FORM-WOUND SQUIRREL CAGE INDUCTION MOTORS-375 KW (500 HORSEPOWER) AND LARGER

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1 General

1.1 Scope

1.1.1 This standard covers the minimum requirements for special purpose form-wound squirrel cage induction motors 375 kW (500 hp) and larger for use in petroleum, chemical, and other industry applications. This standard can also be used for induction generators by substituting "generator" for "motor" where applicable.

Notes following a paragraph in Sections 1 through 8 are informational only and are not enforceable as part of this standard.

- NOTE A special purpose machine typically has one or more of the following characteristics:
 - 1) is in an application for which the equipment is designed for uninterrupted, continuous operation in critical service, and for which there is usually no installed spare equipment;
 - 2) is larger than 2250 kW (3000 hp) for speeds 1800 rpm and below;
 - 3) is rated 600 kW (800 hp) or greater for two pole (3000 rpm or 3600 rpm) machines of totally enclosed construction, or rated 930 kW (1250 hp) or greater for two pole machines of open or guarded construction (including machines having an IP rating of 2X or WP-I or WP-II type enclosures);
 - 4) drives a high-inertia load (in excess of the load Wk^2 listed in NEMA MG 1, Part 20);
 - 5) uses an adjustable speed drive (ASD) as a source of power;
 - 6) is an induction generator;
 - 7) is a solid shaft vertical machine rated 375 kW (500 hp) or greater; or
 - 8) operates in abnormally hostile environments.

A round bullet (•) at the beginning of a paragraph indicates that either a decision is required or further information is to be provided by the purchaser. This information may be indicated on the datasheets (see Annex A); otherwise, it should be stated in the quotation request or in the order.

A diamond bullet (•) at the start of a paragraph indicates additional requirements for motors applied with an Adjustable Speed Drive (ASD).

- **1.1.2** The purchaser specifies machine details and features by completing the associated sections of the data sheets in Annex A.
- NOTE Guidance for completion of the datasheets is provided in Annex C.

Some paragraphs have intentionally been left blank to align paragraph numbers with API 541.

- **1.1.3** The vendor completes the details and features by completing the vendor sections of the datasheets (see Section 8 and Annex A).
- **1.1.4** This paragraph left intentionally blank.
- **1.1.5** Super synchronous motor applications are addressed in Annex H.

1.2 Alternative Designs

The vendor may offer alternative designs in accordance with 8.4.

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1.3 Dimensions and Standards

- **1.3.1** Both the metric (SI) and U.S. customary (USC) system of units and dimensions are used in this standard. Data, drawings, and hardware (including fasteners) related to equipment supplied to this standard shall use the system of units specified by the purchaser. An alternate system of units for hardware (including fasteners and flanges) may be substituted if mutually agreed upon by the purchaser and the vendor.
- 1.3.2 This document recognizes two different systems of standards for the manufacturing and testing of electrical machines: North American standards including American National Standards Institute (ANSI), Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE), and National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA) and the international standards including International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) and International Organization for Standardization (ISO) standards. The North American standards are the base documents. If specified by the purchaser, the corresponding international standards are acceptable for use as alternatives; however, this shall not be construed that they are identical to the North American standards.
- NOTE Specific requirements contained within corresponding standards can differ.

1.3.3 • When specified, the machine shall satisfy the additional requirements of the most current editions of IEC 60079-0 (General) and the standard for the particular protection type specified. These include IEC 60079-1 (flameproof enclosures "d"), IEC 60079-2 (pressurized enclosure "p"), or IEC 60079-7 (increased safety "e").

NOTE 1: There are specific requirements within the IEC 60079 series of standards that exceed those of API 541.

NOTE 2: There are several commonly used IEC equipment types of protection that are appropriate for motors or generators applied in a Zone 1 or Zone 2 classified location installations. These include, but are not limited to, Equipment protection by flameproof enclosures ("d" for Zone 1 and Zone 2) per IEC 60079-1, Equipment protection by pressurized enclosure "p" (principally "pyb" for Zone 1 and "pzc" for Zone 2) per IEC 60079-2, and Equipment protection by increased safety "e" ("eb" for Zone 1 and "ec" for Zone 2) per IEC 60079-7

1.4 Conflicting Requirements

In case of conflict between the inquiry, order and datasheets, this document, and any referenced standards, the order of precedence shall be:

- 1) inquiry or purchase order,
- 2) datasheets,
- 3) purchaser's specifications,
- 4) this API 541 standard, and
- 5) referenced publications.

2 Normative References

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

API Standard 614, Lubrication, Shaft-sealing, and Oil-Control Systems and Auxiliaries

API Standard 618, Reciprocating Compressors for Petroleum, Chemical and Gas Industry Services

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API Standard 670, Machinery Protection Systems

API Standard 671, Special Purpose Couplings for Petroleum, Chemical and Gas Industry Services

API Recommended Practice 691, Risk-Based Machinery Management

API Q1, Quality Management System Requirements for Manufacturing Organizations for the Petroleum and Natural Gas Industry

ABMA STD 7¹, Shaft and Housing Fits for Metric Radial Ball and Roller Bearings (Except Tapered Roller Bearings) Conforming to Basic Boundary Plan

ABMA STD 8.2, Ball and Roller Mounting Accessories Inch Design

ABMA STD 20, Radial Bearings of Ball, Cylindrical Roller and Spherical Roller Types—Metric Design

AGMA 9002², Bores and Keyways for Flexible Couplings (Inch Series)

ASA S12.54³, Acoustics—Determination of Sound Power Levels and Sound Energy Levels of Noise Sources Using Sound Pressure—Engineering Methods for an Essentially Free Field Over a Reflecting Plane

ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section V-Nondestructive Examination

ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section VIII—Rules for Construction of Pressure Vessels

ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section IX-Welding and Brazing Qualifications

ASME B1.1, Unified Inch Screw Threads (UN, UNR and UNJ Thread Forms)

ASME B1.20.1, Pipe Threads, General Purpose (Inch)

ASME B16.1, Gray Iron Pipe Flanges and Flanged Fittings Classes 25, 125, 250

ASME B16.5, Pipe Flanges and Flanged Fittings NPS ½ Through NPS 24 Metric/Inch Standard

ASME B16.11, Forged Steel Fittings, Socket-Welding and Threaded

ASME B16.20, Metallic Gaskets for Pipe Flanges

ASME B16.21, Nonmetallic Flat Gaskets for Pipe Flanges

ASME B36.10M, Welded and Seamless Wrought Steel Pipe

ASTM A278/A278M ⁴, Standard Specification for Gray Iron Castings for Pressure-containing Parts for Temperatures Up to 650 °F (350 °C)

ASTM A345, Standard Specification for Flat-rolled Electrical Steels for Magnetic Applications

ASTM A395/A395M, Standard Specification for Ferritic Ductile Iron Pressure-Retaining Castings for Use at Elevated Temperatures

¹ American Bearing Manufacturers Association, 2025 M Street, NW, Suite 800, Washington, DC 20036, www.abma-dc.org.

² American Gear Manufacturers Association, 500 Montgomery Street, Suite 350, Alexandria, Virginia 22314, www.agma.org.

³ Acoustical Society of America, 1305 Walt Whitman Road, Melville, NY 11747-4300, www.acousticalsociety.org.

⁴ ASTM International, 100 Barr Harbor Drive, West Conshohocken, Pennsylvania 19428, www.astm.org.

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ASTM A536, Standard Specification for Ductile Iron Castings

ASTM A668, Standard Specification for Steel Forgings, Carbon, and Alloy, for General Industrial Use

ASTM A976, Standard Classification of Insulating Coatings for Electrical Steels by Composition, Relative Insulating Ability and Application

ASTM D1868, Standard Test Method for Detection and Measurement of Partial Discharge (Corona) Pulses in Evaluation of Insulation Systems

ASTM E94/E94M, Standard Guide for Radiographic Examination Using Industrial Radiographic Film

ASTM E125, Standard Reference Photographs for Magnetic Particle Indications on Ferrous Castings

ASTM E142, Method for Controlling Quality of Radiographic Testing

ASTM E709, Standard Guide for Magnetic Particle Testing

AWS D1.1 ⁵, Structural Welding Code—Steel

EN 10083, Steels for quenching and tempering

CEN EN 10106 ⁶, Cold Rolled Non-Oriented Electrical Steel Sheet and Strip Delivered in the Fully Processed State

EN 10228-3, Non-destructive testing of steel forgings – Part 3: Ultrasonic testing of ferritic or martensitic steel forgings

CEN EN 10250-1, Open steel die forgings for general engineering purposes—Part 1: General requirements

CSA C22.1, Canadian Electrical Code, Part I Safety Standard for Electrical Installations

CSA W47.1, Certification of companies for fusion welding of steel

IEC 60034-17, Rotating electrical machines - Part 1—Rating and performance

IEC 60034-2-1, Rotating electrical machines - Part 2-1: Standard methods for determining losses and efficiency from tests (excluding machines for traction vehicles)

IEC 60034-2-2, Rotating electrical machines - Part 2-2: Specific methods for determining losses of large machines from tests – Supplement to IEC 60034-2-1

IEC 60034-5, Rotating electrical machines – Part 5: Degrees of protection provided by the integral design of rotating electrical machines (IP code) – Classification

IEC 60034-6, Rotating electrical machines – Part 6: Methods of cooling (IC Code)

IEC 60034-8, Rotating electrical machines – Part 8: Terminal markings and direction of rotation

IEC 60034-9, Rotating electrical machines - Part 9: Noise limits

IEC 60034-15, Rotating electrical machines - Part 15: Impulse voltage withstand levels of form-wound stator coils for rotating a.c. machines

⁵ American Welding Society, 550 NW LeJeune Road, Miami, Florida 33126, www.aws.org.

⁶ European Committee for Standardization, Avenue Marnix 17, B-1000 Brussels, Belgium, www.cen.eu.

⁷ International Electrotechnical Commission, 3 rue de Varembé, P.O. Box 131, CH-1211 Geneva 20, Switzerland, www.iec.ch.

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IEC 60034-18-1, Rotating electrical machines - Part 18-1: Functional evaluation of insulation systems – General guidelines

IEC 60034-18-21, Rotating electrical machines - Part 18-21: Functional evaluation of insulation systems – Test procedures for wire-wound windings – Thermal evaluation and classification

IEC 60034-18-22, Rotating electrical machines - Part 18-22: Functional evaluation of insulation systems – Test procedures for wire-wound windings – Classification of changes and insulation component substitutions

IEC 60034-18-31, Rotating electrical machines - Part 18-31: Functional evaluation of insulation systems – Test procedures for form-wound windings – Thermal evaluation and classification of insulation systems used in rotating machines

IEC 60034-18-32, Rotating electrical machines - Part 18-32: Functional evaluation of insulation systems – Test procedures for form-wound windings – Evaluation by electrical endurance

IEC 60034-18-33, Rotating electrical machines - Part 18-33: Functional evaluation of insulation systems – Test procedures for form-wound windings – Multifactor evaluation by endurance under simultaneous thermal and electrical stresses

IEC 60034-27-1, Rotating electrical machines – Part 27-1: Off-line partial discharge measurements on the winding insulation

IEC 60034-27-2, Rotating electrical machines - Part 27-2: On-line partial discharge measurements on the stator winding insulation of rotating electrical machines

IEC 60034-27-3, Rotating electrical machines - Part 27-3: Dielectric dissipation factor measurement on stator winding insulation of rotating electrical machines

IEC 60034-27-4, Rotating electrical machines - Part 27-4: Measurement of insulation resistance and polarization index of winding insulation of rotating electrical machines

IEC 60034-29, Rotating electrical machines – Part 29: Equivalent loading and superposition techniques – Indirect testing to determine temperature rise

IEC 60038, IEC standard voltages

IEC 60072-1, Rotating Electrical Machines - *Dimensions and output series – Part 1: Frame numbers 56 to 400 and flange numbers 55 to 1080*

IEC 60072-2, Rotating Electrical Machines - Dimensions and output series for rotating electrical machines – Part 2: Frame numbers 355 to 1000 and flange numbers 1180 to 2360

IEC 60079-0, Explosive atmospheres – Part 0: Equipment – General requirements

IEC 60079-1, Explosive atmospheres – Part 1: Equipment protection by flameproof enclosures "d"

IEC 60079-2, Explosive atmospheres – Part 2: Equipment protection by pressurized enclosure "p"

IEC 60079-7, Explosive atmospheres – Part 7: Equipment protection by increased safety "e"

IEC 60079-10-1, *Explosive atmospheres* – Part 10-1: Classification of areas – Explosive gas atmospheres

IEC 60079-10-2, Explosive atmospheres – Part 10-2: Classification of areas – Explosive dust atmospheres

IEC 60270, High voltage test techniques—Partial discharge measurements

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IEC 60404-1, Magnetic materials—Part 1: Classification

IEC 60404-1-1, Magnetic materials—Part 1-1: Classification—Surface insulations of electrical steel sheet, strip and laminations

IEC 60751, Industrial platinum resistance thermometers and platinum temperature sensors

IEEE 43⁸, IEEE Recommended Practice for Testing Insulation Resistance of Rotating Machinery

IEEE 56, IEEE Guide for Insulation Maintenance of Electric Machines

IEEE 62.2, IEEE Guide for Diagnostic Field Testing of Electric Power Apparatus - Electrical Machinery

IEEE 112, IEEE Standard Test Procedure for Polyphase Induction Motors and Generators

IEEE 286, IEEE Recommended Practice for Measurement of Power-Factor Tip-Up of Electric Machinery Stator Coil Insulation

IEEE 522, IEEE Guide for Testing Turn Insulation of Form-Wound Stator Coils for Alternating-Current Rotating Electric Machines

IEEE 620, IEEE Guide for the Presentation of Thermal Limit Curves for Squirrel Cage Induction Machines

IEEE 841, IEEE Standard for Petroleum and Chemical Industry—Premium-Efficiency, Severe-Duty, Totally Enclosed Squirrel Cage Induction Motors from 0.75 kW to 370 kW (1 HP to 500 HP)

IEEE 1434, IEEE Guide for The Measurement of Partial Discharges In AC Rotating Machinery

IEEE 1776, IEEE Recommended Practice for Thermal Evaluation of Unsealed or Sealed Insulation Systems for AC Electric Machinery Employing Form-Wound Pre-Insulated Stator Coils for Machines Rated 15 000 V and Below

IEEE 1799, IEEE Recommended Practice for Quality Control Testing of External Discharges on Stator Coils, Bars, and Windings

ISO 15⁹, Rolling Bearings—Radial Bearings—Boundary dimensions, general plan

ISO 68-1, ISO general purpose metric screw threads

ISO 261, ISO general purpose metric screw threads—General plan

ISO 286-1, Geometrical product specifications (GPS)-ISO code system for tolerances on linear sizes—Part 1: Basis of tolerances, deviations and fits

ISO 286-2, Geometrical product specifications (GPS)-ISO code system for tolerances on linear sizes—Part 2: Tables of standard tolerance classes and limit deviations for holes and shafts

ISO 492, Rolling Bearings—Radial Bearings—Geometrical product specifications (GPS) and tolerance values

ISO 683-1, Heat-treatable steels, alloy steels and free-cutting steels —Non-alloy steels for quenching and tempering

ISO 683-2 Heat-treatable steels, alloy steels and free-cutting steels —Alloy steels for quenching and tempering

⁸ Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 445 Hoes Lane, Piscataway, New Jersey 08854, www.ieee.org.

⁹ International Organization for Standardization, 1, ch. de la Voie-Creuse, Case postale 56, CH-1211 Geneva 20, Switzerland, www.iso.org.

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ISO 1680, Acoustics - Test code for the measurement of airborne noise emitted by rotating electrical machines

ISO 3452, Non-destructive Testing—Penetrant testing

ISO 3453, Non-destructive testing-Liquid penetrant inspection - Means of verification

ISO 3506-1, Fasteners-Mechanical properties of corrosion-resistant stainless steel fasteners-Part 1: Bolts, screws and studs with specified grades and property classes

ISO 3506-2, Fasteners-Mechanical properties of corrosion-resistant stainless steel fasteners-Part 1: Nuts with specified grades and property classes

ISO 5579, Non-destructive testing—Radiographic testing of metallic materials using film and X- or gamma rays—Basic Rules

ISO 5753-1, Rolling Bearings—Internal clearance—Part 1: Radial internal clearance for radial bearings

ISO 5753-2, Rolling bearings—Internal clearance—Part 2: Axial internal clearance for four-point-contact ball bearings

ISO 6708, Pipework components-Definition and selection of DN (nominal size)

ISO 7005-1, Pipe flanges—Part 1: Steel flanges for industrial and general service piping systems

ISO 7483, Dimensions of gaskets for use with flanges to ISO 7005

ISO 9001, Quality management systems - Requirements

ISO 9606, Qualification testing of welders

ISO 10721-1, Steel structures, Part 1-Materials and design

ISO 17640, Non-destructive testing of welds - Ultrasonic testing - Techniques, testing levels, and assessment

ISO 19232-1, Non-destructive testing—Image quality of radiographs-Part 1: Determination of the image quality value using wire-type image quality indicators

ISO 19232-2, Non-destructive testing—Image quality of radiographs-Part 2: Determination of the image quality value using step/hole-type image quality indicators

ISO 19232-3, Non-destructive testing—Image quality of radiographs-Part 3: Image quality classes

ISO 19232-4, Non-destructive testing—Image quality of radiographs-Part 4: Experimental evaluation of image quality values and image quality tables

ISO 19232-5, Non-destructive testing—Image quality of radiographs-Part 5: Determination of the image unsharpness and basic spatial resolution value using duplex wire-type image quality indicators

ISO 21940-11, Mechanical vibration—Rotor balancing-Part 11: Procedures and tolerances for rotors with rigid behaviour

ISO 29001, Petroleum, petrochemical and natural gas industries – Sector-specific quality management systems – Requirements for product and service supply organizations

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ANSI/NEMA MG 1¹⁰, *Motors and Generators*

NFPA 70¹¹, National Electrical Code

SAE J1086, Numbering Metals and Alloys

3 Terms, Definitions, Acronyms, and Abbreviations

3.1 Terms and Definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1.1

accelerating torque

The difference between the input torque to the rotor (electromagnetic for a motor or mechanical for a generator) and the sum of the load and loss torque; the net torque available for accelerating the rotating parts.

3.1.2

adjustable speed drive

ASD

Refers to the electronic equipment used to regulate the operating speed of the motor and driven equipment by controlling the frequency and voltage.

NOTE Other terms commonly used are variable speed drive (VSD), adjustable frequency drive (AFD), variable frequency drive (VFD), and converter.

3.1.3 This paragraph intentionally left blank.

3.1.4

anchor bolt

Bolts used to attach the equipment to the support structure (concrete foundation or steel structure). Cf. "hold-down bolt"

3.1.5

approve

Provide written documentation confirming an agreement.

3.1.6

balance weight

Any mass added to a rotating component with the purpose of reducing unbalance to the required level in the balance device and not defined as a trim balance weight.

NOTE: Balance weight can also be defined as a correction mass

3.1.7

breakdown torque

Maximum torque that the motor will develop with rated voltage applied at rated frequency without an abrupt drop in speed.

3.1.8 cold point

¹⁰ National Electrical Manufacturers Association, 1300 North 17th Street, Suite 1752, Rosslyn, Virginia 22209, www.nema.org.

¹¹ National Fire Protection Association, 1 Batterymarch Park, Quincy, Massachusetts 02169-7471, www.nfpa.org.

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Point of a vibration test at which the bearing temperature has stabilized (change of not more than 1 °C in 30 minutes) at the no-load condition.

3.1.9

cold start

Occurs when the rotor and stator are initially at or below rated ambient temperature.

3.1.10

comparable converter (ASD)

Converter where the losses in the motor supplied by the converter are not higher than the losses that would have occurred if the motor were used with the specific converter that was used during the type test.

NOTE 1 — This converter is similar with respect to the output voltage, output current, and switching frequency specifications so the machine limiting temperatures, for maximum surface temperature and material thermal stability, are not exceeded.

NOTE 2 — "Converter" is the IEC term used to denote an ASD.

NOTE 3 - A "type test" is a test of one or more devices made to a certain design to show that the design meets certain specifications.

3.1.11

Continuous thrust

The nominal level of thrust experienced while operating at rated conditions. This value is used in the design of the motor bearing system.

3.1.12

Down thrust

The downward force exerted by the weight of the pump shaft and impeller working together with the pressure head on the impeller's downward movement.

Note: The downward hydraulic thrust may be carried by a thrust bearing in the pump. For this case the motor bearings carry only the weight of the motor rotor and the coupling.

3.1.13

Duplex bearings

Two bearings used together designed to carry axial load from both directions.

3.1.14

Flood lubrication

Flood lubricated hydrodynamic bearings utilize an external source to continuously apply low pressure lubricant to the bearing loading surfaces. This source is typically a common lubrication system that supplies oil to the multiple bearings of rotating equipment included in an equipment train. Oil is supplied to the electrical machine at an elevated pressure and reduced to a slightly higher than atmospheric value by a flow regulating device near the bearing housing(s). Oil flows between the babbitt material and shaft for lubrication and cooling, then collects in the bearing housing sump and returns to the system through a properly sized drain. See API 614.

3.1.15

Guide bearing

The bearing provides rotor lateral stability and may experience a momentary upthrust.

3.1.16 hold-down bolts mounting bolts Bolts holding the equipment to the mounting plate

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hot start

Any start that occurs when the rotor and/or stator are above rated ambient temperature.

3.1.18

hydrodynamic bearings

Bearings that incorporate a fluid film to form an oil wedge, or wedges, that support the load without shaft-tobearing contact.

3.1.19

Hydrostatic jacking

Hydrostatic jacking applies to machines that require that the shaft be lifted, or raised, from the bearing surface(s) prior to rotation to ensure separation or the development of an oil film. This source is typically located close to the bearing(s) requiring jacking oil. Oil is injected at an elevated pressure in specific areas of the shaft-bearing interface to produce separation. It is possible that not all bearings in an equipment train require jacking oil. Hydrostatic jacking is also used to aid in maintenance where the rotor or train components are spun or indexed at slow rpm by an external source.

3.1.20

informative

For advice only. Cf. "normative"

3.1.21

in-frame balance

Process of balancing the rotor assembly in its own bearings and support structure (e.g. frame, brackets, pedestal) rather than in a balance device.

3.1.22

lateral critical speed

Shaft rotational speed at which the rotor-bearing-support system is in a state of resonance.

NOTE The basic identification of critical speeds is made from the natural frequencies of the system and of the forcing phenomena. If the frequency of any harmonic component of a periodic forcing phenomenon is equal to or approximates the frequency of any mode of rotor vibration, a condition of resonance can exist. If resonance exists at a finite speed, that speed is called a critical speed. This standard is concerned with actual resonant speeds rather than various calculated values. Actual critical speeds are not calculated values but are critical speeds confirmed by test-stand data. Critical speeds above the maximum test speed are calculated damped values.

3.1.23

locked-rotor torque

Minimum torque that the motor will develop at rest for all angular positions of the rotor, with rated voltage applied at rated frequency.

3.1.24

Maximum thrust

The maximum amount of thrust that a pump is capable of producing during startup, operation, or shutdown. This may be up or down

3.1.25

Minimum thrust

The minimum amount of thrust that a pump produces during startup, operation, or shutdown. Normally the minimum downthrust is only considered in the design of the motor bearing system.

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3.1.26 Momentary upthrust

An upthrust from the driven equipment that occurs during transient conditions.

Note: The impellers and the motor's rotor undergo upthrust when the pump starts because of the high velocity flow rate that is created. When the pressure within the pump is high enough to force the check valve open, the impeller and rotor are forced back down.

3.1.27

Non-reverse Ratchet

A device designed to allow rotation in one direction and prevent rotation in the opposite direction when the motor is de-energized. This is not designed to prevent the motor from rotating when energized in the reverse direction.

3.1.28 normative Required. Cf. "informative

NOTE A normative reference or annex invokes a requirement or mandate of the specification.

3.1.29

oil mist lubrication

A lubrication system that employs oil mist produced by atomization in a central unit and transported to the bearing housing or housings by compressed air.

3.1.30

owner

Final recipient of the equipment who may delegate another agent as the purchaser of the equipment.

3.1.31

power factor

PF

Ratio of kilowatt input to kilovolt-ampere input for a motor or the ratio of kilowatt output to kilovolt-ampere output for a generator.

3.1.32

pressure lubrication

Pressure lubricated hydrodynamic bearings utilize an external source to continuously apply high pressure lubricant to the bearing loading surfaces where an over-riding force exists. For example, external thrust on plate bearings. This source is typically a common lubrication system that supplies pressurized oil to the multiple bearings of rotating equipment included in an equipment train. Oil is supplied to the electrical machine at an elevated pressure then regulated near the bearing housing(s). Oil flows between the babbitt material and stationary surface or shaft for lubrication and cooling, then collected in the bearing housing sump and returned to the system through a properly sized drain. See API 614.

3.1.33

pre-start ventilation

The process of applying purging, but not the pressurization aspects of NFPA 496 or IEC 60079-2, prior to starting a motor to reduce the concentration of any flammable gas or vapor that may initially be present.

3.1.34

pull-up torque

Minimum torque developed by the motor during the period of acceleration from rest to the speed at which breakdown torque occurs. For motors that do not have a definite breakdown torque, the pull-up torque is the minimum torque developed up to the rated speed.

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purchaser

Agency that issues the order and specification to the vendor.

NOTE The purchaser can be the owner of the plant in which the equipment is to be installed or the owner's appointed agent.

3.1.36

pure oil mist lubrication

Pure oil mist lubrication (dry sump) systems are those in which the mist both lubricates the bearing and purges the housing.

3.1.37

purge oil mist lubrication

Purge oil mist lubrication (wet sump) systems are those in which the mist purges the bearing housing. Bearing lubrication is by a conventional oil-bath, flinger, or oil ring lubrication system.

3.1.38

Reed frequency

Term used to designate the cantilevered bending mode (lateral frequency) about a fixed base.

3.1.39

removable link

Insulated copper bus bars that are installed in the main machine terminal box and located such that the removal of the bus bars isolates each phase winding from the line side power connections and any terminal box auxiliary devices.

3.1.40

self-lubricated

Hydrodynamic bearings that utilize rotation of the shaft to continuously apply lubricant to the bearing surfaces from an oil reservoir located beneath the bearing. Self-lubricated bearings include bearings partially immersed in the oil reservoir and bearings with rings in contact with the shaft.

3.1.41

service factor

A multiplier applied to the rated power of an AC motor, indicates an increased loading that may be carried under the conditions specified for the service factor (see NEMA MG 1).

NOTE For service factors above 1.0, the motor will run at an increased temperature and insulation life will be adversely affected.

3.1.42

soleplate

Plate attached to the foundation, with a mounting surface for equipment or for a baseplate.

3.1.43

special tool

A tool or device that is not a commercially available catalog item.

3.1.44

Static deflection

Static deflection of a motor is the distance the center of gravity of a vertical motor would be displaced downward from its original position if the motor were horizontally mounted. This value assumes that the motor uses its normal mounting and fastening means but that the foundation to which it is fastened does not deflect.

NOTE See NEMA MG 1 Part 20.

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3.1.45

Tandem bearings

Two bearings used together designed to carry axial load in one direction.

3.1.46

Thrust loads

Comprised of the weights of the rotor, coupling, pump shafting, impellers and the hydraulic loads

3.1.47

torsional critical speeds

Correspond to resonant frequencies of the complete mass-elastic system in the drive train including motor, couplings, and driven equipment.

NOTE The first torsional natural frequency of motor-driven equipment combinations normally lies between twice the line frequency and zero frequency and could be excited from the motor or driven equipment. This means that at least the first torsional critical speed is traversed each time such a drive train is started. Depending on the mechanical characteristics of the drive train at the resonant speed defined by the intersection of the natural torsional frequency and the frequency of the torque oscillations, the torque oscillation could be escalated to a point at which unacceptably high torsional stress occurs in the rotating system if there is not sufficient damping within the system.

3.1.48

trim balance

trim balance weight

Adding, modifying, or removing any mass from the completed rotor assembly after it has been balanced in the balancing device.

3.1.49

trip speed

Speed at which the independent emergency overspeed device operates to shut down the drive (e.g. turbine, engine, expander, hydrostatic driver).

3.1.50

unit responsibility

Refers to the entity accountable for coordinating the technical aspects of the equipment and all auxiliary systems included in the scope of the order. The technical aspects to be considered include but are not limited to such factors as the power requirements, speed, rotation, general arrangement, couplings, dynamics, noise, lubrication, sealing system, material test reports, instrumentation, piping, conformance to specifications, and testing of components.

3.1.51

vendor

Manufacturer or manufacturer's agent that supplies the equipment (also known as the supplier).

3.1.52

vibration forcing phenomena

Excitation forces that may cause vibration. The exciting frequency may be less than, equal to, or greater than the synchronous frequency of the rotor.

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A classification of inspection or test where the purchaser is notified of the schedule of the inspection or test and hold is placed until the purchaser or the purchaser's representative is in attendance or they waive their presence at the inspection or test.

3.2 Acronyms and Abbreviations

- AIT autoignition temperature
- ASD adjustable speed drive
- DPG Dripproof guarded
- IBC International Building Code
- NDE non-drive end
- NRTL nationally recognized testing laboratory
- OEM original equipment manufacturer
- PF power factor
- RTD resistance temperature detector
- SI International System of Units
- TRL technical readiness level
- UBC Uniform Building Code
- USC United States customary
- VDDR vendor drawing and data requirements
- VPI vacuum pressure impregnated
- WP-I weather protected type I
- WP-II weather protected type II

4 Basic Design

4.1 General

4.1.1 Equipment Reliability

4.1.1.1 ● Only equipment that is field proven, as defined by the purchaser, is acceptable.

NOTE Purchasers can use their engineering judgment in determining what equipment is field proven. API 691 can provide guidance.

4.1.1.2 • If specified, the vendor shall provide the documentation to demonstrate that all equipment proposed qualifies as field proven.

4.1.1.3 In the event no such equipment is available, the vendor shall submit an explanation of how their proposed equipment can be considered field proven.

NOTE A possible explanation can be that all components comprising the assembled machine can be considered field-proven.

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- **4.1.2** Machines shall be designed for continuous operation and long periods of inactivity in an atmosphere that is made corrosive by traces of chemicals normally present in a petroleum processing facility. This environment may also include high humidity, storms, salt-laden air, insects, plant life, fungus, and rodents. Machines shall be suitable for operation, periods of idleness, storage, and handling at the ambient temperatures specified under "Site Data" on the datasheets (see Annex A). If additional considerations are necessary, the purchaser shall specify them.
- **4.1.3** Unless otherwise specified, the A-weighted maximum sound pressure level of the motor shall not exceed 85 dBA at a reference distance of 1 m (3 ft) with the motor operating at no load, full voltage, rated frequency, and sinusoidal power. The measuring and reporting of sound pressure level data shall be in accordance with 6.3.5.1.1 g).

For machines that utilize sound insulation, a supplementary mechanical means shall be incorporated to prevent pieces of the insulation from coming loose and blocking cooling passages.

4.1.4 ♦ When specified, a mutually agreed upon sound level shall be measured while the motor is being driven by the contract ASD or one that gives a similar waveform. The purchaser and vendor shall mutually decide the supply frequency. For concerns around increased motor sound levels due to the ASD application, the purchaser should address these issues with the ASD and motor suppliers and reach agreement on the resolution.

NOTE Some ASDs could cause increased motor sound levels due to increased operating speed (if operated above line frequency), excitation of mechanical resonances, and magnetic noise caused by supply source harmonics.

- **4.1.5** ♦● All equipment shall be designed to be mechanically stable at the overspeed and duration specified in the applicable standard (e.g. NEMA MG 1, or IEC 60034-1) or at the specified trip speed (including overshoot) of the connected equipment, whichever is greater. For machines driven by ASDs, the purchaser and vendor shall mutually decide the overspeed capability (see 6.3.5.6).
- 4.1.6 ♦● If a motor of type "eb" or "ec" (increased safety protection) is driven by an ASD (i.e., converter), it shall meet the additional requirements of IEC 60079-0 and IEC 60079-7.
- **4.1.7** The arrangement of the equipment including number of bearings, terminal housings, conduit, piping, and auxiliaries shall be subject to the approval of the purchaser. The arrangement shall provide adequate clearance areas and safe access for installation, operation, and maintenance.
- **4.1.8** The design of piping systems shall achieve the following:
- a) proper support and protection to prevent damage from vibration and during shipment, operation, and maintenance;
- b) easily accessible for operation, maintenance, and thorough cleaning;
- c) installation in a neat and orderly arrangement adapted to the contour of the machine without obstructing access for easy removal of covers for maintenance and inspection;
- d) elimination of air pockets and traps; and
- e) complete drainage through low points without disassembly of piping
- **4.1.9** The machine and all of its auxiliary devices shall be suitable for and in accordance with the area classification system specified by the purchaser on the datasheets. Auxiliary devices shall be listed or certified where required in accordance with the area classification system specified [e.g. NFPA 70, Article

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500, Article 501, Article 502, and Article 505 (Class, Group, Division or Zone, and Temperature Code), IEC 60079-10-1, or IEC 60079-10-2 (Zone, Group, and Temperature Code)] and specified local codes.

NOTE See IEEE 303, IEEE 1349, and IEC 60079 for additional guidance and information on application of motors and accessories in hazardous locations.

- **4.1.10** All equipment shall be designed to permit rapid and economical maintenance and inspection. Major parts (e.g. frame components and bearing housings) shall be designed and manufactured to ensure accurate alignment on reassembly. This shall be accomplished by the use of shouldering, cylindrical dowels, or keys.
- **4.1.11** Easily removable covers shall be provided for inspection of the air gap in at least three places at the end of the stator, each separated by 90° as specified in 4.4.7.2.4 and also for inspection of the coil end turns.

The manufacturer shall bring to the attention of the purchaser any and all cases where the above requirements cannot be met.

NOTE: Inspection covers are not possible in all situations such as cast frames, smaller fabricated frames, TEAAC air path, vertical motors, etc.

4.1.12 If special tools or fixtures are required to disassemble, assemble, or maintain the equipment, they shall be included in the quotation and furnished as a part of the initial supply of the equipment. These special tools shall be used, and their use demonstrated, during shop assembly and post-test disassembly of the equipment.

NOTE: For multiple-unit installations, the quantity of special tools or fixtures can be adjusted as agreed between purchaser and vendor.

- **4.1.13** If special tools are provided, each tool shall be labelled using metal stamps or have a permanently attached stainless steel tag to indicate its intended use. Tools that do not exceed 1 m (3 ft) in length, width, or height, and that weigh less than 40 kg (20 lbs) shall be packaged in one or more rugged metal boxes and shall be marked "special tools for (tag/item number), box x of x." Larger tools do not need to be boxed but shall have a stainless steel tag permanently attached to indicate both the intended use and the tag/item number of the equipment for which they are intended.
- **4.1.14** The equipment (machine and auxiliary equipment) shall perform on the test stand and on their permanent foundation within the specified acceptance criteria. The performance on the permanent foundation may differ from performance on the test stand (see 4.4.6). After installation, the performance of the combined units shall be the joint responsibility of the purchaser and the vendor who has unit responsibility.
- **4.1.15** The equipment (including auxiliaries) covered by this standard shall be suitable for the specified operating conditions and shall be designed and constructed for at least 5 years of uninterrupted continuous operation. It is recognized that this is a design criterion and that uninterrupted operation for this time period involves factors beyond the vendor's control.

NOTE: A self-lubricated bearing will require periodic lubricating oil changes. A flood lubrication system for the bearings is typically installed if a five year continuous uninterrupted operation is required. Additional interim maintenance at the manufacturer's recommended intervals may be required while the machine is in operation.

4.1.16 Oil reservoirs and housings that enclose moving lubricated or environmentally sensitive parts, such as bearings, shaft seals, highly polished parts, instruments, and control elements, shall be designed to meet the requirements of IP55 as a minimum to reduce contamination by moisture, dust, and other foreign matter.

4.1.17 The manufacturer shall have a quality management system in place that conforms to API Specification Q1, ISO 9001, or ISO 29001.

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4.2 Electrical Design

4.2.1 Rating and Voltage

4.2.1.1 • Unless otherwise specified, motors shall use standard power ratings per the standards referenced in Table 1. If the required rating falls between two listed ratings, the larger listed rating shall be selected.

	Power Ratings Units	Applicable Standard
Motors, US customary data sheets	hp	NEMA MG 1 Part 20
Motors, SI data sheets	kW	IEC 60072-2, R40 series

Table 1 – Power Ratings

• Unless otherwise specified, induction machines shall have rated voltages in accordance with 4.2.1.2 4.2.1.2.1, 4.2.1.2.2, and 4.2.1.2.3. The rated voltage shall be specified on the datasheets.

Refer to Table 2 for voltage ratings for three phase 60 Hz systems. 4.2.1.2.1

4.2.1.2.2 For 50 Hz supply systems, two different voltage systems are standardized in IEC 60038. Table 3 is widely used in countries following British standards. Table 4 is used for 50 Hz systems in general. Either one of the 50 Hz voltages series may be used as listed in IEC 60038.

NOTE Nonstandard supply voltages would lead to other voltages not listed above.

Table 2—Voltage Ratings for Three Phase 60 Hz Systems

Horsepower	Motor Voltage	Bus Voltage
Up to 4,000	2,300	2,400
Up to 7,000	4,000	4,160
1,000 to 12,000	6,600	6,900
3,500 or Above	13,200	13,800

Table 3—Voltage Ratings for Three Phase 50 Hz			
Systems (British Standards)			

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	kW	Motor Voltage	Bus Voltage	
	Up to 4,000	3,300	3,450	
	Up to 12,000	6,600	6,900	
	4,000 or Above	11,000	11,500	

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Table 4—Voltage Ratings for Three Phase 50 Hz Systems (General)			
kW	Motor Voltage	Bus Voltage	
450 to 4,000	3,000	3,150	
450 to 12,000	6,000	6,300	
4,000 or Above	10,000	10,500	

4.2.1.2.3 ♦ ● For motors operating only on ASDs, the voltage and frequency ratings shall be mutually agreed upon by the purchaser and vendor.

ASD output voltage, harmonics, and voltage-to-frequency ratio typically match motor design parameters (voltage and flux), the motor vendor should be informed by the purchaser of any deviations and appropriate design accommodations should be mutually agreed between purchaser and vendor.

• Unless otherwise specified, the machine shall operate with a maximum voltage variation of ±10 % 4.2.1.3 and a maximum frequency variation of ±5 % and a total combined variation not to exceed ±10 %.

4.2.1.4 Machines shall have a 1.0 service factor rating. Machines shall be capable of continuous operation at rated load and temperature rise in accordance with 4.3.1.1 b) when operated both mechanically and electrically at rated power, voltage, and frequency. In applications that require an overload capacity, a higher base rating instead of a service factor rating shall be used to avoid exceeding the temperature rise specified in 4.3.1.1 b) and to provide adequate torque capacity.

Applying a motor such that it will operate at greater than its rated power (i.e. using a service factor higher than 1.0), NOTE shortens the life of the machine. All motors that are rated for Class B rise have the inherent capacity to operate above rated power by utilizing the higher temperature capability of Class F insulation (i.e. the heat produced by operating above the rated power may still be within the insulation rating). This higher temperature operation negatively impacts the life of the insulation and other components of the machine. Therefore, machines should only be sized and selected based upon a standard 1.0 service factor rating (see Annex C Datasheet Guide for nameplate rating information).

4.2.2 **Motor Load Requirements**

• 4.2.2.1 Unless otherwise specified, the load torque characteristics and total load inertia referred to the motor shaft shall be in accordance with NEMA MG 1, Part 20. When the loads have characteristics other than those listed in NEMA MG 1, Part 20, the purchaser shall fully specify the load characteristics of the driven equipment. These characteristics include the following.

- a) The speed-torque characteristics of the load under the most stringent starting conditions.
- b) The speed-torque characteristics of the load during reaccelerating conditions when reacceleration following bus transfer is specified.

NOTE Electrical machines are capable of developing transient current and torque considerably in excess of rated values when exposed to an out of phase bus transfer or momentary voltage interruption and reclosing. The magnitude of this transient torque could be many times rated torque and is a function of the machine design, operating conditions, switching time, rotating machine inertias, torsional spring constants, the number of motors on the bus, etc. See NEMA MG 1, Part 20 for bus transfer or reclosing information

c) The total load inertia J (Wk^2) referred to the motor shaft speed, where W is the rotating mass and k is the radius of gyration. This total load inertia shall include all loads connected to the motor shaft (e.g. couplings, gearbox and driven equipment).

To obtain Wk² (lb-ft²), multiply J (kg-m²) by 23.73.

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$$J = 0.25 GD^2$$

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D = 2R

where

J is the polar mass moment of inertia (kg-m²);

- G is the rotating mass (kg);
- D is the diameter (m);
- *R* is the radius of gyration (m);
- W is the rotating mass (lb); and
- k is the radius of gyration (ft).

4.2.3 Motor Starting and Running Conditions

4.2.3.1 • Unless otherwise specified, the motor shall be designed to start and accelerate the connected load to running speed with 80 % of rated voltage at the motor terminals.

4.2.3.2 • When specified, the requirements for starting capability, speed-torque, and acceleration time shall be determined with the following information (as applicable) furnished by the purchaser:

- a) starting method (e.g. captive transformer, reactor, autotransformer, solid state, ASD);
- b) the minimum available voltage at motor terminals under specified locked rotor current; or
- c) the minimum available system short circuit MVA and X/R ratio, the base voltage, and the minimum motor terminal voltage during starting in percent of rated motor voltage.

4.2.3.3 When the motor speed-torque curve at the conditions specified in 4.2.3.2.1 or 4.2.3.2 is plotted over the load speed-torque curve, the motor developed torque shall exceed the load torque by a minimum of 10 % (motor rated torque as base) at all locations throughout the speed range up to the motor breakdown torque point.

NOTE Some ASDs could limit motor accelerating torque at reduced speeds due to insufficient flux (V/Hz) levels or limitations in the drive's momentary current capacity. If this is a concern, the purchaser can work with the motor and ASD suppliers to implement a special motor design.

4.2.3.4 For certain machine designs, high inertia loads, or power system limitations, the requirements provided in 4.2.3.1, 4.2.4.1, and 4.2.4.4 may not be practical. In these cases, the motor starting characteristics shall be jointly developed between the purchaser and vendor.

4.2.3.5 • When reacceleration is specified, the length of maximum voltage interruptions or fault-related voltage collapse and the expected voltage at the motor terminals during reacceleration shall be furnished by the purchaser.

4.2.3.6 • Unless otherwise specified for reciprocating loads, the current pulsations under the actual operating conditions shall not exceed 40 % of full load current as required by API 618.

NOTE The inertias and torque versus crank angle data at rated and worst-case operating conditions are needed to determine the current pulsation. The results of this analysis and any subsequent design changes could impact the drive train torsional analysis, which is commonly performed by a party other than the motor vendor (see 4.4.6.2.2).

4.2.4 Motor Starting Capabilities

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4.2.4.1 • Unless otherwise specified, the machine shall be designed and constructed for a minimum of 5000 full-voltage starts. Fixed-speed motors shall also have the starting capabilities in Table 4. Starting capabilities for motors different from these shown in Table 4 shall be jointly developed between the purchaser and the vendor (See Note 2 following Table 5)

Table 5—Starting Capabilities

Number of Consecutive Successful Starts Under Starting Conditions Specified in 4.2.3 and with the Motor Coasting to Rest Between Starts

Motor initially at or below rated ambient temperature (cold start)

Motor at a temperature above rated ambient but not exceeding its rated operating temperature (hot start)

NOTE 1 Typical petroleum process plant operations are such that a motor will have a period of initial use of about two months for pump and compressor run-in and initial plant operations. During this time, the maximum starting capability could be used. A need for maximum capability can also occur during subsequent start-ups. Between these start-up periods, there are usually longer periods of continuous running.

NOTE 2 The starting capabilities for large motors are normally a result of an individual design for the specific load characteristics of the driven equipment and the electrical power system for the most stringent conditions. Therefore, the number of starts could be reduced by one or waiting time between starts could be added for large, high inertia drives like gear-type turbo compressors. For pumps and other low inertia applications, the number of starts could be increased to allow maximum starting flexibility for the operation.

4.2.4.2 The motor vendor shall provide motor thermal capacity data (per 4.2.4.3) necessary for the purchaser to determine the waiting time before allowing a restart and to develop settings for the thermal time constant in the motor protective relay. As a minimum, this data shall include the following:

- a) thermal limit curves (per IEEE 620) with the motor initially at ambient temperature;
- b) thermal limit curves (per IEEE 620) with the motor initially at rated temperature;
- c) acceleration time curves with the defined shaft load at rated voltage and at the starting voltage conditions specified in 4.2.1 and 4.2.3.1;
- d) required wait time prior to another start after exhausting the defined number of starts, with the motor running at rated load;
- e) required wait time prior to another start after exhausting the defined number of starts, with the motor stopped; and
- f) after exhausting the defined number of starts, required wait time for the motor to return to ambient conditions with the motor stopped

4.2.4.3 • The minimum safe hot stall (locked rotor) time shall be the greatest of either five seconds more than or 150 % of the time required to accelerate the specified driven load with the starting voltage specified in 4.2.1 or 4.2.3.1. If these conditions cannot be met, the vendor shall notify the purchaser so that a workable solution can be

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jointly developed. When specified, the method of safe stall time calculation and the limits shall be described with the proposal. The minimum safe stall (locked rotor) time shall be clearly identified on the thermal limit curves.

4.2.4.4 With rated voltage and frequency applied, motors shall comply with the characteristics listed below. This does not apply to units started by or operated on ASDs. Where these limits shall have an adverse effect on other characteristics (particularly efficiency), the vendor shall state the effect and recommend preferred values.

 The maximum locked-rotor current shall be between 450 % and 650 % of the rated full-load current unless otherwise specified.

NOTE Induction motors with locked rotor currents less than 450 % may compromise important performance characteristics (e.g. efficiency, breakdown torque, and rotor thermal stability). The purchaser should use caution when specifying a motor with a locked rotor current less than 450 % and verify the vendor has satisfactory experience.

b) The minimum locked-rotor, pull-up, and breakdown torques shall not be less than the values listed in NEMA MG 1, Part 20 or IEC 60034-1.

4.2.4.5 ♦ • When the motor is started only by an ASD (and is not designed for other starting methods), the characteristics may be different from those specified in 4.2.4.4 and shall be determined to optimize performance on the ASD.

NOTE 1 Use of motors on ASDs could lead to higher rotor and stator temperatures due to harmonic currents, which could be a concern for Division 2 and Zone 2 applications. In addition, the "displaced neutral" effect of some drive topologies could lead to the shaft being at an elevated voltage to ground, which creates the possibility of electric discharge across the bearings and consequent ignition of a flammable a mixture.

NOTE 2 Torsional oscillations could be caused by the drive harmonics, leading to the need for a torsional study.

NOTE 3 Damage to the motor and drive could be caused by improper application of system capacitance. Also, possible resonances could be caused by application of surge capacitors, which are not recommended for adjustable speed applications.

NOTE 4 Refer to IEEE 1349 and IEC 60079-0 for incendive energy calculation methods.

4.3 Winding and Insulation Systems

4.3.1 Minimum Insulation Requirements

4.3.1.1 Insulation Class and Preparation

Winding and insulation systems shall have the following properties.

- a) Stator windings (including connections between leads and coils) shall be copper and have an epoxy base, vacuum pressure impregnated (VPI) nonhygroscopic insulation system. When bus bars are used as interface connections, they shall have the same insulation properties as the wire lead and coil connections. As a minimum, the insulation system shall meet the criteria for Class F insulation listed in NEMA MG 1 or IEC 60034-1 as applicable. Strand insulation shall adhere tightly to the strand in order to minimize voids. Turn and ground wall insulation shall be resistant to the effects of partial discharge. The integrity of strand and turn insulation shall be maintained during forming, winding and VPI treatment. For windings operating at voltages of 6000 volts (line-to-line) or greater, the use of partial discharge suppressant materials shall be used.
- b) The allowable temperature rise above ambient, 40 °C (104 °F) unless otherwise specified, shall not exceed that listed for Class B insulation in NEMA MG 1, Part 20 or IEC 60034-1, as appropriate. The Class B temperature rise requirements shall be satisfied by both resistance and resistance temperature detector (RTD) when corrected to the design maximum ambient temperature. For ambient temperatures above 40 °C (104 °F), the allowable temperature rise shall be reduced accordingly, so as not to exceed the total temperature limits for Class B insulation.

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4.3.1.2 ♦● Motors for use on ASDs shall have temperature rises in accordance with 4.3.1.1 throughout the defined speed range when applied to the specified ASD and load. The purchaser shall provide the motor supplier with necessary harmonic data. The motor shall be designed for the specified range of speed and torque requirements of the application to avoid excessive temperatures due to insufficient cooling or excessive torque levels.

4.3.1.2.1 ♦ • The purchaser shall provide the motor vendor with drive output voltage amplitude and rise time characteristics at the motor terminals so that the insulation system can be designed to avoid premature insulation breakdown.

4.3.1.2.2 ♦ • Motors used on ASD designs that impose common mode voltage shall be provided with motor ground insulation capable of continuous operation with the resulting level of voltage at the motor terminals. The purchaser shall supply the motor vendor with the value of common mode voltage that will be imposed.

- **4.3.2** The insulation system of multi-turn stator windings shall be capable of withstanding the surge test specified in 6.3.4.2.
- **4.3.3** All stator insulation systems shall be service proven and shall have been subjected to thermal evaluation in accordance with IEEE 1776 or IEC 60034-18-1 and subparts -21, -22, -31, -32, or -33 as appropriate.
- **4.3.4** The total insulation system shall be impervious to the operating conditions specified in 4.1.2. Exposed edges of insulation parts shall be sealed. All insulation, including lead insulation, shall be impervious to attack by the lubricating oil specified.
- **4.3.5** The stator windings, including the lead connections, shall have a sealed insulation system that is capable of withstanding a sealed winding conformance test in accordance with NEMA MG 1, Part 20.
- **4.3.6** Motors 750 kW (1000 hp) and larger or where differential protection is to be applied shall have both ends of each stator-phase winding brought out to one or more terminal box(es). Owner shall specify the location of the terminal box and conduit or cable entry.
- **4.3.7** The entire stator winding insulation system including winding connections and terminal leads shall be tightly secured to prevent insulation cracking and fatigue as a result of motion and vibrations during starting, operation, and electrical transient conditions that produce electromechanical forces in the stator windings. The windings shall withstand electromagnetic and mechanical forces under normal operating conditions, the starting requirements specified in 4.2.4, and the forces associated with phase-to-phase and three-phase short circuits with 110 % of rated voltage.
- **4.3.8** Conductors from the stator windings to the main terminals shall be insulated and be separated from ground planes so that the effects of partial discharge are minimized. The machine leads shall have a minimum temperature rating of 150 °C and be sized for a minimum of 125 % of rated current at Class B temperature rise. Conductors shall be braced and protected from chafing against the motor frame and terminal box. If used, electrical grade fiberglass shall be nonhygroscopic.
- When specified, machines rated 6 kV and above shall use bus bar insulated for the rated voltage from the stator winding to the main terminal box connection.
- **4.3.10** The type of slot wedges used (magnetic or non-magnetic) shall be indicated on the vendor's datasheet. If a magnetic wedge system is used, it shall comply with all of the following:
- a) The magnetic slot wedge material shall be of the amorphous or composite design, be Class F insulation as a minimum, and have a minimum flexural strength at 120 °C of 150 MPa (22,000 psi) as measured using ISO 178 or ASTM D790.

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- b) The magnetic slot wedge design shall be a system that includes rigid slot wedge material and a global vacuum pressure impregnation (VPI) system.
- c) The wedge-to-slot interface shall be a tight fit that will support the wedge.
- d) The wedge shall fit tight up against the coil so that the stick will bond to the coil but still permit the wedge to be properly inserted into the slot without damage.

Note: Magnetic slot wedges may improve the efficiency and temperature rise performance of machines, but there have been wedge failures in some cases due to poor fit, weak materials, and inadequate impregnation. For machines that use magnetic wedges, the purchaser may evaluate the vendor's experience with the wedge system used.

4.3.11 All winding connections except those completed in the main terminal box shall be brazed using a silverbased brazing material. Soft soldered connections are not permitted. Any exposed connections shall use a phosphorus free silver brazing material that is not subject to attack by hydrogen sulfide.

4.4 Mechanical Design

4.4.1 Enclosures

4.4.1.1 General Requirements

The following general requirements apply to enclosures.

- a) Enclosure parts shall be made of cast or nodular iron, cast steel, or steel plate. Purchaser-approved fiber-reinforced materials may be used for parts (e.g. covers or nonsupportive enclosure sections). All enclosure parts shall have a minimum rigidity equivalent to that of sheet steel with a nominal thickness of 3.0 mm (¹/₈ in.). Machines utilizing the foundation as part of the enclosure (e.g. large diameter machines) shall be identified in the proposal.
- b) Air deflectors shall be made of corrosion-resistant material or shall have corrosion-resistant plating or treatment.

c) The risks due to possible circulating currents in the enclosure shall be considered for machines using multi-section enclosures installed in classified locations. Overheating or sparking due to possible circulating currents shall be avoided (where necessary) by bonding together the conducting components in a secure electrical and mechanical manner, or by the provision of adequate bonding straps between the motor housing components. The means shall be functional over the design life of the machine.

d) • When enclosure pre-start purging (also referred to as "pre-start ventilation") is specified, machines shall be provided with provisions for purging as described on the datasheet. The vendor shall state the maximum allowed purge pressure on the datasheet.

NOTE See NFPA 496, IEEE 303, IEEE 1349, and IEC 60079 for information.

e) • Unless otherwise specified, machines rated 6 kV and above shall have TEFC, TEAAC, or TEWAC enclosures (IP44 or higher with IC411, IC511/16, IC611/16/66, or IC81W/6W type cooling; see Table 6).

4.4.1.2 • Motor Enclosures and Corresponding NEMA Specifications

4.4.1.2.1 Table 6 lists representative types of machine enclosures and the NEMA or IEC specifications to which they conform. The purchaser shall specify the type of enclosure on the datasheets. Designs in which the

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stator laminations form a part of the external enclosure shall not be provided. Enclosures shall also conform to the requirements of 4.4.1.2.2, 4.4.1.2.3, and 4.4.1.2.4.

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NOTE The designation used for degree of protection consists of the letters IP followed by two characteristic numerals signifying conformity with the conditions indicated in the tables. When it is required to indicate a degree of protection by only one characteristic numeral, the omitted numeral is replaced by the letter X (e.g. IPX5 or IP2X).

4.4.1.2.2 Dripproof guarded (DPG), weather protected type I (WP-I), and weather protected type II (WP-II) enclosures (or the IEC equivalents) shall meet the following criteria.

- a) Ventilation openings shall be limited to a maximum size of 6.0 mm (¹/4 in.) by design or by the use of metal screens in accordance with 4.4.10.5.
- b) Weather protected enclosures shall be constructed so that any accumulation of water will drain from the motor.
- c) When abrasive dust conditions have been specified, exposed winding insulation shall be protected from the abrasive action of airborne particles. This protection shall be in addition to the VPI resin and the vendor's standard coating.

NOTE Dripproof or weather protected type I (WP-I) enclosures are not recommended for the operating conditions specified in 4.1.2 (e.g. outdoor operation without a protective shelter). Motors with this degree of protection could result in reduced reliability (see 4.1.1 and Table 6).

Common Enclosure Type	Designation NEMA MG 1	Specifications NEMA MG 1	Minimum Degree of Protection ^a IP Code	Method of Cooling ^b
Dripproof guarded	DPG	1.25.5	IP22	IC01
Weather protected				
Туре І	WP-I	1.25.8.1	IP23	IC01
Туре II	WP-II	1.25.8.2	IPW24	IC01
Totally enclosed				
Fan cooled	TEFC	1.26.2	IP44/54	IC411
Pipe ventilated	TEPV	1.26.4	IP44	IC31/37
Water to air cooled	TEWAC	1.26.7	IP44/54	IC81W ^c IC86W ^d
Air to air cooled	TEAAC	1.26.8	IP44/54	IC511 ° IC516 d IC611 ° IC616 d IC666 °
 a) IEC 60034-5, NEM. b) IEC 60034-6, NEM. c) Shaft driven second d) Auxiliary secondary e) Auxiliary primary ar 	A MG 1, Section 6. dary fan. ⁄ fan.	1		

Table 6—Machine Enclosures and Corresponding NEMA or IEC Specifications

4.4.1.2.3 Totally enclosed machines (TEFC, TEPV, TEWAC, and TEAAC, or the IEC equivalents) shall meet the following criteria.

a) Fan covers shall be made of metal having a minimum rigidity equivalent to that of steel plate with a nominal thickness of 3.0 mm (¹/₈ in.). Purchaser-approved fiber-reinforced materials may be used. The air intake opening shall be

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guarded by a grill or a metal screen fastened on the outside of the fan cover. Requirements for grills or metal screens are covered in 4.4.10.5.

- b) Sheet metal covers or wrappers used to form air passages over the enclosure shall have a minimum rigidity equivalent to that of steel plate with a nominal thickness of 3.0 mm (¹/₈ in.).
- c) Totally enclosed machines shall be equipped with a plugged, threaded drain connection located at the lowest point of the frame. This connection shall be shown on the outline drawing.
- d) Requirements for heat exchanger tube material is outlined in 4.4.10.8.
- e) Where an enclosure make-up air intake is required, the intake shall be provided with filters suitable for the site data given on the datasheets.

4.4.1.2.4 Totally enclosed water to air cooled (TEWAC or the IEC equivalents) machines shall be designed for the following conditions.

 a) Unless otherwise specified, the water side of the cooling system or systems shall be designed in accordance with Table 7. The vendor shall notify the purchaser if a conflict will arise affecting performance, size, cost, or integrity of the cooler. The purchaser shall approve the final selection. When specified, coolers shall be designed to operate with a water and glycol solution of the specified concentration.

Water velocity over heat exchange surfaces	1.5 m/s to 2.5 m/s	5 ft/s to 8 ft/s
Maximum allowable working pressure (MAWP, Guage)	≥ 700 kPa (7 bar)	≥ 100 psig
Test pressure (≥1.5 MAWP)	≥ 1050 kPa (10.5 bar)	≥150 psig
Maximum pressure drop	70 kPa (0.7 bar)	10 psig
Maximum inlet temperature	30 °C	90 °F
Maximum outlet temperature	50 °C	120 °F
Maximum temperature rise	20 K	30 °F
Minimum temperature rise	As needed to maintain minimum velocity	As needed to maintain minimum velocity
Water side fouling factor	0.35 m ² K/kW	0.002 hr-ft ² -°F/Btu
Corrosion allowance for carbon steel	3 mm	¹ /8 in.

NOTE 1 The criterion for velocity over heat exchange surfaces is intended to minimize water-side fouling; the criterion for minimum temperature rise is intended to minimize the use of cooling water.

NOTE 2 When using this table, the column appropriate to the system of units specified applies (see 1.3.1)

- b) When specified, machines shall be provided with multiple coolers to allow one cooler to be removed from service without reducing the continuous operating capability.
- The location of the cooler, orientation of the water box inlet and outlet, materials and construction of the cooler, and means of leak detection shall be specified on the datasheets. Leak detectors shall be provided to sense tube leakage.
 For double tube coolers, these detectors shall sense inner tube leakage and when specified, outer tube leakage.
- d) Cooler designs shall be of the water-tube type (water in the tubes). U-tube construction is not permitted. The construction of the water box and header shall be such that leaking tubes can be plugged and all tubes are accessible for cleaning. When specified, coolers shall be of double tube construction.

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- e) The machine's interior shall be baffled or otherwise constructed to prevent cooler-tube leakage or condensation from striking the windings and so that leakage will collect and drain.
- f) In pressurized enclosures, a liquid seal shall be provided for drain holes.
- g) When specified, a flow-sensing device shall be provided for mounting in the water supply piping to each cooler.
- h) When specified, temperature sensors shall be provided to sense air temperature into and out of the coolers.
- i) Provision shall be made for complete venting and draining of the system or systems.

j) Unless otherwise specified, the cooling pipe flanges shall be located on the side opposite from the main terminal box.

4.4.2 Frame and Mounting Plates

4.4.2.1 The frame shall be of cast or nodular iron, cast steel, or welded steel plate construction with removable end brackets or end plates to permit removal of the rotor and facilitate repairs. The frame of the completely assembled machine and terminal boxes on its permanent foundation with the rotor installed and rotating shall be free from structural resonance between 40 % and 60 % of operating speed and the frequency ranges defined by Equation (1) and Equation (2):

$$N = nN_{\rm op} \pm 0.15N_{\rm op} \tag{1}$$

$$N = nN_{\rm el} \pm 0.15N_{\rm el}$$

where

N is the frequency range (in Hz);

- $N_{\rm op}$ is the operating speed frequency (in Hz);
- $N_{\rm el}$ is the electrical power frequency (in Hz); and
- *n* is 1 and 2.

NOTE 1 The reason for requiring margin from the 2X multiple as well as 1X, is that electric machines can have a significant electrical vibration component at the 2X multiple. Margin requirements are based upon percentage of rated operating frequency. For example, 15% minimum margin from two times the electric operating frequency on a 60 Hz system, natural frequencies do not occur between 111 Hz and 129 Hz [i.e. 2×60 Hz electric operating frequency, N = $(2 \times 60) \pm (0.15 \times 60) = 111$ Hz or 129 Hz].

NOTE 2 Transfer of vibration from surrounding equipment is avoided by proper layout of the foundation, which is the responsibility of the purchaser. For guidance, see API 686.

4.4.2.1.1 • For machines operating at adjustable speed with an operating speed range where it may not be possible to avoid all machine frame or enclosure resonances, the purchaser and machine supplier shall agree on

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a strategy to avoid damage to the machine or drive train. The owner may waive this requirement if the supplier can demonstrate that the vibration requirements of 6.3.3.13 are satisfied.

Note: Strategies to avoid machine frame or enclosure resonances may include limiting speed range, blocking problematic frequency range(s), utilizing a spring mounted stator core, or adding stiffeners or damping means to the base and mounting arrangement.

4.4.2.2 • The stress values used in the design of the frame shall not exceed the values given for that material in Section II of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code or ISO 10721-1 at the maximum operating temperature. For cast materials, the factors specified in Section VIII, Division I of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code or ISO 10721-1 shall be applied. The conditions evaluated shall include short circuits, out-of-phase reclosing per ANSI/NEMA C50.41, thrusts, handling, and specified seismic loading.

4.4.2.3 The frame (including transition base if supplied with the machine and the bearing supports) shall be designed to have sufficient strength and rigidity to limit changes of alignment caused by the worst combination of torque reaction, conduit and piping stress, magnetic imbalance, and thermal distortion to 0.05 mm (0.002 in.) at the coupling flange. (This is not to be confused with the normal repeatable thermal growth between ambient and operating temperatures.)

4.4.2.4 Supports and the design of jackscrews and their attachments shall be rigid enough to permit the machine to be moved by the use of its lateral and axial jackscrews.

4.4.2.5 Horizontal machines shall be equipped with vertical jackscrews appropriately located to facilitate alignment. If size and mass prohibit the use of jackscrews, other provisions shall be made for vertical jacking.

4.4.2.6 • When specified, the machine shall be furnished with soleplates or a baseplate.

- **4.4.2.7** The term mounting plate refers to both baseplates and soleplates.
- **4.4.2.7.1** Mounting plates shall be equipped with vertical jackscrews to permit leveling of the mounting plates.
- a) For baseplates, a minimum 16 mm (⁵/8 in.) diameter jackscrew hole shall be located a minimum of 100 mm (4 in.) from each anchor bolt hole along the same centerline as the anchor bolt holes.
- b) For soleplates, a minimum of four jackscrew holes shall be supplied. These holes shall be designed for a minimum of 16 mm (⁵/8 in.) jackscrew and shall be located in each corner of the soleplate. In addition, for soleplates longer than 0.9 m (3 ft) two additional jackscrew holes shall be installed in the soleplate at midspan with their centerlines similar to the corner jackscrew holes. Soleplates 1.8 m (6 ft) and longer shall have a maximum span of 0.9 m (3 ft) between jackscrew holes on each side of the soleplate. All jackscrew holes shall be located a minimum of 100 mm (4 in.) from the anchor bolt holes.
- c) Jackscrew holes shall be drilled and tapped a length equal to the diameter of the jackscrew. The soleplate shall be counterbored at the jackbolt hole locations to a diameter large enough to allow the use of a socket drive over the head of the jackscrew. The depth of the counterbore shall be equal to the thickness of the soleplate minus the diameter of the jackscrew.

4.4.2.7.2 To assist in machine positioning, the mounting plates shall be furnished with horizontal jackscrews (for machine movement in both directions of the horizontal plane) the same size as or larger than the vertical jackscrews. The lugs holding these jackscrews shall be attached to the mounting plates so that they do not interfere with the installation or removal of the drive element and the installation or removal of shims used for alignment.

4.4.2.7.3 To minimize grout stress cracking, mounting plates that are to be grouted shall have 50 mm (2 in.) radius on the outside corners (in the plan view). The bottom edges of the soleplate shall have a 25 mm (1 in.) 45° chamfer.

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4.4.2.7.4 Mounting plate anchor bolts shall not be used to fasten the machine to the mounting plates.

4.4.2.7.5 Mounting plates shall be designed to extend at least 25 mm (1 in.) beyond the outer sides of the machine feet.

4.4.2.7.6 The vendor of the mounting plates shall furnish AISI 300 series stainless steel shim packs at least 3.0 mm (¹/8 in.) thick between the machine feet and the mounting plates. All shim packs shall straddle the hold-down bolts and provide full foot coverage.

4.4.2.7.7 Anchor bolts shall be furnished by the purchaser.

4.4.2.7.8 Fasteners for attaching the components to the mounting plates and jackscrews for leveling the soleplates shall be supplied by the vendor.

4.4.2.7.9 The horizontal and vertical jackscrews shall be minimum M16 size ISO 68-1 (⁵/8 in. with UNC threads) and have a round nosed end.

4.4.2.8 Frame mounting surfaces shall meet the following criteria.

- a) They shall be machined to a finish of 6.3 μ m (250 μ in.) arithmetic average roughness (R_a) or better.
- b) To prevent a soft foot, they shall be in the same horizontal plane within 125 μ m (0.005 in.).
- c) Each mounting surface shall be machined within a flatness of 150 µm per linear m (0.002 in. per linear ft) of mounting surface.
- d) Different mounting planes shall be parallel to each other within 0.17 mm per m (0.002 in. per ft).
- e) In a horizontal machine, the mounting planes shall be parallel to a horizontal plane through the bearing centerline within 0.17 mm per m (0.002 in. per ft).

NOTE During manufacturing, it is typically possible to verify this tolerance with applicable component level measurements (e.g. from the frame centerline or other frame feature) to the mounting planes.

- f) The upper machined or spot faced surface shall be parallel to the mounting surface.
- g) Anchor or hold-down bolt holes shall be drilled perpendicular to the mounting surface or surfaces and be drilled 13 mm (0.5 in.) larger in diameter than the anchor or hold-down bolt. Due to the extra-large clearance hole, properly designed load bearing washers shall be provided. The mounting faces shall be parallel to the feet mounting surfaces and large enough so that the load bearing washers can still contact the mounting faces when the machine is aligned in its extreme position where a bolt is touching one side of its clearance hole. Unmachined or uneven top surfaces shall be spot faced to a diameter three times that of the hole diameter.

4.4.2.9 The mounting surface on a vertical motor shall be machined perpendicular to the motor's centerline and this surface shall not deviate from that perpendicular plane by more than 0.17 mm per m (0.002 in. per ft).

4.4.2.10 The frame support or supports shall be provided with two pilot holes for dowels. The holes shall be as near the vertical as practical and shall be located to provide adequate space for field drilling and reaming (if required), and placement of dowels. Only the supports or mounting feet on the drive end of horizontal machines shall be doweled. Vertical machines shall have a rabbeted fit to the base and two dowels.

4.4.2.11 Alignment dowels or rabbeted fits shall be provided to facilitate disassembly and reassembly of end bells or plates, bearing housing mounting plates, and bearing housings. When jackscrews are used as a means of parting contacting faces, one of the faces shall be counterbored or recessed to prevent a leaking joint or an improper fit caused by marring of the face.

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4.4.2.12 When the vendor provides tapered dowel pins, the top end of the dowel shall have an undercut shank threaded to the nominal diameter nearest the dowel's outside diameter. The first two threads shall be machined off, and the shank shall be beveled to prevent damage when the pin is driven. A hex nut shall be provided with each pin.

4.4.2.13 • Lifting lugs, through holes or eyebolts shall be provided for lifting major components and the assembled machine. Any special mechanisms for lifting major components and the assembled machine shall be supplied in the quantities shown on the datasheets.

4.4.2.14 All fabricated-welded structural steel shall be postweld stress relieved. This does not apply to sheet metal components. If postweld stress relieving is not considered necessary based on the vendor's experience, the vendor shall submit methods used to keep the frame free of unacceptable internal stresses for approval by the purchaser.

4.4.3 Frame Connections

4.4.3.1 • Unless otherwise specified, inlet and outlet connections for field piping including those for air, lubrication, cooling medium, instrumentation, conduit, and drains shall have the vendor's standard orientation and size, except ISO-6708 sizes of DN 32, DN 65, DN 90, DN 125, DN 175, and DN 225 (1 ¹⁴ in., 2 ¹² in., 3 ¹⁴ in., 5 in., 7 in., and 9 in.) shall not be used.

4.4.3.2 Tapped openings not connected to piping or conduit shall be plugged with solid round head steel plugs furnished in accordance with ASME B16.11. Plugs that may later require removal shall be of a compatible corrosion-resistant material. Threads shall be lubricated. Tape shall not be applied to threads of plugs inserted into oil passages. Plastic plugs and threading shall not be provided.

4.4.3.3 Bolting and threading shall be furnished as specified in 4.4.3.3.1 through 4.4.3.3.3.

4.4.3.3.1 The details of threading shall conform to ASME B1.1 or ISO 68-1 and ISO 261.

4.4.3.3.2 Hexagonal head bolts or cap screws shall be supplied on all frame connections except oil piping unless the purchaser specifically approves studs.

4.4.3.3.3 Adequate clearance shall be provided at bolting locations to permit the use of socket or box wrenches.

4.4.3.4 Openings for piping connections, except bearing oil inlet lines, shall be at least 20 mm ($^{3}/_{4}$ in.) nominal pipe size. Oil inlet lines shall be not less than 12 mm ($^{1}/_{2}$ in.). All pipe connections shall be flanged. Where flanged openings are impractical, threaded openings in sizes through 40 mm ($^{1}/_{2}$ in.) nominal pipe size shall be fitted in accordance with the requirements below:

a) a pipe nipple, preferably not more than 150 mm (6 in.) long, shall be screwed into the threaded opening;

b) pipe nipples shall be a minimum of Schedule 80, ASME B36.10M; and

c) tapped openings and bosses for pipe threads shall conform to ASME B16.5.

4.4.3.5 Piping flanges shall conform to ASME B16.20, ASME B16.5, ISO 7005-1 as applicable. Flat-faced flanges with full raised-face thickness may be used on frames other than cast iron.

4.4.3.6 Machined and studded connections shall conform to the facing and drilling requirements of ASME B16.5. Studs and nuts shall be furnished installed.

4.4.3.7 Tapped openings and bosses for pipe threads shall conform to ASME B16.5. Pipe threads shall be taper threads conforming to ASME B1.20.1.

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4.4.3.8 Openings for duct connections shall be flanged and bolted. Connection facings shall be adequate to prevent leakage with proper gaskets and bolts in accordance with ASME B16.20, ASME B16.21, or ISO 7483. Gaskets and bolts shall be provided by the vendor.

4.4.3.9 Studded connections shall be furnished with studs installed. Blind stud holes in casings shall be drilled deep enough to allow a preferred tap depth of 1^{1/2} times the major diameter of the stud. The first 1^{1/2} threads at both ends of each stud shall be removed.

4.4.4 • External Moments and Forces

Frames and housings are generally designed to accept small external forces and moments from duct, conduit, and piping connections. If the auxiliary equipment (e.g. ducting, coolers, silencers, and filters) is not supplied by the vendor, it is the purchaser's responsibility to specify on the datasheets the external loads expected to be imposed on the enclosures from this equipment. The vendor shall design the frame to accept the specified loads.

NOTE For offshore applications, the motor is designed for the motion to which it will be subjected. These motion criteria are typically stated in regulatory requirements, by certifying bodies or by the purchaser (refer to Annex C, 3-32,33 for more information).

4.4.5 Rotating Element

4.4.5.1 General

- **4.4.5.1.1** Shafts shall comply with the following:
- a) suitable fillets shall be provided at all changes in diameter and in keyways; stress concentration factor calculations shall be performed to ensure that the shaft stresses have a fatigue life as required in 4.1.1 and 4.2.4;
- b) components (such as keys, fan hubs, thrust collars, etc.) shall have a minimum chamfer equal to or greater than the adjacent radii;
- b) c) welded shaft, bar shaft, and spider constructions shall not be used for two pole machines; and
- c) d) shaft straightening techniques shall not be used during or after fabrication of the rotor.

4.4.5.1.2 Heat-treated forged steel shafts shall be used for machines having any of the following characteristics:

- a) finished shaft diameter 200 mm (8 in.) and larger;
- b) two pole machine;
- c) operation above the first lateral critical speed;
- d) driving a reciprocating load; or
- e) using a tapered hydraulic fit coupling.

Hot-rolled shafts may be used for all other machines if the vendor can demonstrate a minimum of two years successful operating experience with the design in that application.

4.4.5.1.3 • When specified, the shaft and spider shall be machined from a one-piece heat-treated forging.

4.4.5.1.4 Shafts shall be AISI 4000 series (see SAE J1086). Forgings shall comply with ASTM A668 or CEN EN 10250-1. Hot rolled shafts shall comply with ISO 683-1, ISO 683-2 or CEN EN 100083.-

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4.4.5.1.5 For motors driving reciprocating loads and generators driven by a reciprocating type prime mover, a complete torsional analysis shall be performed in accordance with 4.4.6.2.2 by the party specified by the purchaser. This analysis shall include all operating conditions including transient starting, no load, and full load. The stress concentration shall not exceed the values specified in ASME B106.1M and shall have a safety factor of at least two for all continuous cyclic load conditions and shall have a fatigue life as specified in 4.2.4.1.

4.4.5.1.6 When radial shaft displacement and/or axial position probes are furnished or when provisions for probes are required as described in 5.8.1, the rotor shaft sensing areas to be observed by the radial probes shall be concentric with the bearing journals. All sensing areas (both radial displacement and axial position) shall be free from stencil and scribe marks or any other surface discontinuity (e.g. an oil hole or a keyway) for a minimum of one probe-tip diameter plus one half of the total end float on each side of the probe. These areas shall not be metallized, sleeved, or plated. The final surface finish shall be a maximum of 0.8 μ m (32 μ in.) *R*_a, preferably obtained by honing or burnishing. These areas shall be properly demagnetized to the levels specified in API 670 or otherwise treated so that the combined total electrical and mechanical runout does not exceed the following when measured in accordance with 6.3.3.1:

- a) for areas to be observed by radial vibration probes, 25 % of the allowed unfiltered peak-to-peak vibration amplitude or 6.4 µm (0.25 mils), whichever is greater; and
- b) for areas to be observed by axial position probes, 12.7 μ m (0.5 mils).

4.4.5.1.7 ● When specified, shaft forgings shall be ultrasonically inspected in accordance with 6.2.2.3.1.

4.4.5.1.8 • The shaft extension type shall be as specified on the datasheets. Tapered shaft extensions shall conform to the requirements of API 671. Cylindrical shaft extensions shall conform to the requirements of AGMA 9002. Surface finish of the shaft for a hydraulic mounting or removal design coupling hub shall be 0.8 μ m (32 μ in.) R_a or better at the hub mounting area. When a tapered shaft extension is supplied, the fit shall be verified with a ring gage supplied by the purchaser of the coupling. When an integral flange is supplied, the machine purchaser shall provide flange geometry and the drill fixture (or template) if required.

4.4.5.2 Assembly

4.4.5.2.1 Rotor laminations shall have no burrs larger than 0.076 mm (0.003 in.). Laminations shall be distributed to minimize uneven buildup and evenly distribute magnetic properties in grain orientation.

The method of assembly shall prevent scoring of the shaft surface, assure positive positioning, and minimize bowing. All load torque and starting torque conditions shall be transmitted via rotor core and shaft interference fit.

4.4.5.2.2 Rotor cages shall be of fabricated-bar construction with copper or copper alloy bars and end rings. If approved by the purchaser, cast or fabricated aluminium cage designs may be used if the vendor can demonstrate successful experience and can meet the starting duty requirements specified in 4.2.3 and 4.2.4.

NOTE Industry experience has demonstrated that aluminum cage designs through 1000 hp are generally acceptable.

4.4.5.2.3 End rings without circumferential joints are required for motors intended to operate at synchronous speeds greater than or equal to 1000 revolutions per minute.

4.4.5.2.4 To ensure good heat transfer to the rotor core and to limit vibration and fatigue of bars, all bars shall be maintained tightly in their slots. The rotor cage shall be maintained centered (e.g. swedged, center locked or pinned) to prevent uneven axial movement.

4.4.5.2.5 The method by which the bars are attached to the end ring shall be selected to minimize localized heating and the nonuniform stresses that result. The bars shall be radially supported as necessary in the current-carrying end ring to prevent the braze or weld from being overstressed and to maximize the joint contact area. The metal joining material shall not be subject to attack by hydrogen sulfide (i.e. it shall be free from phosphorus).

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Outward bending of the ends of the rotor bars and articulation of the end ring shall be limited by design, material selection, or shrunk-on or fitted nonmagnetic metallic retaining rings.

4.4.5.2.6 The material and processes used to fabricate copper and copper alloy bars and end rings shall be selected to minimize hydrogen embrittlement.

4.4.5.2.7 • Rotors shall be designed to withstand overspeeds without permanent mechanical deformation (see 4.1.5). Overspeed requirements more stringent than those of NEMA MG 1 or IEC 60034-1 shall be specified by the purchaser where required.

4.4.5.2.8 Two, four, or six pole machines shall not have fans bolted to the end rings. Separable fans shall be permanently indexed angularly and axially to allow field removal and reassembly of the fans on the rotor without increasing the machine vibration. Slip-fitted fans secured to the shaft by means of setscrews only shall not be provided.

4.4.5.2.9 Fans shall be capable of being balanced in accordance with 4.4.6.3. Fan balancing shall not be achieved by welding. All fans shall be indexed such that they can be removed and reinstalled without changing the rotor balance beyond the allowable residual unbalance limit.

4.4.5.2.10 The design of the stressed parts of fans shall include fillets and proper evaluation of stress concentration factors (SCF) for the geometry to fulfill the combined operational requirements defined in 4.1.14. Areas of concern include the fan, blade-to-disk intersections, keyways, and shaft section changes. For machines having fans with tip speeds in excess of 75 m/s (250 ft/s), all accessible areas of welds on fans shall be subjected to magnetic particle or liquid penetrant inspection (see 6.2.2.4 or 6.2.2.5).

4.4.6 Dynamics

4.4.6.1 Resonances

4.4.6.1.1 Lateral natural frequencies which can lead to resonance amplification of vibration amplitudes shall be removed from the operating speed frequency and other significant exciting frequencies (see 3.1.15) by at least 15 %.

4.4.6.1.2 ♦ Machines intended for continuous operation on ASDs shall meet the requirement of 4.4.6.1.1 over the specified speed range. If it is not practical to avoid lateral natural frequencies by at least 15 % in an ASD application, it shall be stated in the proposal and a well damped resonance [see 6.3.5.3 e) and Annex F] may be permitted with purchaser approval.

4.4.6.1.3 • If the machine is to be supported in the field by a structure other than a massive foundation, the purchaser shall specify this on the datasheets, and the machine vendor shall supply the following data (as a minimum) to the purchaser so that a system dynamic analysis can be made and an adequate foundation designed:

- a) a detailed shaft section model with masses, mass elastic data including mass and rotational inertia (*Wk*²), shaft section lengths, and inner and outer diameters;
- b) for the minimum and maximum design bearing clearances plus minimum and maximum oil operating temperature, an eight-coefficient bearing model with damping and spring constants;
- c) horizontal and vertical bearing housing and frame stiffness; and
- d) foundation dynamic stiffness requirements.

NOTE 1 The rigidity of a foundation is a relative quantity, to be compared with the rigidity of the machine bearing system. The ratio of bearing housing vibration to foundation vibration is a characteristic quantity for the evaluation of foundation flexibility

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influences. One indication that a foundation is massive is if the vibration amplitudes of the foundation (in any direction) near the machine feet or base frame are less than 30 % of the amplitudes that could be measured at the adjacent bearing housing in any direction.

NOTE 2 A massive foundation is recommended. See 4.4.2.1 for information on the foundation natural frequencies.

4.4.6.1.4 • When specified, for offshore applications, the machine and auxiliary components shall conform to the motion criteria noted on the data sheet.

4.4.6.1.5 Resonances of structural support systems that are within the vendor's scope of supply shall not occur within the specified operating speed range or the specified separation margins.

4.4.6.2 Dynamic Analysis

4.4.6.2.1 • When specified, the vendor shall provide a lateral critical speed analysis of the machine to assure acceptable amplitudes of vibration at any speed from zero to maximum operating speed. The vendor shall identify the foundation data required from the purchaser to perform this analysis. When the vendor provides a machine modal analysis model that is utilized in the system and train analysis, the accuracy of that model shall be confirmed during final testing. If the first critical speed identified by the vendor model differs from the test results by more than ± 5 %, then the vendor model shall be updated as necessary. (This only applies if the first critical speed is identified by test to be below the specified maximum overspeed.)

4.4.6.2.1.1 The damped unbalance response analysis shall include but shall not be limited to the following:

- a) Foundation stiffness and damping.
- b) Support (base, frame, bearing housing, and bearing tilting pad or shell) stiffness, mass, and damping characteristics, including effects of rotational speed variation. The vendor shall state the assumed support system values and the basis for these values (e.g. tests of identical rotor support systems and assumed values).
- c) Bearing lubricant film stiffness and damping characteristics including changes due to speed, load, preload, oil temperatures, accumulated assembly tolerances, and maximum to minimum clearances.
- d) Operating speed ranges (including agreed-upon test conditions if different from those specified), trip speed, and coast down conditions
- e) Rotor masses including the stiffness and damping effects (e.g. accumulated fit tolerances).
- f) Mass moment of the coupling half (including mass moment of coupling spacer).
- g) Asymmetrical loading (e.g. eccentric clearances).
- h) For machines equipped with antifriction bearings, the vendor shall state the bearing stiffness and damping values used for the analysis and either the basis for these values or the assumptions made in calculating the values.
- i) The location and orientation of the radial vibration probes which shall be the same in the analysis as in the machine.
- j) Unbalanced magnetic pull.

k) The basis for assumptions shall be stated for calculating shaft stiffness at sections where rotor core assembly is mounted.

I) Items a) to k) shall be included with the rotor dynamics report.

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4.4.6.2.1.2 In the case of other than a massive foundation, dynamic foundation stiffness shall be mutually agreed by the vendor of the machine and the vendor who has unit responsibility. In this case, an adequate model of the machine shall be given to the vendor who has unit responsibility.

4.4.6.2.1.3 Separate damped unbalanced response analysis shall be conducted for each critical speed within the speed range of zero to the next mode occurring above the maximum operating speed. Unbalance shall analytically be placed at the locations that have been determined by the undamped analysis to affect the particular mode most adversely. The mode shapes predicted by the undamped critical speed analysis shall be compared to the examples shown in Figure 1 and the analytic weights attached accordingly. For the translatory modes as shown in the three left-hand side examples of Figure 1, the unbalance shall be applied at the location of maximum displacement. The magnitude of the unbalance shall be four times the value of *U* as calculated by Equation (3) or Equation (4). The unbalance shall be based on the total static bearing load in the case of major deflection between the bearings or the overhung mass in the case of major deflection outboard of the bearings. For conical modes as illustrated in the three right-hand side examples of Figure 1, the unbalances shall be 180° out of phase and of magnitude four times the value of *U* as calculated by Equation (4), based on the bearing adjacent to the unbalance placement.

In SI units:

U = 6350 W/N g-mm

In USC units:

U = 4W/N oz-in.

where

- U is the input unbalance for the rotor dynamic response analysis in g-mm (oz-in.);
- N is the operating speed nearest to the critical speed of concern, in revolutions per minute; and
- *W* is the journal static load in kg (lb) or for bending modes where the maximum deflection occurs at the shaft ends, the overhung mass (e.g. the mass of the rotor outboard of the bearing) in kg (lb) (see Figure 1).

NOTE For some machines, it could be necessary to increase the mass of the added unbalance weights to get a sufficient unbalance response to identify the location of the expected critical speed(s).

4.4.6.2.1.4 If an unbalance response analysis has been performed and the foundation data used in the unbalanced response analysis are significantly different from the test floor conditions, additional analyses shall be

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made for use with the verification test specified in 6.3.5.3. The location of the unbalance shall be determined by the vendor. Any test stand parameters that influence the results of the analysis shall be included.

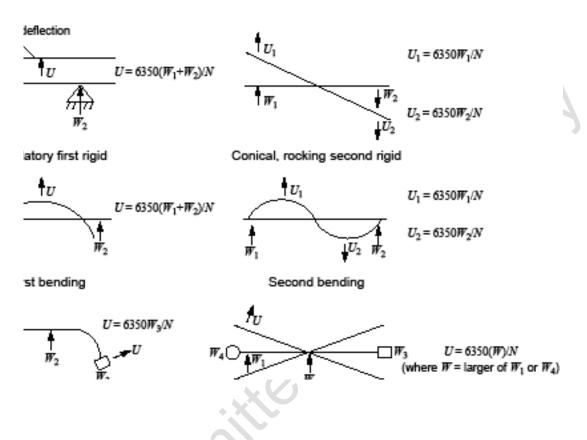


Figure 1—Typical Rotor Mode Shapes

4.4.6.2.1.5 As a minimum, the unbalanced response analysis shall produce the following:

- a) identification of the frequency of each critical speed in the range from zero to the next mode occurring above the maximum operating speed;
- b) frequency, phase, and response amplitude data (Bode plots) at the vibration probe locations through the range of each critical speed resulting from the unbalance specified in 4.4.6.2.1.3;
- c) the plot of the deflected rotor shape for each critical speed resulting from the unbalances specified in 4.4.6.2.1.3 showing the major-axis amplitude at each coupling, the centerlines of each bearing, the locations of each radial probe, and at each seal throughout the machine as appropriate; the minimum design diametral running clearance of the seals shall also be indicated; and

d) additional Bode plots that compare absolute shaft motion with shaft motion relative to the bearing housing for machines where the support stiffness is less than 3.5 times the oil film stiffness.

4.4.6.2.2 • When specified, the vendor(s) with unit responsibility shall perform a steady-state and transient torsional and stress analysis of the complete mechanical train including gears, pumps, compressors, fans, shaft driven auxiliaries, and the effects of the electrical system including ASDs (if applicable). The equipment vendors shall be responsible for providing the data required for the torsional analysis to the purchaser or the party responsible for the analysis as specified to allow for any system modifications that may be necessary to meet the

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requirements of 4.4.6.2.2.3, 4.4.6.2.2.4, 4.4.6.2.2.5, 4.4.6.2.2.6, and 4.4.6.2.2.7.

Note: See API RP 684 for further information.

4.4.6.2.2.1 Excitation of torsional natural frequencies may come from many sources, which may or may not be a function of running speed and should be considered in the analysis. These sources shall include but are not limited to the following:

- a) gear characteristics (e.g. unbalance, pitch line runout, and cumulative pitch error);
- b) cyclic process impulses;
- c) torsional transients (e.g. phase-to-phase, three phase, and if applicable, phase-to-ground faults);
- d) torsional excitation resulting from reciprocating equipment and rotary type positive displacement machines;
- e) control loop resonances from hydraulic governors, electronic governors, or adjustable speed drives;
- f) one and two times line frequency;
- g) running speed or speeds;
- h) harmonic frequencies from an ASD; and
- i) torsional excitation caused during motor starting, including both rated voltage and minimum starting voltage conditions.

4.4.6.2.2.2 The torsional analysis shall include but not be limited to the following:

- a) a complete description of the method used to complete the analysis;
- b) a graphic display of the mass-elastic system;
- c) a tabulation identifying the polar mass moment of inertia and torsional stiffness for each component identified in the mass-elastic system;
- d) a graphic display or expression of any torsional excitation versus speed or time;
- e) a graphic display of torsional critical speeds and deflections (a mode shape diagram).

4.4.6.2.2.3 For other than reciprocating compressor motors, the torsional natural frequencies of the complete unit shall be at least 10 % above or 10 % below any possible excitation frequency within the specified operating speed range (from minimum to maximum continuous speed).

For motors driving reciprocating compressors, torsional natural frequencies of the complete driver-compressor system (including couplings and any gear unit) shall not be within 10 % of any operating shaft speed and within 5 % of any multiple of operating shaft speed in the rotating system up to and including the tenth multiple.

NOTE See API 618

4.4.6.2.2.4 Torsional natural frequencies at two or more times running speeds shall preferably be avoided, or in systems in which corresponding excitation frequencies occur, shall be shown to have no adverse effect.

4.4.6.2.2.5 ♦ For ASDs, the torsional analysis shall verify that the calculated shaft torque at any resonance point up to the maximum operating speed does not result in shaft torsional stresses that exceed the allowed maximum

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for the shaft design. Any design changes required to achieve this shall be agreed by the vendor with unit responsibility, purchaser, ASD supplier and motor vendor.

4.4.6.2.2.6 When torsional resonances are calculated to fall within the margin specified in 4.4.6.2.2.3 (and the purchaser and the vendor have agreed that all efforts to remove the critical from within the limiting frequency range have been exhausted), a stress analysis shall be performed to demonstrate that the resonances have no adverse effect on the complete train. The assumptions made in this analysis regarding the magnitude of excitation and the degree of damping shall be clearly stated. The acceptance criteria for this analysis shall be mutually agreed upon by the purchaser and the vendor.

4.4.6.2.2.7 Unless otherwise specified, machines in a service where torsional oscillations occur (e.g. a reciprocating compressor) shall be designed to withstand both a) and b).

- a) A mean torque equal to the transmitted torque at rated conditions.
- **b)** A continuous alternating torque of +/-200% of the mean torque.

4.4.6.2.2.8 The design of the machine shall include evaluation of the rotor shafting and rotor mounted components, such as, but not limited to, rotor bar and end ring structure, fans and any other rotor attachments.

As a minimum the analysis shall consider:

- a) the applied forces on the components and systems under all normal operating conditions;
- b) the resonant frequencies of the systems;
- c) the metallurgy of the materials involved; and
- d) stress concentration factors.

When the equipment vendor cannot meet this requirement or when the torsional vibration analysis indicates higher values need to be considered, alternative values shall be mutually agreed upon by the purchaser and the vendor.

Note 1: This clause is intended to enable the electric machine vendor to proceed with their shaft and rotor component design without waiting for completion of the full train torsional analysis.

Note 2: The alternating torque for reciprocating compressors with more than 4 throws is likely to be considerably reduced from the values stated in 4.4.6.2.2.7 b).

4.4.6.3 Balancing

4.4.6.3.1 All rotors 600 rpm and above shall be dynamically balanced in two or more planes as complete assemblies. Rotors operating at speeds in excess of the first lateral critical bending mode shall be balanced in at least three planes, including a center plane at or near the axial geometric center of the rotor assembly. If a center balance plane is not practical, the vendor shall propose an alternate balancing arrangement that shall satisfy the requirements of paragraph 6.3.3.12 for purchaser approval. When a keyway is provided for a coupling hub, the rotor shall be balanced with the keyway fitted with a crowned half-key or its dynamic equivalent. Where rotor mounted fan(s) are utilized on two, four, and six pole machines, the complete rotor assembly shall also be balanced prior to mounting the fan(s) except where the fan contains a main rotor balance plane. Individual fans which do not contain a main rotor balance plane shall be dynamically balanced independently.

4.4.6.3.2 Balance weights and fasteners added to the final rotor assembly shall be readily removable and replaceable and made of AISI 300 series stainless steel or a purchaser-approved corrosion-resistant material. For machines less than 600 rpm requiring balance weights in excess of 500 g (1.1 lbs), the weights may be carbon steel and welded in position provided they are mounted on the inside diameter of a substantial steel component. If parent metal is to be removed to achieve balance, it shall be removed only from an area designed

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for that purpose. The material shall be removed by drilling in a manner that maintains the structural integrity of that component and does not cause harmful or distortive hot spots during operation. Chiseling, grinding, sawing, or torch burning is not permitted. The use of solder or similar deposits for balancing purposes is not acceptable. Balance corrections shall not be made to the fan blades.

4.4.6.3.3 For the final balancing of the rotor in the balancing device, the maximum allowable residual unbalance in the correction plane (per journal) shall be calculated from Equation (5) or Equation (6):

In SI units:

 $U_{\rm B} = 6350 W_{\rm r} / N_{\rm mc}$

In USC units:

 $U_{\rm B} = 4W_{\rm r}/N_{\rm mc}$

where

- $U_{\rm B}$ is the residual unbalance in g-mm (oz-in.);
- *W*_r is the journal static loading determined from the mass distribution in the rotor in kilograms (pounds) (typically one-half rotor mass); and
- $N_{\rm mc}$ is the maximum continuous speed in revolutions per minute.

4.4.6.3.3.1 Where a rotor is asymmetrical or the correction planes are asymmetrically located, the allocation of residual unbalance between the correction planes by reference to journal static loading may not be appropriate. In this case, the proportionate allocation of residual unbalance to the correction planes should be determined by reference to ISO 21940-11. However, the total residual unbalance shall be less than 6350 W/N_{mc} (4 W/N_{mc}), where *W* is the rotor mass and not the ISO 21940-11 balance grade.

4.4.6.3.3.2 For rotors operating above the first bending mode and balanced at operational speed(s), the residual unbalance verification check is not required. For these machines, the 1X component measured in the balance machine shall not exceed 80% of the 1X vibration limits given in 6.3.3.12.4.

NOTE See API RP 684 for additional information.

4.4.6.3.4 • When specified, the residual unbalance of the rotor shall be determined in accordance with 4.4.6.3.3 and Annex D.

NOTE Annex D provides a method of determining the residual unbalance remaining in the completely assembled rotor and balancing machine sensitivity check.

4.4.6.3.5 A balancing device is either a conventional balancing machine or the actual machine frame assembly with the rotor installed. When the machine frame is used as a balance device, the residual unbalance of the rotor shall be determined in accordance with 4.4.6.3.3 and Annex D.

4.4.6.4 Vibration

Machines shall be designed so that they meet the acceptance criteria stated in 6.3.3. Machine design shall consider all applicable vibration forcing phenomena. Potential excitations to be considered in the design of the machine shall include but are not limited to the following sources:

a) mechanical unbalance in the rotor system;

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- b) oil film instabilities (whirl or whip);
- c) alignment tolerances;

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- d) gear problems (e.g. unbalance and pitch line runout);
- e) start-up condition frequencies;
- f) twice the line frequencies;
- g) electrical unbalance;
- h) mechanical pulsations produced by the driven equipment;
- i) short circuits (faults) and other transient conditions on the electrical system; and

j) ASDs.

4.4.7 Bearings, Bearing Housings, and Seals

4.4.7.1 Bearings

4.4.7.1.1 • Unless otherwise specified, spherically seated hydrodynamic radial bearings (e.g. sleeve or tilting pad) shall be provided on all horizontal machines.

NOTE

4.4.7.1.2 Hydrodynamic radial bearings shall be split for ease of assembly, precision bored, and of the sleeve or pad type with steel-backed or bronze-backed, babbitted replaceable liners, pads, or shells. These bearings shall be equipped with anti-rotation pins and shall be positively secured in the axial direction. The bearing design shall suppress hydrodynamic instabilities and provide sufficient damping to limit rotor vibration to the maximum specified amplitudes while the machine is operating loaded or unloaded at specified operating speeds, including operation at any critical frequency if that frequency is a normal operating speed. The bearings on each end of horizontal machines shall be identical.

Note Under certain circumstances it could be impractical to supply identical bearings, e.g., lateral critical speed or torsional resonance considerations.

4.4.7.1.3 The design of the bearing housing shall not require removal of the lower half of end bells or plates, ductwork, or the coupling hub to permit replacement of the bearing liners, pads, or shells. When specified, antifriction bearings shall be used for horizontal machines provided that the following conditions are met.

- a) The dN factor is less than 300,000. [The dN factor is the product of bearing size (bore) in millimeters and the rated speed in revolutions per minute.]
- b) Antifriction bearings meet an ABMA L₁₀ rating life of either 100,000 hours with continuous operation at rated conditions or 50,000 hours at maximum axial and radial loads and rated speed. (The L₁₀ rating life is the number of hours at rated bearing load and speed that 90 % of a group of identical bearings shall complete or exceed before the first evidence of failure. See ABMA STD 9 or ABMA STD 11, or ISO 281 or ISO 76, as applicable.)

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4.4.7.1.4 Antifriction guide bearings may be used for vertical machines provided the conditions of 4.4.7.1.3 a) and 4.4.7.1.3 b) are satisfied.

4.4.7.1.5 Antifriction thrust bearings may be used for vertical machines provided that the following conditions are met.

a) Thrust bearings for vertical motors shall be on top.

b) Tandem or duplex antifriction bearings shall be permitted when required to handle the thrust load and shall be oil lubricated. In no case shall more than two bearings be stacked. When thrust bearings are mounted in tandem, the guide bearing system shall be designed to handle any momentary upthrust during a transient condition.

c) The thrust bearings for vertical machines shall be rated for ABMA L₁₀ life of at least 5000 hours as determined by equation (7), with no life adjustment factors, and with continuous operation at 200 % of the maximum thrust that may be developed during starting, stopping, or while operating at any capacity on the rated performance curve, whichever is greater. Thrust bearings shall also be rated for ABMA or ISO L10 life of at least 50,000 hours at rated conditions as determined by equation (7) with the continuous thrust loads applied to motor.

Vendor shall notify the purchaser if testing is affected by the presence of bearing springs or the reorientation of mounting position during testing.

NOTE Spherical roller thrust and angular contact ball bearings often have springs designed to compress with the down thrust, and if the thrust is less than design, the rotor rides higher than normal and there could be increased vibration load on the bearings during no load testing. Vibration can be impacted by the no load test. Operation in this condition (even for a short time) can damage the bearings.

$$L10_h = \left(\frac{10^6}{60n}\right) \left(\frac{C}{P}\right)^e$$

Where;

 $L10_h =$ Bearing Life (Hours)

- C = Dynamic Capacity (dN or Lbs)
- P = Equivalent Bearing Load (N or Lbs)

n = Rotating speed in RPM

e = 3.0 for ball bearings, 10/3 for roller bearings

NOTE This equation does not apply to ceramic bearings and the lifetime information shall be supplied by the bearing manufacturer.

4.4.7.1.6 Antifriction bearings shall be retained on the shaft and fitted into housings in accordance with the requirements of ABMA STD 7, ISO 286-1 or ISO 286-2; however, the device used to lock ball thrust bearings to the shaft shall be restricted by a nut with a tongue-type lock washer (e.g. Series W per ABMA STD 8.2).

4.4.7.1.7 Except for the angular-contact bearings and lower guide bearings in vertical machines, antifriction bearings shall have a radial internal clearance equivalent to ABMA Symbol 3, as defined in ABMA STD 20, or ISO 15, ISO 492 or ISO 5753-1. Single-row or double-row bearings shall be of the deep-groove (Conrad) type. Filling-

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slot (maximum-load) antifriction bearings shall not be used. Bearings shall be commercially available from more than one bearing vendor.

4.4.7.1.8 Bearings shall be electrically insulated. A shorting device shall be provided in the bearing housing on the drive end. For double-end drivers, the coupling on one end also shall be electrically insulated and the bearing housing shorting device provided on the opposite end.

In order to meet the insulation requirement on vertical motors, a hybrid bearing with ceramic rolling elements may be employed as the guide bearing on the bottom. In the bottom bearing housing, a shorting device shall be installed.

NOTE 1 This includes design and installation of components, such as temperature detectors, bearing dowel pins, shaft seals, vibration detectors, etc. so that they do not compromise bearing insulation.

NOTE 2 Insulating the coupling assembly and the driven equipment can prevent circulating currents when a grounding device on the motor's drive end is not feasible.

4.4.7.1.9 ♦ • For ASD applications where it is determined that the bearing currents are high enough to cause damage, special measures may be required and shall be proposed by the vendor and approved by the purchaser. These measures may involve special isolation procedures, alternative ASD designs, or winding connection design modifications. Shaft bonding devices shall only be considered after all other methods have been evaluated and determined to be unacceptable. If shaft bonding devices are necessary, the brushes or their enclosure shall be certified for the specified area classification. Brushes shall have a minimum continuous service life of 5 years or they shall be redundant and capable of being swapped during operation to achieve a minimum of 5 years of continuous machine operation. When specified, there shall be a monitoring system installed to annunciate the need for bonding device replacement.

4.4.7.1.10 Hydrodynamic thrust bearings for vertical machines shall be of the babbitted multiple-segment type. Tilting-pad bearings shall incorporate a self-leveling feature that assures that each segment carries an equal share of the thrust load. With minor variation in pad thickness, each pad shall be designed and manufactured with dimensional precision (thickness variation) that shall allow interchange of individual pads. The thrust collar shall be replaceable. Fretting and axial movement shall be prevented. The thrust faces of the collar shall have a surface finish of not more than 0.4 μ m (16 μ in.) R_a , and the total indicated axial runout of either thrust face shall not exceed 12 μ m (500 μ in.). Split thrust collars are not acceptable.

4.4.7.1.11 Hydrodynamic thrust bearings for vertical machines, and where applicable for horizontal machines, shall be selected such that under any operating condition the load does not exceed 50 % of the bearing vendor's ultimate load rating. The ultimate load rating is the load that produces the minimum acceptable oil film thickness without inducing failure during continuous service or the maximum load that does not exceed the creep-initiation yield strength of the babbitt at the location of maximum temperature on the pad, whichever load is less. In sizing thrust bearings, consideration shall be given to the following for each specific application:

a) • the thrust loads from the driven equipment under all operating conditions (see 4.4.7.1.12 and 4.4.7.1.13);

- b) the shaft speed;
- c) the temperature of the bearing babbitt;
- d) the deflection of the bearing pad;
- e) the minimum oil film thickness;
- f) the feed rate, viscosity, and supply temperature of the oil;
- g) the design configuration of the bearing;

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h) the babbitt alloy; and

i) the turbulence of the oil film.

The sizing of hydrodynamic thrust bearings shall be reviewed and approved by the purchaser.

4.4.7.1.12 Where applicable, external thrust force data shall be provided by the entity having train responsibility.

4.4.7.1.13 Thrust loads for diaphragm-type and disk-type couplings shall be calculated on the basis of the maximum allowable deflection permitted by the coupling vendor.

4.4.7.1.14 Sufficient cooling (including an allowance for fouling) shall be provided to maintain oil and bearing temperatures as follows, based on the specified operating conditions and an ambient temperature of 40 °C (104 °F).

- a) For flood or pressurized lubrication systems with an oil inlet temperature of 50 °C (122 °F) or below, the oil passing through the bearing during shop testing and in operation shall not exceed a temperature rise of 20 °C (36 °F) and the maximum bearing metal temperature shall not exceed 93 °C (200 °F).
- b) For self-lubricated systems (e.g. ring-oiled or splash), oil sump temperature shall not exceed 80 °C (176 °F) on test and in operation. Bearing metal temperature on test and in operation shall not exceed 93 °C (200 °F).

NOTE Condensation can be avoided if, the minimum inlet water temperature to water cooled bearing housings is kept above the ambient air temperature.

NOTE For ambient conditions which exceed 40 °C (104 °F) or when the inlet oil temperature exceeds 50 °C (122 °F), bearing design, oil flow, and allowable temperature rise could be affected.

4.4.7.1.15 (This paragraph intentionally left blank.)

4.4.7.1.16 • When specified, bearing oil temperature indicators shall be provided on the bearing housing of self-lubricated bearings or in the drain lines of flood lubricated bearings. The sensor shall be removable without loss of oil.

4.4.7.1.17 At ambient temperature, the fit between the outside of the bearing shell and the bearing housing shall be zero clearance to an interference fit.

4.4.7.2 Bearing Housings

4.4.7.2.1 Bearing housings for flood lubricated hydrodynamic bearings shall be arranged to minimize foaming. The drain system shall be adequate to maintain the oil and foam level below shaft end seals and to allow a sufficient oil level for operation.

4.4.7.2.2 • On horizontal machines, bearing housings for self-lubricated, oil bearings shall have oil reservoirs of sufficient depth to serve as settling chambers. The housings shall be provided with tapped and plugged fill and drain openings at least DN 15 (1/2 in. NPT). A permanent indication of the proper oil level shall be accurately located and clearly marked on the outside of the bearing housing with permanent metal tags, marks inscribed in the castings, or other durable means. If the oil-level indicator breaks, the resulting drop in oil level shall not result in loss of bearing lubrication (e.g. reduction of the oil level below the level required for oil-ring operation). When specified, the housings shall be equipped with constant-level oilers at least 0.25 liter (8 fluid ounces) in size, with

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a positive level positioner (not a set screw), clear glass containers, protective stainless steel wire cages, and supplemental support in addition to the piping.

4.4.7.2.3 Bearings utilizing oil rings shall be provided with plugged ports positioned to allow visual inspection of the oil rings while the equipment is running.

4.4.7.2.4 Bearing housings shall be positively located by cylindrical precision dowels and/or rabbeted fits. Bearing housings and support structures shall be designed so that upon assembly, none of the air-gap measurements taken in at least three positions (spaced 90° apart) at each end of the stator deviates from the limit given below as defined by Equation (9):

D = [(H-L)/A]*100

where

- *D* is the percentage deviation;
- H is the highest of the readings at one end of the stator;
- L is the lowest of the readings at the same end of the stator; and
- *A* is the average of the readings at the same end of the stator.

The air gap between the exterior of the rotor and the interior of the stator shall be measured at both ends of the stator. Measurements should be taken at the same positions on both ends. The percentage deviation (D) shall not exceed 10 %. This data shall be recorded and made part of the final report. To allow for accurate measurement, stator and rotor surfaces at the measuring positions shall be free from resin buildup.

NOTE Air gap measurements are not possible on many vertical and some horizontal machines. For those cases, the vendor and purchaser can discuss a process for addressing the air gap. Typically, this is by review of tolerances on the mating surfaces, rotor diameter, and stator inner diameters.

4.4.7.2.5 Bearing housings shall be machined for mounting vibration detectors when specified in 5.8.1.

4.4.7.3 Shaft Seals

Shaft seals shall conform to the following.

- a) Enclosure or housing shaft seals shall be made from nonsparking materials and centerable about the shaft. Where aluminum is used, it shall have a copper content of less than 0.2 %. Split type seals shall be provided to allow replacement without shaft or coupling removal. Where end-shield supported bearings are used, the inner seal shall be maintained at atmospheric pressure. Pressure balancing from the cooling fan shall be by use of copper or steel tubing, unless other materials are approved by the purchaser. Seals shall be designed to minimize the entry of fumes, dirt, and other foreign material into the stator enclosure. When specified, seals shall be constructed so that a purge gas can be introduced. If possible, self-aligning seals shall be used.
- b) When specified, the shaft seals shall be fabricated from electrically nonconducting materials.
- c) Bearing housings for horizontal machines shall be equipped with split labyrinth-type end seals and deflectors where the shaft passes through the enclosure. Lip-type seals shall not be used. The sealing system shall meet the requirements of IP55. If replaceable shaft seals are used to achieve this degree of protection, they shall be the noncontact or noncontacting while rotating type with a minimum expected seal life of five years under usual service conditions. No oil shall leak past the seals during both stationary and operating conditions, while circulating lube oil.

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4.4.7.4 Oil Mist Provisions

• The requirements of 4.4.7.4.2 through 4.4.7.4.6 apply when oil mist lubrication is specified.

4.4.7.4.2 A threaded 6 mm (¹/4 NPT) oil mist inlet connection shall be provided in the top half of the bearing housing. The pure oil or purge oil mist fitting connections shall be located so that oil mist shall flow through antifriction bearings. On pure mist systems, there shall be no internal passages to short circuit oil mist from inlet to vent.

4.4.7.4.3 A threaded 6 mm (¹/4 NPT) vent connection shall be provided on the housing or end cover for each of the spaces between the antifriction bearings and the housing shaft closures. Alternatively, where oil mist connections are between each housing shaft closure and the bearings, one vent central to the housing shall be supplied. Housings with only sleeve type bearings shall have the vent located near the end of the housing.

4.4.7.4.4 Shielded or sealed bearings shall not be used.

4.4.7.4.5 • When pure oil mist lubrication is specified, oil rings or flingers (if any) and constant level oilers shall not be provided and a mark indicating the oil level is not required. When purge oil mist lubrication is specified, these items shall be provided and the oiler shall be piped so that the oiler is maintained at the internal pressure of the bearing housing.

NOTE At process operating temperatures above 300 °C (570 °F), bearing housings with pure oil mist lubrication could require special features to reduce heating of the bearing races by heat transfer. Typical features are:

- a) heat sink type flingers;
- b) stainless steel shafts having low thermal conductivity;
- c) thermal barriers;
- d) fan cooling; and
- e) purge oil mist lubrication (in place of pure oil mist) with oil (sump) cooling.

4.4.7.4.6 The oil mist supply and drain fittings shall be provided by the purchaser.

4.4.8 Lubrication

4.4.8.1 ● Unless otherwise specified, hydrodynamic bearings shall use hydrocarbon oil and shall be arranged for ring-type lubrication in accordance with the bearing vendor's recommendations. Oil rings shall have a minimum submergence of 6 mm (0.25 in.) above the lower edge of the bore of the oil ring.

The vendor shall notify the purchaser when oil rings are not provided so that adequate provision can be made for lubrication during loss of oil supply.

Note: Oil rings are not practical when the shaft circumferential speed exceeds the limits for their use, for certain bearing designs, or when the machine may be subjected to excess inclination.

4.4.8.2 This paragraph left intentionally blank.

4.4.8.3 • When specified, thermostatically controlled heating devices shall be provided in the bearing housings of self-lubricated bearings. The heating devices shall have sufficient capacity to heat the oil in the bearing housing

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from the specified minimum site ambient temperature to the vendor's minimum required temperature in four hours. The thermostatic enclosure shall be compatible with the area classification requirements.

4.4.8.4 • Where a flood lubricated or circulating lubrication system is required by the driven equipment, the electrical machine bearing oil may be supplied from that system when specified. The purchaser will specify the supplier of the complete lubrication system.

4.4.8.5 • Where oil is supplied from a common system to two or more machines (e.g. a compressor, a gear, and a motor), the oil's characteristics shall be specified on the datasheets by the purchaser on the basis of mutual agreement with all vendors supplying equipment served by the common oil system.

If flammable or combustible materials are handled in some part of the equipment train, means should be taken to ensure that these materials cannot enter the electrical machine through a common lube oil system. In some cases, this may require a separate lube oil system for the electrical machine.

NOTE The usual lubricant employed in a common oil system is a hydrocarbon-based oil that corresponds to ISO Grade 32, as specified in ISO 3448.

4.4.8.6 • When specified oil systems shall conform to the requirements of API 614. The recommended system code in API 614 6th Edition for API 541 motors is: LO-PRAA0-R1-HE-BP2-CS1-F2-A0-PV0-TV1-OT0, corresponding to Figure H.1 in Annex H.

4.4.8.7 In machines that require multiple starts per day or are supplied from an ASD and may operate at very slow speeds, bearings and lubrication should be evaluated for application of hydrostatic jacking means to limit bearing babbit wear.

4.4.8.8 When supplied with the machine, oil piping (inlet and drains), orifices, and throttle valves shall be AISI 300 series stainless steel (see 4.4.3.4 for additional lube oil piping requirements).

4.4.8.9 • The purchaser shall specify on the datasheet the type of oil used for the application. When the use of synthetic lubricants is specified, the purchaser shall inform the vendor of the specific type and brand used.

Note: The use of synthetic lubricants for machine bearings requires special design.

4.4.9 End Play and Couplings

4.4.9.1 Horizontal hydrodynamic radial bearing machines shall have a total end play of at least 13 mm (0.5 in.). The design of the motor shall ensure that the magnetic center shall be within 20 % of the total end float from the center of the end float limit indicators [e.g. 2.6 mm (0.1 in.) for a 13 mm (0.5 in.) total end float]. Running at this position provides sufficient clearances between the rotor journal shoulders and the bearing and seal faces under all operating conditions when a limited end float coupling is used (see 4.4.9.2).

4.4.9.2 Flexible couplings used with horizontal hydrodynamic radial bearing machines shall be of the limitedend-float-type. The total end float shall be limited to 4.8 mm (³/16 in.).

4.4.9.3 When horizontal hydrodynamic bearings are provided, the machine shall have a permanent indicator to show the actual limits of total rotor end float and magnetic center. The indicator shall be durable and shall be adjacent to the drive end shaft shoulder.

4.4.9.4 • When specified, the motor vendor shall install the motor coupling hub (plus mass moment simulator, if applicable) and perform the vibration test in 6.3.1.5.2.

4.4.9.5 For vertical motors, the motor axial float shall not exceed 0.125 mm (0.005in.) and shall not be less than 0.076 mm (.003 in) to avoid the thrust bearing losing radial stability.

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Note The majority of high thrust motors are only made to handle brief upthrust. The guide bearing absorbs this upward force, which can last for a few seconds while starting. The motor endplay is restricted to keep the thrust bearing's radial stability throughout this period.

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4.4.10 Materials

4.4.10.1 General

4.4.10.1.1 All components used for the purchaser interface shall be in accordance with applicable local standards, as specified on the datasheet (e.g. ANSI standard threads in the United States).

4.4.10.1.2 • The purchaser shall specify any corrosive agents present in the environment including constituents that may cause stress corrosion cracking.

4.4.10.1.3 Where mating parts (e.g. studs and nuts) of 18-8 stainless steel or materials having similar galling tendencies are used, they shall be lubricated with a suitable anti-seizure compound.

4.4.10.1.4 Unless specifically approved by the purchaser, no component shall be repaired by plating, plasma spray, metal spray, impregnation, or similar methods.

4.4.10.1.5 ● External bolts, studs, and other fastening devices up through M12 (1/2 in.) size shall be AISI 300 series or ISO 3506 stainless steel. When the machine is specified to be installed offshore on a production platform or similar marine installation, or when specified, AISI 316 material shall be supplied. The use of non-stainless steel fastening devices for structural reasons may be permitted if approved by the owner.

4.4.10.1.6 Internal fastening devices shall use locknuts, lock washers, locking plates, or tie wires. Nonmechanical thread-locking means (e.g. anaerobic adhesive or similar epoxy bonding agents) shall not be used.

4.4.10.2 Castings

4.4.10.2.1 The vendor shall specify the material grade of castings on the datasheets. Castings shall be sound and free from porosity, hot tears, shrink holes, blow holes, cracks, scale, blisters, and similar injurious defects. Surfaces of castings shall be cleaned by sandblasting or chemical methods. Any other cleaning method requires approval by the purchaser. Mold-parting fins and remains of gates and risers shall be chipped, filed, or ground flush.

4.4.10.2.2 Ferrous castings shall not be repaired by welding, peening, plugging, stitching, burning in, or impregnating, except as specified in 4.4.10.2.2.1 and 4.4.10.2.2.2.

4.4.10.2.2.1 Weldable grades of steel castings may be repaired by welding using a qualified welding procedure based on the requirements of Section IX of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code or ISO 9013.

4.4.10.2.2.2 Cast gray iron or nodular iron may be repaired by plugging within the limits specified in ASTM A278/A278M, ASTM A395, or ASTM A536. The holes drilled for plugs shall be carefully examined using liquid penetrant to ensure that all defective material has been removed. All necessary repairs not covered by ASTM specifications shall be subject to the purchaser's approval.

4.4.10.2.3 Fully enclosed cored voids including voids closed by plugging shall not be allowed.

4.4.10.3 Welding

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4.4.10.3.1 Structural welding including weld repairs shall be performed by operators and procedures qualified in accordance with ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code Section IX, AWS D1.1, CSA W47.1, or ISO 9606. Other welding codes may be used if specifically approved by the purchaser.

4.4.10.3.2 The vendor shall be responsible for the review of all repairs and repair welds to ensure that they are properly heat treated and nondestructively examined for soundness and compliance with applicable qualified procedures.

4.4.10.3.3 All butt welds shall be continuous full-penetration welds.

4.4.10.3.4 Intermittent welds, stitch welds, and tack welds are not permitted on any structural part of the machine or portions that provide enclosure sealing. If specifically approved by the purchaser, intermittent welds may be used where significant problem-free operating experience exists and well-established design procedures are available.

NOTE . This includes items that are not part of the main frame, such as terminal boxes and air handling components.

4.4.10.3.5 Welding of or to shafts is not acceptable for balancing purposes on finished shafts or on two pole machines. Any shafts or spiders subjected to welding shall be post weld stress relieved prior to finish machining.

4.4.10.4 • Low Temperature Service

To avoid brittle fractures, materials and construction for low temperature service shall be suitable for the minimum design metal temperature in accordance with the codes and other requirements specified. The purchaser and the vendor shall agree on any special precautions necessary with regard to conditions that may occur during operation, maintenance, transportation, erection, commissioning, and testing.

NOTE If vendor-furnished steel pressure retaining parts could be subjected to temperatures below the ductile-brittle transition temperature, this could influence fabrication methods, welding procedures, and materials used. The published design-allowable stresses for many materials in internationally recognized standards (e.g. the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code and ANSI standards) are based on minimum tensile properties. Some standards do not differentiate between rimmed, semi-killed, fully killed hotrolled, and normalized material, nor do they take into account whether materials were produced under fine-grain or coarse-grain practices. This is typically a concern for materials intended for services below –30 °C (–22 °F).

4.4.10.5 Protective Grills or Metal Screens

Protective grills or metal screens shall be fabricated from not less than 1.2 mm (0.047 in.) AISI 300 series stainless steel with a maximum mesh of 6 mm (0.25 in.). On enclosures equipped with filters, the screens downstream of the filters may have a maximum mesh of 12.7 mm (0.5 in.).

4.4.10.6 Fans

4.4.10.6.1 • Fan systems, blades, and housings shall be designed to prevent sparking as a result of mechanical contact or static discharge. Fans shall be constructed to minimize failure from corrosion or fatigue. When specified, the vendor shall demonstrate to the purchaser's satisfaction that the non-sparking qualities and durability required are provided by the fan system.

NOTE Materials that are typically used are: aluminum (with a copper content of less than 0.2 %), bronze, reinforced thermosetting conductive plastic (to bleed off static charges) or epoxy coated steel fans.

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4.4.10.6.2 Shaft mounted cooling fans and other shaft mounted components shall be designed and constructed so that they will not resonate at any frequency that can be excited within the defined operating speed range.

4.4.10.6.3 Where offshore platform or a similar marine environment is specified, fans external to the stator end shields shall not be aluminum or epoxy coated steel.

4.4.10.6.4 • Auxiliary Motor Driven Fans

When specified on the datasheets, cooling shall be provided by redundant motor driven auxiliary fans. Fans shall be directly mounted on the motor enclosure or may be on the inlet ducting in the case of TEPV motors. In all cases, the fan motor assembly shall be designed for easy access and replacement. Fan assemblies shall meet the requirements of 4.4.10.6.1. Motors shall be in accordance with IEEE 841 and externally accessible for lubrication.

4.4.10.7 Stator Laminations

Stator laminations shall be produced from magnetic steel per ASTM A345 (IEC 60404-1, IEC 60404-1-1 or CEN EN 10106) utilizing methods that will produce a core structure capable of passing the interlaminar insulation integrity tests described in 6.3.4.1 and shall have burr heights not exceeding 0.076 mm (0.003 in.). The insulation applied to the laminations shall be of at least C-5 quality per ASTM A976 (IEC 60404-1 or IEC 60404-1-1). The stator core assembly shall be capable of withstanding a burnout temperature of 400 °C (750 °F) without damage or loosening.

4.4.10.8 Heat Exchangers

Heat exchangers shall conform to the following.

- Air to air exchanger tubes shall be made of copper, copper-based alloy, aluminum, aluminum alloy containing no more than 0.2 % copper, or AISI 300 series stainless steel. If stainless steel is specified for offshore applications, AISI 316 shall be used.
- Water to air heat exchanger tubes shall be not less than 15 mm (0.625 in.) outside diameter and 1.25 mm (0.049 in.) wall thickness made of 90-10 Cu-Ni material. Purchaser has the responsibility to provide the cooling water chemistry to be checked for material compatibility.
- c) On double tube water to air coolers, the water-side tubes shall conform to 4.4.10.8 b) above. The air side outer tube material shall be copper or copper based alloy and have a minimum wall thickness of 0.7 mm (0.028 in.).

4.4.11 Nameplates and Rotation Arrows

4.4.11.1 All nameplates and rotation arrows shall be of AISI 300 series stainless steel. The main motor nameplate shall be AISI 316 stainless steel. Nameplates shall be securely fastened by pins of similar material and attached at readily visible locations. All information (including title fields) shall be permanently inscribed, embossed, or engraved. Nameplates shall be provided on the machine and on or adjacent to each auxiliary device or junction box.

4.4.11.2 As a minimum, the data listed below shall be clearly stamped on the motor's nameplate(s):

- a) Manufacturer's name;
- b) serial number;
- c) horsepower or kW;
- d) voltage(s);
- e) phase;

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- f) Rated power factor and efficiency;
- g) frequency (in Hz);
- h) for antifriction bearings, the vendor and model number;
- i) for bearings with an external oil supply, the oil flow rate in liters (gallons) per minute and the oil pressure required in kilopascals (pounds per square inch) gauge;
- j) full-load current (amps);
- k) locked-rotor amperes (amps);
- I) full-load speed in revolutions per minute;
- m) this paragraph left intentionally blank
 - n) this paragraph left intentionally blank
 - o) this paragraph left intentionally blank
 - p) this paragraph left intentionally blank
 - q) time rating;

r) temperature rise in degrees Celsius, the maximum ambient or cooling-air temperature for which the motor was designed, and the insulation system's designation;

s) service factor;

t) starting limitations;

u) location of the magnetic center per 4.4.9.3 in mm (in.) (from the drive end bearing housing on a horizontal machine with a sleeve bearing);

v) for machines installed in NFPA 70-defined Class II, Division 2, or in Zone 22 locations, labeling or marking requirements as required in NFPA 70, or IEC 60079 series of applicable standards (or national derivations, if designated).

NOTE The T-Code designations in the NFPA and IEC systems are not identical.

- w) manufacturer frame designation
- x) enclosure type;
- y) total motor mass and rotor mass;
- z) year of manufacture;
- aa) location of manufacture;
- ab) the frequency and speed range for ASD driven units;

♦ ac) type of torque and speed characteristic for which the motor is designed [e.g. VT (variable torque) or CT (constant torque)] down to a specified speed; and

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ad) type of inverter for which the motor is intended to be used.

4.4.11.3 Separate connection diagrams or data nameplates shall be located near the appropriate connection box (or device location if there is no box) for the following:

- a) machines with more than three power leads;
- b) space heater operating voltage and wattage, and maximum surface temperature or class (T-Code, see IEC 60079-0, NFPA 70, or CSA C22.1 as applicable) for Class I or II, Division 2 or Zone 2 locations when applicable;
- c) temperature detectors (resistance, in ohms, or junction type);
- d) vibration and position detectors (vendor and model number);
- e) connections for proper rotation (including bidirectional);
- f) current transformer secondary leads (when provided) with polarity marks;
- g) lube oil supply orifice size (when provided);
- h) connection diagram for tachometer (when provided); and
 - i) bearing oil heater operating voltage and wattage (when provided).
 - **4.4.11.4** When specified, the purchaser's identification information shall be stamped on a separate nameplate.

4.5 Vertical motors

- **4.5.1** Vertical motors provided per this specification shall be shaft down, flanged mounted with a vertical solid shaft (VSS) design and have provisions for handling external momentary and continuous down and/or up thrust loads.
- **4.5.2** The motor vendor shall provide the following data to the purchaser:
 - a) Motor mass
 - b) Center of gravity as measured from the motor's flange face
 - c) Static deflection
 - d) Reed frequency
 - e) Preliminary dimension sheet indicating flange diameter and motor overall height
 - f) Lubrication type
 - g) Bearing L10 Life
- **4.5.3** The static deflection and reed frequency shall be provided in two 90° planes; in-line with the main terminal box and 90° from the main terminal box. Data may be extrapolated from similar previously built units. It is the

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responsibility of the purchaser to design a suitable foundation system that satisfies the motor vibration requirements.

4.5.4 When required, the non-reversing ratchet shall utilize either a ball-type or pin-type ratchet or a clutch and be rated for 30% of the motor rated torque or as specified on datasheet.

NOTE Non-reverse ratchets (NRR) depend on centrifugal force to disengage the rotating ratchet from the stationary ratchet. When the motor is driven at very low speeds, the centrifugal force may be insufficient to keep the ratchet disengaged and damage to the non-reverse ratchet may result.

4.5.5 Shaft extension runout shall not exceed 38 microns (0.0015 in) when measured at the end of the shaft extension.

NEMA Dimension – AK (N)		NEMA Dimension – AK (N)	
Dimension (mm)	Runout (mm)	Dimension (in)	Runout (in)
Below 305	0.05	Below 12	0.002
305 to 609	0.090	12 to 24	0.0035
610 to 1016	0.11	>24 to 40	0.0045
Over 1016	0.15	Over 40	0.006

4.5.6 Face and mounting rabbet runout levels shall not exceed the following:

4.5.7 Water cooling of bearings

4.5.7.1 When bearings require auxiliary water cooling, the oil reservoir shall be provided with a cooling coil whose ends are brought out to connections outside the bearing housing.

4.5.7.2 Cooling coil shall be continuous tube-type.

4.5.7.3 The tube and fittings shall be of copper, copper alloy, or austenitic stainless steel. Tubing shall have a minimum thickness of 1.25 mm (0.049 in.).

4.5.7.4 The motor vendor shall provide the minimum required and maximum allowable flow rate.

4.5.7.5 The purchaser shall indicate the cooling water type and minimum and maximum inlet temperature to allow for the motor supplier to supply the proper design.

4.5.7.6 The maximum allowable working pressure shall be 700 kPa (100 psig), unless otherwise specified.

5 Accessories

5.1 Terminal Boxes

5.1.1 Main power lead terminal box(es) shall be constructed of steel plate with a minimum thickness of 3 mm (0.125 in.). Minimum dimensions and usable volumes shall not be less than those specified in NEMA MG 1, Part 20 for Type II terminal housings, including a minimum distance of 508mm (20 in.) between the point at which the cable enters the terminal box and the cable termination point for 2300-4800V motors. Copper bus

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bars and standoff insulators shall be supplied and sized so that the bus does not exceed 90 °C (194 °F) total temperature at 125 % of motor full load current. Stand-off insulators shall be either porcelain or cycloaliphatic resin material rated for line-to-line voltage. Electrical insulating materials shall be nonhygroscopic.

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5.1.2 • Main power lead terminal box(es) shall be capable of withstanding the pressure build-up resulting from a three phase fault of the specified MVA (one-half cycle after fault inception) for a duration of 0.5 sec. If a rupture device is used to relieve pressure build-up, it shall not compromise the environmental rating of the box and the discharge from the pressure release shall be directed away from locations where personnel may be normally present.

Note Energy will still be supplied to a fault after the machine is separated from the system, due to excitation being maintained or due to the field decay time constant.

5.1.2.1 ● For motors fed from fused motor starters, the terminal box withstand capability shall be coordinated with the l²t (ampere-squared sec.) let-through energy specified on the datasheet.

5.1.3 For machines rated at 601 V and higher, accessory leads shall terminate in a terminal box or boxes separate from the machine's main power terminal box. However, secondary connections for current and voltage transformers and space heaters located in the main terminal box are permitted to terminate in the terminal box if they are separated from power leads or buses by a suitable physical barrier to prevent accidental contact and are accessible without removal of the main terminal box door or cover. For machines rated at 600 V and lower, the termination of leads of accessory items that normally operate at 50 V root mean square (rms) or less shall be separated from other leads by a suitable physical barrier to prevent accidental contact or shall be terminated in a separate box.

5.1.4 Terminal Box and Auxiliary Equipment Enclosure Construction

5.1.4.1 • Terminal boxes and auxiliary equipment enclosures shall be constructed per IP55 (NEMA 250, Type 4) at a minimum and be suitable for the area classification shown on the datasheets. When specified, auxiliary equipment enclosures shall be ISO 3506-1 and ISO 3506-2 or AISI 300 series stainless steel. Where the motor will be installed offshore on a production platform or similar marine installation, or when specified, AISI 316 material shall be supplied. Terminal boxes shall be arranged and be suitable for conductor entry as specified on the datasheets. Each terminal box shall be equipped with a breather and drain fitting. All auxiliary device wires shall be terminated on 600 V rated moisture resistant terminal blocks.

5.1.4.2 • Each terminal box shall have a bolted, gasketed cover that is arranged for convenient front access. If explosion-proof boxes are used, they shall conform to NEMA 250, Type 7 or IEC 60079-0 requirements. All vertical covers or doors having gasketed surfaces shall be provided with a drip shield at the top. The gasket material shall be impervious to attack by the specified lube oil or other chemicals noted on the datasheet.

- **5.1.5** Grounding for field wiring inside the terminal box shall conform to the requirements of NEMA MG 1, Section I, Part 4, IEC 60072-1 or IEC 60072-2.
- **5.1.6** When specified, the main terminal box shall be supplied with the following items as detailed on the purchaser datasheet:
- a) thermal insulation on the interior top side;
- b) space heaters in accordance with 5.4;
- c) provisions for purging;
- d) removable links;
- e) adequate space for termination of shielded cables [minimum of 508 mm (20 in.) for 2300-4800V motors];

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- f) quick disconnect type bushings or receptacles;
- g) arresters and surge capacitors (not applicable with ASDs);
- h) differential and phase current transformers;
- i) copper bus with silver or tin-plated bus connections;
- j) voltage transformers;

- k) copper ground bus;
- I) partial discharge sensors; and
- m) insulated terminations and interior jumpers.
- n) External ground pad that is drilled and tapped for a 12.0 mm (1/2 in. NC) thread bolt.
- **5.1.7** When surge protection is provided in accordance with 5.6.2, a low-impedance ground path shall be provided between the surge protection and the stator core. This low-impedance path shall be provided by running a copper conductor in parallel with the machine leads. The minimum conductor size shall be 107 mm² (4/0 AWG). This wire shall be as short as possible and have only gradual bends with a minimum bending radius greater than 10 cable diameters (where practical), and bond the stator core to the terminal box by means of compression fittings at the ground point as specified in 5.1.5.
- **5.1.8** When differential current transformers are provided in accordance with 5.6.3, the secondary leads shall be routed (in a workmanlike manner) away from high-voltage motor leads and protected by a physical barrier to prevent accidental contact. These leads shall be terminated at an appropriate shorting and grounding terminal block housed in an auxiliary box. The auxiliary box shall be accessible without removal of the main terminal box cover.
- **5.1.9** Wiring and terminal blocks in all terminal boxes shall be clearly identified. The method for marking the wiring shall be a stamped sleeve of the heat-shrinkable type. The terminal blocks shall be permanently and suitably labeled. Stator leads shall be identified in accordance with NEMA MG 1 or IEC 60034-8. Current transformer leads shall have polarity identification markings at the transformer and at the terminal block in the auxiliary terminal box. All wiring markings shall agree with the notations on the special nameplates required by 4.4.11.3.
- **5.1.10** All wiring shall have insulation that is suitable for the operating conditions specified in 4.1.2 and be impervious to the lubricating oil specified. All wiring shall be adequately supported and protected against physical damage.
- 5.1.11 Except as noted in 5.1.12, all accessory wiring outside the motor enclosure and junction boxes shall be run in rigid metal conduit or other purchaser approved means.
- **5.1.12** Liquid tight flexible metal conduit may be used as the adjacent component to connect to the auxiliary device to facilitate the installation, maintenance or removal of auxiliary devices. Where liquid tight flexible metal conduit is used, the length shall be less than 0.9 m (3 ft).
- **5.1.13** Conduit and cable entrances to auxiliary terminal boxes shall be in the back, bottom, or sides of the terminal boxes. The back is preferred for machine wiring, and the bottom is preferred for purchaser interface wiring. Entrances to boxes shall be through threaded openings or by use of suitable weather-tight hubs or

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cable glands. Low points in conduit systems shall be equipped with drain fittings to prevent accumulation of condensation. Fittings shall be suitable for the area classification.

- 5.1.14 Terminal heads or boxes (as specified) shall be supplied for bearing temperature detectors and the bearing vibration sensing units.
- **5.1.15** All power connection leads shall be terminated with two-hole, long barrel compression lugs with multiple crimps that are rated for the operating voltage of the motor and suitable for the cable. The lugs shall be sized so that they shall not exceed a total temperature of 90 °C (194 °F) when connected to their cable and landed on their associated bus.
- **5.1.16** Where both ends of each stator winding are brought out to the terminal box as required in 4.3.6, removable links shall be provided to allow access to each end of the phase windings. Each link shall be installed so that it can be removed without disturbing other parts and connections. The removable links shall be copper bus bars sized in accordance with 5.1.1 and have a minimum two-hole connection on each end. The bus bar used for removable links shall be insulated when the option for insulated terminations has been specified per 5.1.6 m). All removable link connection hardware shall be consistent with the internal current path hardware for the motor terminal box.
- 5.1.17 There shall be a maximum of two wires under any control or auxiliary wiring terminal. If a two-wire lug is used the lug shall have the appropriate size range for the conductors and be approved (labeled or listed) for the service. Where connections are made to box type compression terminals and wire sizes are 0.9 mm2 (#18 AWG) and smaller, crimp type pin terminals shall be used.
- **5.1.18** Analog signal wires shall be twisted pairs and routed or shielded to minimize interference from power conductors. All other classes of service shall be grouped together by service and voltage and physically isolated from each other.

5.2 Winding Temperature Detectors

5.2.1 Stator winding resistance temperature detectors (RTDs) shall be supplied.

5.2.1.1 • Unless otherwise specified, RTD elements shall be platinum, three-wire elements with a resistance of 100 Ω at 0 °C (32 °F). These elements shall have tetrafluoroethylene-insulated, stranded, tinned copper wire leads with cross sections at least equal to 0.4 mm² (22 AWG) in size. The leads shall meet the requirements of NFPA 70 or IEC 60079.

5.2.1.2 ● A minimum of three sensing elements per phase shall be installed in accordance with NEMA MG 1, Section III Part 20. When specified, one lead of each of these elements shall be grounded in the terminal box.

- **5.2.2** To prevent damage, the leads for all detectors shall be protected during manufacture and shipment. The vendor's drawings shall show the location and number of each sensing element in the stator winding and its connection point on the terminal strip.
- 5.2.3 RTD wiring shall not compromise winding end turn stress control arrangements.

5.3 Bearing Temperature Detectors

5.3.1 • Bearing temperature detectors (at least one per bearing) shall be provided in machines with hydrodynamic radial and thrust bearings. Detectors shall be installed so that they measure bearing metal temperature. Bearing temperature detectors shall be installed in such a way that they do not violate the integrity of the bearing insulation. Unless otherwise specified, RTD elements shall be platinum, three-wire elements with a resistance of 100 Ω at 0 °C (32 °F). These elements shall have tetrafluoroethylene-insulated, stranded, tinned copper wire leads with cross sections at least equal to 0.4 mm² (22 AWG) in size. The leads shall meet the requirements of NFPA 70 or IEC 60079. When redundant temperature detectors are specified,

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separate detectors shall be provided. Where separate detectors cannot be provided, dual element sensors may be used with purchaser's approval.

- **5.3.2** When specified, bearing temperature sensors shall be provided in accordance with API 670.
- NOTE 1 In certain bearing designs, API 670 requires temperature measurement in two locations (axially colinear).

NOTE 2 If redundant temperature detectors are desired, separate detectors are preferred. Where space is limited, the use of dual element sensors may be considered.

5.3.3 For vertical motors, one bearing RTD per thrust bearing shall be installed in the bearing housing at the outer race of the bearing(s), or if not practical, not more than 12.5mm (1/2 inch) from the outer ring race of the bearing(s).

5.4 Space Heaters

- **5.4.1** Unless otherwise specified, machines shall be equipped with completely wired space heaters brought out to a separate terminal box. Heaters with exposed elements are prohibited. The heater sheath material shall be suitable for the environment specified on the datasheet. The heaters shall be installed inside the enclosure in a location suitable for easy removal and replacement. Heaters shall be located and insulated so that they do not damage components or finish. Space heater elements shall not directly contact the surface of the stator winding, unless flexible silicone rubber insulated heaters specifically designed for the purpose are used on TEFC motors.
- 5.4.2 Space heaters shall be low power density, one or three phase with a frequency and voltage as specified, and shall have all energized parts protected against contact. Low dissipation space heaters shall be provided and wired using high temperature insulation lead material rated 200°C (392°F) or higher. Unless otherwise specified, surface temperatures of an unlabeled heating element and its supply wire shall not exceed 160 °C (320 °F). Unless otherwise specified, labeled heating elements shall be identified with a temperature code of T3 or lower temperature.
- **5.4.3** Space heaters shall be selected and mounted to meet the equipment reliability requirements of 4.1.1 and arranged so that heat is radiated from both sides to provide as equally distributed heating of the stator windings as possible. The heaters shall maintain the temperature of the machine windings at approximately 5 °C (9 °F) above the ambient temperature.

5.4.4 Terminal boxes or auxiliary equipment enclosures that contain space heaters or space heater power supply wiring shall have an externally visible, permanently affixed, cautionary label indicating potential hazards from power sources that may remain energized with the main power supply isolated. The label shall conform to ANSI Z535.4 or ISO 7010.

5.4.5 Space heaters in the main terminal box (if supplied) shall be provided with a physical barrier to prevent accidental contact with the heater element(s).

5.5 Screens and Filters

5.5.1 When airflow inlet and outlet screens are provided, see 4.4.10.5 for material requirements.

- **5.5.2** When specified, provisions for future airflow inlet filters in standard types and sizes shall be provided for Open Dripproof Guarded (DPG) and Weather Protected type I (WP-I) (IP23) enclosures. Filter requirements shall be in accordance with 5.5.4.
- **5.5.3** Airflow inlet filters in standard types and sizes shall be furnished in all machines having a Weather Protected type II (WP-II) enclosure or if specified for other enclosure types. Filter requirements shall be in accordance with 5.5.4.

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- **5.5.4** When filters are provided, they shall be of the reusable, cleanable type and shall meet the service requirements indicated on the datasheets. Filters shall be selected to remove 90 % of particulates 10 micron and larger or as specified on the datasheet. The entire filter element and assembly shall be constructed of AISI 300 series stainless steel.
- **5.5.5** When filters or provisions for future filters are provided, connections shall be furnished for an external sensing device to measure the pressure drop across the filters.
- 5.5.6 Air filters shall be designed to permit easy removal and replacement while the machine is running.

5.6 Alarms and Control Devices for Motor Protection

5.6.1 • Switches

Unless otherwise specified, alarm and control devices shall be equipped with single pole, double-throw switches with a minimum rated capacity of 10 amperes at 120 V AC and 125 V DC.

5.6.2 Surge Protection

5.6.2.1 ● When specified, surge capacitors shall be furnished. The capacitors shall be three individual single phase units. The surge capacitors shall be the last devices connected to the leads before the leads enter the stator. When partial discharge capacitive couplers are used, the couplers shall be the last device before the leads enter the stator. For motors supplied by an ASD, surge capacitors shall not be specified.

5.6.2.2 • When specified, metal-oxide surge arresters shall be furnished and shall be installed in the terminal box. For motors supplied by an ASD, surge arresters shall not be specified.

5.6.2.3 ● The connection leads to the capacitors and arresters shall be at least 107 mm² (4/0 AWG). Leads shall have only gradual bends (if any) and shall be as short as possible with the total lead length (line-side and ground-side combined) on each capacitor and arrester not to exceed 0.6 m (2 ft). The surge arresters shall be rated for the system voltage and the method of system grounding specified on the datasheets (see 5.1.7 for bonding requirements).

NOTE See Annex C, "Datasheet Guide" for assistance in determining the proper voltage ratings for surge capacitors and surge arrestors.

5.6.3 • Differential Current Transformers

When specified, differential protection current transformers shall be provided. The purchaser shall advise the vendor of the size, type, and source of supply of the current transformers (see 5.1.8 for installation requirements).

5.6.4 Partial Discharge Detectors

5.6.4.1 ● When specified, the vendor shall supply and install stator winding partial discharge monitoring equipment. The manufacturer and type shall be as specified by the purchaser in the datasheets. The installed system shall include sensing transducers, signal cables, interface equipment, termination devices, wiring, power supplies, and terminal boxes as required to provide a complete system. The system output shall be either raw signals, relay contacts, or processed data as appropriate to the particular system.

5.6.4.2 The sensing devices shall be mounted either in the main terminal box or in the stator windings as required by the particular system. Sensing devices that are energized at line potential shall be subjected to a minimum of 30 kV RMS for one minute for devices used on machines rated above 6.6 kV and at a minimum of 15 kV for one minute for machines rated 6.6 kV or less. Each device shall also be tested to have a partial discharge extinction voltage above 120 % of machine rated voltage with 5 pC sensitivity. The partial discharge test of the sensors shall be in accordance with ASTM D1868 or IEC 60270. All wiring from the sensors shall be routed along a conductive, grounded metal surface inside the machine and in rigid metallic conduit external to the machine.

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5.6.4.3 • The partial discharge coupling system shall be installed and wired in accordance with the system vendor's recommendations and terminated in a terminal box. Unless otherwise specified, the terminal box shall be mounted at an easily accessible location on an outside vertical surface of the main terminal box. The box shall contain either the output terminals from the sensors or the output device supplied by the system vendor. Output terminals shall be permanently identified. If the system requires an external power supply, the vendor shall supply terminals in the output terminal box for that power supply. Terminal boxes shall be grounded with a separate 16 mm² (#6 AWG) or larger copper wire and shall meet the requirements of 5.1.5 of this standard.

5.7 Ground Connectors

Visible ground pads shall be provided at opposite corners of the machine frame. A ground connection point shall be provided by drilling and tapping the frame for a minimum 12.0 mm ($^{1}/_{2}$ in. UNC) thread bolt.

5.8 Vibration Detectors

5.8.1 • Motors with hydrodynamic bearings and synchronous speeds greater than or equal to 1200 rpm, or when specified for other speeds, shall be equipped with noncontacting vibration probes and a phase-reference probe, or shall have provisions for the installation of these probes. Noncontacting vibration probes and phase-reference probes shall be installed in accordance with API 670. Shaft surface preparation in the probe area shall be in accordance with 4.4.5.1.7.

5.8.1.1 ● The leads of the noncontacting vibration probes shall be physically protected by the use of conduit or other purchaser specified means and shall be secured to prevent movement.

5.8.1.2 Oscillator-demodulators shall be located in a single dedicated terminal box attached to the machine frame. The box shall be mounted on spacers or an intermediate rigid mounting plate so that a spacing of at least 25 mm (1.0 in.) from the motor frame is provided for ventilation purposes. The spacers or mounting plate and associated hardware shall not be subject to corrosion in the specified atmosphere. The box mounting location shall be selected and arranged so that:

- 1) the oscillator-demodulators are not subject to ambient temperatures exceeding -35 °C to 65 °C (-30 °F to 150 °F);
- 2) resonances are avoided and minimal vibration is imparted; and
- 3) ease of access, best routing of cabling, optimization of conduit fittings, and the minimum amount of exposed surplus cabling are facilitated.
- **5.8.2** When specified, machines with hydrodynamic bearings shall have provisions for the mounting of four radial vibration probes in each bearing housing.
- **5.8.3** When specified, four radial vibration probes at each bearing housing shall be installed for machines with hydrodynamic bearings

NOTE Four probes (or provisions) can be specified when the probes cannot be accessed during operation and the machine cannot be stopped conveniently to change defective probes. Typically, two of the probes are connected to the oscillator-demodulators and the other two probes have their leads run to the oscillator-demodulator terminal box and are not connected, but held as spares.

5.8.4 Where hydrodynamic thrust bearings are provided, they shall have provisions for two axial position probes at the thrust end.

NOTE 1 Axial position probes are normally applied to monitor thrust loading and hydrodynamic thrust bearing conditions in vertical motors. Axial probes are occasionally used to monitor a rotor's axial vibration. On horizontal motors, axial probes are generally not applied because no thrust bearing is present and because axial

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probes used as vibration sensors will not generally accommodate the rotor's relatively large amount of axial motion. Noncontacting vibration systems are generally used on machines operating at speeds greater than or equal to 600 rpm with hydrodynamic radial bearings, and accelerometer systems are generally used on units with antifriction bearings that have high transmissibility of shaft-to-bearing force

5.8.5 • When specified, seismic vibration sensors or provisions for such shall be supplied in accordance with API 670.

NOTE Noncontacting vibration detectors are typically not used on machines 514 rpm and slower. Acceleration or velocity sensing devices can be considered for slower-speed applications where vibration monitoring is required.

6 Inspection, Testing, and Preparation for Shipment

6.1 General

- **6.1.1** Whenever the specification or purchase order calls for shop inspections and tests to be witnessed, observed, or performed by a purchaser's representative, the vendor shall provide sufficient advance notice to the purchaser before each inspection or test, including a list of tests to be performed with associated procedures and acceptance criteria. If inspections or tests are rescheduled, the vendor shall provide similar advance notice. At all other times the purchaser's representative, upon providing similar advance notice to the vendor, shall have access to all vendor and sub-vendor plants where work on or testing of the equipment is in progress. In each instance, the actual number of working days considered to be sufficient advance notice shall be established by mutual agreement between the purchaser and the vendor but shall not be less than five working days.
- 6.1.2 The vendor shall notify all sub-vendors of the purchaser's inspection and testing requirements.
- **6.1.3** The purchaser shall specify the extent of his/her participation in the inspection and testing.

6.1.3.1 "Witnessed" means that a hold shall be applied to the production schedule and that the inspection or test shall be carried out with the purchaser or his/her representative in attendance. For vibration, unbalance response, and heat run tests, this requires confirmation of the successful completion of a preliminary test. Preliminary test data shall be supplied to the attending observer within 24 hours after the testing is completed. Confirmation of pass or fail inspection or testing shall be supplied within 3 business days after the inspection or testing. Certified documentation of inspection or test results shall be recorded and supplied to the purchaser within ten business days.

6.1.3.2 "Observed" means that the purchaser shall be notified of the timing of the inspection or test; however, the inspection or test shall be performed as scheduled, and if the purchaser or his/her representative is not present, the vendor shall proceed to the next step.

If the purchaser or his/her representative is present for the observed inspection or testing, then the observance of that notified testing is allowed but not the authority to delay progression of manufacturing unless inspection or test fails. Preliminary test data shall be supplied to the attending observer within 24 hours after the inspection or testing is completed. Confirmation of pass or fail of inspection or testing shall be supplied within 3 business days after the inspection or testing. Certified documentation of inspection or test results shall be recorded and supplied to the purchaser within ten business days.

6.1.3.3 "Required" means that the paragraph in question applies. Confirmation of pass or fail of inspection or testing shall be supplied within 3 business days after the inspection or testing. Certified documentation of inspection or test results shall be recorded and supplied to the purchaser within ten business days

6.1.4 • Unless otherwise specified, all required test and inspection equipment shall be provided by the vendor.

6.1.5 During agreed factory visits, the purchaser's representative shall be granted permission to photograph the equipment in the scope of the Purchase Order at vendor and sub-vendor plants. Alternatively, the vendor

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may take pictures and provide them to the purchaser's representative before the representative leaves the plant.

6.2 Inspection

6.2.1 General

6.2.1.1 The vendor shall keep the following data available for at least five years for examination by the purchaser or his/her representative upon request:

- a) certification of materials (e.g. mill test reports on shafts, forgings, and major castings);
- b) purchase specifications for all items on bills of materials;
- c) test data to verify that the requirements of the specification have been met;
- d) results of all quality-control tests and inspections; and
- e) Final assembly clearances of rotating parts (e.g. air gap, bearing and seal clearances), when these measurements are taken .

6.2.1.2 Pressure-containing parts shall not be painted until the specified inspection and testing of the parts are complete.

6.2.2 • Material Inspection

6.2.2.1 General

When radiographic, ultrasonic, magnetic particle or liquid penetrant inspection of welds or materials is required or specified, the criteria in 6.2.2.2 through 6.2.2.5 shall apply unless other corresponding procedures and acceptance criteria have been specified. Cast iron may be inspected in accordance with 6.2.2.4 and 6.2.2.5. Welds, cast steel, and wrought material may be inspected only in accordance with 6.2.2.2 through 6.2.2.5. Regardless of the generalized limits in 6.2.2, it shall be the vendor's responsibility to review the design limits of the equipment in the event that requirements that are more stringent are necessary. Defects that exceed the limits imposed in 6.2.2 shall be removed to meet the quality standards cited as determined by the inspection method specified.

6.2.2.2 Radiography

6.2.2.2.1 Radiography shall be in accordance with ASTM E94 or ISO 5579 or the appropriate Parts of ISO 19232.

6.2.2.2.2 The acceptance standard used for welded fabrications shall be Section VIII, Division 1, UW-51 (continuous weld) and UW-52 (spot weld) of the ASME *Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code*. The acceptance

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standard used for castings shall be Section VIII, Division 1, Annex 7 of the ASME *Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code*.

6.2.2.3 Ultrasonic Inspection

6.2.2.3.1 Ultrasonic inspection shall be in accordance with Section V, Article 5 and Article 23 of the ASME *Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code* or CEN EN 10228-3 (for forgings) or ISO 17640 (for welded fabrications).

6.2.2.3.2 The acceptance standard used for welded fabrications shall be Section VIII, Division 1, UW-53 of the ASME *Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code*. The acceptance standard used for castings shall be Section VIII, Division 1, Annex 7 of the ASME *Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code*.

6.2.2.4 Magnetic Particle Inspection

6.2.2.4.1 Both wet and dry methods of magnetic particle inspection shall be in accordance with ASTM E709.

6.2.2.4.2 The acceptance standard used for welded fabrications shall be Section VIII, Division 1, Annex 6 and Section V, Article 25 of the ASME *Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code*. The acceptability of defects in castings shall be based on a comparison with the photographs in ASTM E125. For each type of defect, the degree of severity shall not exceed the limits specified in Table 7.

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Туре	Defect	Degree
I	Linear discontinuities	1
П	Shrinkage	2
Ш	Inclusions	2
IV	Chills and chaplets	1
V	Porosity	1
VI	Welds	1

Table
Table 7—Maximum Severity of Defects in Castings

6.2.2.5 Liquid Penetrant Inspection

6.2.2.5.1 Liquid penetrant inspection shall be in accordance with Section V, Article 6 of the ASME *Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code* or ISO 3452-1.

6.2.2.5.2 The acceptance standard used for welded fabrications shall be Section VIII, Division 1, Annex 8 and Section V, Article 24 of the ASME *Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code*.

6.2.2.6 Hydrostatic Testing

6.2.2.6.1 Pressure-containing parts of water-cooling circuits (including auxiliaries) shall be tested hydrostatically with liquid at a minimum of 1 ¹/₂ times the maximum allowable working pressure but not less than 138 kilopascals (20 lb per square in.) gauge.

6.2.2.6.2 The test liquid shall be at a higher temperature than the nil-ductility transition temperature of the material being tested. The hydrostatic test shall be considered satisfactory when neither leaks nor seepage is observed for a minimum of 30 minutes.

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6.2.3.1 During assembly of the lubrication system and before testing, each component (including cast-in passages) and all piping and accessories shall be inspected to ensure they have been cleaned and are free of foreign materials, corrosion products and mill scale.

6.2.3.2 • When specified for machines having externally circulated oil systems (e.g flood lubrication, pressure lubrication and hydrostatic jacking) with a rated pump capacity of 19 liters (5 gallons) per minute or more, the oil system furnished shall meet the cleanliness requirements of API 614.

6.2.3.3 ● When specified, the purchaser may inspect the equipment and all piping and accessories furnished by or through the vendor for cleanliness before final assembly.

6.2.3.4 The purchaser's representative shall have access to the vendor's quality program for review.

6.3 Final Testing

6.3.1 General

6.3.1.1 During a witness or observed test, the purchaser shall have the right to observe any dismantling, inspection, and reassembly of a machine due to expected or unexpected parts of the test.

6.3.1.2 The vendor shall provide preliminary data from final witnessed or observed testing within 24 hours of the completion of testing.

6.3.1.3 Tests shall be made on the fully assembled machine, using contract components, instrumentation, and accessories.

6.3.1.4 ● If a baseplate is supplied by the motor vendor, testing of the fully assembled motor shall include the baseplate when specified.

6.3.1.5 The vendor shall notify the purchaser not less than 5 working days before the date that the equipment will be ready for testing. If the testing is rescheduled, the vendor shall notify the purchaser not less than 5 working days before the new test date.

6.3.1.6 6.3.1.5.1 ● When specified, at least six weeks before the first scheduled test, the vendor shall submit to the purchaser, for his/her review and comment, detailed procedures for all tests including acceptance criteria for all monitored parameters. The following items (when applicable) shall be included in the test procedures.

- a) Types of tests (electrical or mechanical).
- b) Testing sequence.
- c) Detailed testing schedule.
- d) Guarantee limits (e.g. overall and filtered vibration levels, frequency and amplification factors of critical speeds, efficiency, noise levels, and stator temperature rise).
- e) Data measurements to confirm guarantee limits and proper operation of equipment components including but not limited to the following:
 - 1) power, voltage, current, power factor, full load speed, and torque;
 - 2) shaft and bearing vibration, unfiltered and filtered, and 1X phase angle for each probe;

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- 3) journal bearing temperatures;
- 4) stator winding temperatures;
- 5) cooling water flow and temperature;
- 6) temperature on air inlets and discharges;
- 7) lube oil flows, pressures, and inlet and drain temperatures for each bearing; and
- 8) all instrumentation and data points that are to be monitored in the field.
- f) Calculated lateral critical speed analysis.
- g) A complete set of test datasheets which are to be used during the testing.
- h) A listing of all alarm and shutdown levels.
- i) Calibration sheets for all switches, vibration probes, and oscillator-demodulators.
- j) General arrangement drawings.
- k) Residual rotor unbalance worksheet.
- I) List of the test equipment and data acquisition systems, including vibration measuring equipment, that will be used during the testing and how and when it was calibrated (or the calibration schedule).
- m) ♦ When a motor is tested in the factory with the project ASD or one of equivalent design, the following test conditions shall be included:
 - 1) the speeds and loads at which the tests are performed;
 - 2) measurement of the harmonic contents of the motor input voltage and current waveforms; and
 - 3) detailed data to determine that a comparable converter (ASD) will be used during the tests.

6.3.1.7 6.3.1.5.2• When the half-coupling assembly (including any mass moment simulator, if applicable) is installed in accordance with 4.4.9.4, the following vibration check shall be made. Without the half coupling mounted, the machine shall be properly installed on a massive foundation and run at a voltage suitable to maintain magnetic center until the bearing temperatures stabilize and a complete set of vibration data recorded. With the coupling mounted, the test shall be repeated. All data shall be within the limits given in Figure 2, Figure 3, Figure 4, or Figure 5 as appropriate. The magnitude of the vectoral change in the 1X vibration on the shaft and bearing housings shall not exceed 10 % of the vibration limits given in Figure 2, Figure 4, or Figure 5 as appropriate. If the vibration change or amplitude exceeds the allowable limits, the vendor and purchaser shall mutually agree on the appropriate corrective action.

NOTE 1 Excessive radial shaft runout can cause high vibration after a balanced coupling has been mounted on the rotor. Shaft extension radial runout is typically checked against the vendor's drawings prior to making any corrections.

NOTE 2 Annex J provides guidance and an alternative procedure if the purchaser and motor vendor agree to its use.

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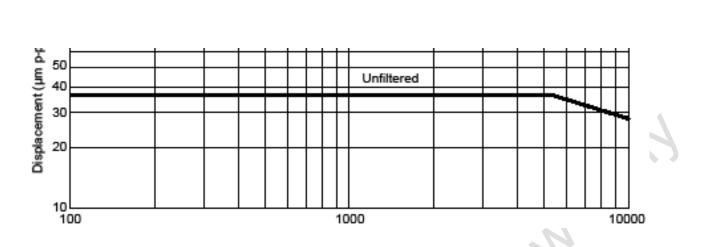
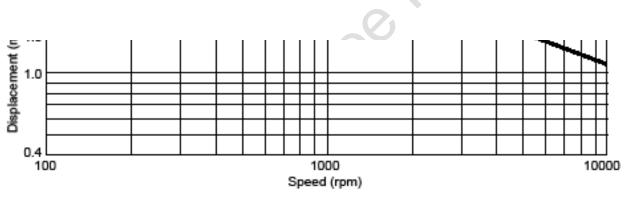


Figure 2—Shaft Vibration Limits (Metric Units, Relative to Bearing Housing Using Noncontact Vibration Probes) for All Hydrodynamic Sleeve Bearing Machines with the Machine Securely Fastened to a Massive Foundation



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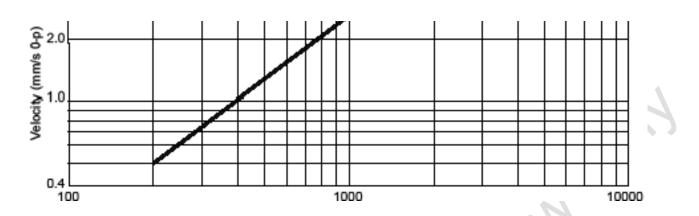
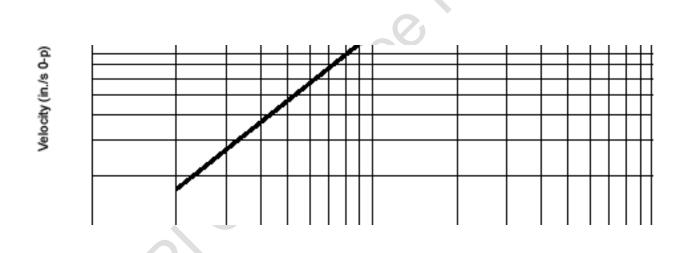
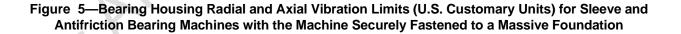


Figure 4—Bearing Housing Radial and Axial Vibration Limits (Metric Units) for Sleeve and Antifriction Bearing Machines with the Machine Securely Fastened to a Massive Foundation





6.3.1.6 Where applicable, all oil pressures, flow rates, and temperatures shall be measured and maintained within the range of operating values recommended in the vendor's operating instructions for the specific unit being tested. The lube oil used during testing shall be as specified on the datasheet.

6.3.1.7 During the mechanical running tests (where vibration data is being collected), the lube oil inlet temperature shall be adjusted to the maximum specified operating temperature.

6.3.1.8 Test stand oil filtration shall not exceed 10 μ m (0.0004 in.) nominal. Oil system components downstream of the filters shall meet the cleanliness requirements of API 614 before any test is started.

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6.3.1.9 All detection, protective, and control devices except current transformers, voltage transformers, surge capacitors, lightning arresters, and partial discharge couplers shall be tested to verify satisfactory performance. Devices not tested by the motor vendor as permitted in this clause shall have satisfactory test reports available from the device supplier.

6.3.1.10 During the running tests, the mechanical operation of all equipment being tested and the operation of the test and purchased instrumentation shall be satisfactory.

6.3.1.11 If replacement or modification of bearings or seals or dismantling to replace or modify other parts is required to correct mechanical performance deficiencies, the mechanical vibration and unbalance response tests shall be repeated after these replacements or corrections are made.

6.3.1.12 Internal or external oil leakage from the machine or contract components shall not occur during the tests. If oil leakage occurs, the testing shall be terminated and the necessary correction(s) made.. Additional testing sufficient to verify that the oil leak is corrected shall be performed.

6.3.1.13 The vendor shall maintain a complete, detailed log and plots of all final tests and shall submit the required number of copies to the purchaser. This information shall include but not be limited to data for electrical performance, winding temperatures, bearing temperatures, rotor balancing, critical speeds, vibration measurements taken over the operating speed range, and the vibration spectrums. A description of the test instrumentation and certified copies of the instrument calibrations shall be kept available for the purchaser's review.

6.3.1.14 All test results shall be certified by the vendor and transmitted to the purchaser in reproducible form.

6.3.1.15 ● When specified, before the start of testing, the vendor shall demonstrate the accuracy of test equipment and automated data acquisition systems. The calibration and maximum deviation from a recognized standard at all phase angles and anticipated frequencies and harmonics shall be demonstrated. A maximum deviation of no more than 0.5 %, including all voltage transformers, current transformers, test leads, shunts, voltage dividers, transducers, analog to digital converters, and computers that are part of the test set-up, shall be demonstrated. Every element of the test equipment setup shall be included in the accuracy demonstration.

6.3.1.16 Prior to any mechanical running test, a check for "soft feet" shall be made. After the machine has been aligned, shimmed, and firmly secured to the test base, a dial indicator micrometer oriented in the vertical direction shall be attached at the mounting foot to be checked. The micrometer is then zeroed, the mounting bolt or bolts loosened at the foot, and the change in micrometer reading noted. If the micrometer reading exceeds 0.025 mm (0.001 in.), the mounting requires cleaning or re-shimming. This soft foot check shall be performed at each mounting foot with the other feet secured until all micrometer change readings are less than 0.025 mm (0.001 in.). If there are intermediate bases, this check shall be performed at each interface between the machine and the test floor.

6.3.1.17 During the shop running test of the assembled machine, vibration measurements shall be made with the machine properly shimmed and securely fastened to a massive foundation or a test floor stand that satisfies the characteristics of a massive foundation (see Note 1 to 4.4.6.1.3). Elastic mounts are not permitted.

6.3.2 Routine Test

Each machine shall be given a routine test to demonstrate that it is free from mechanical and electrical defects. These tests shall be conducted and test results for all testing specified shall be provided to the purchaser in accordance with the applicable portions of API 541, NEMA MG 1, IEEE 112, IEC 60034-2-1, or IEC 60034-2-2. The tests shall include the following items.

- a) Measurement of no-load current (each phase).
- b) A determination of locked-rotor current by calculation.

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- c) An AC high potential test on the stator windings, space heaters, and stator RTDs. During testing of the stator windings, each phase shall be tested separately when possible with the other phases and RTDs grounded. Leakage current in each phase, ambient temperature, and humidity shall be documented. The end windings shall be observed during the test where access is practical. After reaching the test voltage level, the voltage and current shall remain stable (without rapid fluctuations) for the duration of the test. If an abnormality in the test occurs without an obvious failure, the vendor and purchaser shall jointly decide whether additional testing, inspection or repairs are required to demonstrate acceptable results.
- d) An insulation resistance test by megohimmeter and polarization index per IEEE 43 or IEC 60034-27-4. The insulation resistance measurement and polarization index shall be performed in accordance with Table 8 and on each phase separately when possible. (The polarization index is the ratio of the 10-minute resistance value to the 1-minute resistance value.) The minimum acceptable value for the stator winding polarization index is 2. The stator winding polarization index values shall be determined both before and after the high-potential test of the stator winding.

NOTE If the one-minute insulation resistance is above 100 G Ω , the calculated polarization index may not be meaningful since the leakage current is in the microampere range and too many factors can influence the measurement. In such cases, the polarization index may be disregarded as a measure of winding condition and the minimum acceptable value of 2 may not apply.

I Old i zation index			
Motor Voltage	Test Voltage		
<1000	500		
1000 to 2500	1000		
2501 to 5000	2500		
>5000	5000		

Table 8—DC Test Voltages for Insulation Resistance and Determination of Polarization Index

- e) Measurement of stator winding resistance, using a digital low resistance meter.
- f) Measurement of vibration (see 6.3.1.5.2 and 6.3.3).

g) A test of the bearing insulation per 6.3.5.7. Bearing insulation resistance shall be a minimum of 1 M-ohm as measured using a megohmmeter at a minimum 100 VDC test voltage for 1 continuous minute

h) A test of the bearing temperature rise. The motor shall be operated at no load for at least one hour after the bearing temperatures have stabilized. Stable temperature is defined as a change of not more than 1 °C in 30 minutes. The no load run shall demonstrate that bearing operation is without excessive noise, heating, vibration, or lubrication leaks. For vertical motors that cannot be run under no load conditions for extended periods, the supplier shall inform the purchaser.

NOTE: Refer to the NOTE following 4.4.7.1.5 c) for more information on running vertical motors under no load conditions. There are alternate methods to perform no load testing, such as utilizing shop jigs to provide a thrust load.

- i) Insulation resistance test of bearing RTDs and any other nonstator RTDs.
- j) Inspection of the bearings and oil supply (when furnished). After all running tests have been completed, the shaft journals and bearings shall be inspected by completely removing both the top and bottom halves of each sleeve bearing. The contact between the shaft journal and the bearing bore shall be a minimum of 80 % of the axial length

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and symmetrical with no edge loading or metal transfer between the shaft and the bearing. Where the lubricant is accessible, its condition shall be visually examined after the run.

- k) When specified before the tests are run, each bearing's journal-to-bearing clearance and bearing-shell-tobearing-cap crush and alignment shall be determined and recorded.
- When specified after the tests are run, each bearing's journal-to-bearing clearance shall be determined and recorded.
- m) Measurements of the machine air gap. Allowable limits are per 4.4.7.2.4.
- n) Shaft voltage measurements.

NOTE: Measurement of shaft voltage is not practical on some vertical motor designs, where both ends of the shaft are not accessible.

6.3.3 Vibration Test

6.3.3.1 For hydrodynamic bearing machines, electrical and mechanical runout of the probe track shall be determined with the rotor supported at the bearing journal centers by lubricated v-blocks, lunettes (hydrodynamic bearing segments), or other nondamaging means of support. The rotor shall be rotated through the full 360° while measuring runout with a noncontacting vibration probe and a dial indicator. Measurements shall be made at the centerline of each probe location and one probe tip diameter to either side. Alternative methods that determine out-of-roundness of the journal and track, concentricity between the journal and track, and electrical runout that achieve the above results are also acceptable. Measurements utilizing this method shall be taken at least every 10° of rotation. The acceptance criteria are specified in paragraph 4.4.5.1.6.

6.3.3.2 For hydrodynamic bearing machines, accurate records of electrical and mechanical runout for the full 360° at each probe location shall be included in the test report.

6.3.3.3 When non-contacting vibration probes or provisions are specified for hydrodynamic bearing machines, combined electrical and mechanical runout shall also be measured in the assembled machine with the rotor at slow roll speed (200 rpm to 300 rpm). The continuous unfiltered trace of the probe output shall be recorded for a 360° shaft rotation at each probe location. The rotor shall be held at its axial magnetic center during recording. The acceptance criteria for the combined total electrical and mechanical runout in the assembled machine shall not exceed 30 % of the allowed peak-to-peak unfiltered vibration amplitude. This runout data shall be used to compensate the shaft vibration readings filtered at running speed.

6.3.3.4 Vibration measurements shall be taken in the horizontal and vertical radial directions and the axial direction on the bearing housings. All shaft radial-vibration measurements shall be taken using noncontacting eddy-current probes when equipped with them or when provisions for noncontacting probes are specified. Where shaft noncontacting probes or provisions for probes are not specified, only bearing housing vibration measurements are required (see 4.4.5.1.6 for requirements at probe sensing areas). Shaft and bearing housing vibration data shall be recorded for unfiltered amplitudes and for filtered amplitudes at one half running speed, one times running speed (including phase angle), two times running speed, and one and two times line frequency.

6.3.3.5 Unfiltered and filtered radial and axial vibration, electrical input, and temperature data shall be recorded at 30-minute intervals during all mechanical running tests. If the vibration pulsates, the high and low values shall be recorded.

6.3.3.6 For two pole motors after the bearing temperatures have stabilized, filtered and unfiltered vibration readings at each position shall be recorded continuously for a period of 15 minutes. This data shall be

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continuously plotted or tabulated at 1-minute increments over the 15-minute period. If the vibration modulates, the high and low values of vibration and the frequency of the modulation shall be recorded.

6.3.3.7 •When specified, the purchaser may use his/her monitoring or recording equipment in conjunction with the vibration transducers mounted on the machine to record the dynamic behavior of the machine during testing.

6.3.3.8 All purchased vibration probes, transducers, oscillator-demodulators, and accelerometers shall be in use during the test. If vibration probes are not furnished by the equipment vendor or if the purchased probes are not compatible with shop readout facilities, then shop probes and readouts that meet the accuracy requirements of API 670 shall be used.

6.3.3.9 Shop test facilities shall include a computer-based data acquisition and reduction system with the capability of continuously monitoring, displaying, and plotting required unfiltered and filtered vibration data to include revolutions per minute, peak-to-peak displacement, phase angle, and zero-to-peak velocity. The data shall be submitted to the purchaser together with the final test report. In addition, an oscilloscope and spectrum analyzer shall be available.

6.3.3.10 The vibration characteristics determined by the use of the instrumentation specified in 6.3.3.4, 6.3.3.7, and 6.3.3.8 shall serve as a basis for acceptance or rejection of the machine.

6.3.3.11 If a vibration at a particular station and frequency and at full-load steady state temperature exceeds the limits of 6.3.3.12, and when specifically approved by the purchaser, the corresponding value taken at ambient temperature on the massive base and corrected for thermal effects shall be used as the criterion for acceptance. The method allows for "responsive amplification" due to the setup at the dynamometer. Following the full load run, the coupling shall be quickly disconnected. The motor shall be run with full voltage, and the vibration level at the particular station and frequency shall be recorded. This hot value shall be divided by the corresponding value in the same setup (at the dynamometer but uncoupled) but with the rotor at ambient temperature. This ratio shall be used as a multiplier to be applied to the corresponding value recorded on the massive foundation.

6.3.3.12 • During the shop test of the motor and while operating at rated voltage and rated speed or at any other voltage and speed within the specified operating speed range, the shaft displacement and bearing housing velocity of vibration shall not exceed the limits specified in 6.3.3.12.1 through 6.3.3.12.5. When a complete test (6.3.5.1) or a rated rotor temperature test (6.3.5.2) is specified vibration shall be within the filtered and unfiltered limits specified in 6.3.3.12.5 through 0.3.3.12.5 through the temperature range from the test ambient temperature to the total design temperature as tested per 6.3.5.1.1 item d. The hot vibration reading for the thermal vector test shall be taken at the completion of the test in 6.3.5.1.1.2 item d.

6.3.3.12.1 The unfiltered vibration limits for machines up to 3000 rpm rated speed shall not exceed 38.2 μm (1.5 mil) peak-to-peak (p-p) displacement. For machines with rated speeds in excess of 5300 rpm, the unfiltered vibration limit shall not exceed the values calculated by Equation (10) or Equation (11):

In SI units:

 $25.4 \times \sqrt{12,000/N} \ \mu m \ p-p$

(10)

(11)

In USC units:

 $\sqrt{12,000/N}$ mils p-p

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N is the maximum rated speed (rpm).

These shaft readings include a maximum allowance for electrical and mechanical runout in accordance with 6.3.3.1. The vibration limits are shown graphically in Figure 2 and Figure 3.

6.3.3.12.2 Shaft vibration displacement at any filtered frequency below running-speed frequency shall not exceed 2.5 μm (0.1 mil) or 20 % of the measured unfiltered vibration displacement, whichever is greater.

6.3.3.12.3 Shaft vibration displacement at any filtered frequency above running-speed frequency shall not exceed 12.5 μm (0.5 mil) p-p.

6.3.3.12.4 Shaft vibration displacement filtered at running speed frequency (runout compensated) shall not exceed 80 % of the unfiltered limit.

6.3.3.12.5 Bearing housing radial and axial vibration velocity shall not exceed, in total (unfiltered) or at an individual frequency, 2.5 mm/s (0.1 in./s) zero-to-peak (0-p) or the velocity calculated by Equation (12) and Equation (13), whichever is less.

In SI units:

 $2.5 \times N/1000 \text{ mm/s } 0\text{-p}$

In USC units:

 $0.1 \times N / 1000$ in./s 0-p

where

N is the maximum rated speed (rpm).

The vibration limits are shown graphically in Figure 4 and Figure 5.

NOTE 1 For total bearing housing radial or axial velocity limit, rpm = maximum rated speed. Individual vibration frequencies can be converted to the corresponding rpm, i.e. 120 Hz = 7200 rpm, 60 Hz = 3600 rpm.

NOTE 2 The intent of equations (12) and (13) is to limit the bearing housing displacement below 1000 rpm to 50 µm and 2 mils respectively. Often for machines rated below 1000 rpm, 1X is not the largest source of vibration.

6.3.3.13 The magnitude of the resultant vector (filtered 1X vibration) change from the cold point to rated temperature shall not exceed 15 μ m (0.60 mil) p-p for shaft vibration and 1.25 mm/s (0.05 in./s) 0-p for the bearing housing vibration. Annex E outlines a procedure for determining the resultant vector change.

6.3.3.14 For motors that do not comply with the vibration vector change limits in 6.3.3.13 or Annex E (see figure E.4) while remaining within the limits of 6.3.3.12, subsections 6.3.3.14.1 through 6.3.3.14.3 represent an alternate vibration acceptance criterion, which can be applied when specifically approved by the purchaser.

6.3.3.14.1 The vendor shall repeat the temperature test of 6.3.3.12.

6.3.3.14.2 Prior to starting the repeat temperature test and again after completing the repeat temperature test, the motor shall be cooled down to no load stabilized temperatures.

where

(12)

(13)

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6.3.3.14.3 The magnitude of the resultant 1X running speed vibration vector change between subsequent tests for the motor at no load temperature and for the motor at rated temperature shall be within 10 % of the allowable limits in 6.3.3.12. This is illustrated graphically by example in Annex E, Figure E.4.

6.3.3.15 The magnitude of the unfiltered horizontal vibration of any loaded structural member of the frame along the axis of the shaft centerline shall not exceed two times the limit given in 6.3.3.12.5 when operating at no-load, full voltage, and rated frequency. Measurements shall be taken on the outside of the machine at the loaded structural member of the frame. A loaded structural member of the frame is defined as one of the steel plates or structural sections that support the stator core in the case of box frames. For other designs, measurement points shall be agreed between the vendor and purchaser prior to the purchase order.

6.3.3.15.1 In small- or medium-size machines, all measurement points may not be accessible due to the location of conduit or accessory boxes that can block the required position of the sensor. In that case, if the location for the sensor on the opposite side of the motor is accessible, the frame vibration at the sensor location that is not accessible does not need to be measured. If neither sensor location is accessible, then the test shall be conducted with conduit or accessory boxes removed as required to provide access for the measurement.

6.3.3.15.2 For ASD driven units, it may not be possible to guarantee the above value across the entire speed range due to local panel resonances that can be present and affect the overall value at the measurement points. For such cases, an acceptance value shall be agreed between the vendor and the purchaser prior to the purchase order, and the vendor shall demonstrate that the frame has infinite fatigue life for the frequency where the peak vibration occurs.

6.3.3.16 While the equipment is operating at maximum continuous speed and a stable temperature, sweeps shall be made for vibration amplitudes at frequencies other than running speed. These sweeps shall cover a frequency range from 25 % of the running-speed frequency to four times the line frequency. Limits on individual frequency components are set in 6.3.3.12.1 through 6.3.3.12.5.

6.3.3.17 ● When specified, an electronic copy of the vibration data shall be provided in a format mutually agreed upon between the purchaser and vendor.

6.3.3.18 In-frame balancing shall require owner approval prior to order entry (or manufacturing). Any trim balancing shall require approval of the owner. If addition or modification of balance weights is approved, details of the change, including at a minimum the balance weight location and procedure of the balance addition, shall be documented and provided to the owner. A residual unbalance test (4.4.6.3.4 and Annex D) shall be performed after any trim balancing has occurred, even if the residual unbalance test was not selected on the datasheet. Trim balancing shall not be used to compensate for thermal bow, or other mechanical instability. Any balancing done after the start of testing shall void any prior vibration (6.3.3 and 6.3.5.3) or heat run (6.3.5.1.1 and 6.3.5.2.2) testing, and these tests shall be repeated.

6.3.3.19 ♦ The vibration limits for motors driven by ASDs are the same as for fixed speed units. The limits shall be met at all supply frequencies in the specified operating speed range. Complete shaft, bearing housing, and frame vibration data as specified in 6.3.3.4 and 6.3.3.15 shall be documented at the maximum operating speed plus other mutually agreed upon speeds that represent the normal operating or worst-case vibration conditions.

6.3.4 Stator Tests

6.3.4.1 • Stator Core Test

When specified, prior to insertion of the stator coils into the core, the stator core interlaminar insulation integrity shall be verified.

The test shall be performed by inducing flux in the stator to magnetize the core at rated flux density by placing coils through it in a manner similar to a transformer winding as described in IEEE 56 and IEEE 62.2. Rated flux shall be maintained for a minimum of 30 minutes while continuously monitoring stator temperatures with an infrared camera. There shall be no location (hot spots) on the stator core having a temperature greater than 5 °C (9 °F) above the

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adjacent core temperature. Adjacent core is defined as packs of laminations and teeth next to each other and separated by radial vents as shown in Figure 6. When radial vents do not exist, an adjacent core hot spot is defined as being within 6 cm (2.2 in.).

The rated flux and the watts loss per kilogram (watts loss per pound) of back iron at that flux shall also be recorded for reference purposes only and for comparison with other similar machines using the same test equipment.

NOTE The watts loss at any flux density varies with the frequency, harmonics and test equipment and will not necessarily be the same under different test conditions. However, comparison with data from other machines from the same manufacturer can help diagnose future problems.



Key 1. adjacent core 2. radial vent

Figure 6—Adjacent Core

6.3.4.2 Surge Test

For multi-turn windings, surge comparison tests shall be made of the turn insulation for each coil in the fully wound stator just before the coil-to-coil connections are made, at test levels and methods for uncured coils in accordance with IEEE 522-2004 Figure 1 or IEC 60034-15.

NOTE In designs where bar windings are used for the stator winding, a turn to turn surge test is not useful. Strand to strand tests (before the ends are connected) have been known to detect strand faults.

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6.3.4.2.1 • When specified, two additional stator coils for special surge tests of the main and turn insulation shall be manufactured at the same time as the complete stator winding. These coils shall be completely cured and tested as follows.

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a) The main insulation shall be subjected to three successive applications of a 1.2/50 µs impulse voltage and withstand a crest value of 5 PU on each of the three impulse tests. The impulse voltage shall be applied to both terminals of the coil conductor while the conducting surfaces of the simulated slot portions of the coil are grounded.

b) The test of the turn insulation shall consist of at least five successive applications at 3.5 PU within 1-minute intervals of voltage impulses having a rise time of 0.1 to 0.2 µs applied between the coil terminations. After successfully passing the test, the crest value of the voltage impulse shall be gradually increased until either the point of insulation failure or the limitation of the test equipment is reached.

NOTE Increasing the voltage to the point of failure is for informational purposes only. When a failure occurs, the cut described in 6.3.4.2.1 c) would typically be made at the location of the failure.

- c) At the completion of the tests, the sacrificial coils shall be cut into a minimum of three segments and be available at the test location to the purchaser or their representative on the same day the surge test is completed. Unless otherwise directed by the purchaser or their representative, the coil segments shall be cut from the following locations:
 - 1) from under the simulated stator slot plate;
 - 2) at the point where the coils transition out of the simulated stator slot plate; and
 - 3) at the start of the first bend.

6.3.4.3 • Power Factor Tip-Up Test

When specified, a power factor tip-up (tan-delta) test shall be performed on the completely wound stator in accordance with IEEE 286 or IEC 60034-18.

6.3.4.4 • Sealed Winding Conformance Test

When specified, motor stators shall be tested in accordance with NEMA MG 1, Part 20 by means of a water-immersion or spray test. These tests shall be in addition to all other tests.

At the completion of the test, the stators shall be rinsed and dried at which point any other required tests may be performed.

Any internal ionization or carbonization initiated during a failure of the test will weaken the insulation and shall be repaired. If the winding fails the AC overpotential test upon the second attempt, the winding shall be replaced at the discretion of the purchaser.

NOTE This test exposes certain parts of the insulation to stress levels that are in excess of what it sees during normal operation.

6.3.4.5 • Stator Inspection Prior to VPI

When specified, the fully wound and connected stator shall be inspected prior to VPI.

6.3.4.6 • Partial Discharge Test

When specified for machines rated 6 kV and greater, an off-line partial discharge test shall be performed on the stator windings, in accordance with Clause 10.2 of IEEE 1434-2014 or IEC 60034-27-1. Where possible, the tests shall be performed on each phase individually with the other phases grounded. Test voltage shall be 120 % of the rated phase-

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to-neutral voltage, and the test voltage shall be maintained for at least five minutes conditioning time. As a minimum, partial discharge inception voltage and partial discharge extinction voltage shall be recorded for each phase as well as the power supply frequency, temperature and humidity at the time of test. The vendor shall provide the purchaser with partial discharge test data of similar machines with the same insulation system for comparison. The acceptance criteria shall be mutually agreed upon between the vendor and purchaser prior to performing the tests.

NOTE 1 Partial discharge performance of insulation systems varies between vendors and specifying absolute levels is not presently considered appropriate. Of greater importance is that the performance of a particular machine's insulation system is consistent with the performance of similar systems from the same source. Significant variation in performance can be an indication of voids or other problems with the insulation.

NOTE 2 The performance of a particular machine's insulation system often improves after some time in service. Therefore, comparison of factory test results with site performance of an in-service machine will not necessarily provide an indication of the insulation system condition.

6.3.4.7 • External Discharge Test

When specified, an external discharge (corona) test shall be performed on the completed stator according to the line-to-line test per IEEE 1799 on each phase in turn with the other phases grounded. The test shall be performed using either a UV camera or a "blackout" test. Acceptance criteria shall be mutually decided between the purchaser and the vendor.

NOTE This test is typically useful on machines rated 6 kV and greater.

6.3.5 Special Test

6.3.5.1 Complete Test

6.3.5.1.1 • When specified, each motor shall be given the complete test described below [items a) through g)] in addition to the tests specified in 6.3.2. This test shall be documented and in accordance with the applicable portions of IEEE 112 and NEMA MG 1 or IEC 60034-2-1 and shall include the following items.

a) Determination of efficiency and power factor at 100 %, 75 %, and 50 % of full load and any other specified load point(s). The purchaser (in consultation with the vendor) shall specify which method given in IEEE 112 (e.g. Method B/B1—dynamometer, Method E/E1—electrical power measurement or Method F/F1—equivalent circuit calculation) or IEC 60034-2 shall be used in determining the performance data.

NOTE 1 When comparing competitive bids, it is necessary that all vendors quote efficiencies determined by the same method. Not all vendors have facilities for performing Method B/B1—dynamometer testing for large motors or Method E/E1-electrical power measurement. Alternate methods (e.g. Method F/F1) can be used by all vendors. The vendors should be consulted when the capability of test facilities is in question.

Efficiency determination method and supply frequencies of motors on ASDs shall be determined by mutual agreement between the purchaser and the vendor. Motors that are designed to be operated only on an ASD do not require tests in Items b) and f) below.

- b) Determination of the locked-rotor current, power factor, and torque.
- c) Determination of full-load current and slip.
- d) Determination of breakdown torque.
- e) A heat run (temperature) test of the motor at the maximum continuous rated service factor for a minimum of four hours or until the bearing and winding temperatures stabilize (whichever is greater). Temperature rise shall be in accordance with 4.3.1.1 b) including worst case allowances for any uncertainties associated with the test and temperature rise. Rated rotor temperature vibration tests necessary for determining rotor thermal stability per 6.3.3.12, 6.3.3.13, and 6.3.3.14 shall be included as part of the heat run.

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NOTE 1 The heat run may actually be a temperature test without a shaft-connected load. This would allow the use of dualfrequency or forward stall heat runs.

NOTE 2 Vertical motors may be tested in a horizontal mounting provided that airflow is representative of the actual vertical mount.

NOTE 3 When a vertical motor is tested using a horizontal dynamometer and the motor has high thrust bearings, the bearing(s) can be removed and a ball bearing installed to perform a loaded heat run test.

- f) A test for the determination of the speed-torque curve.
- g) Noise test in accordance with ASA S12.54 or ISO 1680 with the motor operating at no load, full voltage, rated frequency, and sinusoidal power.

6.3.5.1.2 • When specified, the motor's insulation shall be tested by means of a DC high-potential test to the maximum voltage listed in Table 9. The test procedure shall be to apply voltage in not less than four approximately equal steps, pausing one minute at each step and five minutes at the final voltage, taking 15 seconds to increase the voltage slowly at the beginning of each step. During the test, a micro ammeter shall be watched closely for the inception of any leakage-current advance and the results recorded at each step.

Motor Rated Voltage (Kilovolts) E	DC High-Potential Test Voltage (Kilovolts) (2E + 1)(0.75)(1.75)
2.3	7.4
2.4	7.6
4.0	11.8
4.16	12.2
6.6	18.6
6.9	19.4
13.2	36.0
13.8	37.5

Table 9—DC High-Potential Test Voltage Levels

6.3.5.2 Rated Rotor Temperature Vibration Test

• When specified for machines that do not receive the complete tests of 6.3.5.1.1, a heat run test in accordance with 6.3.5.1.1 e) shall be performed.

6.3.5.2.2 If the heat run test specified in 6.3.5.1.1 e) cannot be performed due to test stand limitations, the vendor shall submit complete details of an alternative test that permits measurements of vibration for at least four hours with the rotor reaching full load temperature.

6.3.5.3 • Unbalanced Response Test

When specified, satisfactory dynamic performance (see 4.4.6.1.1) shall be verified by attaching the machine to a massive foundation support and subjecting the machine to the following unbalanced response test. Special considerations may be required for super-synchronous machines (see Annex H). For critical speed considerations of motors operating above 400 rpm, the test shall be made with a mass moment that simulates the mass and center of gravity of all components supported by the motor shaft extension (e.g. motor coupling hub and half of the coupling spacer). The purchaser shall supply either a complete half-coupling mass moment simulator, or the contract motor coupling hub plus any additional mass moment simulator necessary to facilitate the preceding, or shall provide

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applicable half-coupling mass moment and center of gravity data to facilitate provision of a coupling mass moment simulator by the machine manufacturer. The test specified in 6.3.1.5 to check vibration with the half-coupling assembly installed shall be performed prior to the unbalance response test.

NOTE If the vendor provides the purchaser with a lateral critical speed study showing adequate separation margin and no significant effect on the separation margin by including the simulated mass moment, then the mounting of these devices may not be required. Adequate separation margin and no significant effect of the mass moment inclusion is defined as at least a 25 % separation margin and less than or equal to 2 % change when including the simulated mass moment. If the above is satisfied, then the physical inclusion of these devices for the unbalance response test may not be required if mutually agreed upon by the purchaser and vendor.

- a) A balanced coastdown shall be performed with the machine in balanced state. The machine shall be run to 120 % of its rated speed and then allowed to coast to rest. The shaft vibration and phase angle relative to the bearing housing and the bearing housing vibration shall be plotted vs. speed at increments of no more than 50 rpm and recorded for reference purposes.
- b) A deliberate unbalance of $4U_B$ per plane [see 4.4.6.3.3, Equation (5) or Equation (6)] shall be applied to the rotor. The weights shall be placed at the balance planes in-phase to excite the first lateral critical speed. In cases where the 2nd or higher order lateral critical speeds may encroach on the running speed range separation margin, the test shall also be performed with the weights placed at the balance planes 180° out-of-phase. In cases where an overhung mass is present (e.g. a fan or coupling) resulting in a bending mode with maximum deflections at the shaft end, the tests shall also be performed with unbalance weights placed on the coupling. The amount of unbalance to be added to the overhung mass shall be based on four times the allowable residual unbalance in the overhung mass (e.g. from API 671, the assembled coupling may be balanced to $40W_c/N$, where W_c is the weight of the coupling and *N* is the maximum continuous speed; in this case, the amount of unbalance to be added to the overhung weight of the overhung mass).
- c) The unbalance weights may be placed at any location on the balance planes or coupling. Each test also shall be repeated with the weights moved to new positions 90° from the original positions to determine the sensitivity of the rotor response to unbalance weight placement. The maximum response obtained shall be used as the acceptance criteria.
- d) The machine shall be run to 120 % of its rated speed with the unbalance weights attached and then allowed to coast to rest. The shaft vibration relative to the bearing housing shall be plotted vs. speed at increments of no more than 50 rpm and recorded. Machines shall meet the following criteria.

1) The 1X runout compensated shaft displacement relative to the bearing housing at any speed within the operating speed range or 15 % separation-margin limit shall not exceed the smaller of 1.5 times the vibration limit at the operating speed nearest the resonant speed of concern from 6.3.3.12.1 or 55 % of the minimum design shaft-to-bearing diametric running clearances.

If the 1X runout compensated shaft displacement relative to the bearing housing exceeds this limit, vector subtraction may be used to demonstrate compliance with the limit. For each speed increment within the separation margin speed range, subtract the recorded balanced coastdown vibration vector from the recorded unbalanced coastdown vibration vector. The magnitude of each

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unbalance response vibration vector shall not exceed the smaller of 1.5 times the vibration limit at the respective speed or 55 % of the minimum design shaft-to-bearing diametric running clearances.

In some instances, with the permission of the owner, it may be necessary to relax the requirement for the shaft displacement limit of 1.5 times the vibration limit at the operating speed nearest the resonant speed of concern from 6.3.3.12.1.

Alternatively, with permission of the owner, the 1.5 times limit may be used for the operating speed range and the 55% limit used for the separation margin.

NOTE: API 684 also uses vector subtraction as part of the unbalance response test procedure for turbines.

2) The shaft displacement relative to the bearing housing at any speed outside the operating speed range or separation-margin limits shall not exceed 80 % of the minimum design shaft-to-bearing diametric running clearance.

If the 1X runout compensated shaft displacement relative to the bearing housing exceeds this limit, vector subtraction may be used to demonstrate compliance with the limit. For each speed increment within the separation margin speed range, subtract the recorded balanced coastdown vibration vector from the recorded unbalanced coastdown vibration vector to create an unbalance response vibration vector. The magnitude of each unbalance response vibration vector shall not exceed the smaller of 1.5 times the vibration limit at the respective speed or 55 % of the minimum design shaft-to-bearing diametric running clearances.

NOTE 1: The purpose for the limits is to protect the machine while validating that the critical speed is outside the separation margins.

NOTE 2: Bearing clearances are the only limits applied outside of the separation margin.

e) For machines that do not comply with the separation margin of 4.4.6.1.1 and when specifically approved by the purchaser, a well-damped resonance (response) shall be demonstrated. The motor shall be run to 120 % of its rated speed with the unbalance weights attached as described in 6.3.5.3 a), 6.3.5.3 b), and 6.3.5.3 c) and then allowed to coast to rest. The 1X runout compensated shaft displacement over the entire speed range, from 0 % to 120 %, shall not exceed 1.5 times the vibration limit at the maximum rated speed from 6.3.3.12.1. (When specifically approved by the purchaser, Annex F may be used as alternate criteria for defining a well-damped resonance.)

6.3.5.4 Bearing Housing Natural Frequency Test

6.3.5.4.1 • When specified, bearing housings or end bracket supports shall be checked for resonance on one fully assembled machine (see 6.3.1.3) of each group of identical machines. The resulting response shall be plotted for a frequency sweep of 0 % to 400 % of line frequency. In order to eliminate the interaction between the bearing housings, the rotor shall be turned at a slow roll (200 rpm to 300 rpm). The response plots shall be made on each bearing housing in the horizontal, vertical and axial directions. The application of the excitation force shall be made in these same directions.

6.3.5.4.2 No significant resonance shall occur within ± 15 % of one and two times running speed, ± 15 % of one and two times line frequency, or between 40 % and 60 % of running speed as required by 4.4.2.1. A significant resonance is defined as a peak that lies within 6 dB in amplitude (acceleration) of the fundamental bearing housing resonance in the particular direction being tested. The frequency range may be expanded in order to determine the

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fundamental bearing housing resonance in the direction of the excitation. Percentages are based upon one times running speed and electric line frequency.

6.3.5.4.3 • On adjustable speed machines where the criteria in 6.3.5.4.2 cannot be satisfied, the vendor shall propose an alternate method in the proposal to verify that the natural frequency of the bearing housing will not be excited within the operating speed range. The purchaser shall approve this method.

6.3.5.5 • Heat Exchanger Performance Verification Test

When specified for machines with TEWAC heat exchangers, the performance of the heat exchanger shall be demonstrated. The test shall be conducted during a heat run of at least four hours with the cooling water flow and temperature maintained as close as practical to rated conditions while the machine is operating as close as practical to rated voltage, current, and frequency. During this test, all pertinent mechanical, electrical, temperature, and flow rate data shall be recorded. The heat exchanger air outlet temperature shall not exceed the specified value, usually 40 °C. If the heat exchanger test at rated conditions is not possible due to either the machine size or the test facility capabilities, the vendor and purchaser shall jointly develop a test method to satisfactorily demonstrate the heat exchanger performance.

If a complete test is specified, this heat exchanger test may be performed in conjunction with the heat run required as part of the complete test.

6.3.5.6 **♦** • Overspeed Test

When specified, the motor shall be run for two minutes at the overspeed listed in NEMA MG 1, Part 20; IEC 60034-1; or to the specified trip speed (including overshoot) of the connected equipment (whichever is greater). The magnitude of the vectorial change in the 1X vibration on the shaft and bearing housings, when operated at running speed after the overspeed test shall not exceed 10 % of the vibration limits given in Figure 2, Figure 3, Figure 4, or Figure 5 as appropriate. If the vibration change or amplitude exceeds the allowable limits, the vendor and purchaser shall mutually agree on the appropriate corrective action. For machines driven by ASDs, the purchaser and vendor shall mutually decide the overspeed capability.

6.4 Preparation for Shipment

6.4.1 • Each unit shall be suitably prepared for the type and mode of shipment specified. Preparation for shipment shall be performed after all testing and inspection have been completed and the purchaser has released the equipment for shipment. The vendor shall provide the purchaser with the instructions necessary to preserve the integrity of the storage preparation after the equipment arrives at the job site and prepare the motor for start-up. One copy of the vendor's standard installation instructions shall be packed and shipped with the equipment.

NOTE If the motor is being delivered to an intermediate destination (e.g. prime equipment supplier for base mounting, pre-alignment or other fit up), additional information can be provided to communicate proper motor preservation.

a) Exterior surfaces (except for machined surfaces or corrosion resistant material) shall be coated with the vendor's standard paint. Exposed shafts and shaft couplings shall be wrapped with an easily removed waterproof coating or wrapping. Bearing assemblies shall be fully protected from the entry of moisture and dirt. Machined surfaces and exposed threads of soleplates and baseplates shall be suitably protected for shipping and storage.

After thorough cleaning, internal areas of bearings and auxiliary equipment shall be coated with a suitable oil-soluble rust preventive

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- c) For shipping purposes, flanged openings shall be provided with metal closures at least 5.0 mm (³/16 in.) thick, with synthetic rubber gaskets and at least four full-diameter bolts.
- d) For shipping purposes, threaded openings shall be provided with steel caps or solid-shank steel plugs. Nonmetallic threaded plugs may only be used for terminal box openings.
- e) The equipment shall be mounted on a rigid skid or base suitable for handling by forklift, truck, or crane. This skid shall extend beyond all surfaces of the machine.
- f) Lifting points and lifting lugs shall be clearly marked. Each machine shall be properly identified with item and serial numbers. Material shipped in separate crates shall be suitably identified with securely affixed, corrosion-resistant metal tags indicating the item and serial number of the equipment for which it is intended. The recommended lifting arrangement shall be identified on boxed equipment.
- g) If vapor-phase-inhibitor crystals in bags are installed in large cavities to absorb moisture, the bags shall be attached in an accessible area for ease of removal. Where applicable, bags shall be installed in wire cages attached to flanged covers, and corrosion-resistant tags attached with stainless steel wire shall indicate bag locations.
- h) The fit-up and assembly of machine-mounted piping, coolers, terminal boxes, and other equipment shall be completed in the vendor's shop before shipping, unless specifically approved otherwise by the purchaser. Auxiliary piping connections furnished on the purchased equipment shall be impression stamped or permanently tagged to agree with the vendor's connection table or general arrangement drawing. Service and connection designations shall be indicated. Components (both individual pieces and packaged sets) shipped with mounted preassembled piping, tubing, or wiring shall comply with the requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA).
- i) Machines that are disassembled for shipment or storage shall be provided with marine type plywood over all openings and sloped for proper watershed when protected with exterior covering.
- j) The rotor shall be secured to prevent axial and radial movement, The securing material shall be clearly marked for removal.
- When specified or when required by machine size, configuration, or method of transportation, the normal running bearings shall be removed and shipped in protective crates, and the machine shall be equipped with special bearings for shipment.
- I) Space heater leads shall be accessible without disturbing the shipping package and shall be suitably tagged for easy identification.
- I) m) Each bearing that is shipped with a temporary shipping liner shall be clearly identified with a tag.
- 6.4.2 When specified, the preparation shall make the equipment suitable for at least six months of outdoor storage from the time of shipment and shall include 6.4.1 a) through 6.4.1 l) as required.

6.4.3 Instructions for removal of bracing, blocking and other shipping preparations (refer to 6.4.1) shall be provided. Instructions shall also be provided to properly repackage the motor if it has been delivered to an intermediate destination (e.g. prime equipment supplier for base mounting, pre alignment or other fit up).

NOTE This information can be provided on motor drawings, in the instruction manual, or in supplementary shipping documentation.

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7 Guarantee and Warranty

The details of the guarantee and warranty shall be developed jointly by the purchaser and vendor subsequent to submission of the proposal and supporting documentation included in the contract documents.

8 Vendor's Data

8.1 General

- **8.1.1** The purchaser may specify the content of proposals, meeting frequency and vendor data content/format identified in Annex I. Annex I provides a general outline of information that potentially may be requested by the purchaser.
- **8.1.2** If specified, the information in Annex I shall be provided.
- 8.1.3 If specified, the vendor shall complete the Vendor Drawing and Data Requirements (VDDR) Form (see Annex B) detailing the schedule of transmission of drawings, curves, and data as agreed to at the time of the order, as well as the number and type of copies required by the purchaser.
- **8.1.4** The vendor shall provide a specific statement that the complete machine and all auxiliary equipment are in strict accordance with this standard. If the machine and auxiliary equipment are not in strict accordance, the vendor shall include a specific list that details and explains each exception. Exceptions may include alternative designs or systems equivalent to and rated for the specific duties.

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Annex A (Informative)

Induction Motor Datasheets

This annex comprises data sheets for induction motors purchased to API 541, Sixth edition. There are two sets of sheets, one for metric units and one for USC Units.

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Description of Deliverable	With Proposal	For Information	For Review	As Built
General machine documents and drawings		+ (1		
Performance curves (I.2.3.5)				
List of recommended spare parts (I.2.3.3.e)				
Tabulation of utility requirements (I.2.3.3.h)				
Completed API 541 datasheets (I.2.3.2 and I.3.8.1)	N			
Life-cycle cost analysis (I.2.3.4)				
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Manuals				
Installation manual (I.3.7.2)				
Operating and maintenance manual (I.3.7.2)				
General order documents				
Fabrication and production schedule				
Inspection and test plan (ITP)				
Factory documents				
Final test report				
Complete set of Assembly Photographs (see I.3.7.3.3)				
Complete NRTL certification (see I.3.7.3.4)				
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Datasheet Guide

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Procedure for Determination of Residual Unbalance

D.1 General

This annex describes the procedure to be used to determine residual unbalance in machine rotors. Although some balancing machines may be set up to read out the exact amount of unbalance, the calibration can be in error. The only sure method of determining is to test the rotor with a known amount of unbalance.

D.2 Residual Unbalance

Residual unbalance is the amount of unbalance remaining in a rotor after balancing. Unless otherwise specified, residual unbalance shall be expressed in g-mm (oz-in.).

D.3 Maximum Allowable Residual Unbalance

D.3.1 The maximum allowable residual unbalance, per plane, shall be calculated according to the paragraph from the standard to which this annex is attached.

D.3.2 The static weight on each journal shall be determined by physical measurement. (Calculation methods may introduce errors.) It should NOT simply be assumed that rotor weight is equally divided between the two journals. There can be great discrepancies in the journal weight to the point of being very low. In the example problem, the left plane has a journal weight of 530.7 kg (1170 lb). The right plane has a journal weight of 571.5 kg (1260 lb).

D.4 Residual Unbalance Check

D.4.1 General

D.4.1.1 When the balancing machine readings indicate that the rotor has been balanced within the specified tolerance, a residual unbalance check shall be performed before the rotor is removed from the balancing machine.

D.4.1.2 To check the residual unbalance, a known trial weight is attached to the rotor sequentially in six equally spaced radial positions (60° apart), each at the same radius (e.g. same moment). The check is run at each balance machine readout plane, and the readings in each plane are tabulated and plotted on the polar graph using the procedure specified in D.4.2.

D.4.2 Procedure

D.4.2.1 Select a trial weight and radius that shall be equivalent to between one and two times the maximum allowable residual unbalance [e.g. if U_{max} is 488.4 g-mm (0.68 oz-in.), the trial weight should cause 488.4 g-mm to 976.8 g-mm (0.682 oz-in. to 1.36 oz-in.) of unbalance]. This trial weight and radius should be sufficient so that the resulting plot in D.4.2.5 encompasses the origin of the polar plot.

D.4.2.2 Starting at a convenient reference plane (e.g. last heavy spot), mark off the specified six radial positions (60° increments) around the rotor. Add the trial weight near the last known heavy spot for that plane. Verify that the balance machine is responding and is within the range and graph selected for taking the residual unbalance check.

D.4.2.3 Verify that the balancing machine is responding reasonably (e.g. no faulty sensors or displays, if the trial weight

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is added to the last known heavy spot, the first meter reading should be at least twice as much as the last reading taken before the trial weight was added). Little or no meter reading generally indicates that the rotor was not balanced to the correct tolerance, the balancing machine was not sensitive enough, or that a balancing machine fault exists (e.g. a faulty pickup). Proceed if this check is OK.

D.4.2.4 Remove the trial weight and rotate the trial weight to the next trial position (e.g. 60°, 120°, 180°, 240°, 300°, and 360° from the initial trial weight position). Repeat the initial position as a check for repeatability on the Residual Unbalance Worksheet. All verification shall be performed using only one sensitivity range on the balance machine.

D.4.2.5 Plot the balancing machine amplitude readout versus angular location of trial weight (NOT balancing machine phase angle) on the Residual Unbalance Worksheet and calculate the amount of residual unbalance (refer to Figure D.3 and Figure D.5 worksheets).

NOTE The maximum reading occurs when the trial weight is placed at the rotor's remaining heavy spot; the minimum reading occurs when the trial weight is placed opposite the rotor's heavy spot (light spot). The plotted readings should form an approximate circle around the origin of the polar chart. The balance machine angular location readout should approximate the location of the trial weight. The maximum deviation (highest reading) is the heavy spot (represents the plane of the residual unbalance). Blank worksheets are Figure D.1 and Figure D.2.

D.4.2.6 Repeat the steps described in D.4.2.1 through D.4.2.5 for each balance machine readout plane. If the specified maximum allowable residual unbalance has been exceeded in any balance machine readout plane, the rotor shall be balanced more precisely and checked again. If a balance correction is made in any balance machine readout plane, then the residual unbalance check shall be repeated in all balance machine readout planes.

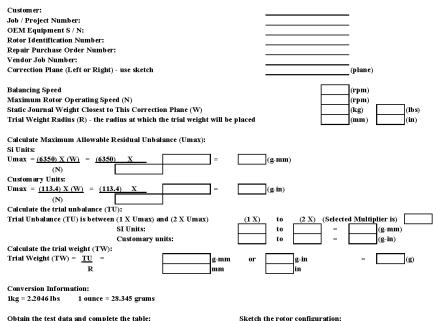
D.4.2.7 For stacked component balanced rotors, a residual unbalance check shall be performed after initial balancing of the basic rotor including windings, after the addition of the next rotor component, and at the completion of balancing of the entire rotor, as a minimum.

NOTE 1 This ensures that time is not wasted and rotor components are not subjected to unnecessary material removal in attempting to balance a multiple component rotor with a faulty balancing machine.

NOTE 2 For large multi-stage rotors, the journal reactions may be considerably different from the case of a partially stacked to a completely stacked rotor.

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Obtain the test data and complete the table:

Test Data

	<u>rest Data</u>		
Position	Trial Weight	Balancing Mach Readout	
	Angular Location	Amplitude	Phase Angle
	on Rotor (degrees)	(grams)	(degrees)
1	0		
2	60		
3	120		
4	180		
5	240		
6	300		
Repeat 1	0		

PROCEDURE:

- Step 1: Plot the balancing machine amplitude versus trial weight angular location on the polar chart (Figure D.2) such that the largest and smallest values will fit.
- The points located on the Polar Chart should closely Step 2: approximate a circle. If it does not, then it is probably that the recorded data it is in error and the test should be repeated.
- Step 3: Determine the maximum and minimum balancing machine amplitude readings .
- Using the worksheet (Figure D.2), determine the Y and Z values required for the residual Step 4: unbalance calculation.
- Step 5: $Using \ the \ worksheet \ (Figure \ D.2), \ calculate \ the \ residual \ unbalance \ remaining \ in \ the \ rotor.$
- Step 6: Verify that the determined residual unbalance is equal to or less than the maximum allowable residual unbalance (Umax).

NOTES:

- 1) The trial weight angular location should be referenced to a keyway or some other permanent marking on the rotor. The preferred location is the location of the once-per-revolution mark (for the phase reference transducer).
- 2) The balancing machine amplitude readout for the Repeat of 1 should be the same as Position 1, indicating repeatability.
- 3) A primary source for error is not maintaining the same radius for each trial weight location. Balanced By-Date: Date:

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Approved By:	

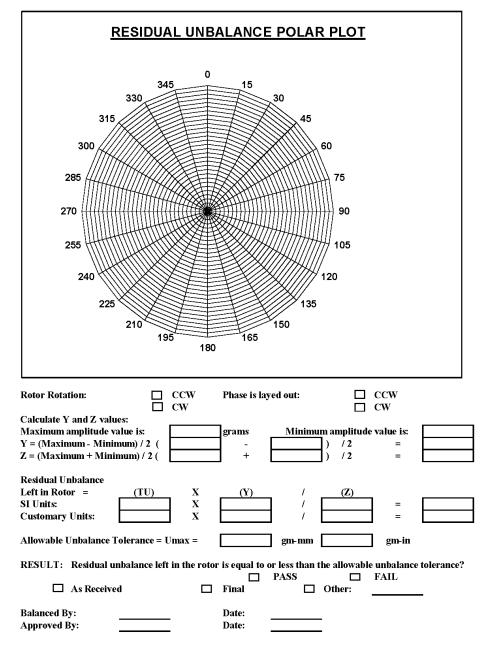
HALF KEYS USED FOR ROTOR BALANCING

Location	Weight

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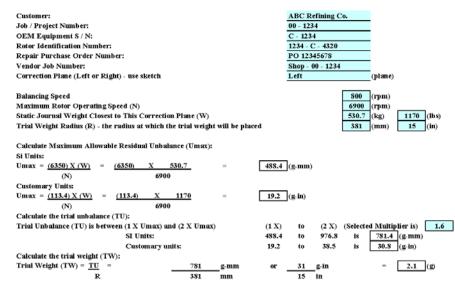
Rotor Sketch





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Conversion Information: 1kg = 2.2046 lbs 1 ounce = 28.345 grams

Obtain the test data and complete the table:

<u>Test Data</u>

Position	Trial Weight	Balancing Mach Readout	
	Angular Location	Amplitude	Phase Angle
	on Rotor (degrees)	(grams)	(degrees)
1	0	1.60	358
2	60	1.11	59
3	120	1.58	123
4	180	2.21	182
5	240	3.00	241
6	300	2.30	301
Repeat 1	0	1.58	359

PROCEDURE:

- Step 1: Plot the balancing machine amplitude versus trial weight angular location on the polar chart (Figure D.2) such that the largest and smallest values will fit.
- Step 2: The points located on the Polar Chart should closely approximate a circle. If it does not, then it is probably that the recorded data it is in error and the test should be repeated.

Step 3: Determine the maximum and minimum balancing machine amplitude readings .

Using the worksheet (Figure D.2), determine the Y and Z values required for the residual Step 4: unbalance calculation.

Step 5:

Using the worksheet (Figure D.2), calculate the residual unbalance remaining in the rotor. Step 6: Verify that the determined residual unbalance is equal to or less than the maximum allowable residual unbalance (Umax).

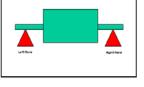
NOTES:

- 1) The trial weight angular location should be referenced to a keyway or some other permanent marking on the rotor. The preferred location is the location of the once-per-revolution mark (for the phase reference transducer).
- 2) The balancing machine amplitude readout for the Repeat of 1 should be the same as Position 1, indicating repeatability.

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3) A primary source for error is not maintaining the same radius for each trial weight location.

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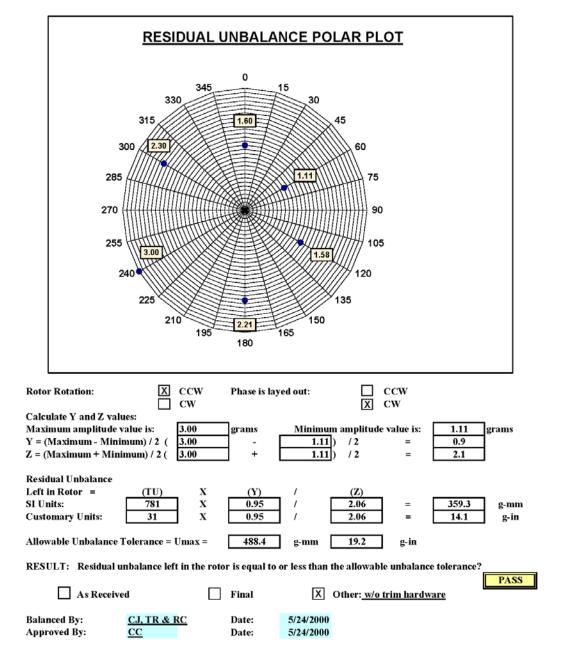
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Rotor Sketch

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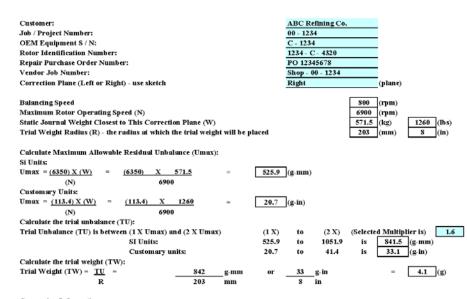
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Job / Project Number:	00 - 1234
OEM Equipment S / N:	C - 1234
Rotor Identification Number:	1234 - C - 4320
Repair Purchase Order Number:	PO 12345678
Vendor Job Number:	Shop - 00 - 1234
Correction Plane (Left or Right) - use sketch	Left (plane)



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Conversion Information: 1 kg = 2.2046 lbs 1 ounce = 28.345 grams

Obtain the test data and complete the table:

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Sketch the rotor configuration:

Rotor Sketch

Test Data Position Trial Weight Balancing Mach Readout Angular Location Amplitude Phase Angle on Rotor (degrees) (grams) (degrees) 4.60 1 0 3 60 4.20 58 2 121 3 120 4.70 4 180 5.20 180 5 240 5.80 235 6 300 5.10 301

PROCEDURE:

Repeat 1

Step 1: Plot the balancing machine amplitude versus trial weight angular location on the polar chart (Figure D.2) such that the largest and smallest values will fit.

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- Step 2: The points located on the Polar Chart should closely approximate a circle. If it does not, then it is probably that the recorded data it is in error and the test should be repeated.
- Step 3: Determine the maximum and minimum balancing machine amplitude readings .
- Using the worksheet (Figure D.2), determine the Y and Z values required for the residual Step 4: unbalance calculation

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- Step 5: Using the worksheet (Figure D.2), calculate the residual unbalance remaining in the rotor.
- Verify that the determined residual unbalance is equal to or less than the maximum allowable Step 6: residual unbalance (Umax).

NOTES:

- 1) The trial weight angular location should be referenced to a keyway or some other permanent marking on the rotor. The preferred location is the location of the once-per-revolution mark (for the phase reference transducer).
- 2) The balancing machine amplitude readout for the Repeat of 1 should be the same as Position 1, indicating repeatability.
- 3) A primary source for error is not maintaining the same radius for each trial weight location.

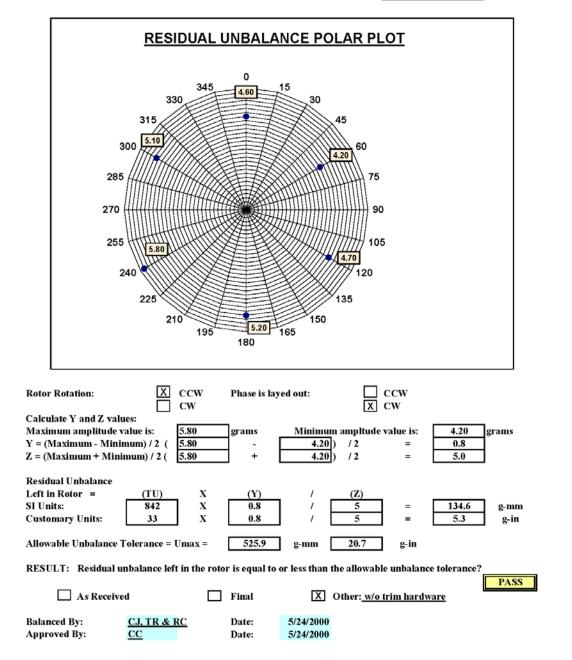
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HALF KEYS USED FOR ROTOR BALANCING (add sketch for clarification if necessary)

Location	Weight

Customer: Job / Project Number: OEM Equipment S / N: Rotor Identification Number: Repair Purchase Order Number: Vendor Job Number: Correction Plane (Left or Right) - use sketch

ABC Refining Co.	
00 - 1234	
C - 1234	
1234 - C - 4320	
PO 12345678	
Shop - 00 - 1234	
Right	(plane)



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Annex E (informative)

Procedure and Guidance for Determining the Allowable Resultant Vector Change During a Heat Run Test

The purpose of this procedure is to verify that the rotor has minimal movement of the squirrel cage winding, laminations, and rotor end rings. Some small amount of change in vibration will always occur because of the movement of the rotor components when the rotor is heated from cold to the running condition.

This procedure is used to verify that the amount of movement of the rotor components is acceptable and repeatable. It also describes further tests that can be performed, at the purchasers' option, to establish repeatability when the motor does not meet the requirements. Other methods are available to demonstrate thermal stability and should be agreed to by the purchaser prior to accepting the motor.

Vectors are used to represent the amount of vibration that this procedure describes. A vector is a measure of a quantity that has both magnitude and direction or phase angle. In vibration analysis, vectors are used to represent vibration quantities and their relative location, expressed in degrees, with respect to a reference point on the shaft that supports the rotor. The point of reference for the vector orientation is usually the keyway or another fixed point on the shaft (e.g. reflective tape).

In each of the polar plots shown below, the arrow of the cold vibration vector represents the starting point and magnitude of the vibration vector at the beginning of the heat run test. The cold point is achieved when the bearing temperature has stabilized at the no load condition. The arrow of the hot vibration vector represents the end of the heat run test. The resultant vector represents the change from the cold vibration to hot vibration.

The vibration vectors in the following figures are filtered at one times running speed and represent the fundamental frequency of vibration.

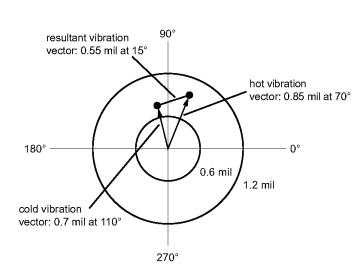
The vibration vectors are represented using a polar plot format. In such a format the angle of displacement from the reference point on the shaft starts at 0° in the first quadrant and encompasses 360° in the counterclockwise direction. The magnitude of the vector starts at zero at the origin of the plot and increases as the vector length increases from the origin.

This procedure can only be used when the motor is tested with noncontact radial vibration probes.

A plot for each probe shall be performed to verify that compliance with this specification has been achieved.

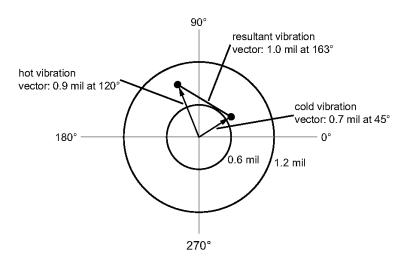
For most machines, the maximum amount of vibration that is allowed is 1.2 mil displacement filtered at running speed frequency and the maximum vector change allowed from cold to hot is 0.6 mil. See 6.3.3.12, 6.3.3.13, and 6.3.3.14 in the standard for more information.

All of the following examples are presented with the vibration vectors in the first and second quadrant of the polar plot for purpose of explanation only. In practical applications, the vibration vectors may be in any quadrant, and providing the values are acceptable, compliance with the requirement has been achieved.





Example of a polar plot of the relationship of cold to hot vibration complying with the requirements of 6.3.3.13. This example is acceptable because the vibration is always less than 1.2 mil and the resultant vector change is less than 0.6 mil.





Example of a polar plot of the relationship of cold to hot vibration not complying with the requirements of 6.3.3.13. The example demonstrates lack of compliance because the resultant vector change of 1.0 mil exceeds the 0.6 mil limit.

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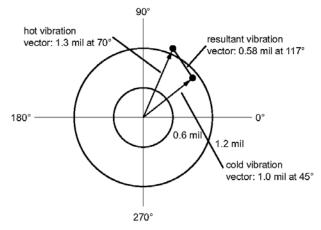


Figure E.3—Example of a Polar Plot Not Complying with 6.3.3.12

Example of a polar plot of the relationship of cold to hot vibration not complying with the requirements of 6.3.3.12. This example does not comply because the 1.3 mil hot vector exceeds the 1.2 mil limit.

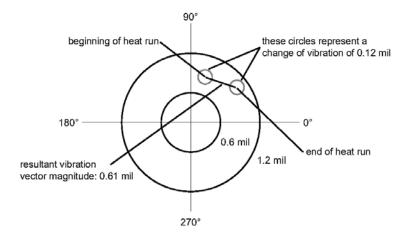


Figure E.4—Possible Option if a Motor Fails Basic Specification Criteria

This figure represents a possible option that may be used if a motor fails the basic specification criteria of a change larger than 0.6 mil but has a repeatable thermally stable rotor. The circles represent the maximum limits of allowable deviation between heat runs. The maximum recommended vibration change is 0.85 mil, which is twice the maximum allowable deviation plus the allowable thermal excursion. This example represents a vibration change exceeding the 0.6 mil limit. A higher level of vibration change may be considered with the purchasers' approval. In this example, circles of 0.12 mil radius are shown around the cold and hot vibration points from the first vibration tests. A second heat run test can be performed and if the cold and hot vibration vector endpoints from the second test fall within the 0.12 mil circles the rotor can be considered to be stable. In this example, the maximum vibration vector change from cold to hot in the repeated heat run can be as much as 0.85 mil, which is the 0.12 mil maximum allowable deviation each for the cold run and the hot run plus the 0.61 mil thermal excursion.

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Annex F (informative)

Alternate Criteria for Defining a Well Damped Resonance

The material in this annex provides an alternate definition of a well damped resonance to that outlined in 6.3.5.3 e). The material presented in Annex F follows the Standard Paragraphs (SP) of the API Subcommittee on Mechanical Equipment (SOME). Additional clarifications to the SP can be found in API 684.

F.1 Definition of Terms

F.1.1 Amplification Factor (AF) is a measure of a rotor bearing system's vibration sensitivity to unbalance when operating in the vicinity of one of its lateral critical speeds. A high amplification factor (AF > 10) indicates that rotor vibration during operation near a critical speed could be considerable and that critical clearance components may rub stationary elements during periods of high vibration. A low amplification factor (AF < 5) indicates that the system is not sensitive to unbalance when operating in the vicinity of the associated critical speed. Examples of the effect of the amplification factor on rotor response near the associated critical speed is presented in Figure F.1. The method of calculating the amplification factor from damped response calculation or vibration measurements is also presented in this figure. This calculation method is referred to as the half-power point method.

F.12 Bode Plot is a graphical display of a rotor's synchronous vibration amplitude and phase angle as a function of shaft rotational speed. A Bode Plot is the typical result of a rotor damped unbalance response analysis and shop test data.

F.1.3 Critical Speed is the shaft rotational speed that corresponds to a noncritically damped (AF > 2.5) rotor system resonance frequency. The frequency location of the critical speed is defined as the frequency of the peak vibration response as defined by the Bode plot, resulting from a damped unbalanced response analysis and shop test data.

F.1.4 Undamped Unbalance Response analysis is a calculation of the rotor's response to a set of applied unbalances. This applied unbalance excites the rotor synchronously, so the rotor's response to unbalance will occur at the frequency of the shaft's rotational speed. This analysis is used to predict critical speed characteristics of a machine. The analysis results are typically presented in Bode plots.

F.1.5 Damping is a property of a dynamic system by which mechanical energy is removed. Damping is important in controlling rotor vibration characteristics and is usually provided by viscous dissipation in fluid film bearings, floating ring oil seals, and so forth.

F.1.6 Phase Angle is the angular distance between a shaft reference mark and the maximum shaft displacement measured by a fixed displacement transducer during one shaft rotation. The phase angle is useful in determining unbalance orientation, critical speed locations, and the amplification factors associated with critical speeds.

F1.7 Resonance (Natural Frequency) is the manner in which a rotor vibrates when the frequency of the harmonic (periodic) forcing function coincides with a natural frequency of the rotor system. When a rotor system operates in a state of resonance, the forced vibrations from a given exiting mechanism (e.g. unbalance) are amplified according to the level of damping present in the system. A resonance is typically identified by a substantial vibration amplitude increase and shift in the phase angle.

F.1.8 Sensitivity to Unbalance is a measure of the vibration amplitude per unit of unbalance.

F1.9 Separation Margin defines how close the operating speed of a machine may be to its critical speed. If a machine has a AF < 2.5, then by definition, this is not a critical speed and requires no separation margin.

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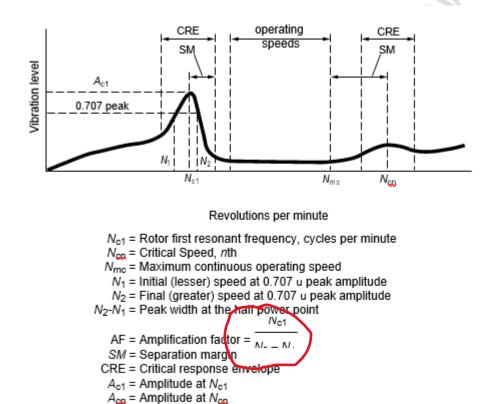
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F.1.10 Unbalance is a measure that quantifies how much the rotor mass centerline is displaced from the centerline of rotation (geometric centerline) resulting in an unequal radial mass distribution on a rotor system. Unbalance is usually given in gram-millimeters or ounce-inches.

F.2 Comparison of Annex F to API 541, 6.3.5.3 e)

The main body of API 541 does not differentiate between a highly damped resonance and critical speed. As such, no method of calculating the amplification factor or separation margin is made.

Definitions F.1.1 through F.1.10 are based on the API SOME Standard Paragraphs. According to these standard paragraphs, these definitions consider modes of vibration with AFs below 2.5 to be critically damped. These modes are not considered critical speeds because they do not result in high levels of rotor vibration.





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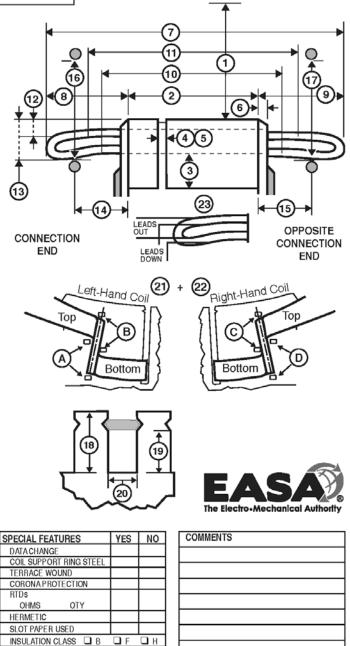
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ADDRESS				CITY			STATE/PROVINCE			ZIP			
P. O. BOX PHONE				FAX			EMAIL						
MFR. HP/KVA		ſKW		POLE	.ES RPI		И . FF		FRAN	RAME			
MODEL		VOLTS			AMPS		HERTZ			PHASES			
SERIAL#				TYPE									

1	CORE BORE DIAMETER						
2	TOTAL CORE LENGTH						
3	BACK IRON						
4	NO. OF VENTS						
5	WIDTH OF VENT(S)						
6	FINGER PLATE WIDTH						
7	OVERALL COIL LENGTH						
8	CONNECTION END EXTENSION						
9	OPPOSITE CONN. END EXTENSION						
10	STRAIGHT LENGTH, BOTTOM SIDE						
11	STRAIGHT LENGTH, TOP SIDE						
12	SMALL KNUCKLE DROP CE	OCE					
13	LARGE KNUCKLE DROP CE	OCE					
14	CONN. SUPPORT RING FROM CORE						
15	OPP. CONN. SUPP. RING FROM CORE						
16	CONNECTION SUPPORT RING I.D.						
17	OPP. CONN. SUPPORT RING I.D.						
18	TOTAL SLOT DEPTH						
19	SLOT DEPTH UNDER WEDGE						
20	SLOT WIDTH						
21		D 🗆 D					
22	COIL TYPE LEFT-HAND F	RIGHT-HAND					
23	COIL LEADS LONG # LG						
	SHORT # LG _						
	П ОЛТ П П	NWO					
24	JUMPER (1 - 4 OR 1 - 7)	1-					
25	CONNECTION (WYE OR DELTA)						
26	NO. OF CIRCUITS						
27	NO. OF SLOTS						
28	COIL THROW	1-					
29	TURNS PER COIL						
30	TOTAL WIRES IN PARALLEL						
31	BARE WIRE SIZES () X						
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- All dimensions should be taken to the nearest 1/16" (1 mm) except 18, 19, 20 and 31, which should be to the nearest .001" (0.03 mm) and 23, which should be to the nearest 1/4" (6 mm).
- All items must be completed unless otherwise explained.
- To make the data easier to read when the form is transmitted via facsimile machine, use only a blue or black felt or nylon tip pen. Please press heavily and record the data in the answer column provided.
- Core Bore Diameter-Inside diameter of the stator iron. This is mea-1 sured from tooth to tooth through the center line of the machine.
- Total Core Length-Length of the stator iron including vents but 2 excluding finger plates. Please make several measurements and give the average.
- Back Iron-The distance from the outer edge of the stator iron near 3 the frame to the bottom of the slot.
- No. of Vents-The number of vents in the stator iron. 4
- 5 Width of a Vent
- 6 Finger Plate Width-When present, give the width of the plate that applies pressure to the stator laminations.
- 7 Overall Coil Length-The overall insulated coil length measured from the outer edge of one coil knuckle to the outer edge of the other knuckle.
- Connection End Extension-The coil extension measured from the 8 outer edge of the coil knuckle to the stator iron on the lead end.
- 9 Opposite Connection End Extension-The coil extension measured from the outer edge of the coil knuckle to the stator iron opposite the lead end.
- 10 Straight Length, Bottom Side-The length of the straight portion of the coil in the bottom of the slot. This is measured along the inside edge of the coil from point to point where the diamonds just begin to form.
- 11 Straight Length, Top Side-The length of the straight portion of the coil in the top of the slot. See Item 10 for details.
- 12 Small Knuckle Drop-When extending a straight edge across the stator iron and out over the coil extension, the distance from the bottom of the straight edge to the area of the coil where the knuckle starts to form. Measure on both ends.
- 13 Large Knuckle Drop-When extending a straight edge across the stator iron and out over the coil extension, the distance from the bottom of straight edge to the lowest point of the coil knuckle where it touches the support ring. Measure on both ends.
- 14 Connection End Support Ring from Core-The distance from the inside edge of the insulated front support ring to the stator iron on the lead end. If there is more than one ring on each end, note the number of rings and the distance between rings. Allow for ring insulation if it is not present when the measurements are made.



- Opposite Connection End Support Ring from Core-The distance 15 from the inside edge of the insulated support ring to the stator iron on the opposite lead end. See Item 14 for details.
- Connection End Support Ring Inside Diameter-The inside di-16 ameter of the insulated support ring on the lead end. Scribe an arc from the inner edge of the ring to the opposite inner edge and take the largest measurement.
- 17 Opposite Connection End Support Ring Inside Diameter-The inside diameter of the insulated support ring on the opposite lead end. See Item 16 for details.
- 18 Total Slot Depth-The total slot depth of the stator slot measured from the top of the tooth to the bottom of the slot.
- Slot Depth Under Wedge-The distance from the bottom of the slot 19 to the bottom of the wedge groove.
- 20 Slot Width-The stator slot width measured at the bottom of the slot
- 21 Lead Location-Choose one letter (A, B, C or D) to indicate which lead arrangement is applicable.
- Coil Type-Indicate the type of coil desired, either left-hand or right-22 hand. Looking from the connection end of the coil, is the right-hand slot section of the coil in the top or bottom of the slot?
- Coil Lead Length and Number-Both long and short leads. Indicate 23 if leads are down (i.e., perpendicular to the length of the coil) or straight out.
- 24 Jumper-The internal connection of the coil group.
- Connection-The connection of the stator windings: Wye or 25 Delta.
- No. of Circuits-Number of parallel circuits. 26
- No. of Slots-The number of stator slots. This is also the number of 27 coils unless otherwise advised.
- Coil Throw-The span of the stator coil. The slot that holds the 28 bottom coil side is Slot #1.
- 29 Turns per Coll-The number of turns that the coil conductor(s) is (are) looped. Count turns on the opposite connection end.
- 30 Total Wires in Parallel-The number of wires in parallel. This is easily indicated by the number of wires that make up one of the coil leads
- Wire Sizes-This measurement is taken on the bare copper. If more 31 than one wire size is used, please indicate these sizes as well
- Strand Insulation-Wire insulation type. Examples are: glass, film, 32 mica, glass over film, and bare.
- 33 Coll Weight-The weight of the one coil, preferably with the insulation removed.
- 34 Groups of Coils-Number of coil groups and the number of coils in each group.
- Iron Skewed?-If the stator slots are skewed, measure the offset in 35 inches.

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ANNEX H (normative)

Super Synchronous High Speed Motor Applications

This annex modifies the requirements of API 541 to address situations where a motor is driven by an ASD at synchronous speeds over 3600 rpm (3000 rpm for 50 Hz locations). This annex is only applicable for motors operated by an ASD with maximum frequencies more than 10% above line frequency.

The requirements of API 541 6th Edition: Form-Wound Squirrel Cage Induction Motors—375 kW (500 Horsepower) and Larger apply, except where superseded by a Clause in this document. Clauses requiring change, deletion, or addition are listed below:

1.1.1 Scope: (Add) This document covers induction motors rated above 3600 rpm (for locations with 60 Hz supply) synchronous speeds (3000 rpm for locations with 50 Hz supply) and driven by an ASD.

2 Normative References (Add)

ISO 14839 - 1 Mechanical vibration — Vibration of rotating machinery equipped with active magnetic bearings Part 1 : Vocabulary

ISO 21940-12 Mechanical vibration — Rotor balancing Part 12 Procedures and tolerances for rotors with flexible behavior

3 Terms and Definitions (Add)

Active Magnetic Bearings: For definitions involving Active Magnetic Bearings (AMBs) refer to ISO 14839-

4.2.1.1 Ratings (Delete Clause)

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4.2.1.2 Voltages (Delete Clause)

- **4.2.2 Motor Load Requirements: (Replace with)** Load requirements shall be jointly developed by the ASD, motor, and driven equipment suppliers in conjunction with the Purchaser. The effect of the torque requirements over the full envelope of operation (all known operating conditions including process materials, torque and speed operating points) plus ASD output harmonics over the entire operating speed range shall be considered.
- **4.2.3.1 Starting Conditions (Replace with)** The combined motor and drive shall provide enough torque to accelerate and operate the driven equipment in the entire defined speed range, including the region of constant power, when required.

4.2.3.2 Purchaser Information (Delete Clause)

4.2.4.1 thru 4.2.4.4 Motor Starting Capabilities: (Delete Clauses)

4.2.4.5 (**Replace with**) The motor is to be operated by an ASD only (no bypass operation). The purchaser, motor vendor, and ASD vendor shall coordinate the details necessary for the integration of the scopes of supply.

(All Notes remain unchanged)

4.4.1.1 Enclosures (add) ◆ f) Unless otherwise specified, super synchronous motors shall be Totally Enclosed (TE) with IP 54 protection or higher. Motors where the process gas is inside the motor shall be sealed so that there is no interchange between the outside air and the gas inside the motor.

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- **4.4.5.1.7 Rotating Element: (Replace with)** Shaft forgings shall be ultrasonically inspected in accordance with Clause 6.2.2.3.1.
- 4.4.5.2.1 Assembly (Add) Super synchronous motor non-laminated rotor cores shall be integral with the shaft.
- **4.4.5.2.15 (Add new clause)** When the motor has process gas inside the frame, the rotor materials shall not be affected by the process gasses specified on the datasheet.
- 4.4.6.2.1 Dynamic Analysis (Modify) Delete "when specified" in the first sentence.
- **4.4.6.2.1.1 c) Dynamic Analysis (Add)** When active magnetic bearings (AMBs) are used, the controller and hardware (bearing, sensor, inverter, controller electronics) transfer function (comparable to bearing stiffnesses and damping factors over frequency) shall be used to ensure stable operation.
- **4.4.6.2.1.1 d) Dynamic Analysis (Add)** In cases where active magnetic bearings are used, the additional analysis shall consider the stiffnesses, damping and frequency responses of the bearings, including any variations that can be implemented.
- 4.4.6.2.2 Dynamic Analysis (Modify) Delete "when specified" in the first sentence.
- **4.4.6.3.1 Balancing (Add)** The balancing procedure of the rotor shall include balancing at the highest running speed of the rotor.
- **4.4.7.1.3 Bearings (Replace clause with)** Active magnetic bearings may be used if approved by the Purchaser and shall meet the following conditions:
 - a. The bearings shall be part of an integrated system including position sensors, redundant power supply, control scheme, amplifiers, laminated cores, coils, and touch-down ("auxiliary") bearings for emergency coast down and supporting the stationary shaft when the motor is not in operation.
 - b. There shall be two sets of orthogonal shaft position sensors per bearing for control purposes, which shall feed an electronic signal of amplitude proportional to the gap between them and the shaft to the control scheme. The two sensors of a pair shall be located on opposite sides of the rotor to compensate, for example, for thermal expansion. The shaft in the sensing area shall have combined electrical and mechanical runout as specified in 6.3.3. These sensors shall take the place of other radial shaft position sensors that may otherwise be required. If axial positions sensors are specified, they shall also be integrated into the bearing system.
 - c. Redundant power supplies for the position sensors, control system and amplifiers shall be provided. If an uninterruptible power supply (UPS) is used as one of the supplies, its status shall be monitored and at least 30 minutes or the expected coast down time, whichever is greater, battery operation shall be available. The system power requirements shall be listed with the proposal. The purchaser shall advise if one of the supplies is to be a plant UPS system, and the supplier shall design a system to accept the appropriate voltage level.

NOTE: Battery operation might need to be extended beyond 30 minutes to ensure a complete stop is achieved before landing.

d. The proportional and differential control scheme shall take signals from the position sensors and use them to give signals to the amplifiers so that the shaft is maintained in the required central position. As a minimum the control scheme shall also provide adjustable bearing stiffness and damping. Vibration data shall be presented on an HMI and a digital connection plus buffer storage shall be included for data access, diagnostics and programming.

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- e. The amplifiers shall take the control system output signals and give power inputs to the bearing magnetic coils. The bandwidth of the frequency response of the amplifiers shall be at least twice the maximum operating speed of the motor. The magnetic circuit, coils, and amplifiers shall be able to support at least 250% of the rotor weight at all frequencies up to 200% of maximum operating speed. The performance of the magnetic bearing system shall ensure that the machine is compliant to the vibration criteria defined in ISO 14839 and API 617 with respect to the disturbances acting on the plant. These disturbances are defined by the maximum unbalance defined in ISO 21940 and API 617.
- f. The coils used to magnetize the cores shall be insulated with a material that is not subject to attack by any specified chemical that may be present and have at least Class F thermal rating. The temperature of the coils shall not exceed Class B limits during normal operation as measured by the installed RTDs in each coil. If a Class H rating applies for the coils, the temperature rise shall not exceed Class F limits.
- g. The touch-down (auxiliary) bearing shall have a clearance of less than 50% of the air gap between the stator and rotor laminations. The touch-down bearing shall be rated to perform at least 3 landings from full speed. These landings must be able to occur without injury to surrounding personnel nor damage that requires repair of the motor rotor assembly.
- h. The Vendor shall supply a service person for commissioning, startup and tuning the system on site, even if the system has an auto-tuning function.

4.4.9.1 End Play and Couplings: (Add) End play limits for active magnetic bearing motors are the same as for hydrodynamic bearing motors.

4.4.9.5 End Play and Couplings: (New) At the time of proposal, the motor vendor is to define the shaft extension that is offered, and the motor vendor is to define any specific requirements of the coupling when the coupling is not provided by the motor vendor.

5.6.2 Surge Protection: (Modify) Unless otherwise specified, surge protection will not be provided.

6.3.1.3 Testing (Add Note) Note 1: It is recommended that the motor and the associated ASD are tested as a package over the range of design speeds and loads. Experience has shown that this testing significantly reduces site problems and time during commissioning.

6.3.3.6 Testing (Add) After the bearing temperatures have stabilized, filtered and unfiltered vibration readings at each position shall be recorded continuously for a period of 15 minutes. This data shall be continuously plotted or tabulated at one minute increments over the 15 minute period. If the vibration modulates, the high and low values of vibration and the frequency of the modulation shall be recorded.

6.3.3.10 Vibration limits (Add) Where active magnetic bearings are used, the maximum allowable shaft vibration shall be less than or equal to 0.3 times the minimum radial clearance in the touch-down bearing in that axis. See API 617 Annex F, paragraph F.7.6.

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ANNEX I (Informative)

Contract Documents and Engineering Design Data

I.1 When specified by the Purchaser in 8.1 and 8.2, the contract documents and engineering design data shall be supplied by the Vendor, as listed in this annex.

I.1.1 The following information shall be included on datasheets, title blocks on drawings, data, curves and transmittal letters:

- a. the purchaser and user's corporate name;
- b. the job and project number;
- c. the equipment service name and item number;
- d. the inquiry or purchase order number;
- e. any other identification specified in the inquiry or purchase order;
- f. the vendor's identifying proposal number, shop order number, serial number, or other reference required to completely identify return correspondence.

I.1.2 Each drawing shall have a title block in the lower right-hand corner with the date of certification, identification data specified in I.1.1, revision number and date and title. The title block shall be visible when the drawing is folded to A4 metric size or $8 \frac{1}{2} \times 11$ in. Similar information shall be provided on all other documents including subvendor items and bills of materials.

I.1.3 Documents and drawings shall be supplied in a mutually agreed electronic format. In addition, the purchaser shall state in the inquiry and in the order the number of prints and reproducibles required and the times within which they are to be submitted by the vendor (see Annex C).

I.2 Proposals

I.2.1 General

- **I.2.1.1** The vendor shall forward the original proposal, with the specified number of copies, to the addressee specified in the inquiry documents.
- **1.2.1.2** The proposal shall include, as a minimum, the data specified in I.2.2 through I.2.5.
- **I.2.1.3** The vendor shall provide sufficient detail to enable the purchaser to evaluate any proposed alternative designs.
- **I.2.1.4** All correspondence shall be clearly identified in accordance with I.1.2.

I.2.2 Drawings

I.2.2.1 The drawings indicated on the Vendor Drawing and Data Requirements (VDDR) form in Annex C shall be included for the scope proposed. As a minimum, the following shall be included:

- a. a general arrangement or outline drawing for each machine, showing overall dimensions, maintenance clearance dimensions, overall weights, erection weights, and the largest maintenance weight for each item.
- b. the direction of rotation

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- c. the size and location of major purchaser connections. This shall include power, control, and instrument wiring; supply and drain details for lubrication oil and cooling water, and inlet and discharge details for cooling or purge air, as well as frame vents and drains. For all terminal block connections, this shall include the range of wire sizes accepted. Any piping, frame or bearing connections plugged by the vendor shall be identified.
- d. cross-sectional drawings showing the details of the proposed equipment;
- e. schematic diagrams, dimensional outline drawings, and bill of materials of all auxiliary systems including control systems, accessories, and instruments. The bill of materials shall include and identify all components by make, type, size, capacity rating, materials, and other data as applicable.
- f. bills of material;
- g. sketches that show methods of lifting the assembled machine and major components and auxiliaries, including the location of each lifting point and a description of components the lifting point is designed to support. (This information may be included on the drawings specified in item a above.)
- h. rigging provisions for removal of parts that weigh more than 135 kg (300 lb).
- i. the make, size, and type of couplings (where applicable).
- j. detail drawings of the bearings and bearing seals. The drawings shall include the vendor's type and catalog number of the bearings and seals.
- k. a list of any special weather-protection and climatization features supplied by the vendor and required by the purchaser.
- I. a list of auxiliary or other equipment furnished by the vendor for mounting by the purchaser.
- m. complete information to permit adequate foundation design by the purchaser. This shall include the following items:
 - i. the size and location of hold down bolts;
 - ii. the weight distribution for each bolt and sub-soleplate location;
 - iii. any unbalanced forces or moments generated by the unit or units in the specified operating range;
 - iv. the location of the center of gravity; and
 - v. foundation forces as a result of worst-case transient conditions.

1.2.2.2 If "typical" drawings, schematics and bills of material are used, they shall be marked up to show the weight and dimension data to reflect the actual equipment and scope proposed.

I.2.3 Technical Data for Proposal

I.2.3.1 All technical data shall be given in units of measurement according to the purchase order. If needed, the technical data in alternate units can be included in parentheses.

I.2.3.2 Vendor's proposals shall provide the information specified in this section and include completed "Motor Proposal Data" of the datasheets in Annex A.

I.2.3.3 The following data shall be included in the proposal.

- a. purchaser's data sheets with complete vendor's information entered thereon and literature to fully describe details of the offering. The vendor shall show shaft sealing and bearing details, internal construction, rotor construction, and the method of attaching the rotor bars bar to the shorting ring if applicable.
- b. Vendor Drawing and Data Requirements form (see Annex C) indicating the schedule according to which the vendor agrees to transmit all the data specified.

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- c. schedule for shipment of the equipment, in weeks after receipt of an order.
- d. list of major wearing components.
 - NOTE The owner can compare these components to those used as part of any existing machines for interchangeability. Substitution of these wearing components with those that are interchangeable with any existing machines could be discussed during the design review meeting in I.3.5.
- e. list of spare parts recommended for start-up and normal maintenance purposes.
- f. list of the special tools furnished for maintenance; The vendor shall list any metric items included in the offering.
- g. description of any special weather protection and winterization required for start-up, operation, and periods of idleness, under the site conditions specified on the data sheets. This description shall clearly indicate the protection to be furnished by the purchaser as well as that included in the vendor's scope of supply.
- h. complete tabulation of utility requirements, e.g. steam, water, electricity, air, gas, lube oil (including the quantity and supply pressure of the oil required, and the heat load to be removed by the oil), and the nameplate power rating and operating power requirements of auxiliary drivers. Approximate data shall be clearly indicated as such.
- i. when specified, the vendor shall provide a separate price for each test that is specified and a packaged price for all the tests specified on the datasheets.
 - j. a list of machines, similar to the proposed machine(s), that have been installed and operating under conditions analogous to those specified in the inquiry.
 - k. any start-up, shutdown, or operating restrictions required to protect the integrity of the equipment.
 - I. a list of any components that can be construed as being of alternative design, hence requiring purchaser's acceptance (4.1.1.3).
 - m. a list of any components with a design life less than that of the overall machine (4.1.15).
- **1.2.3.4** When the evaluation factor (e.g. dollars per kilowatt) is shown on the datasheets, machines shall be evaluated on the basis of life-cycle cost (purchase price plus present worth of losses).
- **1.2.3.5** The vendor shall provide complete performance curves and data to fully define the envelope of operations and the point at which the vendor has rated the equipment, including the following items [Items a), b), d), and e) are not required for motors that are designed to operate only on ASDs].
- a) Average torque versus speed during starting at rated voltage and minimum starting conditions (voltage and short circuit MVA) and any other specified conditions.
- b) Current versus speed during starting at rated voltage and minimum starting conditions (voltage and short circuit MVA) and any other specified conditions.

c) The inertia of the rotor.

- d) Estimated times for acceleration at rated voltage and minimum starting conditions (voltage and short circuit MVA) and any other specified conditions.
- e) The locked-rotor (stalled) withstand time, with the motor at ambient temperature and at its maximum rated operating temperature for rated voltage and minimum starting conditions (voltage and short circuit MVA) and any other specified conditions plus the limit curves and wait times specified in 4.2.4.2.
- f) Expected efficiencies as determined in accordance with IEEE 112, IEC 60034-2-1, or IEC 60034-2-2, or by certified data from previously tested designs. The purchaser shall specify on the datasheet the efficiency test method to be

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used. For motors driving reciprocating machines, the expected pulsating currents shall be considered in calculating the efficiencies. For motors to be driven by ASDs, the vendor shall state the methods of efficiency determination to be used along with the base frequencies and the harmonics present in the supply waveform(s).

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- g) For motors that drive reciprocating machines, the maximum current variation under actual operating conditions. Compressor crank-effort diagrams, power supply system information, and other relevant data shall be supplied by the purchaser for the determination of current pulsations.
 - NOTE To verify performance, it may be necessary to check motor current pulsations under load in the field using an appropriate digital waveform recording instrument.
- h) When specified, the guaranteed efficiency (with no negative tolerance) at full load or the rated point (if specified on the data sheet), calculated in accordance with the agreed upon test method from I.2.3.5.1 f.
- **I.2.3.6** This paragraph left intentionally blank.
 - **I.2.3.7** The vendor shall provide net weights and maximum erection weights with identification of the item. This data shall be stated individually where separate shipments, packages, or assemblies are involved. This data shall be entered on the datasheets.
 - **1.2.3.8** The vendor shall provide a preliminary general arrangement drawing in accordance with 1.2.2.1.
 - **1.2.3.9** If applicable, the vendor shall provide schematic diagrams of auxiliary subsystems (e.g. lube-oil or cooling water systems).
 - **I.2.3.10** The vendor shall provide technical data, specifications, catalog cut sheets, or similar information that describe all the auxiliary equipment.
- **I.2.3.11** When specified, the vendor shall provide a statement of the rate for furnishing a supervisor for installation and erection of the machine as well as an estimate of the length of time the supervisor's services will be required under normal conditions. The vendor shall also include the rate and estimated time required for the services of a startup commissioning supervisor or engineer.
- **I.2.3.12** When specified, materials defined by the purchaser shall be identified in the proposal with their applicable AISI, ANSI, ASTM, and ANSI/ASME or ISO numbers, including the material grade. When no such designation is available, the vendor's material specification, giving physical properties, chemical composition, and test requirements shall be included in the proposal.

I.2.4 Curves

I.2.4.1 The vendor shall provide complete performance curves to encompass the map of operations, with any limitations indicated thereon (I.2.3.5).

• **I.2.4.2** When specified by the purchaser, the vendor's performance curves and response curves shall be supplied in a mutually agreed electronic tabular format so that the purchaser can insert the information into computer program models.

I.2.5 Optional Tests

The vendor shall furnish an outline of the procedures to be used for each of the special or optional tests that have been specified by the purchaser or proposed by the vendor.

I.3 Engineering Design Data

I.3.1 General

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I.3.1.1 Engineering data shall be furnished by the vendor in accordance with the Vendor Drawing and Data Requirements (VDDR) form in Annex B.

NOTE - The VDDR form provided in Annex B can be modified by the purchaser to match the specific inquiry reguirements.

• **I.3.1.2** Review and acceptance of the vendor's data by purchaser does not constitute permission to deviate from any requirements in the order unless specifically agreed in writing. After the data have been reviewed and accepted, the vendor shall furnish certified copies in the quantities specified on the datasheet. Drawings shall be clearly legible.

I.3.1.3 A complete list of vendor data shall be included with the first issue of major drawings. This list shall contain titles, drawing numbers, and a schedule for transmittal of each item listed. This list shall cross-reference data with respect to the VDDR form (see Annex C).

Note: Standard drawings of sub-equipment is typically supplied with a cover sheet in the instruction manual.

I.3.1.4 Subsequent to the issuance of a contract, the vendor shall submit the "Order Data" pages of the datasheets in Annex A. These pages shall be marked "As Designed."

I.3.2 Drawings and Technical Data

I.3.2.1 The drawings and data furnished by the vendor shall contain sufficient information so that together with the manuals specified in I.3.7, the purchaser can properly install, operate, and maintain the equipment covered by the purchase order.

I.3.2.2 All contract drawings and data shall be clearly legible (8-point minimum font size even if reduced from a larger size drawing), shall cover the scope of the agreed VDDR form, and shall satisfy the applicable detailed descriptions in this Annex.

I.3.3 Progress Reports

The vendor shall submit progress reports to the purchaser at intervals specified which shall, as a minimum, include the following:

- a. overall progress summary,
- b. status of engineering,
- c. status of document submittals,
- d. status of major suborders,
- e. updated production schedule,
- f. inspection/testing highlights for the month,
- g. any pending issues.

• I.3.4 Coordination Meeting

When specified, the vendor shall support a coordination meeting to be held as soon as possible after the purchase order placement. The meeting should include the owner, the electric machine supplier, driven equipment or prime mover supplier, ASD supplier (as applicable), engineering firm, consultant and other sub-suppliers as required. The following items should be reviewed:

- a. the purchase order, scope of supply, unit responsibility, sub-vendor items, document procedures and lines of communications;
- b. contract data (see Annex B, VDDR) and API 541 datasheets (Annex A);
- c. API 541 comments and exceptions, applicable specifications, and previously agreed exceptions;

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- d. speed-torque curves (for motors) and rotating equipment inertias;
- e. schedules for the transmittal of data, production, testing, and shipment (Annex C);
- f. the quality assurance program and procedures;
- g. equipment performance, alternate operating conditions, start-up, shutdown and any operating limitations;
- h. instrumentation, controls, and any other interfaces;
- i. scope, performance, operating parameters, and P&IDs for auxiliary subsystems (e.g. lube oil or cooling water consoles);
- j. identification of items requiring design review;
- k. inspection, test procedures and related acceptance criteria; and
- I. other technical items.

• I.3.5 Design Review Meeting

When specified, a design review meeting shall be held at the electric machine vendor's manufacturing facility at the time certified drawings and data are available for approval by the purchaser. The meeting should include the owner, electric machine supplier, driven equipment or prime mover supplier, ASD supplier (as applicable), engineering firm, consultant and other sub suppliers as required. Suggested items for review are as follows:

- a. contract data (see Annex B, VDDR) and API 541 datasheets (Annex A);
- b. performance curves, e.g. thermal limit curves, acceleration times, allowable stall times, temperatures of rotor parts, capability curves, etc.;
- c. method of efficiency determination and guarantee of efficiency;
- d. current pulsations for reciprocating loads;
- e. number of starts allowed;
- f. inertia of the machine and coupled equipment;
- g. stator winding and winding insulation system;
- h. rotor design, mechanical design, fits, construction, balance;
- i. shaft design stress, short-circuit torques;
- j. torsional and lateral critical speed analysis, and rotor sensitivity analysis (response to an intentional unbalance);
- k. foundation and base stiffness;
- I. coupling type and coordination;
- m. bearing and seal details;
- n. bearing and coupling insulation;
- o. lubricating oil type and oil inlet temperature range;
- p. test agenda;
- q. "witness" and "observe" points for inspections and tests;
- r. data for performance of electrical power system studies by the purchaser;
- s. this paragraph intentionally left blank;
- t. review of machine drawings, and where applicable: P&IDs, auxiliary subsystem console drawings;
- u. installation and commissioning procedures; and

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v. packaging, shipping and long term storage.

NOTE It is important that the design review meeting be held early enough in the project cycle so any needed design modification will not adversely affect machine cost and manufacturing schedule.

I.3.6 Parts Lists and Recommended Spares

I.3.6.1 The vendor shall submit complete parts lists for all equipment and accessories supplied. These lists shall include part names, manufacturers' unique part numbers and materials of construction (identified by applicable international standards). Each part shall be completely identified and shown on appropriate cross-sectional, assembly-type cutaway or exploded-view isometric drawings. Interchangeable parts shall be identified as such. Parts that have been modified from standard dimensions or finish to satisfy specific performance requirements shall be uniquely identified by part number. Standard purchased items shall be identified by the original manufacturer's name and part number.

I.3.6.2 The vendor shall indicate on each of these complete parts lists all those parts that are recommended as start-up or maintenance spares and the recommended stocking quantities of each. These shall include spare parts recommendations of subvendors that were not available for inclusion in the vendor's original proposal.

I.3.7 Installation, Operation, Maintenance, and Technical Data Manuals

I.3.7.1 General

The vendor shall provide written instructions and a cross-referenced list of drawings to enable the purchaser to install, operate, and maintain the complete equipment covered by the purchase order. This information shall be compiled in a manual or manuals with a cover sheet showing the information listed in I.1.2, an index sheet, and a complete list of the enclosed drawings by title and drawing number. The manual pages and drawings shall be numbered. If the instruction manuals apply to more than one model or series of equipment, the instructions shall clearly indicate the specific sections that apply to the equipment involved. The manual or manuals shall be prepared specifically for the equipment covered by the purchase order. "Typical" manuals are unacceptable.

I.3.7.1.1 A draft manual(s) shall be issued to purchaser 8 weeks prior to mechanical testing for review and comment.

I.3.7.1.2 Refer to the VDDR Form (see Annex B) for number of copies. Hard copies as well as electronic copies shall be provided as described on VDDR (see Annex B).

I.3.7.2 Installation Manual

I.3.7.2.1 All information required for the proper installation of the equipment shall be compiled in a manual that shall be issued no later than the time of issue of final certified drawings. For this reason, it may be separate from the operating and maintenance instructions.

I.3.7.2.2 This manual shall contain information such as special alignment procedures, bearing and bearing seal installation considerations, utility specifications (including quantity), and all installation design data.

I.3.7.2.3 All drawings and data specified in I.2.2 and I.2.3 that are pertinent to proper installation shall be included as part of this manual.

1.3.7.2.4 One extra manual, over and above the specified quantity, shall be included with the first equipment shipped.

I.3.7.2.5 All recommended receiving and storage procedures shall be included.

NOTE - Refer to API 686 for data required for installation.

I.3.7.3 Operating and Maintenance Manual

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I.3.7.3.1 A manual containing all required operating and maintenance instructions shall be supplied at shipment. In addition to covering operation at all specified process conditions, this manual shall also contain separate sections covering operation under any specified extreme environmental (e.g. temperature) conditions.

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I.3.7.3.2 The following items shall be included in the manual:

- a. Instructions covering start-up, normal shutdown, emergency shutdown, operating limits, and routine operational procedures.
- b. Outline and sectional drawing, schematics, and illustrative sketches in sufficient detail to identify all parts and to clearly show the operation of all equipment and components and the method of inspection and repair. Standardized sectional drawings are acceptable only if they represent the actual construction.
- c. When specified, detailed instructions, including pictures and sketches, outlining the appropriate methods for disassembly, inspection, re-assembly and maintenance of the machine's bearings and bearing seals.

• **I.3.7.3.3** When specified, one complete set of photographs showing the assembly of the machine shall be provided. Each step of the bearing assembly shall be individually photographed.

• **I.3.7.3.4** When specified, copies of documentation for Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory (NRTL) certification, positive material identification (PMI), material certification, or other unique records relating to the provision of the order shall be provided.

I.3.8 Final Data

I.3.8.1 Subsequent to completion of manufacture and testing, the vendor shall revise and resubmit the previously supplied purchase data (see L.3) and completed "Vendors Sections" of datasheets in Annex A. These datasheets shall be marked "As Built". Drawings shall be marked and re-submitted as "Final."

I.3.8.2 The vendor shall provide the following additional information to the purchaser.

• a. A record of shop test data which the vendor shall maintain for at least five years after the date of shipment. Included are the shop test reports for auxiliary subsystems (e.g. lube oil or cooling water consoles). When specified, the vendor shall submit certified copies of the test data to the purchaser before shipment. This requirement is also applicable to sub-vendors and sub-contractors.

- b. When specified, the calculated rotor-response curves (4.4.6.2.1).
 - c. The rotor balance report.
 - d. Complete winding data presented on a form shown in Annex G. The data shall be sufficient to permit the owner to have a set of stator coils built if required and shall include:
 - i. number of coils, winding connection and throw;
 - ii. total copper weight, copper strand sizes and details of both turn and ground wall insulation;
 - iii. turns per coil and number of parallel circuits;
 - iv. length of iron including vents;
 - v. stator bore diameter, slot depth and width, plus depth below wedge; and
 - vi. finished coil dimensions in slot, plus details of semi-conducting finish and stress or gradient paint treatment at the coil end turns, if any.

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ANNEX J (informative)

Guidance and Alternate Procedures for Balance Check with Half Coupling

The material in this Annex provides guidance to help determine the probable causes for a vibration change when the half coupling is installed and alternate acceptance procedures for the half coupling balance check.

J.1 Troubleshooting cause of vibration change

J.1.1 Runout

J.1.1.1 Check the runout at low speed (e.g. a few RPM) on the shaft while it is still assembled in 2 locations as follows:

- i) Identify a reference point (e.g. keyway, etc.) to be used for both measurements.
- ii) At the closest accessible point on the shaft next to the bearing, record the value and angular location with respect to the reference point for the highest and lowest reading. The calculated magnitude to be used is the highest minus lowest reading.
- iii) At the closest accessible point on the shaft next to the coupling, record the value and angular location with respect to the reference point for the highest and lowest reading. The calculated magnitude to be used is the highest minus lowest reading.
- iv) The resultant vector change between measurement (ii) and (iii) is the indication of the possible amount of bowing of the shaft.

J.1.1.2 Check the runout of the coupling hub (or flange) with the indicator placed parallel with the shaft (e.g. axial runout). The intent is to determine if the coupling face is perpendicular to the shaft.

Note: If the machine is too large to be rotated at a low speed by hand, then check with the electric machine manufacturer for methods to achieve safe shaft rotations for achieving runout checks listed above.

J.1.2 Coupling key

If the shaft is keyed, then typically a special key is required to perform the balance check with the half coupling. If the key is not sized properly, then an unbalance will result. The key needs to be sized to fill the keyways, of both the shaft and half coupling. The top half of the key is not to extend beyond either end of the coupling.

J.1.3 Stable vibration readings

Leveling (or stabilizing) on bearing temperatures may not be sufficiently level for the vibration readings. Investigate if vibration readings are sufficiently stable from the runs performed.

J.1.4 Half coupling unbalance

The cause of the vibration change may be due to an unbalance in the half coupling.

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J.1.4.1 If the coupling is not keyed (or if it has two opposite keys), the coupling could be rotated. If there is a change in angle of the 1X vibration vectors between before and after mounting the coupling, it is an indication that the issue may be with the half coupling balance. When this occurs the purchaser and electric machine vendor need to mutually agree on a path forward regarding the half coupling unbalance.

J.1.4.2 Some couplings do not have an interference fit. These couplings typically have screws that push against the key. If the coupling clearance is large enough, the difference in concentricity between shaft centerline and coupling centerline can result in an unbalance. When this occurs the purchaser and electric machine vendor need to mutually agree on a path forward regarding the half coupling unbalance.

J.1.4.3 Confirm that the half coupling was balanced in accordance with API 671 or better.

Note: Couplings are often balanced at speeds of 400 - 600 rpm. If the electric machine operates at speeds significantly higher than this, it is possible that the balance machine used for the coupling doesn't have sufficient sensitivity to achieve a balance adequate to pass the criteria (unbalance force is proportional to the square of the speed).

J.2 Alternate procedures for balance check with half coupling

The following outlines two alternate acceptance procedures to paragraph 6.3.1.5 that could be used if the purchaser and electric machine vendor mutually agree to its use. The half coupling balance check is deemed acceptable if either of these criteria are met.

J.2.1 With the half coupling mounted, the machine shall be properly installed on a massive foundation and run at a voltage suitable to maintain magnetic center until the bearing temperatures stabilize and a complete set of vibration data recorded. All data shall be within the limits given in Figure 2, Figure 3, Figure 4 and Figure 5.

J.2.2 Perform testing to determine the residual unbalance (reference Annex D). The residual unbalance shall not exceed 1 unit of unbalance (U) as defined in paragraph 4.4.6.2.1.3.

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