

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

BITZER CO2 DX HYBRID PARALLEL COMPRESSOR PLANT 2020 GEN-8

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1. General

This document is designed to outline the installation requirements, commissioning & operating, instructions, for the successful operation of the **BITZER Sub-Critical CO2 DX Hybrid Parallel Compressor Rack**.

- **BITZER** Designed and Engineered.
- Sub-Critical CO2 Applications only.
- DX [Direct Expansion CO2 Evaporators Systems only.] Not suitable for Flooded Evaporator Liquid Recirculation Cooling.
- Hybrid system of mixed origins R744 CO2 Low stage and R134a High stage
- **Parallel Compressors** available in 2, 3 & 4 Compressor line ups, employing the latest BITZER CO2 sub-critical SL series compressors.
- Rack Industry title for multiple refrigeration compressor units.

NOTE: The safety switches, controls, system control valves & electronic controls are not factory set, due to the flexible applications of this unit. All controls must be correctly commissioned by a qualified & trained technician.



2. Safety Instructions.

All work on compressors and refrigeration systems shall be carried out only by refrigeration personnel who have been trained and instructed in all work. The qualification and expert knowledge of the refrigeration personnel corresponds to respectively valid guidelines.

All plumbing work on the [Optional] Hot Water BPHE shall be carried out only by licensed accredited plumbing personnel who have been trained and instructed in all work. The gualification and expert knowledge of the plumbing personnel corresponds to respectively valid guidelines. See 9:10

The BITZER CO2 Hybrid Rack is constructed according to the state of the art and valid regulations. Particular emphasis has been placed on the users' safety.

Retain these Operating Instructions during the entire lifetime of the BITZER CO2 Hybrid Rack.

2.1 **Residual hazards**

Certain residual hazards from the BITZER CO2 Hybrid Rack are unavoidable. All persons working on these units must therefore read these Operating Instructions carefully!



2.2 Safety References

ATTENTION!

Instructions on preventing possible damage to equipment.

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CAUTION!

Instructions on preventing minor hazard to persons.



WARNING!

Instructions on preventing a possible severe hazard to persons.



DANGER!

Instructions on preventing an immediate risk of severe hazard to persons.



2.3 General safety references



WARNING!

The BITZER CO2 Hybrid Rack is under pressure with a holding charge of nitrogen to a pressure of 1000 kPa above atmospheric pressure. Incorrect handling may cause injury to skin and eyes. Wear safety goggles while working on compressor. Do not open connections before pressure has been released.



CAUTION!

During operation surface temperatures exceed 60°C or fall below 0°C. Serious burns and frostbite are possible. Switch off and allow cooling down before working on the compressor and associated pipework.



CAUTION!

Compressors contain oil & refrigerant under pressure. Release pressure from both high & low side of compressor before servicing.



CAUTION!

Tube brazing & compressor operation can produce hot surfaces. To avoid burns, allow surfaces to cool down before continuing installation or servicing.



3 SAFETY CARBON DIOXIDE (R744)

Carbon dioxide is colourless – odourless gas or cryogenic liquid. The AS1677 Refrigeration standard classifies R744 CO2 as an A1 group refrigerant.

At low concentrations the gas is odourless: @ higher concentrations it has a sharp acidic odour. Carbon dioxide is a powerful cerebral dilator: It is also an asphyxiate and an irritant. The effects and there concentrations of CO2 refrigerant are listed below in Table 1.

Table.1 Physiological Effects of CO2

PPM	EFFECTS ON HEALTH.
350	Normal value in Atmosphere.
1000	Recommended not to be Exceeded for Human Comfort.
5000	Threashold Limit Value. [TLV.] - Time Weighted Average. [TWA.]
5000	Concerntration towhich one may be repeatedly exposed for 8 Hours per day without Adverse Effects
20.000	Can affect the resperation function and cause exitation followed by depression of the central nerous
20,000	system plus a 50% increase in breathing rate.
30.000	100% Increase in breathing rate after Short Term Exposure Limit. [STEL.] 15 minutes TWA exposure
30,000	should not exceed at any time of day.
40000	Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health (IDLH 1 Maxiumum Lovel
50,0000	immediately Dangerous to Life of Health [IDLH.] Maxiumum Level.
100,000	Lowest leathal Concerntration. Few minutes exposure produces unconsciousness
200,000	Death Accidents have been reported.
300,000	Quickly results in unconsciousness and convulsions



CAUTION!

Contact with CO2 cold gas or liquid can cause freezing to exposed tissue, Note: Do not attempt to remove clothing which has stuck to the skin. Burns must be treated by a physician.



CAUTION!

Contact with eyes, immediately wash out with plenty of water for several minutes – Obtain medical attention.



CAUTION!

Moisture with the air can lead to the formation of carbonic acid that can irritate the eyes. All forms of CO2 (carbon dioxide) are non-combustible.



CAUTION!

Ingestion is not regarded as potential route of exposure, give 200 – 300 millilitres (half pint) of water to drink. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not induce vomiting. Seek immediate medical attention.

3.1 CO2 Refrigerant detection / Oxygen deprivation detectors:

Ensure that the plant room/s other confined spaces (Coolrooms) are fitted with CO2 detection sensors (systems) or oxygen deprivation sensor/s. Also refer AS1677 [Accumulation of heavier than air refrigerants.] And [Safety provisions for personal in refrigerated spaces.] Ensure that the plant room has adequate ventilation at all times.

3.2 CO2 Refrigerant physical properties:

Carbon dioxide CO2 is heavier than air and should not be allowed to accumulate in low lying areas. Ensure that the current Material safety Data Sheets for Carbon dioxide CO2 are on site.

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Melting point	-56.6 °C
Boiling point	-78.5 °C
Density	1.977kg /m3
Freezing point	-56.6 °C
Vapour Density	1.53 (air is 1)
Vapour pressure	@ 15 °C = 5105 kPa
Soluble in water, etha	nol & acetone
Slightly acidic	

3.3 CO2 Refrigerant Handling and Storage:

Use only in well ventilated areas. Storage Keep in a cool dry, well ventilated place. Do not store above 45°C

3.4 CO2 Refrigerant Accidental release measures:

Personal precautions, Shut off source of leak if safe to do so. In poorly ventilated areas or confined spaces, use airline respirator or approved self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear approved safety boots and gloves

3.5 Environmental precautions

Refer to special instructions within safety data sheets. Clean up Actions. Shut off source of leak, if safe to do so. Allow product to evaporate. Ventilate area.

Table 2 shows **HAZCHEM** ratings for all commonly used refrigerants: The HAZCHEM code provides advisory information for the emergency service personal to enable them to take appropriate action in the event of an accident. It can be seen that R744, CO2 has the same HAZCHEM rating as all other commonly used refrigerants. That is to say that in the event of a major leak of CO2 the emergency services would respond in the same manner as with any of the other commonly used refrigerants.

Refrigerant	Description	HAZCHEM	Boiling Point	ASHREA Safety Code	HAZARD	TLV / TWA
R744	CO2 Carbon Dioxide	2RE	-78.5°C	A1	Asphixiate	5000
R410A	R32 (50%) + R125 (50%)	2RE	-52.2°C	A1	Asphixiate in High concerntrations	1000
R404A	R125 (44%) + R123a (52%) + R134a (4%)	2RE	-46.8°C	A1	Asphixiate in High concerntrations	1000
R507	R125 (50%) + R143a (50%)	2RE	-46.7°C	A1	Asphixiate in High concerntrations	1000
R407C	R32 (23%) + R125 (25%) + R134a (52%)	2RE	-43°C	A1	Asphixiate in High concerntrations	1000
R22	Chlorodiflouromethane	2RE	-40.7°C	A1	Asphixiate in High concerntrations	1000
R134a	1, 1, 1, 2-Tertraflouroethane	2RE	-26.2°C	A1	Asphixiate in High concerntrations	1000
R717	NH3	2RE	-33.4°C	B2	TOXIC by Inhalation	25

Table.2 HAZCHEM Rating of Refrigerants

The code can be broken down to:

- The number **2** represents the category of gas, Class **2** being nontoxic.
- The letter **R** indicates that a water fog or fine mist sprays used by emergency services to contain a spill or major gas leak.
- The letter **E** indicates the possibility of evacuation.



4 Inspection and Designation.

On Receiving Your BITZER CO2 DX Rack.

- 1. Immediately upon receiving the BITZER CO2 DX Hybrid [Parallel Compressor.] Rack, please inspect the crating, packaging and the BITZER Rack for possible damage during shipment. The crating and packaging has been designed to provide the safest possible protection for equipment transport. **IMPORTANT** Contact BITZER Australia immediately to notify of any damage reported.
- 2. Check the BITZER picking slip/list (bill of goods.) and product/s provided are correct to your purchase order. (Check unit/s nameplate/s and record serial number/s).
- **3.** Accessories are packaged in separate carton/s. See Check list section 5.
- 4. Check compressor nameplate to ensure you have the correct model & voltage for the application. Also insure that the maximum pressure/temperature ratings listed on the nameplate are not exceeded during installation or operation.
- 5. Before attempting to install rack, be sure to review this document in its entirety.
- **6.** Insure that all work carried out on the unit is done by qualified refrigeration personal, who are suitably trained & instructed. Applicable safety procedures & practices should be followed.
- 7. The unit is supplied under pressure approximately **1000kPa** above atmospheric pressure. Failure to relieve the holding charge in the correct manner may result in injury.
- 8. Safety glasses, Safety footwear, Safety gloves and appropriate work wear must be worn when working on the unit.
- **9.** When receiving multiple BITZER CO2 DX racks check and insure that the correct rack is located on the nominated system platform / designated area.
- **10.** Install the supplied loose crankcase heaters to each of the compressors.
- 11. Do not apply any power supply to the compressor/s unless all suction & discharge shut off service valves are opened. [Fully back seated position.]
- 12. Do not operate compressor/s unless system until in-line valves, Controls are set for operation.
- 13. Do not operate compressor/s unless the crankcase heater/s are installed.
- 14. Do not operate compressor/s unless compressors are correctly charged with BITER BSE60K oil.
- 15. Do not operate compressor/s unless system is pre-charged with R744 CO2 Refrigerant.
- 16. Do not operate compressor/s unless High Stage system has been commissioned and is fully functional.
- **17.** Do not operate or provide any electrical power to the compressor unless the terminal box cover is in place & secured. Measurement of amps & voltage during running conditions must be taken at other points in the power supply.
- **18.** Do not remove terminal box cover until all electrical sources have been disconnected.
- **19.** Follow recommended safety precautions listed on the terminal box cover label before attempting any service work on the compressor.
- **20.** During operation surface temperatures can exceed +60°C. Severe burns are possible.

5 Product/Accessories/Check List.

Component Check list for 2 Compressor CO2 DX Rack

- 1 x BITZER CO2 DX Twin Compressor Parallel Rack.
- 2 x BITZER Compressor instructions c/w spare service valve gaskets for compressors.
- 1 x Wooden packing crate.
- 2 x Crankcase heaters [Supplied loose.]
- 6 x One Litre cans of BSE60K BITZER Compressor Refrigeration Oil. [Item No. 106-033.]
- 6 x Embelton NR3 Equipment Mounting feet each 500kg Rated. [Item No.P37-053.]
- 2 x Traxon Oil level Control electrical leads.
- 1 x Suction Drier felt Element F48
- 2 x Liquid line Drier Cores 48-DM. 100% Molecular sieve [Item No.S03-033.]
- 1 x Henry Optical level Switch E-9224A N.C. 24V AC/DC [Item No.K06-003.] to suit Liquid Receiver bottom Sight Glass.
- 2 x Henry Frost Shield [Perspex viewing elements.] to suit Liquid Receiver Top and middle Sight Glasses.
- 1 x Spare Temprite coalescent Oil Cartridge sized to application [when Temprite Oil Separator selected.]

Component Check list for 3 Compressor CO2 DX Rack

- 1 x BITZER CO2 DX Three Compressor Parallel Rack.
- 3 x BITZER Compressor instructions c/w spare service valve gaskets for compressors.
- 1 x Wooden packing crate.
- 3 x Crankcase heaters [Supplied loose.]
- 9 x One Litre cans of BSE60K BITZER Compressor Refrigeration Oil. [Item No. 106-033.]
- 6 x Embelton NR3 Equipment Mounting feet each 500kg Rated. [Item No.P37-053.]
- 3 x Traxon Oil level Control electrical leads.
- 1 x Suction Drier felt Element F48
- 2 x Liquid line Drier Cores 48-DM. 100% Molecular sieve [Item No.S03-033.]
- 1 x Henry Optical level Switch E-9224A N.C. 24V AC/DC [Item No.K06-003.] to suit Liquid Receiver bottom Sight Glass.
- 2 x Henry Frost Shield [Perspex viewing elements.] to suit Liquid Receiver Top and middle Sight Glasses.
- 1 x Spare Temprite coalescent Oil Cartridge sized to application [when Temprite Oil Separator selected.]

Component Check list for 4 Compressor CO2 DX Rack

- 1 x BITZER CO2 DX Four Compressor Parallel Rack.
- 4 x BITZER Compressor instructions c/w spare service valve gaskets for compressors.
- 1 x Wooden packing crate.
- 4 x Crankcase heaters [Supplied loose.]
- 12 x One Litre cans of BSE60K BITZER Compressor Refrigeration Oil. [Item No. 106-033.]
- 6 x Embelton NR3 Equipment Mounting feet each 500kg Rated. [Item No.P37-053.]
- 4 x Traxon Oil level Control electrical leads.
- 1 x Suction Drier felt Element F48
- 2 x Liquid line Drier Cores 48-DM. 100% Molecular sieve [Item No.S03-033.]
- 1 x Henry Optical level Switch E-9224A N.C. 24V AC/DC [Item No.K06-003.] to suit Liquid Receiver bottom Sight Glass.
- 2 x Henry Frost Shield [Perspex viewing elements.] to suit Liquid Receiver Top and middle Sight Glasses.
- 1 x Spare Temprite coalescent Oil Cartridge sized to application [when Temprite Oil Separator selected.]

6 Installation.

BITZER Sub-Critical CO2 DX Hybrid racks are designed exclusively for indoor use, preferably within a designated plant equipment room.

Refer enclosed safety data, especially 3.1 and Risk assessment documentation prior to any equipment unloading from transport, Lifting, and installation.

WARNING: Careful considerations to lifting should be applied, prior to removal from transporter.

Instructions:

- 1. The BITZER CO2 Rack should only be lifted from the base.
- 2. The BITZER CO2 Rack should remain within its wooden crate until, located on designated area within plant room.
- 3. The BITZER CO2 Rack must remain perpendicular [upright.] and level during installation.
- 4. A single BITZER CO2 Rack unit will have a Net Weight between 1250kg up to 2100kg depending on Number of Compressors, Compressors models, BPHE's and options applied.
- 5. The BITZER CO2 Rack must be set on a flat level foundation.
- 6. The designated plant room floor area, must allow for the rack weight and size, Including the Refrigerant weight, Electrical wiring / Equipment, and conform to current building codes.
- 7. Clearances: A safe working space surrounding 360° to be provided, including free access to above and must conform to current building codes. A safe working distance must also apply to any adjacent switchboards or mains boards.
- 8. Free working space is required for service of the BITZER DX CO2 Hybrid Rack.
- **9.** When the BITZER DX CO2 Hybrid Rack is located in its designated location. Unpack the wooden crate/ Plastic wrapping; Install the Embelton mounting feet to both the floor and the unit frame. Adjust mounting feet until the rack is level.

Embelton NR3 adjustable mounting foot. Capacity 500Kg each. [Item No.P37-053]



- **10.** The Embelton mounting feet slightly raise the BITZER DX CO2 Hybrid Rack off the floor allowing free space for a metal condensate / oil tray to be inserted at floor level. [Recommended.]
- 11. Insure that fully operational [tested/certified.] CO2 Refrigerant detection / Oxygen deprivation detectors: Are installed prior to receiving any R744 CO2 refrigerant to site.
- **12.** The equipment plant room should be free of dust before the BITZER DX CO2 Hybrid Rack is connected to any field piping to insure internal cleanliness.
- **13.** Insure that the system nitrogen holding charge is expelled from the BITZER DX CO2 Hybrid Rack, prior to any attempts at connecting field piping.
- 14. Insure that the BITZER DX CO2 Hybrid Rack and all refrigeration field piping are not exposed to atmosphere for any long periods.
- **15.** The System (field) piping must be to AS1677. An inert gas [Dry Nitrogen.] must be charged through field refrigeration pipe work during the brazing process. It is recommended that the inert gas be delivered into the pipework, so that air is not also introduced.



7 Application.

BITZER Sub-Critical CO2 DX Hybrid Racks are designed exclusively for the use of Carbon Dioxide (R744) as the low stage refrigerant and R134a as the high stage refrigerant, in a two stage, Cascade system, where the R744 CO2 systems, evaporators are of direct expansion design.

They are designed to be applied in Low Temperature refrigeration applications & ideal for medium to large supermarkets, Industrial processes, and Frozen Food Storage Rooms.



BITZER CO2 Hybrid Racks are exclusively intended for the use in low temperature sub-critical cascade applications. This Documentation applies to BITZER DX CO2 Parallel Hybrid Racks Series only.

The **BITZER** CO2 Hybrid series are a factory assembled range of highly efficient and reliable multiple compressor refrigeration racks, designed with all piping, ready for onsite connection, including all required components (excludes R134a EEV's), controls, transducers and safety devices.

The **BITZER** CO2 Hybrid Rack is designed with simplicity and serviceability in mind. Figure 1 & 2 shows a system schematic outlining the design and refrigerant flow. Details of specific component operation are outlined in section 6.

The **BITZER** CO2 Hybrid Racks are individually fabricated to each particular, specific application.

The **BITZER** CO2 Hybrid Racks comprise of:

- 1 x BITZER Designed / Engineered Structural Steel Unit frame Assembly.
- 2-4 BITZER SL Series CO2 Compressors.
- 1 x BITZER Suction Accumulator/Header Metal Clad and Insulated Vessel.
- 1 x Oil Separator/Reservoir sized to application. [Optional: BITZER COS or Temprite Coalescent Oil Separator/Reservoir.]
- Two in parallel BPHE Cascade Condensers c/w Metal Cladding and 75mm Insulation. Engineered to application and clients Specifications. [BPHE's CO2 Condenser side and R134a Evaporator side.]
- 1 x Suction Re-Heat BPHE c/w Metal Cladding and Insulation. Engineered to application.
- OPTION; 1 x Emergency Cooling BPHE Cascade Condenser/Evaporator R744 / R134a c/w R134a TX Valve. To maintain refrigerant CO2 temperature/pressure within the Liquid Receiver during IE: catastrophic system failure / power failure.
- 1 x Vertical liquid Receiver c/w Level Indicator Sight glasses 130 litre volume @ 80%.
- OPTION; 1 x BITZER Dual Suction/Liquid header Assembly c/w Insulated Metal Enclosure, Suction ball Valves/service valves, Liquid ball valves.
- 1 x Liquid line 2-Core Drier Assembly c/w c/w Insulated, Liquid Line By-Pass circuit for continuous run during drier replacement and one Ø3/8" MSAE post service valve for system charging or refrigerant reclaim prior to Drier core replacement.
- Compressor pressure controls 1 x LP (on request) and 1 x HP (std) per compressor.
- System Pressure Controls (5.) comprising of 1 x LP and 4 x HP controls.
- BITZER Pressure Relief Manifold consisting of 1 x LP Pressure Relief Valve 2500kPa, 3 x HP Pressure Relief Valves 4000kPa, 1 x LP Bleed Solenoid, 1 x HP Bleed Solenoid, associated Service valves, 1 x LP transducer port c/w service valve and 1 x HP transducer port c/w service valve.
- System interconnecting refrigeration pipe work engineered to application and safe working
 pressure specifications.
- System interconnecting flexible hoses engineered to application and safe working pressure specifications.
- All Refrigeration Ball Valves, Packed Capped Valves, Rotalock Valves, Check Valves, inline products, Copper Tubing, Copper Fittings, Brass Fittings, Flexible Lines are safe working pressure rated at greater than 2500kPA low side and greater than 4500kPA High side.



8 Operation.

The **BITZER** DX CO2 Hybrid Racks

- The High pressure liquid CO2 leaves the Liquid Receiver via the insulated liquid line. This liquid enters a CO2 liquid/CO2 suction vapour brazed plate heat exchanger (BPHE). The purpose of this heat exchanger is to add additional superheat to the suction return vapour. This ensures that the oil in the compressor crankcase is sufficiently warm to avoid catastrophic compressor failure. An additional a hot gas injection is installed into the suction line to ensure sufficient su perheat. This design also provides simultaneous sub cooling to the liquid supply to the evapora tors.
- There is a liquid line by-pass circuit complete with inline (NC.) solenoid valve, prior to the (BPHE) this solenoid when open causes the liquid refrigerant to partially by-pass the (BPHE) reducing the amount of superheat of the return suction CO2.The Liquid CO2 leaves the BPHE via a three way ball valve then on to the 2-core [100% molecular sieve.] drier shell. There is also a drier shell by-pass circuit to simplify drier core changeover, while the system remains in operation. The by-pass is operated by the liquid line three way ball valve and straight thru ball valve. We have also provided an 03/8" post valve for liquid charging, fast evacuation or reclaiming refrigerant from the drier cavity prior to drier core replacement. The Liquid refrigerant exiting the liquid line then enters the four, six or eight circuit liquid header [manifold.]. The sub cooled liquid then enters field piping to the LT evaporators via electronic expansion valves [located at fixtures.] and returns to the rack as superheated vapour via the four, six or eight circuit Suction (Return) header [manifold].
- The suction vapour then flows within the suction line to the CO2 suction vapour (BPHE) gaining superheat. The suction return vapour then enters the suction filter/ accumulator vessel, before reaching the compressors.
- The low pressure suction vapour then enters the compressor/s where it becomes compressed to a high superheated pressure then discharged into a common header before it enters the Oil Separator/Reservoir. The Oil is separated/filtered and returned back to the compressor/s via an oil manifold.
- Individual oil levels within each compressor are maintained with TRAX oil controls fitted to the crankcase of each compressor.
- The high pressure discharge vapour once leaving the oil separator can be directed to the [Optional.] dual wall Hot Water BPHE or directly to the integral or remote Air Cooled De-Super heater. The BITZER <u>Air cooled De-Superheater</u> reduces the discharge gas temperature to an acceptable level where the vapour can be permitted to enter the matched parallel set of BPHE Cascade Condensers/Evaporators.
- The matched set [two in parallel] CO2/R134a BPHE Condensers / Evaporators, remove the CO2 THR [total heat of rejection.] and condense the CO2 back into liquid state. Condensing is achieved by the counter flow of R134a liquid refrigerant evaporating from the high stage of the Cascade system. The liquid CO2 then drains into the insulated horizontal Liquid Receiver where the whole process continues.

NOTES:

- The Air Cooled De-Superheater is a mandatory requirement on all BITZER DX CO2 systems. The Air Cooled De-Superheater provides improved efficiency, reliability and insures that the BPHE's Cascade Condensers/Evaporators are within manufacturers recommendations.
- Operating a BITZER DX CO2 rack without an Air Cooled De-Superheater voids all warranty.
- The Air Cooled de-Superheater should be set to maintain a CO2 outlet temperature of less than 50 KTD above the R134a Evaporation temperature.





Figure.2 BITZER CO2 Hybrid Rack Schematic with by-pass oil separator and Hot Water BPHE.



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- Schematic depicting 4- Compressor DX CO2 Rack
- Schematic depicting system complete with Temprite Oil Separator/Reservoir and Pressure Differential Indicator.
- Relief valves mounted in enclosure. PVC piping from enclosure to safe atmosphere required after installation.
- · Remote Air Cooled De-Superheater depicted with dotted lines. Integral or Remote on request.
- Option 6 x 6 suction / liquid header c/w 7/8" Ball Valves
- **Option** 240 volt Resilience System Condensing unit fitted.
- **Option** Resilience System BPHE c/w mechanical TX valve fitted.
- Option Valve station for Cascade Condenser c/w Carel EEV (accessories included), liquid line sight glass and Ball valve, Suction line Ball valve fitted.
- **Option** By-pass valve and piping around Oil Separator.
- **Option** Heat Reclaim BPHE c/w By-pass isolating valves fitted.
- Indications of Thermocouple positions (recommendations only)



9. Ancillaries /Compressors

At the heart of the BITZER CO2 Hybrid Rack is the BITZER Octagon CO2 compressor, the solid drive gear design and valve plate construction have been specifically adapted to the requirements of CO2, which leads to a further increase in operational efficiency.

BITZER SL Series sub-critical CO2 Compressor.



Maximum Permissible Pressure (standstill)

Suction side:	SL Models 30 Bar.	HC Models: 25 Bar.
Discharge side:	SL Models 53 Bar.	HC Models: 43 Bar.

Minimum Suction Gas Superheat:

20K, lower suction gas superheat is possible provided that the minimum oil and discharge gas temperatures are maintained.

Minimum Oil Temperature:

20°C (for continuous operation oil temp should not fall below 30°C).

Operation of Discharge Temperatures:

Discharge temperatures below 35K above sct indicate low suction superheat conditions-check evaporator operation

Operating Envelope BITZER CO2 Sub Critical Compressors.



Note:

- BITZER SL Series Latest Generation.
- BITZER HC Series previous generation
- 1st Generation



9.1.1 Ancillaries/Compressors BITZER CO2 Sub-Critical Compressors



Table 3: BITZER Compressor Technical Data.

Technical Data									Electrical Da	ita.					
		Displacement				Pipe Co	nnection	Pipe Co	onnection				Max.	Max.	Starting
Itom No. Comprossor Type	with	Number of	Oil Charge	Weight		DL		SL	Moto	or Conne	ection	Operating	Power	Current. (Locked	
		1450 min-1	cylinders	dm3 (1)	Kg	Discha	arge Line	Sucti	ion Line		Volt (2)		Current.	Consumption.	Rotor.) Amp.
		m3/Hour				mm	Inch.	mm	Inch.				Amp. ③	Kw. ③	3
J04-469	2MSL-07K	1.73	2	1.0	47	12	1/2"	16	5/8"		ź	Ś.	4.5/2.5	1.1	25.6/14.8
J04-490	2KSL-1K	2.71	2	1.0	47	12	1/2"	16	5/8"		207 7	. A08	6.1/3.5	1.8	39.0/22.5
J04-491	2HSL-3K	4.34	2	1.0	50	12	1/2"	16	5/8"		380.4	4404	10.7/6.0	3	44.2/25.5
J04-492	2FSL-4K	6.36	2	1.0	53	12	1/2"	16	5/8"	414	50Ha, 50Ha	60Hz, 60Hz	15.4/8.6	4.6	68.1/39.3
J04-493	2DSL-5K	9.23	2	1.5	77.5	16	5/8"	22	7/8"		ν Δ-3-	/₽-3-	20.1/11.3	6.4	107.7 / 62.2
J04-494	2CSL-6K	11.20	2	1.5	94	16	5/8"	22	7/8"		0.240	230/	24.8/13.9	7.8	107.7/62.2
J04-495	4DSL-10K	18.45	4	2.0	94.5	22	7/8"	28	1-1/8"		22(265	39.3/22.0	12.7	168/97

Crankcase Heater

□ 230V

- 2MSL-07K .. 2FSL-4K: 0 .. 60 W
- Self regulating PTC Heater • 2ESL-4K ... 4CSL-12K: 0... 120 W
- Self regulating PTC Heater
- 4VSL-15K .. 4NSL-30K: 0.. 140 W
- Self regulating PTC Heater

Crankcase heater is generally required i due to high solubility of CO2 in the Oil

Explanations

- BSE60K: Oil Standard applications. BSE85K: Oil Booster applications and
 - applications with high discharge gas temperatures.
- ② Tollerance (+ or-10%) based on mean value of voltage range. Other voltages and electrical supplies on request.
- ③ For the selection of contacts, cables and fuses the max. Working current / max. power consumption must be
- considered. See also ④ ④ Data for compressors with voltage 380... 420 V (220... 240 V) are based on an average voltage of 400 V (230 V). Conversion factors: 380 V (220 V) 0.95 420 V (240 V) 1.05



9.1.2 Ancillaries /Compressors: Crankcase Heaters.

Crankcase heaters are required due to the high solubility of CO2 in the oil. Models 2KSL-07K to 2FSL-4K Self Regulating PTC heater 0-60W Models 2ESL-4K to 4CSL-12K Self Regulating PTC heater 0-120W Models 4VSL-15K to 4NSL-30K Self Regulating PTC heater 0-140W

BITZER compressors of the "Octagon" series are designed with a Suction Filter located under the Suction service valve. This filter is easily removed for inspection / cleaning when necessary IE: During oil change.

9.2 Ancillaries/ Electrical Connections;



ELECTRICAL SHOCK HAZARD

Failure to comply with these safety warnings could result in serious injury or death. All installation and servicing activities should be performed only by trained personnel. Wear safety goggles. Shut off all power to this equipment during installation, service and maintenance. Lock and tag all disconnect locations until work is complete.



<u>All electrical wiring should be carried out by qualified persons and in accordance with AS3000 or</u> equivalent standard in the country of installation.

Refer to AS3000 for electrical installation and for service/ maintenance of electrical equipment 9.2.1 Electrical Connections; Frequency Inverters

BITZER Australia recommends that that the lead CO2 compressor should operate with a frequency inverter in order to reduce compressor cycling. It is also an advantage as higher system efficiency can be achieved, especially under partial load.

9.2.2 Selection Criteria; Frequency Inverters

The frequency invertor must be able to continuously supply the maximum operating current to the compressor motor. A 10% reserve should be planned for additionally. Selections should be made in accordance with KT-420-4 Technical Information.

The torque of reciprocating compressors is not constant with the angle of rotation, the higher the number of cylinders, the more constant the torque, thus a greater starting torque is required for a smaller number of cylinders.

The maximum current must be within the transient overload rating of the frequency inverter. If this is not the case, then a larger type of frequency inverter must be selected.

Several values of rated current (constant and quadratic torque ratings) are provided by frequency inverter manufactures, select a frequency invertor based on a constant torque rating.

The frequency inverter must be capable of briefly delivering over torque during the starting phase in order to overcome the break-away torque and too accelerate the drive. This results in increased

current demand for starting the compressor, which must be provided for by the frequency inverter in the ramp up time.



- Variable speed drive (VSD)
- Standard speed range
 - ⇒ HC Series: 30 Hz .. 50 Hz
 - ⇒ SL Series: 30 Hz .. 60 Hz
- > Trans-synchronous operation:
 - motor reserve limited with R744 (constant torque requirement)
- > For a constant torque above 50 Hz
 - ⇒ VSD with auxiliary transformer (higher output voltage)
 - ⇒ Motor layout 230 V / 3 / 50 Hz



9.2.3 Electronic Screening

Use screen cables. Ensure large area contact to the housing of the compressor. The frequency inverter must be fitted with suitable EMC filters, connect both ends of motor cable to the ground.

9.2.4 Compressor Contactor

A compressor contactor should always be used to ensure the correct function of the safety circuit.

9.2.5 Ramp up time to Minimum Speed

A Ramp up time of between 1-3 seconds to minimum speed, enables a soft start and at the same time adequate lubrication is achieved.

9.2.6 Abnormal Vibrations

The pulsation frequency in the discharge line and the excitation frequency at the compressor feet and in the piping system depend on the compressor speed. This can result in resonance effects in pipelines and other plant components.

Therefore the entire plant must be carefully checked for abnormal vibration during commissioning and repeatedly during the operation at each frequency.

Frequencies at which resonance occur must be blocked out in the frequency inverter programming. In certain cases there can be a mismatch in the compressor/frequency inverter selection where the compressor and inverter do not have adequate reserves; this may result in a large number of frequency ranges where resonance occurs.

PLEASE CONTACT BITZER AUSTRALIA IN SUCH CASES FOR FURTHER ADVICE.

Further information on frequency inverters refer to Document KT420- <u>www.bitzer.com.au</u>

9.3 Ancillaries/BITZER Temprite Coalescent Oil Separation System

9.3.1

The **BITZER** CO2 DX Hybrid racks can offer an option to fit a high efficient **Temprite** Coalescent Oil Separator / Reservoir.

• The Temprite Coalescent Oil Separators have an internal filter, installed. Temprite™ Coalescent Oil Filters will pick up all dirt and effluent to <u>3.0 microns</u>. [Typical Filter driers only catch 50 microns or larger.] Replace the coalescent filter if dirt loading is above 0.896 Bar / 89.63kPa./ 13.0 PSI differential across the separator [Refer the **Temprite** Differential Indicator.] See below.

• The **Temprite** Coalescent Oil Separators are also excellent at maintaining oil cleanliness. [This has a direct positive effect in reducing operational costs.]

• The **Temprite** Coalescent Oil separator / Reservoirs are not affected by velocity and are 98.5% efficient down to 20% of total rated load.

Temprite Coalescent Oil separator/Reservoir.



Temprite Oil Separator with Pressure differential Indicator. PDI installed



Temprite Pressure differential Indicator. **PDI** BITZER Item No. B36-088



This **PDI** indicator includes electrical leads that can be wired to your Micro-processor refrigeration control system to indicate when the differential across the oil separator is too high [requiring a filter change.] The **Alarm differential** pressure is **0.83 Bar.** The Yellow /Green transition is **0.69** Bar. The Yellow /Red transition is **0.89 Bar.**

PDI Pressure Differential Indicator Electrical data 60W VAC /VDC. 3.0 Amp leads to your Alarm.



9.3.2 Ancillaries/BITZER Temprite Coalescent Oil Separation System

Temprite Clean up Filter

Temprite Filter Change Instructions:

- Isolate Oil separator from System. 1.
- 2. Recover or recycle any remaining refrigerant from the oil separator.
- 3. Be sure that the Oil Separator is de-pressurized.
- 4. Carefully unbolt the flange bolts and nuts. [Put aside with washers to be reused.]
- Carefully remove the top plate. 5.
- Remove the filter retaining nut and sealing washer. 6.
- 7. Remove the old filter and "O" ring from the bottom of the filter.
- 8. Make sure that the filter sealing surface inside the separator is smooth and clean of dirt.
- Wipe clean oil separator internals so that it is free from any dirt, scale or contaminates. 9.
- 10. Dispose old oil properly.
- Install a new Temprite[™] replacement filter cartridge. 11.
 - Apply a thin film of clean refrigeration oil to the "O" ring of the new filter and insert the a.) new filter into the separator so that it is centred and that the "O" ring seats flush on the sealing surface.
 - Re-attach the new sealing washer and filter nut. b.)
 - Tighten the filter nut until it will not turn. c.)
 - Tighten the filter nut an additional 1/2 to 3/4 turn. d.1
- Thoroughly remove the old gasket or "O" ring from the groove. [Careful not to scratch the steel 12. surface.]
- 13. For 930R select the correct "0" ring and fit in the groove, discard extra "0" ring.
- 14. Replace the flange "O" ring or gasket in the groove dry, and then apply oil with 360° coverage of the "O-ring.
- Pre charge the Oil separator with BSE60K oil. [see nameplate for quantity] 15.
- 16. Re attach the top cover plate to flange by first finger tightening nuts on bolts with lock washers, in between nut and flange face. Start with any given bolt and gradually tighten crisscross pattern firmly up to 27 to 29.8 N-m of torgue for 922R - 9227R. 67.7 to 74.5 N-m of torgue for 928R. 94.9 to 101.6 N-m of torque for 930R. Tighten mounting bolts in an opposing pattern to insure even pulling down of the top cover assembly.
- Leaks test/check the oil separator flange junction. 17.
- 18. Evacuate the oil separator and interconnecting lines.
- 19. Return the oil separator to operation, slowly open the isolating valves.
- 20. Monitor the oil levels and pressure drop frequently.
- 21. Continue to replace filters until you maintain a pressure drop staying below
- 0.896 Bar/89.63kPa./ 13.0PSI differential across the separator. The separator is clean. NOTES:
- The clean-up Oil Filters are for clean-up purposes only. They remove dirt down to 3.0 microns. The STD oil filters remove dirt down to 0.3 microns and you will have 98.5% oil separation for
- normal operation.
 - Oil Separator is not Pre-charged with Oil. Please insure that the oil separator is charged with a correct quantity of the nominated oil prior to evacuation.

ATTENTION!



Only use BITZER BSE 60K POE Oil.



9.3.3 Ancillaries/BITZER Temprite Coalescent Oil Separation System

Temprite AS2971 Coalescent Oil Separator/Reservoirs models and Accessories:

BITZER Item No.	Description
B36-070	922R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT c/w Filter kit
B36-071	923R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT c/w Filter kit
B36-072	924R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT c/w Filter kit
B36-073	925R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT c/w Filter kit
B36-074	926R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT c/w Filter kit
B36-075	927R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT c/w Filter kit
B36-076	928R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT c/w Filter kit
B36-077	930R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT c/w Filter kit
B36-078	OIL FILTER KIT STD. 922R/923R
B36-079	OIL FILTER KIT CLEAN-UP. 922R/923R
B36-080	OIL FILTER KIT STD. 924R/925R
B36-081	OIL FILTER KIT CLEAN-UP. 924R/925R
B36-082	OIL FILTER KIT STD. 926R/927R
B36-083	OIL FILTER KIT CLEAN-UP. 926R/927R
B36-084	OIL FILTER KIT STD. 928R
B36-085	OIL FILTER KIT CLEAN-UP 928R
B36-086	OIL FILTER KIT STD. 930R
B36-087	OIL FILTER KIT CLEAN-UP 930R
B36-088	PRESSURE DIFFERENTIAL INDICATOR 224#

Temprite Oil Separator/Reservoirs are manufactured to AS2971 with a Design Pressure 45 bar.

Temprite Oil Separator/Reservoirs recommended BSE60K vessel oil charge.

BITZER Item No.	Description	Oil Charge Litres
B36-070	922R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT	2.27
B36-071	923R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT	2.27
B36-072	924R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT	3.22
B36-073	925R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT	3.22
B36-074	926R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT	6.7
B36-075	927R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT	6.7
B36-076	928R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT	7.55
B36-077	930R OIL SEPARATOR/RESERVOIR COALESCENT	21.25

NOTE: BITZER COS and Temprite Coalescent Oil Separator / Reservoirs complete with accessories are available from BITZER Price Book.



9.4 Ancillaries/ Compressor oil level control.

9.4.1

The AWA OLC1 OIL LEVEL Control (OLC) uses a Hall-Sensor and a magnetic system installed in the float measure the oil level in the compressor. Depending on the oil level and the magnetic strength changed by it a variable induced voltage is produced. The latter is evaluated by the electronic system and the LEDs and the solenoid valve actuated accordingly. As soon as the oil level reaches the alarm threshold (see operation), the Oil Level Controller switches the changeover contact to alarm condition with a delay of 90 seconds. This signal can be used for compressor disconnection or data processing. As long as the alarm condition is on, the compressor is permanently supplied with oil to get the oil level back to normal. If successful, the alarm will be reset after the oil level has risen again to a defined value. To recognize immediately a compressor "without oil filling", a "Power on Logic" has been integrated in the software. The delay times of "Filling" and "Alarm" are disabled. It is thus guaranteed that a compressor sor without oil filling will not run for 90 seconds before the alarm is triggered but can be stopped immediately.

9.4.2 Operating principle

The oil level indicator is split into segments:

- 1. Normal filling between 40% and 60% of level indicator
- 2. Critical filling between 25% and 40% of level indicator
- 3. Alarm threshold at <25% of level indicator

When the green LED lights up, the OLC is ready for operation and the oil level is at normal. If the oil level is below normal for more than about 10 seconds, the solenoid valve is switched on so that oil is filled into crankcase up to 60% sight glass height (max. filling level). Now, the valve closes again. The delay of 10 seconds may be useful for certain compressor types and applications because the oil level fluctuates upon compressor start and without the time delay the oil filling would commence although there is a sufficient amount of oil. Thus the compressor shall be prevented from over filling.

If the oil level drops in a low pressure system despite active filling oil filling to a "critical area", it may be caused by too low differential pressure (oil pressure minus suction pressure). In such case the differential pressure has to be increased so that the sufficient amount od oil can flow in. This can be achieved by suitable differential pressure valves.

To avoid a shortage of oil, AWA recommends leaving the OLC on even if the compressor is on hold.



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9.4.3

Product description.

OLC are suitable for use in refrigeration systems to control the oil level in compressors. The OLC is in compliance with DIN EN 12284:2003, the Pressure Equipment Directive 2014/68/EC, the EMC Directive 2014/30/EC and the Low-Voltage Directive 2014/35/EC.

9.4.4

Technical parameters

OF modules		Times delays	Alexand 00 eee
CE marking		Time delay	Alarm: 90 sec.
(Low-voltage and	2014 / 35 / EC		Filling: 10 sec.
EMC Directives)	2014 / 30 / EC		
Applicable stand-	EN 12284, EN 378, EN 61010-	Materials	Housing and adapter
ards	1:2010, EN 61326-2-3, EN 61000-		(EN AW 6081, 6082),
	6-2:2005, EN 61000-6-3:2007 +		oil connection:
	A1:2011		CW617N,
			sight glass: 11SMn30
			screws: stainless steel
Max. operating	OLC1: 60 bar OLC2: 120 bar	Media compati-	HFKW, CO2, HC, min-
pressure	OLC1: 66 bar OLC2: 132 bar	bility	eral oils, synthetic and
Max. test pressure			ester oils, other refrig-
			erants on request
Power supply volt-	24 VAC 50 Hz, +10/-15%, 0.4 A	Media/ storage	-40+80 °C
age, Current OLC1	230 VAC 50 Hz, +10/-15%, 0.04 A	temperature:	
OLC2	24 VAC 50 Hz, +/-10%, 0.4 A	Ambient temper-	-40+50 °C
	230 VAC 50 Hz, +/-10%, 0.04 A	ature:	(static)
Vibration	max. 4 g, 10 250 Hz	Degree of pro-	IP 65 (IEC529 /
resistance		tection	EN 60529)
(EN 60068-2-6)			_
MOPD solenoid	OLC1: 40 bar	Oil connection	7/16"-20 UNF outside,
valve	OLC2: 80 bar		w. strainer and O-ring
Alarm contact	max. 3 A, 230 VAC, floating	Humidity	0 – 80 % RH (non-
			condensing)



9.4.5 OLC Electrical connection



Fig. 5: Electrical connection

Warning!



<u>All electrical wiring should be carried out by qualified persons and in accordance with AS300</u> or <u>equivalent standard in the country of installation.</u>



9.5 Ancillaries/CO2 Brazed Plate Heat Exchanger (BPHE) Cascade Condensers/Evaporators.

The condensing of CO2 vapour is achieved by two in parallel BPHE Cascade Condensers/Evaporators. BITZER CO2 Hybrid racks use liquid refrigerant (typically R134a) from the high stage of the cascade system to condense the CO2 through Direct Expansion (DX) in the BPHE condenser. The direction of flow of the R134a is always in counter flow to the CO2. The direction of flow of the R134a is always in counter flow to the CO2..

BPHE Cascade Condenser/Evaporator with CO2/R134a in Counter flow



The discharge CO2 enters the BPHE inlet port, (F2). Before the CO2 vapour can condense it requires de-superheating to its saturation point, this de-superheating is carried out in the top 20-30% of the BPHE. Once the saturation point has been reached the CO2 will change phase from vapour to liquid and condense back in to a liquid leaving the exit port at approximate -2°C (F4).

The **R134a** enters the BPHE In counter flow (F3) to the CO2 vapour typically via an Electronic Expansion Valve (EEV), the **R134a** changes phase from liquid to vapour as it passes up through the channel plates. Superheated **R134a** vapour exits the BPHE (F1) and returns to the high stage rack suction.

A balance point is reached in the top portion of the BPHE where only CO2 and R134a vapour is present.

Although the condensing process appears to be straight forward, CO2 condensation in a BPHE is an extremely complex process with two phase changes taking place in counter flow and is akin to having a critically charge high side. Any sudden changes in one of the related sub process can trip the system into instability.

The condensing process in an individual plate channel of a CO2/**R134a** BPHE cascade condenser/evaporator. The CO2 discharge vapour at a typical temperature of 70°C (This will be substantially lower with an air or water cooled de-superheater fitted before the BPHE cascade condensers/evaporators).



CO2/R134a condensing process.



9.6 Ancillaries/Electronic Expansion Valve (EEV)

Control of the condensing process is regulated typically by an EEV; the EEV is an accessory with the Valve Station. But can be fitted by contractor if preferred.



<u>Care should be taken when selecting, installing and commissioning of the EEV as erratic superheat</u> <u>control WILL lead to the premature failure of the BPHE condenser.</u>

9.7 EEV Superheat Control

It is imperative that stable superheat is maintained at all times during the condensing process, there is several other system related process that influence the ability to maintain stable superheat namely:

- Compressor Cycling
- De-superheater control
- Defrost loads
- Suction Superheater Control

The above will be explored in greater detail in other sections of this document and this section will concentrate on the actual EEV and the effects of unstable superheat control.

The effect of unstable superheat on the CO2/R134a condensing process. The CO2 side of the process remains the same as where CO2 vapour is first de-superheated and then condensed, as before the top portion of the BPHE on the CO2 side contains only vapour. The actual plate material temperature is around 59°C.

However on the R134a side there is no superheat present and there is liquid R134a present all the way through the channel plate on the R134a side, this has two affects

1. The BPHE material rapidly cools down from an average of 59°C to around -2°C, this rapid cooling creates tearing forces on the BPHE stainless steel material.

2. The cooling of the BPHE stainless steel material causes the BPHE material to contract (by up to 1mm), when the EEV restores positive superheat the BPHE stainless steel material expands.



A continuous fluctuation in superheat as described above and the effects of. Points 1 and 2 <u>create cyclic fatigue on the BPHE</u> material and will ultimately cause premature failure of the BPHE. Shows microscopic analysis from an actual failure, continuous linear expansion and contraction of the stainless steel material produces cracks on brazing joints in the proximity of the R134a outlet/CO2 inlet port.

Microscopic Analysis of a BPHE Failure.



Shows site data from an actual BPHE failure it can be clearly seen that the superheat control is unstable with continuous fluctuations around zero superheat.



Graph showing unstable EEV superheat control



Shows the opening position of the same valve, it can be seen that the valve operating position is also erratic, moving from fully closed to wide open. **Graph showing unstable EEV Opening Position.**



Below shows the ideal superheat control of the EEV Graph showing stable EEV Superheat.





ATTENTION!

Failure to maintain stable superheat will void all warranty on the BPHE, BITZER Australia reserve the right to request periodic graphical data in the event of BPHE failure.

9.8 Piping Recommendations for EEV

The recommended position of the EEV relative to the inlet port. The EEV should be mounted in the horizontal position relative to the inlet connection, with a straight pipe in between. The pipe between the EEV and the BPHE inlet should be between 150mm-300mmlong or with a ratio of pipe length to pipe inner diameter of 10-30.

Recommended Positions for EEV.



9.9 Ancillaries BPHE [OPTIONAL] HOT WATER [HEAT RECLAIM UNIT]

BITZER CO2 Hybrid Racks are available with [OPTIONAL] HOT WATER BPHE. This consists of a <u>Dual Wall</u> Stainless Steel Brazed Plate Heat Exchanger engineered to application. The <u>Dual Wall</u> BPHE is intended for potable water applications. NOTE: Water mark level 1. Certificate of conformity AS/NZS 3498:2009 CERTIFICATE No. 23131. Confirmation of conformity with local authorities are recommended.

9.10 Water Connection to the HOT WATER BPHE. [Heat Reclaim Unit]

Installation:

Of water plumbing connection for a dedicated Hot Water circuit to the **[OPTIONAL] HOT WATER BPHE**. Insure that the refrigeration contractor/s has successfully pressure tested/leak tested the HOT WATER BPHE prior to installation of plumbing [water.] circuit.

The HOT WATER BPHE 01-1/4" MBSP water connections are to be connected counter flow to the refrigeration fittings by a registered, licensed Plummer. We recommend that additional BSP sockets/ valves be installed within the water circuit for periodic water circuit cleaning purposes.

The **maximum allowable connection load is 260 Nm Torque** with a maximum Bending Moment of 87 Nm. to the 01-1/4" MBSP Water fitting. Insure that all interconnecting plumbing [water pipes] are <u>structur-ally secured</u> before and after the BPHE.



9.11 Cleaning of the HOT WATER BPHE.

Thanks to the normally high degree of turbulence in the BPHE there is a self-cleaning effect in the channels. However in some applications the fouling tendency can be very high. EG when using extremely hard water at high temperatures. In such cases it is always possible to clean the exchanger by circulating an approved cleaning liquid. [**CIP** Cleaning In Place] Use a tank with weak acid solution 5.0% phosphoric acid or if the exchanger is frequently cleaned a 5.0% solution of oxalic acid. For optimum cleaning the cleaning solution flow rate should be minimum 1.5 times the normal flow rate, preferably in a back flush mode. After use do not forget to rinse the exchanger carefully with clean water. A solution of 1-2% sodium hydroxide (NaOH) or sodium bicarbonate (NaHCO) before the last rinse ensures that all acid is neutralized. **[Check PH test sample of water leaving the BPHE after the cleaning process is complete]** Clean the BPHE water circuit at regular intervals.

9.12 Ancillaries Liquid Receiver

BITZER CO2 Hybrid Racks are supplied with a CO2 rated liquid receiver, the receiver comes with 50mm insulation and is encapsulated in a metal enclosure. All vessels are manufactured to AS1210.



B31-130 Vertical Liquid Receiever CO2 Metal Clad and insulated



- 1. Three of the Frost Shield [Perspex viewing elements.] are supplied within the accessories carton. Gently insert one Frost Shield viewing element horizontally into the top sight glass and the other into the middle sight glass.
- 2. Liquid level sensor is supplied and wire to switchboard/control system.
- **3.** NOTE: It is imperative that the Liquid level Alarm sensor be tested during Commissioning and periodically when general maintenance occurs.

9.13 Ancillaries/Liquid Level Alarm

• A low level liquid alarms are generated by a Kriwan INT-276ICN liquid level sensor the switch is mounted horizontally in the bottom receiver. The electronic assembly of the switch is nonintrusive and can be serviced without pumping down the receiver.

Liquid Level Switch Details (Disassembled View).



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Technical specifications

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Supply voltage	
- 52 S 476	AC 50/60Hz 230V ±10% 3VA
- 41 S 476	AC 50/60Hz 115V ±10% 3VA
Permitted ambient temperature	-30+60°C
Permitted rel. humidity	10-95% r. h. no condensation
Medium temperature	Max. +80°C
Switch delay	
- After applying the supply voltage	3s ±1s
- Level missing or fault	5s ±2s
- Level good and no fault	5s ±2s
Relay	
- Contact	AC 240V 2.5A C300 at least AC/DC 24V 20mA
- Mechanical service life	Approx. 1 million switching cycles
Protection class acc. to EN 60529	IP54 in mounted condition
Connection type	Cable 4 x AWG 18/7
Housing material	PA glass-fibre-reinforced
Mounting	Union nut (torque max. 10Nm)
Dimensions	Refer to dimensions in mm
Weight	Approx. 160g
Check base	EN 61000-6-2, EN 61000-6-3 EN 61010-1 Overvoltage category II Pollution level 2
Approval	UL File No. E222056 cURus



<u>All electrical wiring should be carried out by qualified persons and in accordance with AS300 or</u> equivalent standard in the country of installation.

9.14 Ancillaries/Filter Driers & Moisture

The solubility of water in CO2 vapour is considerably lower than in other refrigerants, as a consequence relatively low moisture content can freeze out of the refrigerant and block control valves. Excessive moisture can also lead to a build-up of organic acid as the moisture reacts with both the CO2 and the POE oil. Therefore all BITZER CO2 DX Hybrid racks come fitted with a generously sized liquid drier complete with 2 x 100% molecular sieve driers cores supplied loose.

The drier shell is installed at the rear, right hand end of the rack encased in PVC tubing complete with urethane insulation.

- 1. Upstream of the Drier Shell is a service Charging / Drain Post Valve 03/8". See FIG 20
- 2. Upstream of the Drier shell is a Liquid line Three Way Ball Valve. See FIG 20
- 3. The Liquid Line can be temporarily diverted along the Liquid line By-Pass line during Drier changes. This means that the system can fully functional, during liquid line Drier Core replacement.
- 4. Please note that the driers cores are supplied loose within the accessories carton and should be installed as part of the commissioning. See commissioning section
- 5. The 03/8" Post valve can also be employed for reclaim of residual CO2 refrigerant from the Drier Shell cavity prior to Drier core changes.



Only fit 100% molecular sieve driers when replacing liquid drier cores, excessive moisture content in the CO2 will lead to a build-up of organic acid.

9.15 Ancillaries/ Suction Superheaters.

Due to the high solubility of CO2 & POE oil it is essential that the compressor crankcase is kept above 20°C. Low crankcase temperatures will allow the high density CO2 to dilute into the oil, leading to compressor failure.

The BITZER CO2 Hybrid racks use several methods (depending on generation) to superheat the return CO2 suction vapour, superheating the suction vapour raises the compressor discharge temperature, which in turn raises the oil temperature.

Although there is a slight decrease in COP with the additional increase in suction superheat, the decrease is less than if one were to use an external heater (additional parasitic load) to maintain crankcase temperature.

9.16 Suction Superheating.



The set points listed below are advisory as each system varies depending on design conditions. Operation should be checked to ensure that the crankcase temperature operates between 20°C & 30°C.

9.17 Suction Superheating BPHE

Additional Suction [Return vapour] Superheating is achieved by passing CO2 High Pressure Liquid in counter flow to CO2 Suction Return Vapour. This style of superheating is less complicated and does not require any control solenoids as the mass flow of CO2 liquid and vapour is balanced. The Suction Reheat BPHE is engineered to application.

9.18 Ancillaries Suction Filter and Suction Header / Accumulator

BITZER CO2 Hybrid racks are equipped with a twin core Suction Drier in series with Suction Accumulator/Header Vessel.

- 1. Please note that the suction felt is not fitted when the rack is supplied and should be installed as part of the commissioning. The suction felt should be removed after commissioning in order to avoid excessive pressure drop through the filter.
- 2. Burnt out cores should be installed in the event of a compressor burn out or high moisture content.
- 3. A Service valve 03/8"MSAE is connected upstream of the Suction Drier/Suction Accumulator to assist with changing drier Cores.
- 4. Refer schematic for further details.

9.19 Ancillaries/Resilience System

BITZER CO2 Hybrid racks come with an "OPTIONAL" Emergency Cooling BPHE unit and fitted. The purpose of the emergency cooling BPHE is to provide cooling to the CO2 refrigerant within the Liquid Receiver in the event of a power outage. The BPHE is connected to the CO2 Liquid Receiver and includes a Tx Valve. R134a TUAE mechanical expansion valve, (R134a is standard other refrigerants valves available on request) the liquid line and suction line on the R134a will be connected to the Condensing Unit if fitted (another option)

An additional HP switch is fitted to control the condensing unit for the emergency cooling BPHE.

HP Switch 3 Function: Emergency Cooling BPHE Condensing unit Control Cut in 3800kPa Cut out 3600kPa

The [OPTIONAL.] emergency Cooling Unit includes the following.

- 1 x BITZER Compressor R134a Single Phase.
- 1 x Top mounted Air Cooled Condenser, Twin Fan vertical Air Discharge.
- 1 x Dual Pressure Control [Safety.]
- 1 x Suction Accumulator. [Insulated.]
- 1 x Vertical Liquid Receiver.
- 1 x Liquid line Drier
- 1 x Sight Glass Moisture indicator.
- Interconnecting pipework including connection to BPHE.
- The System has a holding charge of NITROGEN.
- The R134a Refrigerant required for this unit is supplied by others.



9.21 Ancillaries/ Pressure Relief Valves (PRV's)

BITZER CO2 Hybrid racks come with factory fitted PRV's. The PRV's are designed to reset after opening. Relief Valve Operating Temperature Range: **-196°C to +185°C**

The PRV's are fitted within a cubicle along with a high and low side vent solenoid valves. This cubicle is to be vented via 90mm minimum PVC tubing to a safe venting area. The cubicle remains factory fitted to the rack. **See Warning below.**

Warning! Failure to comply with the above can result in serious injury to personal.

Location of PRV's on Rack.



9.22 Ancillaries Transducer Points

BITZER CO2 Hybrid come with suction and discharge transducer post valves. Please note that the actual transducers are not part of the rack scope of supply unless the Electrical option is included. The suction transducer post valve is connected the main suction header, the discharge transducer post valve is connected to the CO2 liquid receiver.

9.23 Ancillaries Emergency Vent Solenoid (EVS)

The BITZER CO2 racks come fitted with additional HP switches to control emergency vent solenoids. Emergency Vent Solenoids are included within the part of the scope of supply of the rack within the same cubicle of the relief valves. The Vented by the site fitted PVC tubing. The purpose of the EVS is to relief pressure from the suction header and or the CO2 liquid receiver before the pressure builds-up and the PRV's are activated.



9.24 Ancillaries/Pressure Switches

All compressors come fitted with mechanical High Pressure (HP) safety switch. Low Pressure (LP) safety switch on request (not standard)

Recommended Settings Only

LP	Cut in	1200kPa	Cut out	560kPa
HP	Cut in	3200kPa	Cut out	3950kPa

FIG 25 Additional System Pressure Switches.



The additional system pressure switches are fitted on the unit and can be isolated via post valve. The high pressure safety operation is led by each HP control fitted to each compressor.

- 1. The High Pressure safety Control is for Rack Safety.
- 2. The High Pressure [Emergency Cooling Unit.] control is to operate the Emergency Condensing Unit.
- **3.** The High Pressure safety Control [HP Bleed.] is for the HP Bleed Solenoid Valve.
- 4. The Low Pressure safety Control is for Rack Safety
- 5. The low Pressure safety Control (LP Bleed.) is for the LP Bleed Solenoid Valve.

9.25 Suction and Liquid Headers

BITZER CO2 Hybrid Racks come fitted with six stub suction and liquid headers. The headers are metal encased with urethane insulation to reduce condensation.

Suction & Liquid headers



6 x Suctions 0 7/8" and 6 x Liquids 07/8".

- 1. The Suction return Inlets consist of 6 stubs of 07/8" refrigeration pipe. Each complete with system ball valves with non-return valve (NRV) bypass. Suction stubs have an additional post valve fitted. This arrangement allows for the pumping down and evacuation of the field evaporators to be carried out from the rack.
- 2. The liquid Outlets 6 stubs of 07/8" refrigeration pipe. Each complete with system ball valves with non-return valve (NRV) bypass.

For Connection and operating instructions of the ball valves. Note: Ensure that all site pipe work is structurally self-supported, prior to connecting to the BITZER CO2 Hybrid Rack.



Connection & Operating Instructions for 3 - Way Ball Valves.



The three way ball valves are primarily located;

- The Discharge line upstream of the Hot Water BPHE [When HW is BPHE fitted.]
- The Discharge line prior to the Air Cooled De-Superheater.
- The Liquid Line upstream of the Liquid line By-Pass and Drier Shell.
- The liquid Receiver Pressure Relief Valves.

Notes:

- The 3-way valves do not require Non- Return Valves [Check valves.] in the current configurations.
- For 3-Way Valve Brazing [Soldering] instructions

10. Commissioning/Pressure test

The entire system should be pressure and strength tested prior to the evacuation process, the pressure test should be carried out with Dry Nitrogen, in accordance to relevant Australian / New Zealand standards.

DANGER!



Under No circumstances is Oxygen or other industrial gases to be introduced. Do-not add HFC refrigerant as a leak indicator.

Warning!



All work to be carried out to the relevant Standards by licensed accredited personal.

Ensure that the **test pressure does not exceed 2500kPa on the low side and 4000kPa on the high side**. Test / Inspect all components / connections for leaks. Employ the soapy water method of leak detection to system joints-junctions while system is at test pressure. We also recommend the use of quality electronic CO2 Leak detectors to insure system integrity.

Warning: <u>Electronic CO2 leak detectors can/may register CO2 presence in the expanded polyurethane</u> foam [insulation] within the Headers / BPHE Enclosures / Pressure Vessels Insulation. When the pressure test/s are completed record findings. When the pressure test/s are completed reduce the system pressure to a safe holding pressure, rec-

ommended 500 kPa.



10.1 Commissioning/Evacuation and Dehydration.

The BITZER CO2 Hybrid rack requires a minimum evacuation of 500 microns, we therefore recommend the following:

- Employ the Triple Evacuation Process.
- Evacuate with two-Stage vacuum pump/s sized to application.
- Provide new (approved) vacuum pump oil to the vacuum pump/s prior to evacuation.
- Employ 03/8" hoses [minimum size.] to both high and low sides of system.
- Ensure that all circuits of the CO2 system are all evacuated.
- Insure that the Compressors and the Oil Separator/Reservoir are drained of oil prior to evacuation. [Label all Compressors and the Oil Separator/Reservoir stating that they are drained of Oil.]
- Insure that all Solenoid valves are fully open during the evacuation process. This can be achieved by energising the coils or replacing them with coil magnets during this process. [Important: Replace any coil magnets with the appropriate Solenoid coil/s once evacuation process is fully completed.]
- Insure that the Electronic Tx valves are fully open during the evacuation process.
- Employ accurate gauges for measuring vacuum e.g. Digital vacuum gauge (correctly calibrated / certified.)
- Commence the 1st evacuation. During this initial process, Test vacuum to check for inward leaks. During initial evacuation. Leave vacuum to stand for a period and record vacuum findings. If pressure rises rapidly showing a possible inward leak. Evacuate different sections one at a time to determine leak source. Once leak is located and fully repaired, pressure test / leak test system prior to recommencing evacuation.
- Option on larger plants isolate sections of the refrigeration plant and Evacuate different sections one at a time or employ several vac pumps one on each section of the system.
- During initial evacuation, open the 2-Stage vacuum pump/s gas ballast valve to exhaust/remove any non-condensable entering the vac pump. Once a low vacuum is approaching close the Bal last valve to achieve lowest vacuum.
- Once the first evacuation is successfully completed. [Record findings within commissioning re port.]
- Insure that the vacuum testing instruments are disconnected or isolated.
- Break the 1st vacuum with Dry nitrogen (10ppm) to a positive pressure. [We recommend to charge through a drier shell with a drier core/s fitted.] To further insure systems internal moisture content is reduced.
- Install all system drier/filter cores between the first and the second evacuation. [Keep any exposure of the system to atmosphere to a minimum.]
- Install BITZER approved BSE60K refrigeration oil to each compressor and Oil Separator/ Reservoir between the first and the second evacuation. [Activate the crankcase heaters]
- Commence 2nd evacuation process. And reinstate the vacuum testing instruments.
- Once the 2nd vacuum is achieved [Record findings within commissioning report.]
- Insure that the vacuum testing instruments are again disconnected or isolated.
- Break the 2nd vacuum with refrigeration grade R744 CO2 vapour only to a positive pressure. [We recommend charging the vapour R744 CO2 through a drier shell with a drier core/s fitted.]
- Commence 3rd evacuation process. And reinstate the vacuum testing instruments.
- Once the 3rd [final.] vacuum is achieved [Record findings within commissioning report.]
- The system is now ready for R744 CO2 refrigerant charging. [System must be charged from a vacuum with vapour R744 only.]

For locations of Evacuation Connections refer List below.

- 1. The Liquid line 03/8" MSAE Post valve upstream of the 2-Core liquid line Drier.
- 2. The Suction Line 03/8" MSAE Post valve upstream of the Suction Drier/Accumulator vessel.
- 3. The 01/4" MSAE Post valves at the Suction header. [One per Suction Inlet.]
- 4. The Compressor service valve 01/4" MSAE connections. [DL and SL Valves.]



10.2 Commissioning/Oil Oil type: BITZER BSE 60K (POE) ATTENTION!



The POE oils used in the BITZER CO2 Hybrid rack is hydroscopic, when exposed to the atmosphere it absorbs moisture. Excessive moisture in the CO2 can lead to a build-up of organic acids as the free moisture reacts with both the POE and the CO2

- Do not reuse drained oil that has been exposed to the atmosphere.
- The minimization of system internals, exposure to atmosphere.
- The use of 100% molecule sieve driers for moisture removal only.
- Check operation of crankcase heaters during evacuation.

10.3 Commissioning/Controls

Special attention must be taken in the control strategies used to control the BITZER CO2 Hybrid rack and the high stage rack: the very minimum we require the following.

- The use of electrical interlocks to prevent the BITZER DX Hybrid CO2 rack operating without the high stage rack operating.
- Evaporator and fans should be staged off in the event of the suction pressure reaching 2200kPa.
- Evaporators and fans should be staged back on after a power outage.
- 10.4 Commissioning/Starting Up and Charging



The following should only be carried out by suitably qualified refrigeration technician. Ensure that all gauges are accurate and hoses are in good condition and have sufficient pressure rating. A Risk Assessment and SOP should be completed before this work is carried. Appropriate PPE must be worn.

The high stage system and emergency cooling unit must be commissioned with all safety and control circuits proven. All safeties and control circuits on the BITZER CO2 Hybrid Rack should be set and tested. Energise the crankcase heaters and ensure that the oil temperature is between 35°C to 40° and that there is sufficient oil in the compressors and the oil separator.

The BITZER DX Hybrid CO2 unit should be charged with refrigeration grade R744, CO2 with a moisture content of 10 parts per million or less.

Extreme care must be taken when charging the system with R744

- From a vacuum: Only Vapour Charge R744 Refrigerant into The Refrigeration System.
 - 1. Connect the refrigerant charging line into the system 3/8" MSAE Liquid line Charging Service Valve. This insures refrigerant charging through the systems dual core liquid line drier.
 - 2. We recommend an additional 100% molecular sieve driers/shell be installed in the charging line to further insure that the system is charged with Dry R744.
 - 3. This system must be vapour charged with R744 until the system pressure is above 500kPa
 - 4. Only when the entire system is at 500kPa or greater can you then begin to Liquid Charge R744 C02 into the Liquid Line Charging Service Valve 03/8" MSAE. And the Liquid Receiver, once an overall all system pressure of above 500 kPa has been reached.
 - 5. Continue charging liquid into the receiver until a level is clearly visible in the second sight glass. Once this level has been reached turn on one sub system at a time, do not turn to many sub systems at once as this can lead to a rapid rise in pressure.
 - 6. Add additional refrigerant as required.
 - 7. Vapour can be charged into the liquid receiver, wet gas return or dry suction.



- 8. Liquid can be charged in to the liquid receiver or liquid line.
- 9. Ensure that the system is sufficiently charged with R744, CO2

WARNING: CHARGING LIQUID CO2 INTO THE SYSTEM AT PRESSURES BELOW 500 kPa CAN LEAD TO THE FORMATION OF CO2 IN A SOLID FORM (DRY ICE).



WARNING!

Do not overcharge system with refrigerant.

ATTENTION!

Avoid high cycling rates on compressors.



ATTENTION!

Switch off compressors immediately, upon exceeding the application limits or in case of abnormal conditions (e.g. wet operation). Only switch compressors back on when pressure levels are stabilised or after correcting any faults.

ATTENTION!

Avoid rapid pressure pull down inside the crankcase when starting and during operation, as this will lead to oil foaming and result in a lack of lubrication.

10.5 Commissioning/Checks

ATTENTION!

The following should be checked and verified as part of the commissioning procedure.



BITZER Australia reserve the right to request one week's running data from newly commissioned sites as proof that the BITZER CO2 Hybrid rack is operating within its design envelope. Failure to do so may result in voiding warranty on certain componentry

- Set all system pressure (compressor safety) controls as described in section 6.
- The superheat operation of the High Stage Cascade EEV must be checked and verified that the conditions described in section 6.12 do not exist.
- Operation of suction superheater should be verified and compressor crankcase, discharge temperature and suction temperature should be logged.
- The mains power to the plant should be turned off to the BITZER CO2 Hybrid Rack. The operation of the Emergency Cooling BPHE needs to be checked.
- Operation of the air cooled de-superheater should be checked, continuous cycling of the de-superheater fans should be avoided. All de-superheater fans should be off when the CO2 outlet vapour temperature reaches 12°C.
- Case defrost should be set so that no excessive loads are created.
- Operation of low liquid level alarm should be verified
- Cycling frequency of compressors should be checked, compressor starts should not exceed eight starts per hour, min operating time two minutes

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DESCRIPTION	VALUE	COMPRESSOR No.1	COMPRESSOR No.2	COMPRESSOR No.3	COMPRESSOR No.4
FINAL VACUUM PRIOR TO SYSTEM CHARGING	Micron				
BITZER COMPRESSOR MODEL No.	Each				
BITZER COMPRESSOR SERIAL No.	Each				
COMPRESSOR PRESSURE RELIEF VALVE (FITTED)	25 Bar				
COMPRESSOR RUN AMPS RWB	Amp.	/ /	/ /	/ /	/ /
SUCTION PRESSURE	Кра				
SUCTION TEMP.	°C				
DISCHARGE PRESSURE	Кра				
DISCHARGE TEMP.	°C				
EEV SUPERHEAT SETTING R134a (Circuit.)	°C	BPHE 1.		BPHE 2.	
SST. R134a (Circuit.)	°C	BPHE 1.		BPHE 2.	
LP CONTROL SETTING [Compressor.]	Кра				
HP CONTROL SETTING [Compressor.]	Кра				
LP CONTROL SETTING [Rack.]	Кра		-		
LP CONTROL SETTING [LP Bleed.]	Кра				
HP CONTROL SETTING [Rack.]	Кра				
HP CONTROL SETTING [HP Bleed.]	Кра				
HP CONTROL SETTING [Emergency Unit.]	Кра				
ANTI-SHORT CYCLING SETTING	Min.				
COMPRESSOR OIL LEVEL	%				
TRAX OIL LEVEL CONTROL CHECK	√ or X				
Oil Color Check.	√ or X				
OIL SEPARATOR / RESERVOIR LEVEL Top S/G	%				
OIL SEPARATOR / RESERVOIR LEVEL Bottom S/G	%				
Oil PRESSURE DIFFERENTIAL INDICATOR	√ or X				
LIQUID RECEIVER LIQUID LEVEL	%				
LIQUID LEVEL OPTICAL LEVEL SENSOR TEST	√ or X				
Suction Superheat BPHE BY-Pass Solenoid [Setting.]	°C				
Solenoid System BY-Pass High to Low [Suction Re-Heat.]	Кра				
BPHE EMERGENCY (for BACKUP LIQUID RECEIVER) SUPERHEAT	°C				
REMOTE EMERGENCY BACKUP CONDENSING UNIT					
BITZER COND. UNIT MODEL No.					
BITZER COND. UNIT SERIAL No.					
COMPRESSOR RUN AMPS RWB	Amp.		/	/	
SUCTION PRESSURE	Кра				
SUCTION TEMP.	°C				
DISCHARGE PRESSURE	Кра				
DISCHARGE TEMP.	°C				
LP CONTROL SETTING	Кра				
HP CONTROL SETTING	Кра				
HP CONTROL SETTING (COND FAN.)	Кра				
COMPRESSOR OIL LEVEL	%				
TRAX OIL LEVEL CONTROL CHECK	√ or X				

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12 Service and Maintenance Program:

BITZER Australia recommends that the following service and maintenance checks should be carried out as a minimum requirement.



Failure to comply with the schedule listed below and to maintain accurate service and maintenance records may result in premature failure and poor operation of the BITZER CO2 Hybrid rack and will affect any warranty claims.

First 100 Hours of operation:

- Change compressor oil.
- Clean compressor oil filter and magnetic plug.
- Replace main oil strainer. [replace oil Filter with new approved model] BITZER COS-Oil Separators. If Temprite Oil separator employed check pressure differential indicator and replace Temprite cartridge with spare.
- Take oil sample for analysis.
- Check evaporators (frost patterns)
- Check high stage rack system.
- Log system/s operating parameters. (Both DX CO2 and High stage Plant.)
- Check operation of emergency cooling unit.
- Check for abnormal noise and vibration.
- Check compressor crankcase temperatures.
- Check all refrigeration unit pipe clamps [Stauff Clamps.] for tightness.
- Check Air Cooled De-Superheater.
- Check electrical cables for tightness
- Check Electrical Switchboard/s for hot spots [Laser Thermal Sensor]
- Leak test plant.
- Record all 100 hour maintenance checks.

Monthly

- Check system operating conditions.
- Check operation of emergency cooling unit.
- Check for abnormal noise and or vibration.
- Check compressor oils for bubbles, cleanliness and levels.
- Check CO2 refrigerant level (Liquid Receiver).
- Check for oil leaks
- · Check operation of EEV's (operation and superheat setting.)
- Check operation of suction superheat (BPHE) control.
- Log system/s operating parameters
- Check electrical cables for tightness
- Leak test plant.
- Record all monthly maintenance checks.

12 Service and Maintenance Program: Continued.

Quarterly

- Check system operating condition.
- Check operation of emergency cooling unit where applicable. [Check cleanliness of the Emergency Cooling Unit Condenser Coil.]
- Check operation of <u>Remote Air Cooled De-Superheating Unit</u> where applicable. [Check cleanliness of Coil. Check fan Motors. Check operation]
- Check for abnormal noise and or vibration.
- Check compressor oils for cleanliness and levels.
- Check CO2 refrigerant level (liquid receiver).
- Check for oil leaks.
- Check operation of EEV's (operation and superheat setting.)
- Check operation of suction superheat (BPHE) control.
- Log system/s operating parameters.
- Check all pipe clamps for tightness.
- Check electrical cables for tightness.
- · Leak test plant. Record all monthly maintenance checks.
- Record all quarterly maintenance checks.

Annually

- As per monthly check with the additional check listed below.
- Change compressor oil.
- Clean each compressors oil filter and magnetic plug.
- Replace main oil strainer. [replace oil Filter with new approved model] BITZER COS-Oil Separators. If Temprite Oil separator employed check pressure differential indicator and replace Temprite cartridge with spare.
- Replace liquid line drier cores.
- Take oil sample for analysis.
- Check operation of safety circuits.
- Check high stage rack system.
- Check all refrigeration unit pipe clamps [Stauff Clamps.] for tightness.
- Check operation and calibration of plant room CO2 refrigerant detection system.
- Check plant room ventilation system.
- Record all annual maintenance checks.

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13 Drawings BITZER 3 Compressor CO2 DX Hybrid Low Temperature Rack. Frontal view showing right hand side.



BITZER 3 Compressor CO2 DX Hybrid Low Temperature Rack. Frontal view showing Left hand side with optional [Integral Emergency Cooling Unit and rear mounted Integral Air Cooled De-Superheater.]



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BITZER 3 Compressor CO2 DX Hybrid Low Temperature Rack. Side view showing Right hand side.



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BITZER CO2 DX Hybrid Low Temperature Rack Dimensional drawing.



















14 R744 CO2 Pressure Temperature Chart.





PRESSURE / [SATURATED VAPOR] TEMPERATURE TABLE Refrigerant: R744 - Carbon dioxide - CO2

Thormadynamic Proportion (Saturated Canditians) in SI GAUGE PRESSURE

GAUGE PRESSURE

Temperature	Р	Р
.C	Кра	Bar
-56	632.5	6.33
-55	655.9	6.56
-54	680.1	6.80
-53	705.1	7.05
-52	730.9	7.31
-51	757.5	7.58
-50	784.9	7.85
-49	813.2	8.13
-48	842.3	8.42
-47	872.3	8.72
-46	903.1	9.03
-45	934.9	9.35
-44	967.6	9.68
-43	1001.3	10.01
-42	1035.9	10.36
-41	1071.4	10.71
-40	1108.0	11.08
-39	1145.5	11.46
-38	1184.1	11.84
-37	1223.7	12.24
-36	1264.4	12.64
-35	1306.1	13.06
-34	1349.0	13.49
-33	1392.9	13.93
-32	1438.0	14.38
-31	1484.2	14.84
-30	1531.6	15.32
-29	1580.1	15.80
-28	1629.9	16.30
-27	1680.9	16.81
-26	1733.1	17.33
-25	1786.5	17.87
-24	1841.3	18.41
-23	1897.3	18.97
-22	1954.6	19.55
-21	2013.3	20.13
-20	2073.3	20.73
-19	2134.7	21.35
-18	2197.4	21.97
-17	2261.6	22.62
-16	2327.2	23.27
-15	2394.2	23.94
-14	2462.7	24.63
-13	2532.6	25.33
.C	Кра	Bar

Temperature	Р	Р					
.C	Kpa	Bar					
-12	2604.1	26.0					
-11	2677.1	26.8					
-10	2751.7	27.5					
-9	2827.8	28.3					
-8	2905.5	29.1					
-7	2984.8	29.8					
-6	3065.7	30.7					
-5	3148.3	31.5					
-4	3232.6	32.3					
-3	3318.6	33.2					
-2	3406.3	34.1					
-1	3495.7	35.0					
0	3587.0	35.9					
1	3680.0	36.8					
2	3774.8	37.7					
3	3871.5	38.7					
4	3970.1	39.7					
5	4070.6	40.7					
6	4172.9	41.7					
7	4277.3	42.8					
8	4383.6	43.8					
9	4491.9	44.9					
10	4602.3	46.0					
11	4714.7	47.1					
12	4829.2	48.3					
13	4945.9	49.5					
14	5064.7	50.6					
15	5185.7	51.9					
16	5309.0	53.1					
17	5434.5	54.3					
18	5562.4	55.6					
19	5692.7	56.9					
20	5825.5	58.3					
21	5960.7	59.6					
22	6098.6	61.0					
23	6239.1	62.4					
24	6382.5	63.8					
25	6528.7	65.3					
26	6677.9	66.8					
27	6830.2	68.3					
28	6985.9	69.9					
29	7145.0	71.5					
30	7307.8	73.1					
31	1414.6	(4.7					
31.06	7484.7	74.8					
- C	Кра	Bar					



15 R744 CO2 Operating Window.

The R744 CO2 operating window displays the fact where R744 CO2 refrigerant must be initially charged as vapour only to reduce the risk of the refrigerant forming internally as DRY ICE.





16 R744 CO2 Material Safety Data Sheet.

Safety Data Sheet Version: 1 Product: <u>R744</u> MSDS Nr: 300-00-2008B0C(A) Date: 13/12/2005 BOC, UNITED KINGDOM

1 IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY

Product name **<u>R744</u>** Chemical formula CO2 Company identification see heading and/or footer

2 COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance/Preparation Substance. Components/Impurities Contains Carbon dioxide {EINECS No. 204-696-9} CAS Nr 124-38-9 EC Nr (from EINECS) 204-696-9

3 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazards identification Liquefied gas In high concentrations may cause asphyxiation.

4 FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation Low concentrations of CO2 cause increased respiration and headache.

In high concentrations may cause asphyxiation. Symptoms may include loss of mobility/consciousness. Victim may not be aware of asphyxiation.

Remove victim to uncontaminated area wearing self-contained breathing apparatus. Keep victim warm and rested. Call a doctor. Apply artificial respiration if breathing stopped.

Skin/eye contact In case of frostbite spray with water for at least 15 minutes. Apply a sterile dressing. Immediately flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes.

Obtain medical assistance

Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

5 FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Specific hazards Exposure to fire may cause containers to rupture/explode.

Non flammable

Hazardous combustion products Non-Suitable extinguishing media All known extinguishants can be used.

Specific methods If possible, stop flow of product.

Move away from the container and cool with water from a protected position.

17 BITZER BSE 60K OIL Material Safety Data Sheet. MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET According to 91/155/EC Printing date 23.03.2006 Reviewed on 23.03.2006 Identification of substance: · Product details: · Trade name: BSE60K OIL · Application of the substance / the preparation: Lubricant Manufacturer/Supplier: FUCHS EUROPE SCHMIERSTOFFE GMBH EXPORT DIVISION Friesenheimer Str. 15 D-68169 Mannheim Tel: ++49 (0)621/3701-0 (Switch Board) Fax: ++49 (0)621/3701-570 Informing department: Product safety department Tel: ++49 (0)621/3701-333 • Emergency information: Tel: ++49 (0)621/3701-333 or ++49 (0)621/3701-0 (Switch Board) 2 Composition/Data on components: Chemical characterization · Description: Mixture of synthetic base oils with additives. Dangerous components: R-phrases Triaryl phosphate 0.1-1 % N; R 50/53 · Additional information For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16. Hazards identification · Hazard designation: By handling of mineral oil products and chemical products no particular hazard is known when normal precautions (item 7) and personal protective equipment (item 8) are kept. Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment This product is water polluting; see item 12.

R 52/53 Harmful to aquatic organisms may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Classification system

The classification is in line with current EC lists. It is expanded, however, by information from technical literature and by information furnished by supplier companies.

The classification results from the Conventional Method of 1999/45/EC concerning specific data of compounds.

First aid measures

General information

Change clothes and shoes contaminated or soaked by the product.

Never put rags contaminated by the product into cloth-pockets.

After inhalation

Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of symptoms.

(Eventually by inhaling the overheated product)

· After skin contact. The product is not skin irritating.

· After eye contact. Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

• After swallowing. In case of persistent symptoms consult doctor.

Fire fighting measures

• Suitable extinguishing agents CO2, extinguishing powder or water jet. Fight larger fires with water jet or alcohol-resistant foam.

Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.

· For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents Water with a full water jet.

· Protective equipment:

In case of fire fighting: wear self-containing breathing apparatus



17 BITZER BSE 60K Material Safety Data Sheet. MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET continued:

Accidental release measures

Person-related safety precautions:

Particular danger of slipping on leaked/ spilled product.

• Environmental protection measures:

Inform respective authorities in case product reaches water or sewage system.

Do not allow to enter drainage system, surface or ground water.

Prevent from spreading (e.g. by binding or oil barriers).

Do not allow to enter the ground/ soil.

• Measures for cleaning/collecting:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust). Dispose of the material collected according to regulations.

Handling and storage

Handling

Information for safe handling:

Prevent formation of aerosols.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when working with the product.

Take usual precautions when handling mineral oil products or chemical products.

Information about protection against explosions and fires:

Do not heat up Oil to temperatures close to the flash point.

Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers:

No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from foodstuffs.

• Further information about storage conditions:

Local regulations concerning handling and storage of water polluting products have to be followed.

Exposure controls and personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems:

No further data; see item 7.

· Components with critical values that require monitoring at the workplace:

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

Additional information:

The lists that were valid during the compilation were used as basis.

Personal protective equipment

· General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to in handling the chemicals and the mineral oil products.

Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.

Avoid close or long term contact with the skin.

Use skin protection cream for preventive skin protection.

Do not carry cleaning cloths impregnated with the product in trouser pockets.

· Breathing equipment: Not required.

· Protection of hands: Protective gloves and protective skin cream.

Material of gloves

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material cannot be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

• Penetration time of glove material

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· Eye protection: Safety glasses recommended during refilling.

· Body protection: Protective work clothing.

17 BITZER BSE 60K Material Safety Data Sheet. MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET continued: Physical and chemical properties:

- General Information
- · Form: Fluid
- · Colour: Light yellow
- · Smell: Characteristic
- · Value/Range Unit Method
- · Change in condition
- · Melting point/Melting range: Not determined
- · Boiling point/Boiling range: not applicable or not determined
- Flash point: 286 ° C ISO 2592
- · Decomposition temperature: Not determined

· Self-in flammability: Product is not self-igniting.

- Danger of explosion: Product is not explosive.
- Density at 20 ° C 1.01 g/cm³ DIN 51 757
- · Solubility in / Miscibility with
- · Water: Not miscible or difficult to mix
- · Viscosity or Consistency-Class:
- · Kinematic: at 40 ° C 55 mm²/s DIN 51 562

Stability and reactivity

• Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:

No decomposition if used according to specifications.

- Dangerous reactions No dangerous reactions known
- · Dangerous products of decomposition:

No dangerous decomposition products known

- Toxicological information
 - Acute toxicity:
 - · Primary irritant effect:
 - · On the skin: No irritant effect known.
 - · On the eye: No irritant effect known.
 - · Sensitization: No sensitizing effect known.
 - · Additional toxicological information:

When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects according to our actual information.

Ecological information:

- · Behaviour in environmental systems:
- · Mobility and bioaccumulation potential: No data available
- · Eco-toxic effects:
- · Remark: Harmful to fish
- Behaviour in sewage processing plants:

The product sinks in the sewage water on account of its high specific gravity; eventually it is able to pass the conventional collector for light-density material.

General notes:

German Water Endangering Class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous

for water.

Do not allow to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system.

Harmful to aquatic organisms

Disposal considerations

· Product:

Recommendation

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system. When storing used mineral oil products, ensure that the categories for waste oil and mixing instructions are observed.

Delivery of waste oil only to officially authorized collectors.

· European waste catalogue

13 02 08: other engine, gear and lubricating oils

- Uncleaned packagings:
- · Recommendation:

Empty contaminated packaging's thoroughly. They can be recycled after thorough and proper cleaning. Small one-way packaging's have to be disposed according to the local regulations. EWC 15 01 99.

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- · Land transport ADR/RID and GGVS/GGVE (cross-border/domestic)
- · ADR/RID-GGVS/E Class: -
- · Maritime transport IMDG/GGVSea: · IMDG/GGVSea Class: · Marine pollutant: No
- Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:
- · ICAO/IATA Class: -
- Transport/Additional information:
- No dangerous good acc. to dangerous goods/ transport directions.

Regulatory information.

- Designation according to EU guidelines:
- Observe the normal safety regulations when handling chemicals or mineral oil products. The product has been classified and labelled in accordance with EC
- Directives until 2004/73/EC (29. ATP).
- Risk phrases:
- 52/53 Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects
- in the aquatic environment.
 - Safety phrases:

Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special

Instructions/safety data sheets.

- National regulations
- German Water Hazard Class:

Water Endangering Class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for

water.

Other information:

All ingredients are listed in the European Inventories. These data are based on our present knowledge. However, they shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship. This data sheet is a safety data sheet according to 91/155/EU. For products which are not subject to classification according to EU lists this data sheet is made on a voluntary base.

· Relevant R-phrases

50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Department issuing data specification sheet:
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 Product Safety Department

 Contact:

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 Validity:

With this latest edition of this MSDS all former editions are invalid.



18 Risk Assessment Documentation:

Work Activity: Transport , lifting					
Site/Location: Onsite Location					
Those at Risk	Y/ Comments - enter	ames or general groups			
Contactors: Other workers: General Public:	Y Installation, person Y	al and Assistants.			
Comments: The package is so undertake lifting or slinging of	plied shrink wrapped on a export tre rations unless directly & closely sup	ated wooden skid, & requires installing in its final position. No one under the age of 18 will ervised by a component person.			
		Hazards			
 Collision of moving cr. Collision of crane boo Collision of suspender Working in windy or r Working at night whe Dropping of load due Trapped fingers or tor Cuts & abrasions while 	e, host, forklift truck or lifting other hook, block or other moving part v bad with people or plant. wy weather or when sunshine make here is insufficient lighting to obser mechanical failure of load bearing i incorrect slinging method or use of bandling chains or slings.	device with people or plant. ith people or plant. i observation difficult. ve the full travel of the load. component (crane, sling or shackle) equipment or overload of crane or sling.			
5. Cuts & durdsions white	Control Measures	(existing or planned)			
Control		Details			
Equipment:	Overalls/protective cloth Safety helmet Leather gloves for handlii Safety harness (if approp Forklift	ng. Ig chains or slings. iate)			
	 Sings, hooks (fitted with safety catches), plate clamps, eyebolts & shackles. Crane or hoist (mobile cranes must be fitted with overload warning devices) 				
Information, Instruction, and Training	 Observe local standards & gui Insure that all lifting equipmer Only qualified personal should No one under the age of 18 w component person. Any good Boson or rigger's million Maintenance checklist of sling Weights of items slung & lifter Only those trained in slinging Damaged slings or lifting equi For large & unusually shaped licontracted in addition to the or The safe working load must be A competent person must pla Ropes, chains or slings should Lifting tackle will be returned Extreme care should be taken 	Selines relating to Lifting operations & lifting equipment & safe use of cranes. It including forklifts are properly maintained. If tor install package Il undertake lifting or slinging operations unless directly & closely supervised by a mual with a section on rigging practices. s & lifting equipment. I should be known before lift is undertaken. will carry out these operations. ment must be discarded immediately & cut or otherwise rendered unusable. oads or loads with no fixed lifting points are provided, a professional rigger should be sub- rane & operator. clearly marked on all lifting equipment & tackle. Check before use. n non-routine lifts. be shortened in a safe manner. to appropriate storage after use. not to trap fingers when loads are being positioned.			
Control		Details			
Supervision:	in experienced person who has beer oints. No fixed lifting points are pro ead the lift. orklift drivers should poses relevant	trained in slinging will attach the slings or direct the rigger to the appropriate lifting rided, so a competent rigging sub-contractor should employed. The crane driver will not licences			
Environment;	ifting & slinging takes place under al nes are used to steady & guide the l	conditions & weathers – Important considerations are that the load is balanced & that tag bad. Very windy conditions may prohibit the lift.			

18 Risk Assessment Documentation.

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1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 3	Collision with Moving plant. Collision with moving Machine parts. Collision with moving Materials. Weather conditions. Insufficient Lighting. Dropping loads due to mechanical failure. Dropping load due to misapplication of lifting equipment. Trapped fingers or toes. Cuts & abrasions	
Note:	Moderate scores; Thought should be given to reducing risk, but the cost and time (1 to 5) Requirements of prevention should be carefully considered and limited	l.
to 7) i	Substantial Work should not be started until the risk has been reduced, for wo Progress, urgent action is required. Considerable resources may have to be allocated.	rk (6
9)	Intolerable: If unlimited resources cannot reduce risk, work will be prohibited	(8 to

Is risk adequately controlled using the above control measures Y/N Y If "NO" State further action required

State further action required:

Note: This risk assessment is only valid when all control measures are in place before the work or activ-ity commences. If the nature of the work changes or there is a dangerous occurrence.



Risk Assessment Documentation Continued:

Procedures, documents	1. The load should be slung from correctly attached shackles - the most common failure is that of an eyebolt pulled at an
etc	incorrect angle.
	The load should be lifted a few inches & checked that it is stable before the full lift is attempted.
	When lifting operations are sub-contracted to specialist, the contractor should ensure that the crane was thoroughly
	examined within the last 12 months, that the accessories were thoroughly examined within the last 6 months & that both
	the crane driver & banks man are certified competent.
	 Observe the safety standards & other national safety regulations
	Refer to relevant BITZER documentation
Communications:	1. Lift should be supervised by suitably trained or qualified persons, radios or other suitable communication devices should
	be used
Emergency	1 Observe the safety standards & other national safety regulations
action/procedures	2 Persons trained in the use of first aid should be present
	3 Call emergency services.
Access:	 Access should be restricted to the area where lift is taking place, sue appropriate signage
	2. Access to the area beneath the crane radius over which a load will pass should be prohibited to prevent a load striking a
	person. Access around the crane will be controlled to prevent the crane trapping persons.



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Risk Evaluation of Identified Hazards

Probabili	ty of Occurrence	Remote = 1	Possible = 2			Frequent = 3				
Hazard Se	Hazard Severity Minor = 1			Serious (Hospital) = 2			Major (3 days or more)I = 3			
Probabili	Probability of Occurrence x Hazard Severity = Risk Rating (RR)		Probability			Severity				
Identified Hazards{base scores on existing or planned control measures)			1	2	3	1	2	3	RR	
1.	Collision with Moving plan	t.		1				2		2
2.	2. Collision with moving Machine parts.			1				2		2
3.	3. Collision with moving Materials.			1				2		2
4.	4. Weather conditions.			1			1			1
5.	Insufficient Lighting.				2		1			2
6.	Dropping loads due to mechanical failure.			1				3		3
7.	Dropping load due to misapplication of lifting equipment.				2			2		4
8.	8. Trapped fingers or toes.									
9.	9. Cuts & abrasions				2	3	1			2
							1			3

Note:

Moderate scores; Thought should be given to reducing risk, but the cost and time (1 to 5) Requirements of prevention should be carefully considered and limited.

Substantial: Work should not be started until the risk has been reduced, for work (6 to 7) in Progress, urgent action is required. Considerable resources may have to be allocated.

Intolerable: If unlimited resources cannot reduce risk, work will be prohibited (8 to 9).

Is risk adequately controlled using the above control measures Y/N	Y	If "NO" State further action required
State further action required:		

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18 Risk Assessment Documentation.

Work Activity: Pressure Testing & Evacuating	
Site/Location: Onsite Location	

Those at Risk	Υ/	Comments - enter names or general groups			
	N				
Contactors:	Υ	Installation, personal and Assistants.			
Other workers:	Y				
General Public:	N				
Comments: The package is delivered with a holding charge of dry nitrogen, which requires releasing before additional field pipework is connected.					
Care should be taken during pressure testing the entire system & during the commissioning of the package.					
Hazards					
The following hazards have been identified.					

Risk of explosion
 Risk of over pressure
 Environmental pollution

Control Measures (existing or planned)						
Control	Details					
PPE:	Gloves Safety goggles Steel toe cap boots					
Equipment:	General tools Calibrated gauges & test equipment					
Information, Instruction, and Training	 Only use dry nitrogen for pressure testing, never use Oxygen or other industrial gases as this lead an explosion Never add refrigerant to the test gas, environmental pollution possible Refer to relevant BITZER documentation Only use calibrated gauges & equipment, use serviced regulators to control the flow of nitrogen Continuously observe the flow & pressure of nitrogen Only qualified personal should install & commission the package 					
Control	Details					
Supervision:	 Work should only be carried out by qualified persons Observe national safety regulations 					
Environment.	 Ensure adequate levels of ventilation. Check emergency exits. 					
Procedures, documents etc.	1 Observe the safety standards & other national safety regulations 2 Refer to relevant BITZER documentation 3 AS1667					
Communications:	 Comply with site rules permits may be required. Familiarise yourself with ant site emergency plan 					
Emergency action/procedures	In Case of leak I. Isolate leak (if possible) Z. If isolation is not possible, evacuate area & follow the site emergency plan. Treatment to injuries should be in accordance with the product data sheet. Access should be restricted to the area where work is taking place.					



18 Risk Assessment Documentation. Risk Evaluation of Identified Hazards

Probability of Occurrence	Remote = 1	Possible = 2			Frequent = 3				
Hazard Severity	Minor = 1	S	erious (H	ospital) =	= 2	Major (3 days or more) I = 3			
Probability of Occurrence x Hazard Se	verity = Risk Rating (RR)			Probabili	ty		Severity		
Identified Hazards (base scores on ex	isting or planned control measures)		1	2	3	1	2	3	RR
1. Risk of explosion									
			1					3	3
2. Risk of over pressure									
			2					2	4
3. Environmental pollution									
			1					1	2

Note:

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Is risk adequately controlled using the above control measures Y/N	Y	If "NO" State further action required
State further action required:		

Note: This risk assessment is only valid when all control measures are in place before the work or activity commences. If the nature of the work changes or there is a dangerous occurrence.

Work Activity: Charging/Decanting Refri	gerant		
Site/Location:			
	On	site Location	
Those at Risk	Y/N	Comments - enter names or general groups	
Contractors:	Y	Installation, personal and Assistants.	
Other workers:	Y	Sub-contractors, site Maintenance personal.	
General Public:	N		
Comments:			
When charging a system, serious explosion hazard. emission of refrigerant	when decanting a It is essential that	system, it is also very easy to overfill a recovery cylinde proper charging & recovery procedures be observed to	er. An overfilled refrigerant recovery cylinder represents a o prevent serious incidents involving injury or accidental



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Explosion Asphyxiation Refrigerant liquid burns Manual handling injury when moving cylinders or plant 3. 4.

	Control Measures (existing or planned)
Control	Details
PPE:	 Safety boots with a heel, good grip &steel toe cap
	 Overalls/protective clothing
	3. Safety goggles
	 Neoprene impervious gloves
	5. Hard hat
Equipment:	 Refrigerant recovery pump.
	Scales (for recovery).
	 Suitable charging/transfer lines.
	Properly identified refrigerant recovery cylinders.
	Logbook for recording amount charged, decanted or transferred.
Information, Instruction,	 Wear impervious gloves to prevent refrigerant contacting the hands
and Training	Eye protection must be worn when opening any refrigeration system. As a minimum goggle are required.
_	Only persons experienced in handling refrigerants & with relevant licences will charge, decant refrigerant. They may
	have an apprentice or assistant helping them or observing the operation.
	Continuously & accurately weigh recovery cylinders during decanting.
	Continuously supervise charging, decaying or transferring operations.
	Secure cylinders from falling over.
	Do not trap liquid refrigerant between valves.
	Use mechanical handling equipment, or follow good manual handling techniques
	Warning signs to be erected, warning of hazards.
	 Transfer lines to be made safe by marking with bunting to stop accidental collision.
Control	Details
Supervision:	 Contractors should ensure that all persons are properly trained in handling refrigerants & have in date handling
	licence
Environment.	 Ensure adequate levels of ventilation.
	Check emergency exits.
Procedures, documents	1. When charging liquid refrigerant, disconnect the hoses slowly in case liquid remains in the hose (frost on hose may
etc.	indicate that liquid is still present.
	Keep an accurate record of the amount of refrigerant added, decanted or transferred
Communications:	1. Comply with site rules permits may be required
	 Familiarise yourself with the site emergency plan
Emergency	In Case of leak
action/procedures	1. Isolate leak (it possible)
	It isolation is not possible, evacuate area & follow the site emergency plan.
	 Treatment to injuries should be in accordance with the product data sheet.
Access:	 Access should be restricted to the area where work is taking place
Environmental	 Disposal of waste refrigerants covered by various Environmental Protection Acts, refer to local, observe the safety

Hazards

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Disk Evaluation of Identified Hazar	de

Probability of Occurrence Remote = 1		Possible = 2			Frequent = 3				
Hazard Severity	verity Minor = 1		Serious (Hospital) = 2			Major (3 days or more)I = 3			= 3
Probability of Occurrence x Hazard Severity = Risk Rating (RR)			Probability			Severity			
Identified Hazards (base scores on existing or planned control measures)			1	2	1	1	2	1	RR



	Hazards						
1.	Explosion	1				3	4
2.	Asphyxiation	1				3	4
3.	Refrigerant liquid burns				2		4
4.	Manual handling injury when moving cylinders or plant		1		2		4
			1				

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Is risk adequately controlled using the above control measures Y/N	Y	If "NO" State further action required
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Work Activity:				
Electrical Connections				
Site/Location:				
Onsite Location				
		Г		
Those at Risk	Y/	Comments - enter names or general groups		
Find warm Freedowards	N N			
Other workers:	N N	installation, service and inialitenance personal and Assistants.		
General Public:	N			
Comments: The package is supplied v	vith no v	viring, contractors need to wire mains power for con	npressor & relevant control circuits, work should only be	
carried out by qualified persons		0		
		Hazards		
The following hazards have been ide	ntified.			
Electric shock incorrect w	iring			
Electric shock from earth	leakage			



Control Measures (existing or planned)

Control	Details
PPE:	1. N/A
Equipment:	 General hand tools (insulated) Electrical test equipment e.g. Clamp amp meter, multi-meter, test lamp etc. Insulated fused & with calibration. Warning notices.
Information, Instruction,	
and Training	1. Electrical installation should be carried out in accordance with wiring diagram in the compressor terminal box,
	2. Observe the safety standards & other national safety regulations
	3. Compressor housing must be grounded or connected to an equipotential bond
	4. Refer to relevant BITZER documentation
Control	Details
Supervision:	1. Work should only be carried out by qualified persons
	2. Observe national safety regulations
Environment.	 Observe national safety regulations & guidelines in case of emergency.
Procedures, documents	1. Observe the safety standards & other national safety regulations
etc.	2. Refer to relevant BITZER documentation
Communication	1. If in doubt consult your local BITZER office
Emergency	1. Switch off & isolate supply
action/procedures	Remove injured person(s) from danger area (if without risk).
	3. Call emergency services.
Access:	1. The normal site rules restrict access to the panel room to authorised maintenance personal that are all familiar with
	electrical safety.

Risk Evaluation of Identified Hazards

Control	Details
PPE:	1. N/A
Equipment:	 General hand tools (insulated) Electrical test equipment e.g. Clamp amp meter, multi-meter, test lamp etc. Insulated fused & with calibration.
	6. Warning notices.
Information, Instruction,	
and Training	1. Electrical installation should be carried out in accordance with wiring diagram in the compressor terminal box,
	Observe the safety standards & other national safety regulations
	3. Compressor housing must be grounded or connected to an equipotential bond
	4. Refer to relevant BITZER documentation
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Supervision:	1. Work should only be carried out by qualified persons
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urgent action is required. Considerable resources may have to be allocated. Intolerable: If unlimited resources cannot reduce risk, work will be prohibited. (8 to 9)

Is risk adequately controlled using the above control measures Y/N		If "NO" State further action required
State further action required:		

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Work Activity: Electrical fault finding/tes During commissioning, se	sting within the particle & maintena	ackaged unit nce
Site/Location:	On	site Location
Those at Risk	Y/N	Comments - enter names or general groups
Contractors:	Y	Service and Maintenance Contractors and Assistants.
Other workers:	Y	Onsite maintenance personal.
General Public:	N	
Comments: All circuits to	be worked on will	be treated as live until verified dead. There are no exceptions to this requirement; experience of employees is
irrelevant.		
		Hazards

Because of the complexity of the refrigeration package control circuits, it will occasionally be necessary to carry out "live" testing/fault finding. This assessment addresses the hazards associated with such work. "Live" testing/fault finding is to be carried out by a trained, competent, authorised person.

In general each plant contains control circuitry at 240 volts and power circuits at 415 volts 3 phase.

- The following hazards have been identified.
 - 1. Electric shock from power circuitry
 - 2. Electric shock from 240 volt control circuitry
 - 3. Eye injury (from an electric arc)
 - 4. Burn Injury
 - 5. Injury to third party (Maintenance personal)

Control Measures (existing or planned)

Control	Details							
PPE:	For Live Testing:							
	1. Rubber soled shoes or boots							
	2. Rubber mats							
	3. Safety glasses							
	4. Suitable work wear overalls							
	For work on dead Systems:							
	1. Padlock (for lock-off isolator)							
Equipment:	1. General hand tools (insulated)							
	2. Electrical test equipment e.g. Clamp amp meter, multi-meter, test lamp etc. Insulated fused & with calibration.							
	3. Warning notices.							
	Suitable means of cordoning-off the work area e.g. red & white bunting.							
Information, Instruction,	 Isolate (by removing fuses) power circuits within a panel 							
and Training	before fault finding.							
	Prove your test instrument prior to and immediately after testing for "dead"							
	Test for "dead" power circuits with exposed conductors.							
	4. Fault find power circuits in the "dead" condition.							
	5. The <u>240 volt</u> control circuit may be kept live for fault finding purposes							
	providing that there is no reasonable way of doing the work "dead" &							
	that all control measures are followed							
	6. When live testing ensure that a current wiring diagram is available &							
	Followed							
	7. Be familiar with all safety & operating controls such as pressure switches							
	oil differential switches, motor starters etc.							
	8. Isolate or discharge power factor correction capacitors before primary							
	circuit work (if installed).							
Control	Details							
Supervision:	1. Accompaniment is required when, during live testing the person carrying out							



	the work, cannot without assistance, keep other persons from the work area.
Environment;	1. Maintain a 1m clear space around the work area.
	2. Rubber mats should be placed around package, ensure that these do not pose a trip hazard.
Procedures, documents	1. Follow site safety rules.
etc.	2. Lock individual panel doors.
Communications:	1. Inform the site manager when isolating panels as this may this may mean safety circuits are being isolated Inform
	second person (if applicable) of emergency actions.
Emergency	1. Switch off & isolate supply
action/procedures	Remove injured person(s) from danger area (if without risk).
	3. Call emergency services.
Access:	1. The normal site rules restrict access to the panel room to authorised maintenance personal that are all familiar with
	electrical safety.

Risk Evaluation of Identified Hazards

Probability of Occurrence Remote = 1		Possi	Possible = 2			Frequent = 3			
Hazard Severity Minor = 1		Serious (Hospital) = 2			Major (3 days or more) = 3				
Probability of Occurrence x Hazard Se		Probability			Severity				
Identified Hazards(base scores on existing or planned control measures)			2	3	1	2	3	RR	
1. Electric shock from power	circuitry.		2				3	5	
2. Electric shock from 110-vo	t control circuit.		2			2		4	
3. Eye injury (from electric an	c)					2		3	
4. Burn injury		1				2		3	
5. Injury to third party (Icelan	d Maintenance personal	1				2		3	
		1							

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Is risk adequately controlled using the above control measures Y/N	Y	If "NO" State further action required
State further action required:		

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