - entanglement hazard
	---	Warning - hot surfaces
	---	Warning - substances that can irritate or which are hazardous to health
	---	Warning - caustic substances
	---	Warning - suspended load
	---	Warning - hand injuries
		ATEX certification

2.5 Special types of danger and personal protective equipment

Requirements

Fulfil the following requirements before commencing work on the gear unit:

- Ensure that the oil pressure lines are depressurised.
- Only perform work on the gear unit when it is not in operation.
- Disconnect electrical systems from the power supply.



DANGER

Electric shock

Live parts can cause electric shock.

Ensure that the entire plant is de-energised before starting electrical installation work.

Protective equipment

Wear the following personal protective equipment when handling the gear unit:

- Safety shoes
- Overalls
- Helmet
- Safety gloves
- Safety goggles

WARNING

Risk of eye injury

Small foreign particles such as sand or dust can enter the cover plates of the rotating parts and be hurled back by them.

Wear safety goggles.

Dangers during operation

Damage to the gear unit is possible.

2.5 Special types of danger and personal protective equipment

Switch the gear unit to standstill immediately if inexplicable changes are noticed during operation. Such changes may include unusual gear unit noise or a significant increase in operating temperature.

 WARNING
Risk of falling

There is an increased risk of falling when standing or walking on the gear unit during operation.

Only walk or stand on the gear unit and its mounted components for maintenance and repair work when it is at a standstill. Do not walk or stand on shaft ends, protection covers, mounted components or pipes.


 WARNING
Danger to life through rotating or moving parts

There is danger that rotating or moving parts may catch hold of you or pull you in.

Secure rotating and/or moving parts against contact using safeguards.

Surface temperature

The surface temperatures of the gear unit can become very extreme depending on the operating conditions.


 WARNING
Risk of burns

Possible risk of serious burn injury from hot surfaces ($> 55^{\circ}\text{C}$).

Wear suitable protective gloves and protective clothing.

 WARNING
Risk of scalding

Risk of serious injury possible through escaping hot operating media when these are being changed.

Wear suitable protective gloves, safety goggles and protective clothing.

 WARNING
Danger due to low temperatures

Possible risk of serious injuries due to frost (pain, numbness, frostbite) on cold surfaces ($< 0^{\circ}\text{C}$).

Wear suitable protective gloves and protective clothing.

Chemical substances

Injuries can be sustained when using chemical substances.



WARNING

Risk of chemical burns due to chemical substances

There is a risk of chemical burns when handling aggressive cleaning agents.

Please observe the manufacturer's guidelines on how to handle cleaning agents and solvents. Wear suitable protective equipment (gloves, safety goggles). Please use binding agents to immediately clear up any spilt solvent.



CAUTION

Risk of injury due to chemically aggressive operating materials

There is a risk of injury to eyes and hands when handling chemically aggressive operating materials.

Please observe the safety instructions in the data sheets of the oil used. Wear suitable protective equipment (gloves, safety goggles). Use an oil-binding agent to immediately clean up spilt oil.

Danger of explosion

An explosion may occur in a potentially explosive atmosphere.



DANGER

Danger of explosion through ignition of a potentially explosive atmosphere

Danger to life through ignition of a potentially explosive atmosphere possible when operating the gear unit

Do not use the gear unit in potentially explosive atmospheres.

2.6 Intended use

Only use the gear unit according to the conditions specified in the service and delivery contract and the technical data in the annex (Page 79). Deviating operating conditions are considered improper use. The user or owner of the machine or plant is solely liable for any resulting damage.

When using the gear unit please specifically observe the following:

- Do not make any modifications to the gear unit which go beyond the permissible handling described in these operating instructions. This also applies to safety features designed to prevent accidental contact.
- Only ever use original spare parts.
Other spare parts are not tested and approved by Flender. Non-approved spare parts may possibly change the design characteristics of the gear unit and thus impair its active or passive safety.
Flender will accept no liability or warranty whatsoever for damage occurring as a result of the use of non-approved spare parts. The same applies to any accessories which were not supplied by Flender.

If you have any queries, please contact Customer Services (Page 71).

 WARNING
Risk of falling Risk of possible serious injury through falling. Only walk or stand on the gear unit for maintenance and repair work when it is at a standstill. Do not walk or stand on shaft ends, protection covers, mounted components or pipes.

Gear unit use

When using the gear unit, please observe the following basic rules:

- Ensure that the gear unit is operationally safe.
- The gear unit should only be operated, maintained or repaired by authorised, trained and suitably qualified personnel.
- The relevant work safety and environmental protection regulations must be complied with at all times during transport, assembly, dismantling, operation, maintenance and servicing.
- The outside of the gear unit must not be cleaned using high-pressure cleaning equipment.
- No welding work must be performed on the gear unit or on parts connected to it. The gear unit and any parts connected to it must not be used as an earthing point for electric-welding operations. Gearing and rolling-contact bearings might be irreparably damaged by welding.
- Perform potential equalisation in accordance with the applicable regulations and guidelines. If no threaded holes are available on the gear unit for an earth connection, please take suitable measures. This work must always be done by specialist electricians.
- In the case of gear units that are operated in combination with electrical machines that generate current or through which current flows (e.g. motors and generators), take measures to ensure that no current can flow through the gear unit.
Current flowing through the gear unit can result in irreparable damage to rolling-contact bearings and gearing. Short circuits, voltage flashovers and deposits of conductive dust, for example, can all allow current to flow.
Use insulators and earth the gear unit properly.
- When removing any protective devices, retain their fixings safely.
- Removed protective devices must be re-fitted prior to starting up.

2.6 Intended use

- Pay attention to the notices attached to the gear unit such as the rating plate, direction arrow symbol etc. Notices must not be concealed by paint or dirt. Replace missing plates.
- Bolts which have been damaged during assembly or disassembly work must be replaced with new ones of the same strength class and type.

DANGER

Danger to life due to live system
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Death or serious injury will occur.

Always shut down the gear unit and any oil supply system (whether separate or mounted on the gear unit) before you carry out any work. Secure the drive unit against being operated accidentally as follows:
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- | |
|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Turn off the key-operated switch.• Remove the fuses in the power supply.• Attach a notice to the start switch, clearly stating that work is being carried out on the gear unit. |
|---|

Ensure that the entire unit is load-free so that no danger is posed when you start to dismantle components.

Reactivating the gear unit

When installing the gear unit in machines or systems, the machine or system manufacturers must ensure that the regulations, notes and descriptions contained in these operating instructions are incorporated in their own operating instructions.

Description

3.1 General description

The FLENDER® helical gear unit (referred to below simply as "gear unit") described in these operating instructions has been developed to drive air cooling systems in power plants.

The gear unit is available as a 2-stage helical gear unit.

NOTICE
Destruction of the gear unit or parts of the gear unit due to incorrect direction of rotation is possible. The gear unit may only be operated in one direction of rotation. As the gear unit is equipped with a backstop, it can only be operated in one direction of rotation.

3.2 Housing

Introduction

The housing is made of cast iron.

The housing is a one-part component.

The gear unit housing has the following features:

- Attachment points for transporting the gear unit
- Inspection and assembly cover for inspection
- Oil filling point for refilling with oil
- Oil level indicator for checking the oil level
- Oil drain screw or oil drain valve for changing the oil
- Air filter or wet-air filter for ventilation and bleeding

Further information

Additional information and a detailed illustrated description of the gear unit can be found in the dimension drawing provided in the complete gear unit documentation.

The lubrication points are designated using the following sign:

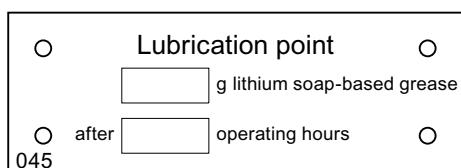


Figure 3-1 Sign: Lubrication point

Gear unit equipment

The diagram below shows the available gear unit equipment for a type SZNK gear unit:

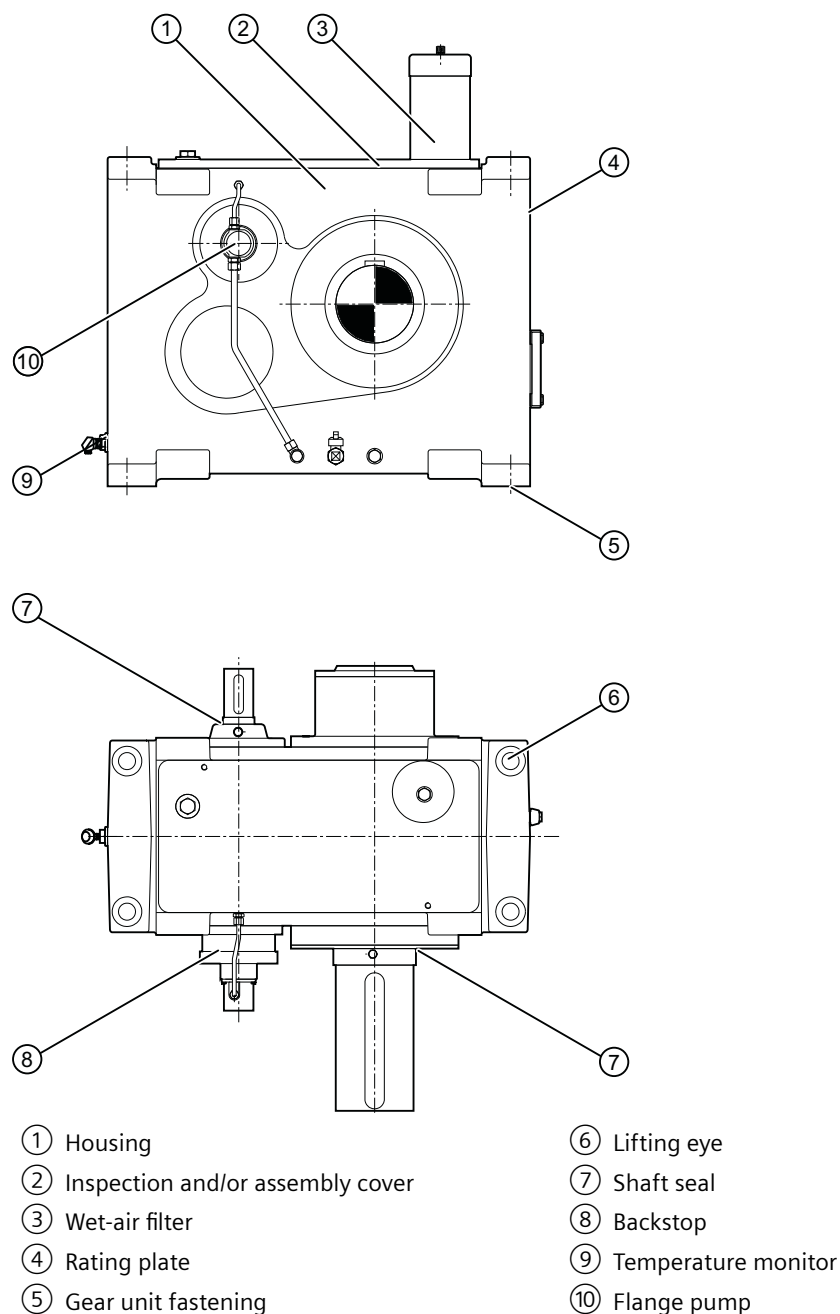


Figure 3-2 Gear unit equipment on type SZNK gear units

Further information

Additional information and a detailed illustrated description of the gear unit can be found in the dimension drawing provided in the complete gear unit documentation.

3.3 Oil supply to the gear unit

Introduction

A combination of dip and pressure lubrication is applied.

3.3.1 Combined splash / pressure lubrication system

The gearing and roller bearings below are splash-lubricated.

The oil for the gearing and roller bearings above the oil level is supplied by pressure lubrication.

Design

- Flange pump with piping and oil guide plates

Further information

Further information and a detailed illustrated description of the gear unit can be found in the dimension drawing in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

3.3.2 Splash lubrication with oil guide plates

The gearing and roller bearings below are splash-lubricated.

The oil for the gearing and roller bearings above the oil level is supplied by appropriately positioned oil guide plates.

The diagram below shows a type SZNK gear unit with oil guide plates:

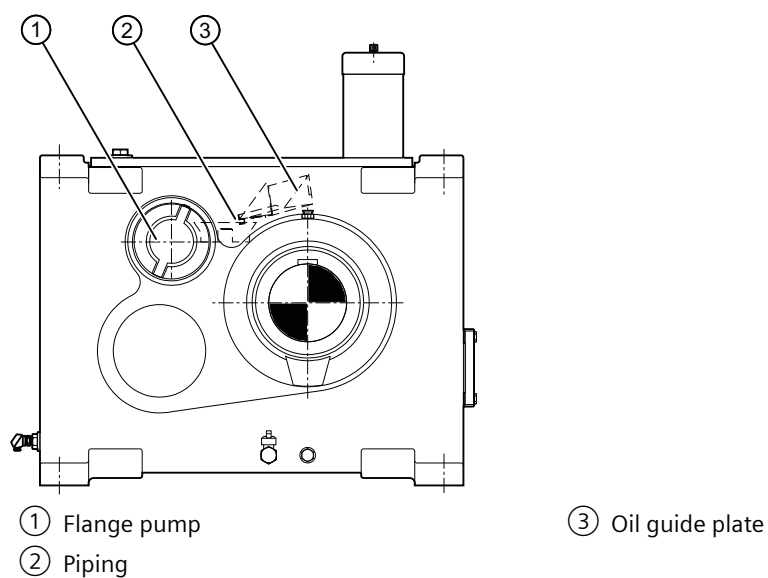


Figure 3-3 Splash lubrication with oil guide plates

Further information

Further information and a detailed illustrated description of the gear unit can be found in the dimension drawing in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

3.4 Bearing arrangement of the shafts

All shafts are mounted on rolling-contact bearings.

3.5 Shaft seal

Introduction

Depending on requirements, shaft seals prevent oil from escaping from the gear unit or dirt from entering the gear unit.

3.5.1 Seal at the input

3.5.1.1 Seal with V ring

The seal is a combination of three sealing elements:

- Rotary shaft sealing ring with dust lip
- V ring
- Labyrinth seal filled with grease

The seal is ideal for use in dusty environments.

NOTICE

Gear unit leaks caused by poor sealing

Regrease the labyrinth seals at the specified regreasing intervals. The regreasing intervals are specified in the Maintenance schedule (Page 62).

NOTICE

Damage to the gear unit caused by poor lubrication

Poor lubrication is possible as oil escapes from the gear unit. Overfilling the gear unit can result in leaks, the same applies to oil with a high foam content.

Read operating instructions BA 7300.

The following diagram shows a seal with V ring:

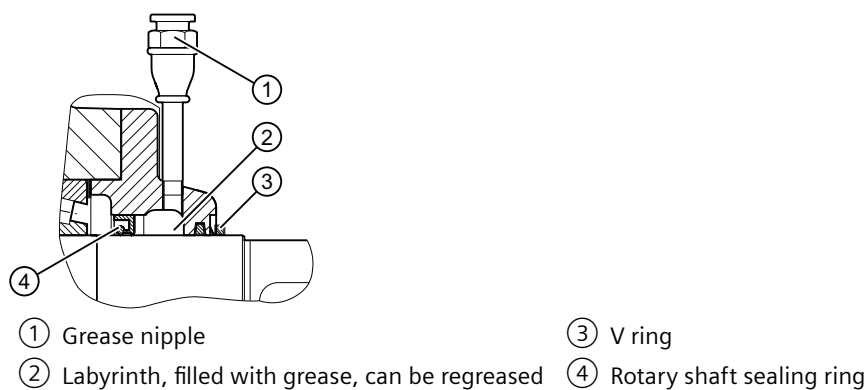


Figure 3-4 Seal with V ring

3.5.2 Seal at the output

3.5.2.1 Rotary shaft sealing rings

Rotary shaft sealing rings are the standard seal used. Wherever possible, rotary shaft sealing rings are equipped with an additional dust lip which protects the actual sealing lip against external contaminants.

NOTICE

Irreparable damage to the rotary shaft sealing ring caused by high concentration of dust

A damaged rotary shaft sealing ring might not be able to effectively seal the gear unit.

In very dusty atmospheres, do not use rotary shaft sealing rings unless they have additional protection.

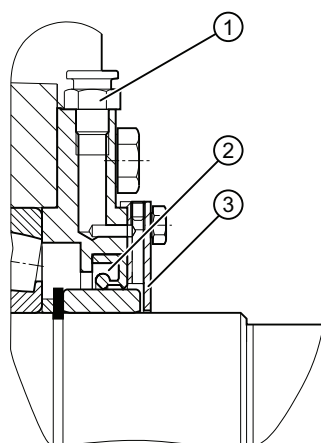
3.5.2.2 Regreasable labyrinth seal

A regreasable labyrinth seal can also be provided.

The seal is a combination of two sealing elements:

- Rotary shaft sealing ring
- Labyrinth seal filled with grease

A regreasable labyrinth seal is shown in the diagram below:



① Grease nipple

② Rotary shaft sealing ring

③ Labyrinth, filled with grease, can be regreased

Figure 3-5 Regreasable labyrinth seal

NOTICE

Gear unit leaks caused by poor sealing

Regrease the labyrinth seals at the specified regreasing intervals. The regreasing intervals are specified in the Maintenance schedule (Page 62).

NOTICE

Sparking, inadmissible temperature rise and shaft seal wear due to insufficient gap dimension

Sparking, inadmissible temperature rise and shaft seal wear possible due to insufficient gap dimension

In the case of a shaft seal with labyrinths, ensure that the set gap dimension of $1^{+0.5}$ mm on the grease labyrinth is not changed when the input and output elements (e.g. coupling parts) are mounted. Rotating and stationary parts must not touch.

3.6 Backstop

Introduction

For some requirements, the gear unit can be equipped with a mechanical backstop. In operation, the backstop only permits the specified direction of rotation. The direction of rotation is specified at the gear unit input - and - output using an arrow.

The backstop is mounted to the gear unit through an intermediate flange creating an oil tight seal; the backstop is integrated in the gear unit oil circuit.

Principle of operation

The backstop is fitted with centrifugally-operated sprags. If the gear unit rotates in the specified direction, the inner ring rotates together with the sprag cage in the direction of rotation of the shaft, while the outer ring remains stationary. Above a certain speed (disengagement speed) the sprags disengage from the outer ring. In this operating state, the backstop operates without any wear.

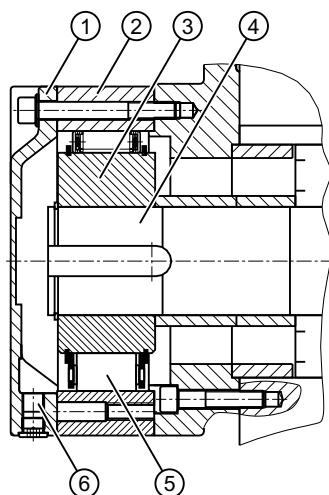
NOTICE

Damage to the backstop as a result of increased wear for operation below disengagement speeds

Damage to the backstop as a result of increased wear for operation below disengagement speeds is possible.

Regularly replace the backstop when operating the gear unit with speeds below the disengagement speed of the backstop. Data indicating the replacement intervals is provided in the dimension drawing and on a plate attached to the gear unit. This plate is attached to the gear unit housing close to the backstop.

The diagram below shows a backstop:



① Cover

② Outer ring

③ Inner ring

④ Shaft

⑤ Cage with sprags

⑥ Residual oil drain

Figure 3-6 Backstop

Before connecting the motor, identify the phase sequence of the three-phase mains using a phase sequence instrument. Connect the motor corresponding to the defined direction of rotation.

3.8 Oil level indicator

The blocking direction of the backstop can be changed by turning over the cage. You must always contact Flender in advance if you wish to change the blocking direction.

NOTICE
Damage to the backstop and gear unit due incorrect direction of rotation
Damage to the backstop and gear unit due incorrect direction of rotation possible.
Do not operate the motor adversely to the blocking direction of the gear unit. Observe the note attached to the gear unit.

3.7 Couplings

Flexible couplings or safety couplings are generally used at the input end of the gear unit.

Use of rigid couplings or other input or output elements that generate additional radial or axial forces (e.g. gear wheels, belt pulleys, flywheels or hydraulic couplings) must be agreed contractually.

Further information

You can find additional information about the couplings in the coupling operating instructions provided in the complete gear unit documentation.

3.8 Oil level indicator

The following components for visual monitoring of the oil level can be mounted on the gear unit:

- Oil sight glass
- Oil level indicator
- Oil dipstick

Check the oil level when the gear unit is stationary and with the oil in a cool state.

Further information

Further information about the oil level indicator and checking the oil can be found in the operating instructions BA 7300 in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

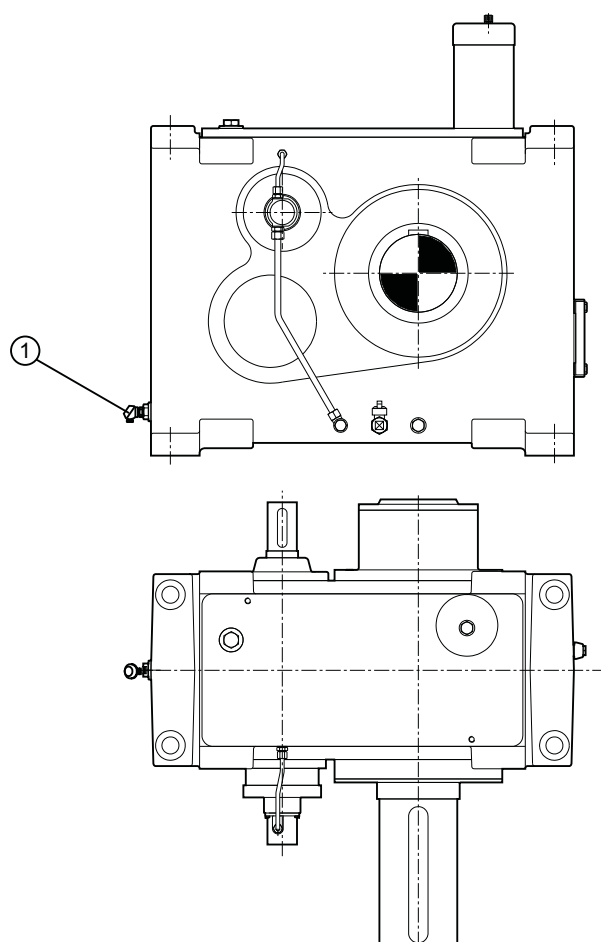
Further information, a detailed illustration of the gear unit and the position of the mounted components can be found in the dimension drawing in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

3.9 Oil temperature monitoring

Depending on the order specification, the gear unit can be fitted with a Pt 100 resistance thermometer for measuring the oil temperature in the oil sump.

To measure temperatures or temperature differences, connect the Pt 100 resistance thermometer to an evaluation unit (to be supplied by the customer). The resistance thermometer is fitted with a connector head for the wiring. A two-wire circuit is provided from the factory, but the customer can also install a three- or four-wire circuit.

The following diagram shows an oil temperature monitor mounted on the gear unit:



① Pt 100 resistance thermometer

Figure 3-7 U_oil temperature monitoring system for type SZNK gear units

Further information

Further information, a detailed illustration of the gear unit and the position of the mounted components can be found in the dimension drawing in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

3.9 Oil temperature monitoring

Further information about oil temperature monitoring (such as control instructions) and the technical data can be found in the operating instructions for the oil temperature monitor and in the list of equipment in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

Application planning

4.1 Scope of delivery

The scope of delivery is listed in the shipping documents. Immediately upon receiving the gearbox, check that everything has been delivered. Report any damaged and/or missing parts to Customer Services (Page 71) immediately.



WARNING

Serious injury through defective product

Serious injury may occur.

If the gearbox exhibits any visible damage, you should not put it into operation.

4.2 Transport

General information

The gear unit is delivered fully assembled. Additional items such as shrink disks, couplings, oil coolers, pipework and valves may be delivered separately packaged, as necessary.

When transporting the gear unit, observe the following instructions to avoid damaging the gear unit:

- Always use suitable equipment to transport the gear unit.
- Transport the gear unit without oil filling and leave it in the transport packaging.
- Do not use incorrect attachment points.
The threads in the end faces of the shaft ends may not be used for attaching lifting equipment.
- Do not use the pipework to move the gear unit.
- Ensure that the lifting equipment is adequately designed to accommodate the weight of the gear unit.


! WARNING
Risk of crushing

There is a risk of being crushed by a component that becomes detached because the hoisting gear and load suspension device are not suitable for handling it.

When lifting, please observe the load distribution information on the packaging.

When the product is in a raised position, transport it slowly and carefully to avoid injury to persons or damage to the gear unit.

- When transporting the gear unit ensure that it is not damaged.

NOTICE
Damage to the gear unit

When transporting the gear unit, the packing and/or the gear unit paint coating can be damaged.

When the product is in a raised position, transport it slowly and carefully to avoid damaging the packing and/or the paint coating.

NOTICE
Damage to the gear unit caused by shock applied to the free shaft ends

The gear unit can be damaged due to shock applied to the free shaft ends.

When the product is in a raised position, transport it slowly and carefully to avoid injury to persons or damage to the gear unit.

Avoid that the free shaft ends are subject to any shock or load.

Attaching the gear unit

To transport the gear unit, only attach slings to the marked attachment points that are provided for this purpose.

Please observe the following when attaching slings to the load or raising, lowering or moving it:

- Do not exceed the specified load limits
- If you are using a load suspension device with several load hooks, make sure that the load is evenly distributed between them
- Note the eccentric centre of gravity
- Make sure that the lifting equipment is securely attached
- Keep your speed down when moving the load
- Do not allow the load to sway and do not attach the load to objects or structures inside the building

- Loads must not be suspended from the tip of a load hook
- Always place the products down on a level, non-slip and stable base



! DANGER

Falling load

There is a risk of fatal injury from falling loads if these have not been securely attached to the lifting equipment.

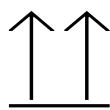
Never stand or sit under suspended loads. Do not exceed the load limits of the lifting equipment.

Packaging

The gear unit is delivered fully assembled. Additional equipment is also delivered separately packaged, as necessary.

The gear unit may be packed in various forms, depending on the size of the unit and method of transport.

Please adhere to the symbols applied on the packaging.



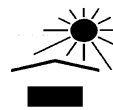
This way up



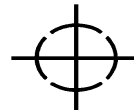
Fragile
....



Keep
dry



Keep
cool



Centre of
gravity



Do not
use hand hooks



Attach here

Figure 4-1 Transport symbols

4.3 Attachment points

Lifting eyes

Lifting eyes are fitted to the gear unit to assist with its transportation during manufacture and installation.

Carefully ensure that the angle of the vertical load at the gear units lifting eyes does not exceed 45°.

Position of attachment points

Only attach the gear unit at the lifting eyes provided for this purpose on the gear unit.

The diagram below shows the position of the attachment points for gear units, type SZNK:

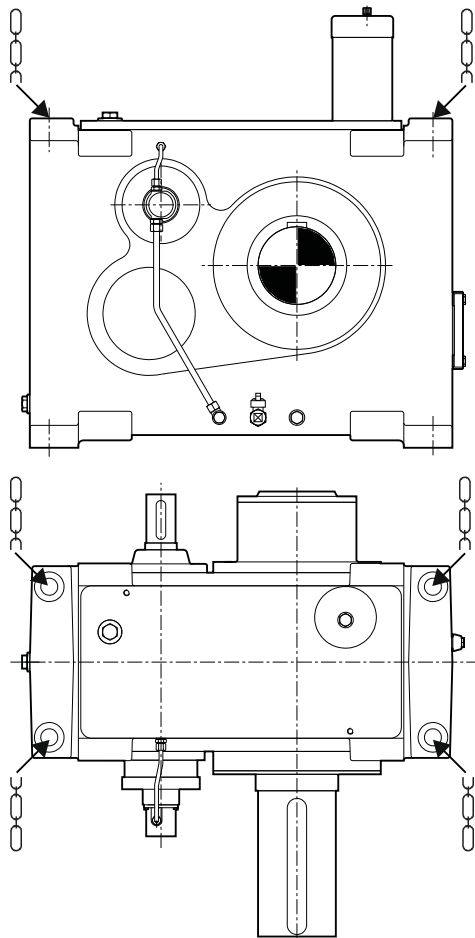


Figure 4-2 Attachment points for gear units, type SZNK

Drive units with additional components mounted on the gear unit (such as drive motor, coupling, etc.) may require an extra attachment point owing to the shift of the centre of gravity caused by the mounted components.

Further information

Further information, a detailed illustration of the gear unit and the position of the attachment points can be found in the dimension drawings in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

4.4 Special aspects of gear unit lubrication and preservation

4.4.1 Oil filling and oil drain

The diagram below shows the oil filling points and the oil draining points for a backstop:

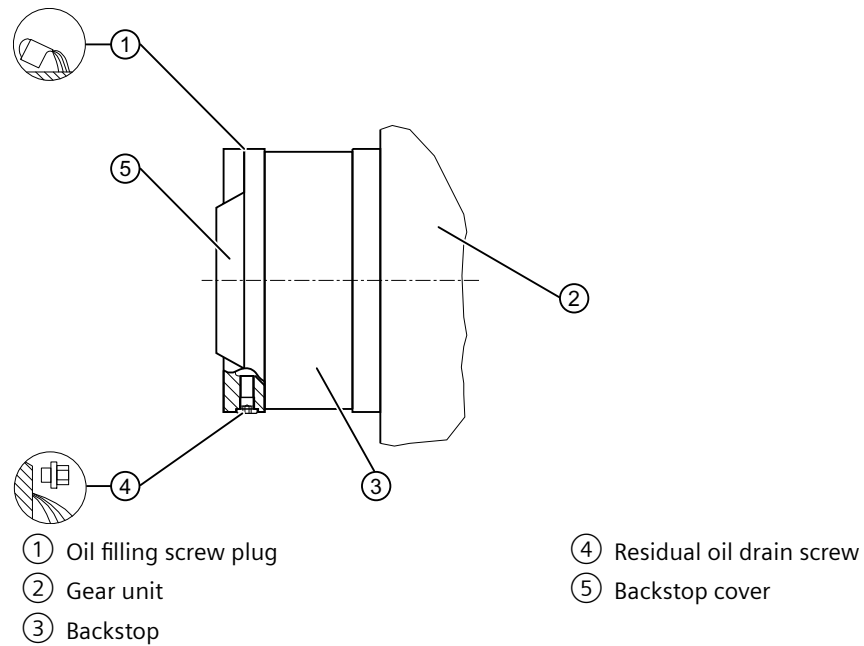


Figure 4-3 Oil filling points and oil draining points for a backstop

The diagram below shows the oil filling points and the oil draining points for gear unit type SZNK

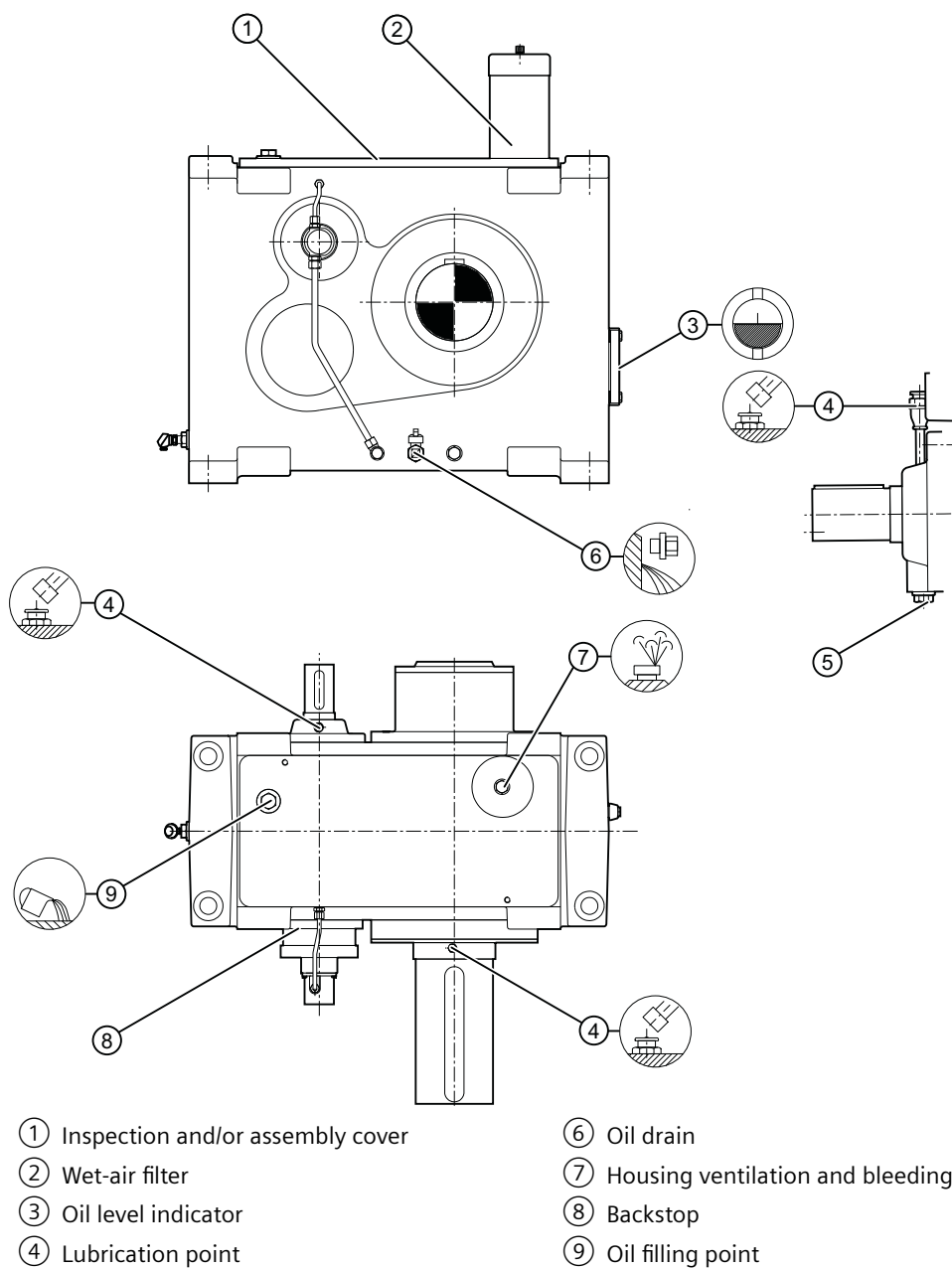


Figure 4-4 Oil filling and draining points on the SZNK type gear unit

Further information

Further information and a detailed illustrated description of the gear unit can be found in the dimension drawing in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

Assembly

5.1 General assembly instructions

The assembly work must be performed very carefully by authorised, trained and suitably instructed personnel. Liability will be disclaimed for damage caused by the incorrect performance of this work.

Requirements

Improper use can damage the gear unit. Be sure to take the following precautions:

- Protect the gear unit against falling objects and from becoming covered over.
- Do not perform any welding work anywhere on the drive.
- Do not use the gear unit as an earthing point for electric-welding operations.
- Use all of the fastening points fitted to the particular unit design.
- Replace any bolts that are no longer fit for use by new bolts of the same strength class and type.
- Make sure that sufficient hoisting gear is available.

Mounting position and attachment points

During the actual planning phase, be sure to allow for sufficient space around the gear unit to enable subsequent upkeep and maintenance work. Take suitable measures to ensure that unhindered convection across the housing surface is possible so that the gear unit does not overheat. Leave sufficient space to allow a free flow of air into gear units that are equipped with a fan.

The positions of the attachment points are shown in the dimension drawing. To ensure that the unit is properly lubricated during operation, please observe the mounting position specified in the dimension drawings.

NOTICE

Heating of the gear unit by external heat sources

The gear unit must not be heated by external heat sources (exposure to direct sunlight, for example) while it is in operation and measures must be taken where necessary to protect it.

You can take the following measures to protect the gear unit against this hazard:

- A sun shield
- An additional cooling device
- A temperature monitoring device with trip function in the oil sump

If you use a sun shield, this may cause a build-up of heat.

5.2 Unpacking the gear unit

If you use a temperature monitoring device, it must be capable of issuing an alarm when the maximum permissible oil sump temperature is reached. It must also be capable of tripping the drive when the maximum permissible oil sump temperature is exceeded. The operator's process might be interrupted when the drive is shut down.



WARNING

Ignition of vapours emitted from solvents.

There is a risk of injury due to ignition of vapours emitted from solvents when carrying out cleaning work.

Please note the following:

- Ensure adequate ventilation.
- Do not smoke.

5.2 Unpacking the gear unit

Introduction

The scope of delivery is listed in the shipping documents.

WARNING

Severe injury caused by the content of the packing sliding

When opening the packing in which the part is transported, there is a risk of being crushed.

While being transported, the content of the packing can slide.

Carefully open the packing.

Wear suitable protective equipment (gloves, safety goggles).

WARNING

Risk of serious injury due to defective product

A defective gear unit can result in serious injury.

Do not put the gear unit into operation if any damage is visible.

Contact Customer Services.

Requirement

Check that everything has been delivered immediately upon receipt.

NOTICE
Damage to the gear unit due to corrosion
Exposing the gear unit to moisture can result in damage from corrosion.
Do not damage or open the packaging prematurely if the packaging is designed to preserve the unit.

Procedure

To unpack and use the gear unit, proceed as follows:

1. Remove packaging and transport devices in accordance with regulations.
2. Perform a visual inspection for damage and accumulations of dirt.
3. Immediately report any damaged and/or missing parts to Customer Services.
4. Dispose of packaging material and transport devices in accordance with regulations.

5.3 Gear unit assembly

5.3.1 Foundation

Properties of the foundation

The foundation must have the following properties:

- Horizontal and level
- Stability
- Designed for torsional rigidity
- Reaction forces from the gear unit must be braced

Requirements of the foundation

The foundation must meet the following requirements:

- Construct the foundation in such a way that it does not generate any resonance vibrations and that it is isolated against the transmission of vibrations from adjacent foundations.
- Design the foundation according to the relevant weight and torque, taking into account the forces acting on the gear unit.

- Align the foundation carefully with the equipment installed on the input and output sides of the gear unit.
In order to guarantee absolute distortion-free operation for a multi-motor drive, ensure that the motors are absolutely precisely aligned to the gear unit. For distortion-free operation, it is crucial that the motors run in absolute synchronism.
- Take into account any elastic deformation that may be caused by operating forces.
- Install lateral stops to prevent displacement if external forces are acting on the gear unit.

NOTICE

Lack of stable foundation for the gear unit

Damage to the gear unit is possible if it is not mounted on a stable foundation.

Use bolts of at least strength class 8.8. Information and guidance on the tightening torque can be found in chapter Tightening procedure (Page 52). Tighten the fastening bolts and nuts to the specified tightening torque. When tightening the fastening bolts, make sure that the gear unit is free of mechanical stress.

Further information

Further information about dimensions, space requirements and arrangement of supply connections can be found in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

5.3.2 Description of assembly work



CAUTION

Risk of chemical burns due to chemical substances

There is a risk of chemical burns when handling aggressive cleaning agents.

Please observe the manufacturer's guidelines on how to handle cleaning agents and solvents. Wear suitable protective equipment (gloves, safety goggles). Please use binding agents to immediately clear up any spilt solvent.

Improper use can damage the gear unit. Be sure to take the following precautions:

- Use a suitable cleaning agent to remove the corrosion protection from the shafts and mounting surfaces.
- Do not allow the cleaning agent to come into contact with the shaft-sealing rings.
- Mount the input and output elements (e.g. coupling components) onto the shafts and lock them securely. See chapter Couplings (Page 47).
- Use suitable hoisting gear to place the gear unit in position.

Further information

Further information about removing the corrosion protection can be found in the operating instructions BA 7300 in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

Further information about attaching gear units to hoisting gear in cases where the gear weight necessitates the use of hoisting gear can be found in chapter Application planning (Page 33).

If a gear unit with mounted components needs to be transported, it may require additional attachment points. The position of these attachment points can be found in the order-specific dimension drawing in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

Gap dimension at grease labyrinth

The following figure shows the gap dimension at the grease labyrinth:

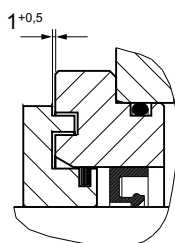


Figure 5-1 Gap dimension at grease labyrinth

NOTICE

Sparking, inadmissible temperature rise and shaft seal wear due to insufficient gap dimension

An insufficient gap dimension can cause sparking, inadmissible temperature rise and shaft seal wear.

If the shaft is sealed by Taconite or Tacolab seals, make sure that the set gap dimension of $1^{+0.5}$ mm at the grease labyrinth is not altered when the input and output elements (e.g. coupling parts) are installed. Rotating and stationary parts must not touch.

5.3.3 Mounting the gear unit on the housing mounting foot

5.3.3.1 Installation on a foundation frame

Use of incorrect attachment points

Use of incorrect attachment points may result in damage to the gear unit. To transport the gear unit, only attach slings to the attachment points provided for this purpose.

The threads in the end faces of the shaft ends may not be used for attaching lifting equipment. Lifting equipment must be adequately designed to accommodate the weight of the gear unit.

Requirements

The following requirements must be fulfilled before the assembly work commences:

- The foundation must be horizontal and level.
- When tightening the fastening bolts, make sure that the gear unit is free of mechanical stress.

NOTICE

Poor stability

Damage to the gear unit is possible if it is not mounted on a stable foundation.

The foundation frame must be horizontal and level.

It is particularly important that the surface on which the gear unit is mounted is level because this determines the contact pattern of the teeth and the load on the bearings, and so has an influence on the service life of the gear unit.

All points on the gear unit mounting surface must lie between two imaginary parallel planes that are 0.1 mm per 1 m apart.

Procedure

To install the gear unit on a foundation frame, proceed as follows:

1. Clean the underside of the gear unit feet.
2. Use suitable hoisting gear to set the gear unit down on the foundation frame.
3. Tighten the foundation bolts to the specified tightening torque (Page 52). If necessary, install stops to prevent displacement.
4. Align the gear unit precisely with the input and output equipment.
5. Record the alignment dimensions.
6. Keep the report in a safe place together with these operating instructions.

NOTICE

Damage caused by unevenly tightening the fastening bolts

The gear unit can be damaged by unevenly tightening the fastening bolts.

Evenly tighten the fastening bolts. When tightening the fastening bolts, make sure that the gear unit is free of mechanical stress.

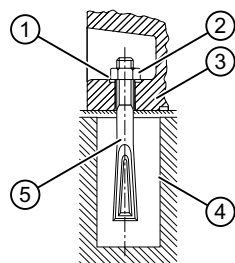
5.3.3.2 Mounting on a concrete foundation using stone bolts or foundation blocks

Requirement

The lower side of the gear unit mounting feet must be clean.

Mounting a gear unit using stone bolts

The following diagram shows a stone bolt:



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|------------------|--------------|
| ① Washer | ④ Foundation |
| ② Hexagon nut | ⑤ Stone bolt |
| ③ Gear unit foot | |

Figure 5-2 Stone bolt

Proceed as follows to mount the gear unit using stone bolts:

1. Attach the stone bolts with washers and hexagon nuts in the foundation mounting points in the gear unit housing.
2. Using a suitable crane or lifting gear, place the gear unit down on the concrete foundation.
3. Align the gear unit so that the input and output shafts are horizontal using shims.
4. For higher external forces, if necessary, use lateral stops to prevent the gear unit shifting.
5. Pour concrete into the recesses in the concrete foundation for the stone bolts.
6. After the concrete has set, tighten the hexagon nuts of the stone bolts with the specified tightening torque (Page 52).
7. Record the alignment dimensions and keep the report in a safe place together with these operating instructions.

NOTICE

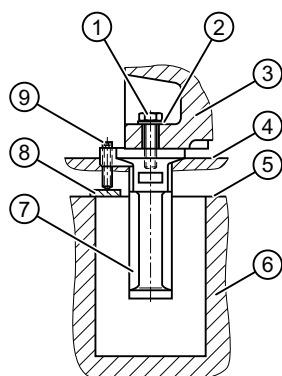
Damage caused by unevenly tightening the hexagon nuts

The gear unit can be damaged by unevenly tightening the hexagon nuts.

Evenly tighten the hexagon nuts. Ensure that the gear unit is not deformed or distorted when tightening the fastening bolts.

Mounting gear units using foundation blocks

The following diagram shows a foundation block:



- | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------|
| ① Fastening bolt | ⑥ Foundation |
| ② Washer | ⑦ Foundation block |
| ③ Gear unit foot | ⑧ Flat steel plate |
| ④ Height of the completed foundation | ⑨ Set screw |
| ⑤ Height of the prepared foundation | |

Figure 5-3 Foundation block

Proceed as follows to mount the gear unit using foundation blocks:

1. Attach the stone bolts or foundation blocks with washers and fastening bolts in the foundation mounting points in the gear unit housing.
2. Tighten the fastening bolts until the housing feet are lying flat on the foundation blocks.
3. Using a suitable crane or lifting gear, place the gear unit down on the concrete foundation.
4. Align the gear unit so that the input and output shafts are horizontal using the set screws (if available).
5. For higher external forces, if necessary, use lateral stops to prevent the gear unit shifting.
6. Before casting the foundation, close the openings in the foundation blocks using a suitable material (e.g. using polystyrene).
7. Pour concrete into the recesses in the concrete foundation for the foundation blocks.
8. After the concrete has set, tighten the fastening bolts of the foundation blocks with the specified tightening torque (Page 52).
9. Record the alignment dimensions and keep the report in a safe place together with these operating instructions.

NOTICE

Damage caused by unevenly tightening the fastening bolts

The gear unit can be damaged by unevenly tightening the fastening bolts.

Evenly tighten the fastening bolts. Ensure that the gear unit is not deformed or distorted when tightening the fastening bolts.

5.4 Couplings

Introduction

Improper use can damage the gear unit. Be sure to take the following precautions:

- If necessary, carry out the following preparatory work in accordance with the operating instructions for the coupling:
 - Machine the finished bore
 - Mill the parallel keyway
 - Fit the axial locking element
 - Balance
- Align the individual components precisely with one another.
- Refer to the operating instructions for the coupling for instructions on how to install, maintain and operate the coupling.

WARNING
Danger of injury due to coupling rupture Flying fragments can cause fatal injury. Observe the operating instructions for the couplings.

NOTICE
Serious or irreparable damage to the gear unit and coupling caused by inaccurate or incorrect alignment Failure to accurately or correctly align the gear unit and coupling may result in serious or irreparable damage to both components. Align the individual components precisely with one another when installing the drives. Make sure that the maximum permissible displacement values are not exceeded during operation.

Further information

Further information about the coupling can be found in the operating instructions for the coupling in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

5.4.1 Assembling the coupling

Introduction

The method used to assemble the coupling varies according to type. The procedure described in these operating instructions is general rather than specific to one type of coupling.

Assemble the coupling as described in the operating instructions for the specific coupling.

Improper use can damage the gear unit. Be sure to take the following precautions:

- Do not use force (hammer blows, etc.) to fit the coupling parts as this can cause internal damage to the gear unit.
- Take care not to damage the shaft sealing rings or shaft running surfaces when fitting the coupling parts.

Procedure

To fit the coupling, proceed as follows:

1. Carefully clean the shaft ends and the coupling parts.
2. Use a suitable fixture to mount the coupling parts on the shaft ends.
3. Lock the coupling parts to prevent axial displacement.
4. Move the machines to be coupled close to one another and then align them (Page 49).
5. Join the coupling parts together.

Heating coupling parts prior to mounting

Depending on the order specification, it may be necessary to heat the coupling parts before mounting them.



WARNING

Risk of burns

Possible risk of serious burn injury from hot surfaces (> 55 °C).

Wear suitable protective gloves and protective clothing.

Improper use can damage the gear unit. Be sure to take the following precautions:

- The required joining temperatures can be found in the dimension drawings in the operating instructions for the coupling
- Unless otherwise instructed, heat the coupling parts by an induction heater, with a torch or in an oven.
- Use heat shields designed to protect against radiant heat in order to safeguard the shaft sealing rings against damage or heating to above 100 °C.
- Quickly fit the coupling parts on the shafts. The mounting dimensions can be found in the dimension drawings in the operating instructions for the coupling.

Gear units with hollow output shaft or flanged output shaft

There is no need to install the output-side coupling for gear units with a hollow output shaft or flanged output shaft.

Mount gear units with hollow output shaft onto the shafts of the customer's driven machine.
Use a mating flange to mount gear units with flanged output shaft onto the shaft of the customer's driven machine.

Further information

Further information about the coupling can be found in the operating instructions for the coupling in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

5.4.2 Aligning the coupling

Introduction

The coupling parts might become misaligned as a result of:

- Failure to accurately align the parts during assembly
- During operation:
 - Due to thermal expansion
 - Due to shaft deflection
 - Due to machine frames that are too soft

Improper use can damage the gear unit or the coupling. Be sure to take the following precautions:

- Make sure that the maximum permissible displacement values are not exceeded during operation.
 - If you are using couplings supplied by Flender, you will find the maximum permissible misalignment values in the operating instructions for the coupling.
 - If you are using couplings supplied by other manufacturers, contact them and ask them for the maximum permissible displacement values, making sure that you specify the potential radial loads for your application. Keep the operating instructions for the coupling together with these operating instructions.
- Angular and radial displacement might occur simultaneously.
Make sure that the total value of both displacements does not exceed the maximum permissible angular or radial displacement value.

The diagram below illustrates the potential displacements:

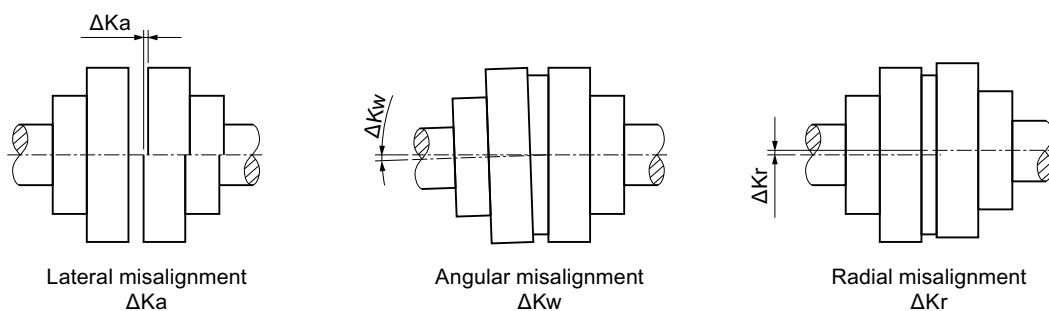


Figure 5-4 Possible displacements

Alignment

Align the individual components in two mutually perpendicular axial planes. The following can be used as alignment tools:

- Ruler (radial displacement)
- Feeler gauge (angular displacement)
- Spirit level
- Dial gauge
- Laser alignment system

You will achieve a greater degree of alignment accuracy by using a dial gauge or laser alignment system.

The diagram below shows the alignment process based on the example of a flexible coupling:

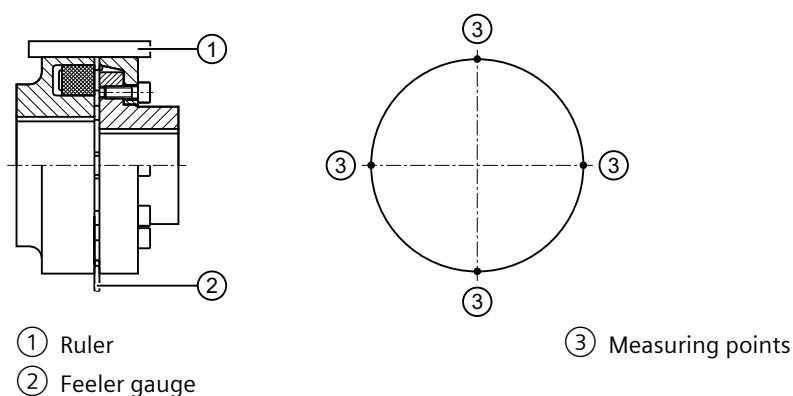


Figure 5-5 Alignment, based on the example of a flexible coupling

Note

It is advisable to insert shims or metal sheets under the mounting feet in order to align the drive components in the vertical direction. It is helpful to use support paws with adjusting screws on the foundation to adjust the drive components laterally.

Gear unit with motor bell housing

If the gear unit and the motor are connected through a motor bell housing, no alignment of the couplings is necessary.

Further information

Further information about the permissible alignment errors can be found in the coupling operating instructions in the complete documentation for the gear unit, or contact the manufacturer in question.

5.5 Connecting components

5.5.1 Gear units with mounted components

Depending on the order specification, the gear unit can be equipped with various components.

Connect the closed-loop control and open-loop control electrical devices corresponding to the specifications of the device supplier.

Further information

You can find additional information on operation and maintenance in the associated operating instructions, provided in the complete gear unit documentation.

You can find the technical data of the mounted components in the contract-list of equipment provided in the complete gear unit documentation.

5.5.2 Connecting the oil temperature monitor

Procedure

To connect the Pt 100 resistance thermometer, proceed as follows:

1. Check that the Pt 100 resistance thermometer connection is not damaged.
2. Install the electrical wiring between the Pt 100 resistance thermometer and the evaluation unit. The customer is responsible for providing the evaluation unit.

Further information

Further information about the Pt 100 resistance thermometer can be found in the Pt 100 resistance thermometer operating instructions in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

5.5.3 Electrical connections

Procedure



DANGER

Electric shock

Live parts can cause electric shock.

Ensure that the entire plant is de-energised before starting electrical installation work.
Carefully observe the five safety rules (Page 13).

To connect the motors and monitoring devices, proceed as follows:

1. Ensure that the connections of the motors and monitoring devices are not damaged.
2. Connect the motors and monitoring devices according to the terminal diagram.

Further information

You can find additional information about the electrical connections in the terminal diagrams and equipment lists provided in the complete gear unit documentation.

5.6 Tightening procedure

5.6.1 Introduction

Bolts

The bolts must have the following properties:

- Made of steel
- Black-annealed or phosphatised
- Lightly oiled (do not add additional oil)

Note

Replacing bolts

Replace any bolts that are no longer fit for use by bolts of the same type and strength class.

Mating threads

The mating threads must have the following properties:

- Made of steel or cast iron
- Dry, cut threads

Note

Using a lubricant

As a rule, lubricants may not be used, because this can result in the bolt connection becoming overloaded.

5.6.2 Bolt connection classes

In order to affix fastening bolts, note the information in the following table:

Table 5-1 Information on tightening fastening bolts

Mounting	Bolt connection class	Scatter of the torque emitted on the tool	Tightening procedure
Gear unit Motor Brake Torque arm	C	$\pm 5\%$ to $\pm 10\%$	• Hydraulic tightening with mechanical screwdriver • Torque-controlled tightening with a torque wrench or a signal-emitting torque wrench • Tightening with a precision mechanical screwdriver with dynamic torque measurement
	D	$\pm 10\%$ to $\pm 20\%$	• Torque-controlled tightening with mechanical screwdriver
Protection cover Sun shield	E	$\pm 20\%$ to $\pm 50\%$	• Tightening with pulse screwdriver or impact wrench, without adjustment checking device • Tightening by hand, using a wrench without torque measuring device

Further information

You can find additional information about tightening torques when mounting motor and brake in the operating instructions from the particular manufacturer.

5.6.3 Tightening torques and preload forces

The specified bolted connections must be tightened to the torques stated in the table below:

The tightening torques apply to friction values of $\mu_{\text{total}} = 0.14$.

The following table lists the preload forces and tightening torques for bolt connections, strength classes 8.8; 10.9; 12.9:

Table 5-2 Preload forces and tightening torques

Nominal thread diameter	Bolt strength class	Preload force for bolt connection classes from the table in chapter Bolt connection classes (Page 53).			Tightening torque for bolt connection classes from the table in chapter Bolt connection classes (Page 53)		
		C	D	E	C	D	E
		$F_{M \text{ min.}}$ N			M_A Nm		
M10	8.8	18 000	11 500	7 200	44.6	38.4	34.3
	10.9	26 400	16 900	10 600	65.4	56.4	50.4
	12.9	30 900	19 800	12 400	76.5	66.0	58.9
M12	8.8	26 300	16 800	10 500	76.7	66.1	59.0
	10.9	38 600	24 700	15 400	113	97.1	86.6
	12.9	45 100	28 900	18 100	132	114	101
M16	8.8	49 300	31 600	19 800	186	160	143
	10.9	72 500	46 400	29 000	273	235	210
	12.9	85 000	54 400	34 000	320	276	246
M20	8.8	77 000	49 200	30 800	364	313	280
	10.9	110 000	70 400	44 000	520	450	400
	12.9	129 000	82 400	51 500	609	525	468
M24	8.8	109 000	69 600	43 500	614	530	470
	10.9	155 000	99 200	62 000	875	755	675
	12.9	181 000	116 000	72 500	1 020	880	790
M30	8.8	170 000	109 000	68 000	1 210	1 040	930
	10.9	243 000	155 000	97 000	1 720	1 480	1 330
	12.9	284 000	182 000	114 000	2 010	1 740	1 550
M36	8.8	246 000	157 000	98 300	2 080	1 790	1 600
	10.9	350 000	224 000	140 000	2 960	2 550	2 280
	12.9	409 000	262 000	164 000	3 460	2 980	2 670
M42	8.8	331 000	212 000	132 000	3 260	2 810	2 510
	10.9	471 000	301 000	188 000	4 640	4 000	3 750
	12.9	551 000	352 000	220 000	5 430	4 680	4 180
M48	8.8	421 000	269 000	168 000	4 750	4 090	3 650
	10.9	599 000	383 000	240 000	6 760	5 820	5 200
	12.9	700 000	448 000	280 000	7 900	6 810	6 080

Nominal thread diameter	Bolt strength class	Preload force for bolt connection classes from the table in chapter Bolt connection classes (Page 53).			Tightening torque for bolt connection classes from the table in chapter Bolt connection classes (Page 53)		
d mm		C	D	E	C	D	E
		$F_{M \min.}$ N			M_A Nm		
M56	8.8	568 000	363 000	227 000	7 430	6 400	5 710
	10.9	806 000	516 000	323 000	10 500	9 090	8 120
	12.9	944 000	604 000	378 000	12 300	10 600	9 500
M64	8.8	744 000	476 000	298 000	11 000	9 480	8 460
	10.9	1 060 000	676 000	423 000	15 600	13 500	12 000
	12.9	1 240 000	792 000	495 000	18 300	15 800	14 100
M72x6	8.8	944 000	604 000	378 000	15 500	13 400	11 900
	10.9	1 340 000	856 000	535 000	22 000	18 900	16 900
	12.9	1 570 000	1 000 000	628 000	25 800	22 200	19 800
M80x6	8.8	1 190 000	760 000	475 000	21 500	18 500	16 500
	10.9	1 690 000	1 100 000	675 000	30 500	26 400	23 400
	12.9	1 980 000	1 360 000	790 000	35 700	31 400	27 400
M90x6	8.8	1 510 000	968 000	605 000	30 600	26 300	23 500
	10.9	2 150 000	1 380 000	860 000	43 500	37 500	33 400
	12.9	2 520 000	1 600 000	1 010 000	51 000	43 800	39 200
M100x6	8.8	1 880 000	1 200 000	750 000	42 100	36 200	32 300
	10.9	2 670 000	1 710 000	1 070 000	60 000	51 600	46 100
	12.9	3 130 000	2 000 000	1 250 000	70 000	60 400	53 900

5.7 Final work

Measures

Once all the components have been assembled or connected, perform the following final work:

- Check whether all devices dismantled for transportation have been reassembled.
- Check all bolt connections for tightness after installation of the gear unit has been completed.
- Check the alignment after tightening the fastening elements. The alignment must not have changed in any way.
- Lock the oil drain valves against accidental opening.
- Protect the gear unit against falling objects.
- Check that the guards over rotating parts are securely fastened.
Contact (accidental or deliberate) with rotating parts is not permitted.

- Perform potential equalisation in accordance with the applicable regulations and guidelines. If no threaded holes are available on the gear unit for an earth connection, please take suitable alternative measures. This work must always be done by specialist electricians.
- Protect the cable entries against penetrating moisture.

Further information

Further information about the gear unit and all assembled elements can be found in the operating instructions for assembled elements in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

You can find additional technical specifications in the separate data sheet in the complete gear unit documentation.

Commissioning

6.1 Measures prior to commissioning

Take the following measures before commissioning the gear unit:

- Read and observe the operating instructions.
- Replace the screw plug with the air filter or the wet-air filter. Read operating instructions BA 7300 for further information.
- Gear units with backstop: Observe the appropriate measures prior to commissioning gear units equipped with backstop.
- Fill the gear unit with oil.
- Check the oil level.
- Check the gear unit for leaks.
- Ensure that all pipes and components are filled with oil.

Further information

Further information about oil and replacement of air filters can be found in the operating instructions BA 7300 in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

Further information about individual components can be found in the operating instructions for the components in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

6.1.1 Gear unit with backstop

Take the following measures before commissioning the gear unit with backstop:

- Fill the backstop with oil (Page 65).
- Check that the backstop can be easily rotated in the free-wheeling direction without having to exert excessive force. When doing this, observe the direction of rotation arrows at the gear unit.
- Before connecting the motor, identify the phase sequence of the three-phase mains. Connect the motor corresponding to the defined direction of rotation.

NOTICE

The backstop and the gear unit can be damaged

If you operate the gear unit adversely to the blocking direction of the backstop, the backstop and the gear unit can be damaged.

Do not operate the gear unit adversely to the blocking direction of the backstop. Observe the information on the plate attached to the gear unit.

6.2 Measures during commissioning

Please observe the following measures to commission the gear unit and document these:

- Check the oil level.
- Measure the oil sump temperature (Page 64) after the gear unit has run in.
- Check that the shaft seal on the gear unit does not leak.
- Check that no contact with rotating parts is possible.
- Check whether the shutoff valves are open.
 - Check that all of the oil drain valves are closed.
 - Ensure that all of the other shutoff valves are open.
- Check all the connection lines are securely tightened and leak-free.
- For gear units with bearing monitoring by measuring the vibration: Measure the vibration levels of the rolling-contact bearings (Page 65) to create initial and comparison values.
- When commissioning, the pressure monitor signal should be bypassed for approximately 20 seconds. This is necessary as the pressure in the gear unit must first stabilise.

Further information

You can find additional information on the topic of oil in the operating instructions BA 7300, provided in the complete gear unit documentation.

Further information about the oil supply system can be found in the oil supply system operating instructions in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

Operation

7.1 Operating data

Introduction

To ensure correct, trouble-free operation of the system, observe the operating data of the gear unit. The valid operating data can be found in the annex Technical data.

The following operating data apply to the oil:

Table 7-1 Operating data

Maximum operating temperature	90 °C	is applicable for mineral oil, API groups I or II
Maximum operating temperature	100 °C	is applicable for semi-synthetic oils, API group III, PAO and PG oils

Further information

You can find additional technical data of the gear unit in the separate data sheet and in the equipment list in the complete gear unit documentation.

7.2 Irregularities in operation

Introduction

Switch off the drive assembly immediately if it exhibits irregular behaviour during operation.

A few irregularities are listed below as examples:

- Oil temperature exceeds the maximum permissible value
- Alarm tripped by the pressure monitor in the oil cooling system or oil supply system
- Unusual operating noise

NOTICE

Faults can cause damage to the gear unit

The gear unit might sustain damage if it is not shut down when a fault occurs.

Switch off the drive assembly immediately if any fault condition develops.

Rectifying irregularities in operation

Proceed as follows to rectify any irregularities in operation:

1. Switch off the drive assembly if it exhibits irregular behaviour during operation.
2. Refer to the Fault information (Page 66) to find the cause of the fault.
3. If you still cannot determine the fault cause, contact Flender Customer Services.

7.3 Taking the unit out of service

If you take the unit out of service for a prolonged period, you must take the following measures depending on the length of time that the gear unit will remain out of service:

- Switch off the drive assembly.
- Take measures to preserve the gear unit if it is to be out of service for a prolonged period. Follow the procedure described in operating instructions BA 7300.

8.1 General maintenance information

The operator must ensure compliance with the stipulated time limits. This also applies if the maintenance activities are included in the operator's internal maintenance schedules.

The gear unit could be damaged if the stipulated time limits for maintenance and servicing are not observed.

The time limits stipulated in the maintenance schedule are largely dependent on the conditions of use of the gear unit. For this reason, it is only possible to state average time limits here. These refer to the following conditions of use:

- Daily operating time 24 h
- Duty cycle "ED" 100%
- Gear unit input speed 1500 rpm
- Permissible average oil temperature (Page 59)



WARNING

Danger to life due to live system

Working on a gear unit while it is in operation is hazardous and can result in potentially fatal injuries.

Always shut down the gear unit and any oil supply system (whether separate or mounted on the gear unit) before you carry out any work. Take measures to prevent the accidental restarting of the drive assembly. Display a warning notice that clearly states that work is being carried out on the gear unit.

8.2 Maintenance schedule

Maintenance and servicing activities

The following table provides an overview of all maintenance and servicing activities which you are required to perform continuously or at regular intervals.

Table 8-1 Maintenance and servicing activities

Intervals and time limits	Measures
As required	Replace the wet-air filter Clean the air filter Clean the fan and gear unit
Plate on the gear unit, gear unit dimension drawing	Replace the backstop
Daily	Check the oil temperature Check the oil pressure (if pressure lubrication is fitted) Check for changes in the gear unit noise
Monthly and prior to every start-up	Check for leaks Check the oil level
400 operating hours after commissioning	Check the water content of the oil Change the oil (or depending on results of the oil sample test) Check that all of the fastening bolts are tight
Every 3 months	Check the speed monitoring of the auxiliary drive Check the auxiliary drive Clean the oil filter Clean the air filter
Every 3 000 operating hours	Measure the vibration levels of the rolling-contact bearings
Every 3 000 operating hours, at least every 6 months	Regrease taconite seals Regrease Tacolab seals
Every 5 000 operating hours, at least every 10 months	Replenish grease in the oil retaining pipe
Every 12 months	Check the friction linings of the torque-limiting backstop Inspect the hose lines Inspect the shrink disk Check the water content of the oil
Every 10 000 operating hours, at least every 2 years	Change the oil if using mineral oil of API Group I or II or saturated synthetic esters (or depending on the result of the oil sample test) Check the air-oil cooler (the same time as you change the oil) Check the water-oil cooler (the same time as you change the oil)

Intervals and time limits	Measures
Every 2 years	Carry out a general inspection of the gear unit Check the cooling coil Check that all of the fastening bolts are tight Clean the fan and gear unit
Every 20 000 operating hours, at least every 4 years	Change the oil if using semi-synthetic oil of API Group III, PAO or PG oil (or depending on the result of the oil sample test)
6 years after the specified date of manufacture	Change the hoses

Further information

Further information about additional maintenance and servicing activities can be found in the separate data sheet in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

Further information about installed components can be found in the operating instructions for the components in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

8.3 Maintenance and servicing work

Introduction

You can find maintenance and servicing measures relating to gear unit lubrication and preservation, which are not provided in this chapter, in BA 7300 in the complete gear unit documentation.

8.3.1 Cleaning the gear unit

Introduction

Layers of dust may affect the dissipation of heat through the surface of the gear unit, resulting in overheating. Depending on the operating conditions, it may therefore be necessary to clean the gear unit more frequently than stated in the maintenance schedule.

Procedure

To clean the gear unit, proceed as follows:

1. Use a hard brush to remove any stubborn dirt from the gear unit. Never use a high-pressure cleaning device or water.
2. Remove any spots of corrosion.

8.3.2 Checking the oil temperature

Damage to the gear unit due to excessively high oil sump temperatures.

The gear unit can sustain damage due to inadequate lubrication if you allow it to operate at oil sump temperatures above the maximum permissible temperature.

Do not operate the gear unit above the maximum permissible oil sump temperature.

Procedure

Proceed as follows to check the oil temperature:

1. Allow the gear unit to reach its normal operating temperature.
2. Operate the gear unit with the maximum driven machine power.
3. Measure the temperature of the oil in the oil sump.
4. Compare the measured value with the maximum permissible oil temperature (Page 59).
5. Immediately stop the gear unit if the maximum permissible oil temperature is exceeded. Contact Flender Customer Services.

8.3.3 Replacing the backstop

Introduction

If you operate the gear unit at speeds below the disengagement speed of the backstop, then you must regularly replace the backstop.

The replacement intervals are provided in the dimension drawing and on a plate attached to the gear unit. This plate is attached to the gear unit housing close to the backstop.

Procedure

Proceed as follows to replace the backstop:

1. Replace the backstop.
2. Fill the new backstop with oil (Page 65).

8.3.4 Filling the backstop with oil

Oil type and filling filter

When filling the backstop with oil, observe the following points:

- Use the same oil type and oil viscosity as for the gear unit itself.
- Use a filling filter with the same filter mesh size as for the gear unit itself.

Procedure

Proceed as follows to fill the backstop with oil:

1. Clean the oil filling point of the backstop.
2. Open the oil filling screw of the backstop.
3. Fill the amount of oil that is specified on the backstop plate.
4. Screw in the oil filling screw.

8.3.5 Measuring the vibration levels of the rolling-contact bearings

Procedure

Proceed as follows to measure the vibration levels of the rolling-contact bearings:

1. Document the measurement results.
2. Compare the measured values with the comparison values that were documented when commissioning the gear unit.
3. Replace defective rolling-contact bearings.
4. Archive the report together with these instructions.

Further information

You can find additional information on measuring the vibration levels at rolling-contact bearings in the operating instructions of the measurement sensor provided in the complete gear unit documentation.

8.3.6 Check that all of the fastening bolts are tight

Procedure

Proceed as follows to check that the fastening bolts are tight:

1. Observe the data regarding connection classes (Page 53), preload forces and tightening torques (Page 54).
2. Replace any bolts that are no longer fit for use by bolts of the same strength class and type.

8.3.7 General inspection of the gear unit

General inspection of the gear unit by Customer Services

Arrange for Flender Customer Services to perform a general inspection on the gear unit.

Thanks to their experience, these engineers are best placed to assess which gear unit components need to be replaced.

8.3.8 Final work

After you have finished all the work listed in the maintenance schedule, replace any bolts that are no longer fit for use by bolts of the same strength class and type.

8.4 Possible faults

The faults listed below are only intended as a troubleshooting guide.

If any faults occur while the unit is still under warranty, do not allow anyone except Flender Customer Services to attempt a repair.

Even after the warranty period has expired, you should still arrange for faults to be rectified by Flender Customer Services.

Note

Loss of warranty

You will invalidate the warranty for the gear unit if you modify it in any way without seeking the approval of Flender beforehand, or if you do not use original spare parts.

Only use original spare parts from Flender. Always arrange for Flender Customer Services to repair any faults that develop while the unit is still under warranty.

Possible faults and their rectification

The following table provides you with an overview of possible faults and indicates how they can be rectified.

Table 8-2 Possible faults and their rectification

Possible faults	Causes	Possible remedies
Pressure monitor triggers an alarm (For gear units with pressure lubrication or air-oil cooler).	Oil pressure < 0.5 bar	- Check the oil level at room temperature - Top up with oil if necessary - Check the oil pump - If required, replace the oil pump - Check the oil filter and coarse filter - If required, replace the oil filter or clean the coarse filter
Grease escaping at the output shaft	Defective rotary shaft sealing rings	Inspect the rotary shaft seals and replace if necessary
Noise	Damage to gearing	- Contact Customer Services - Inspect toothed components - Replace damaged components if necessary
	The bearing play is excessive.	- Contact Customer Services - Adjust bearing play
	Defective rolling-contact bearings	- Contact Customer Services - Replace defective rolling-contact bearings
	Gear unit fastening has worked loose	- Tighten bolts and nuts to the specified tightening torque - Replace damaged bolts and nuts
Outer surface of gear unit soiled with oil	Inadequate sealing of the housing cover or joints	Seal housing cover or joints
	Labyrinth seals soiled with oil, incorrect transport position	- Check oil filling - Clean the labyrinths
Main drive motor does not start	Motor direction of rotation incorrect	Change polarity of motor
	Backstop cage with sprags incorrectly installed or defective	- Contact Customer Services - Install the backstop cage, rotated through 180° - or replace
	Overrunning clutch blocked	- Contact Customer Services - Replace the overrunning clutch
	Overrunning clutch cage with sprags incorrectly installed and/or defective	- Contact Customer Services - Install the overrunning clutch cage, rotated through 180° - or replace
Main drive motor can start while the auxiliary drive is operational	Defective electrical interlocking between the main and auxiliary motor	- Check the connections - If necessary, replace defective devices
	Defective speed monitoring	- Check the connections - If necessary, replace defective devices

8.4 Possible faults

Possible faults	Causes	Possible remedies
Auxiliary drive motor does not start	Overload at the output	• Reduce the load at the output
	Defective auxiliary drive motor	• Repair or replace motor
	Motor brake not released	• Correct the electrical connection of the motor brake • If required, replace the motor brake
The auxiliary drive motor starts, the main gear unit output shaft does not turn	Motor direction of rotation incorrect	• Change polarity of motor
	Overrunning clutch cage with sprags incorrectly installed	• Contact Customer Services • Install the overrunning clutch cage, rotated through 180° - or replace
	Defective overrunning clutch	• Contact Customer Services • Replace the overrunning clutch
Leaks	Inadequate sealing of the housing cover or joints	• Seal housing cover or joints
	Labyrinth seals oiled up or transport position incorrect	• Check oil filling • Clean the labyrinths
	Inadequate sealing of the housing cover or joints	• Check the seals • Replace, if necessary • Seal housing cover or joints
	Defective rotary shaft sealing rings	• Check the rotary shaft sealing rings • Replace, if necessary
Oil is foaming in the gear unit	Preservation agent not completely drained off	• Change the oil
	Oil supply system left in operation for too long at low temperatures	• Switch off the oil supply system • Degas the oil
	Gear unit too cold in operation	• Switch off the gear unit • Degas the oil • Start up without cooling water during cold restart
	Water in the oil	• Take test tube sample to examine oil condition for water penetration • Have the oil examined by a chemical lab • Change the oil if necessary
	Oil defoamer has run out	• Examine the oil • Change the oil if necessary
	Unsuitable mixture of oils	• Examine the oil • Change the oil if necessary
Oil escaping from the gear unit	Inadequate sealing of the housing cover or joints	• Check the seals and replace if necessary • Seal housing cover or joints • Check the compression seals and retighten screws if necessary
	Leaking pipes	• Check the pipes, and replace or seal if necessary
Oil supply system malfunction	-	• Read the operating instructions for the oil supply system

Possible faults	Causes	Possible remedies
Oil cooling system fault	-	Carefully observe the information in the oil cooling system instructions
Elevated temperature during operation	Oil level in the gear unit housing too high	- Check the oil level - Correct the oil level if necessary
	Oil is too old	- Check when the last oil change was done - Change the oil if necessary
	Oil is severely contaminated	Change the oil
	Oil supply system or cooling coil defective	- Check the oil supply system or cooling coil - Replace defective components if necessary - Read the operating instructions for the oil supply system
	Gear unit with oil cooling system: Cooling liquid flow rate too low or too high	- Fully open the valves in the intake and outlet pipes - Check that water and oil can freely flow through the water-oil cooler
	Gear unit with oil cooling system: The oil flow through the water-oil cooler is too low.	- Check the oil filter and coarse filter - If required, replace the oil filter or clean the coarse filter
	Gear units with cooling coil: Deposits in the cooling coil	Clean, or if necessary, replace the cooling coil
	For gear units with fan: Air intake opening in air guide cover or gear unit housing is soiled	Clean the air guide cover and gear unit housing
	Coolant temperature too high	- Check the temperature - Correct the temperature if necessary
	Defective oil pump	- Check the oil pump function - Repair or replace oil pump if required
Elevated temperature at bearing points	Oil level in the gear unit housing too low or too high	- Check the oil level at room temperature - Correct the oil level if necessary
	Oil is too old	- Check when the last oil change was done - Change the oil if necessary
	Oil supply system defective	- Inspect the oil supply system - Replace defective components if necessary - Read the operating instructions for the oil supply system
	Defective rolling-contact bearings	- Contact Customer Services - Inspect the rolling-contact bearings and replace if necessary
Increased backstop temperature with failure of the blocking function	Damaged backstop	- Contact Customer Services - Check the backstop - Replace, if necessary

Possible faults	Causes	Possible remedies
Elevated vibration amplitude at bearing points	Defective rolling-contact bearings	• Contact Customer Services • Inspect the rolling-contact bearings and replace if necessary
	Gear wheels defective	• Contact Customer Services • Inspect the gear wheels and replace if necessary
Contamination indicator of the double change-over filter triggers an alarm	Double change-over filter clogged	• Changeover the double change-over filter corresponding to the separate operating instructions • Clean the filter element
Water in the oil	Oil supply system or cooling coil defective	• Check the oil supply system or cooling coil • Replace defective components if necessary • Read the operating instructions for the oil supply system
	Engine room fan is blowing cold air onto gear unit: Water condenses	• Install suitable thermal insulation to protect gear unit housing • Close the air outlet or change the direction of the air outlet using structural measures.
	Climatic conditions	• Contact Customer Services • Use wet-air filter if necessary
	Oil foams in the oil sump	• Take test tube sample to examine oil condition for water penetration • Have the oil examined by a chemical lab

Service & Support

Contact

When ordering spare parts, requesting a customer service technician or in the case of technical queries, please contact our factory or one of our customer service addresses:

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Further information

Further information about service and support can be found on the Internet.

Service & Support (<https://www.flender.com/service>)

Disposal

Disposal of the gear unit

When disposing of the gear unit after its useful life, please observe the following measures:

- Remove operating oil, preservative agents and coolant from the gear unit and dispose of it according to regulations.
- Dispose of the gear unit parts according to applicable national regulations or recycle them.

Environmental protection

Observe the following environmental protection measures for disposal:

- Dispose of or recycle packaging material according to applicable national regulations.
- When changing the oil, collect the used oil in suitable containers. Use oil-binding agents to clean up any oil spillages immediately.
- Store preservative agents separately from used oil.
- Dispose of used oil, preservative agents, oil binding agents and oil-soaked cloths according to the applicable environmental protection regulations.

Spare parts

By stocking the most important spare parts at the installation site you can ensure that the gear unit is ready for use at any time.

Note

Damage to the gear unit due to use of unsuitable spare parts

Only use original spare parts from Flender. Flender shall not accept any warranty claims for spare parts that are not supplied by Flender.

Other spare parts are not tested and approved by Flender. Non-approved spare parts may possibly change the design characteristics of the gear unit and thus impair its active or passive safety.

Flender will accept no liability or warranty whatsoever for damage occurring as a result of the use of non-approved spare parts. The same applies to any accessories which were not supplied by Flender.

The contact address of Flender Customer Services can be found under Service & Support.

Information required when ordering spare parts

To order spare parts, refer to the spare-parts list. Only use spare parts from Flender.

When ordering spare parts, please provide the following information:

- Order number with item
- Type and size
- Part number
- Quantity

Declaration of incorporation

Declaration of incorporation

Company name and full address of the manufacturer:

Flender GmbH
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Deutschland - Germany

Name and address of the person authorised to compile the relevant technical documentation:

Mark Zundel
Flender GmbH
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Deutschland - Germany

Description and identification of the partly completed machinery:

Cooling tower gear unit
SZNK
Sizes 1225 and 1320
for driving machines

The following "Essential health and safety requirements" of
– Directive 2006/42/EC Official Journal L 157, June 9, 2006, pages 24-86, Annex I,
are applied and complied with:

1.1, 1.1.2, 1.1.3, 1.1.5; 1.2.4.4, 1.2.6; 1.3.1, 1.3.2, 1.3.3, 1.3.4, 1.3.6, 1.3.7, 1.3.8, 1.3.8.1;
1.4.1, 1.4.2.1; 1.5.1, 1.5.2, 1.5.4, 1.5.5, 1.5.6, 1.5.8, 1.5.9, 1.5.10, 1.5.11, 1.5.13, 1.5.15;
1.6.1, 1.6.2; 1.7.1, 1.7.1.1, 1.7.2, 1.7.4, 1.7.4.1, 1.7.4.2, 1.7.4.3

The special technical documentation as described in Annex VII Part B has been prepared.

The manufacturer undertakes to transmit, in response to a reasoned request by national authorities, the relevant technical documents on the partly completed machinery electronically.

The partly completed machinery must not be put into service until the final machinery into which it is to be incorporated is declared to be in conformity with the provisions of Directive 2006/42/EC.

Person authorised to issue this declaration of incorporation on behalf of the manufacturer:

Flender GmbH

Voerde, 2020-06-01

Mark Zundel, Vice President, Applications Plant Voerde

Original declaration of incorporation

Technical data

B.1 General technical data

Rating plate

The gear unit rating plate contains the most important technical data.

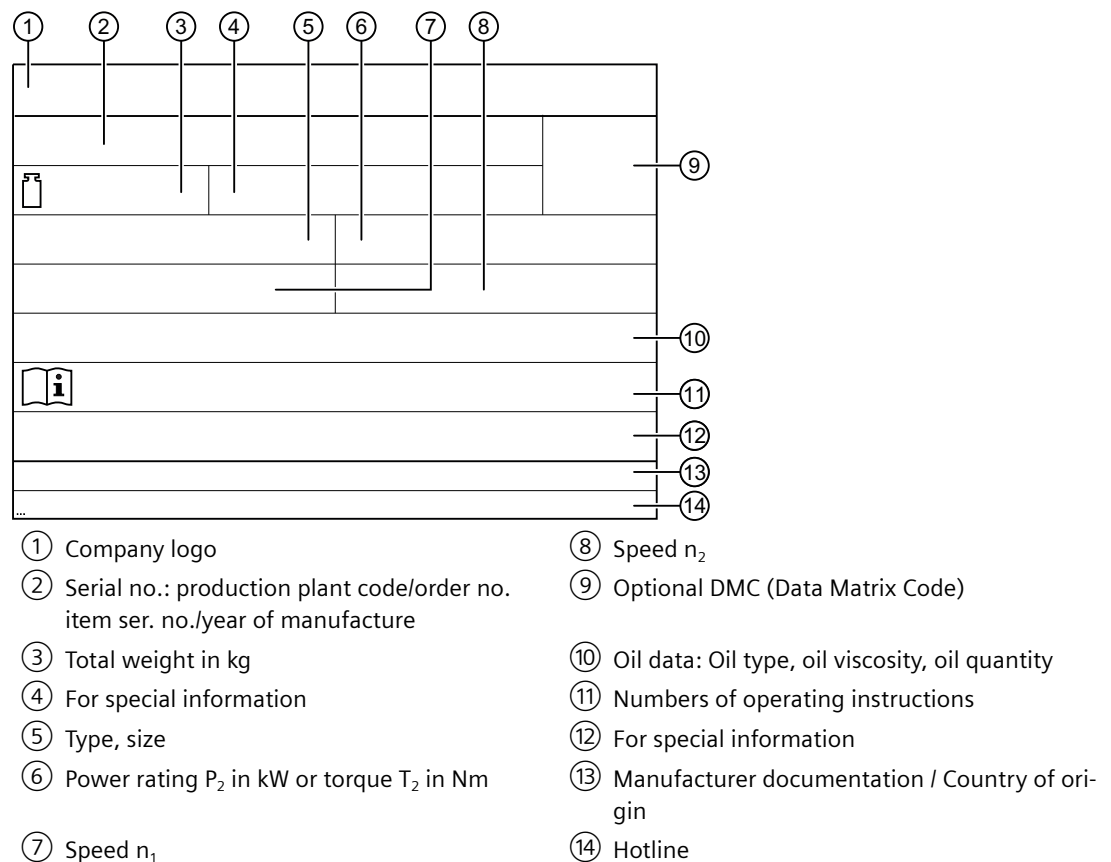


Figure B-1 Rating plate

The limits of the intended use of the gear unit are defined on the basis of these data and the contractual agreements concerning the gear unit concluded between Flender and the customer.

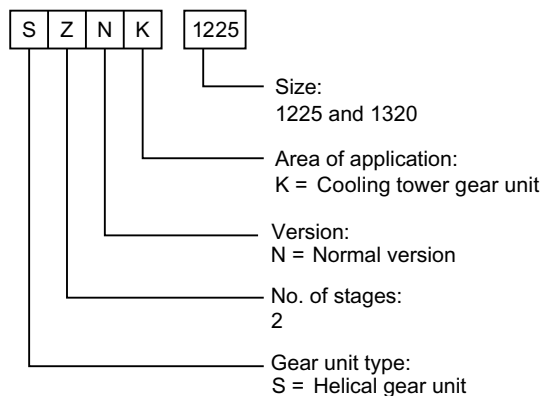
Further information

Further information about these technical data can be found in the separate data sheet and the dimension drawings in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

Further information about all major accessories including their technical data can be found in the order-specific list of equipment in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

Type and size

The following shows the code printed in line 5 of the rating plate and explains the meaning of the individual letters and numbers.



Further information

You can find additional information on the weights and the enveloping surface sound pressure levels in chapters Weights (Page 80) and Enveloping surface sound pressure level (Page 81).

Further information about these technical data can be found in the separate data sheet and the dimension drawings in the complete documentation for the gear unit.

B.2 Ambient temperature

The gear unit may only be used in an environment that has been defined and authorised within the scope of the service and delivery contract between Flender and the customer.

B.3 Weights

The precise weights are specified in the dimension drawings in the complete documentation or on the rating plate.

All weight specifications refer to units without oil filling or mounted components.

Refer to the following table for gear unit weights (approximate values, in kg):

Table B-1 Weights

	Gear unit size	
Type	1 225	1 320
SZNK	700	890

B.4 Enveloping surface sound pressure level

The gear unit complies with a sound power level, which places it in a gear unit type class defined in VDI 2159, which is applied to produce the 80 % characteristic curve of the emission characteristic map.

Adherence to limit values can, under specified Flender test conditions, be assumed with statistical certainty.

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