

Positive Displacement Flowmeters

(Refer to MS548 for Analogue Register Details)



MIOO Mechanical meter • From serial No. CXXXX

To the owner

Please take a few minutes to read through this manual before installing and operating your meter. Always retain this manual for future reference. If you have any problems with the meter, refer to the maintenance and trouble shooting sections of this manual.

This manual contains connection and operating instructions for meters with Analogue Mechanical Displays. If you need further assistance, contact your local representative or distributor for advice.

This Flow Meter has incorporated the oval rotor principal into its design. This has proven to be a reliable and highly accurate method of measuring flow. Exceptional repeatability and high accuracy over a wide range of fluid viscosities and flow rates are features of the oval rotor design. With low pressure drop and high pressure rating oval rotor flow meters are suitable for both gravity and pump (in line) applications.

These Flow meters are available in Aluminium only. Standard rotors are made from Aluminium.

Important Information



PLEASE READ THIS INFORMATION CAREFULLY BEFORE USE!

Before use, confirm the fluid to be used is compatible with the meter (refer to the Industry fluid compatibility chart), or consult your local distributor or representative for advice.

To prevent damage from dirt or foreign

matter, it is recommended that a Y or Basket type 60 mesh strainer be installed as close as possible to the inlet side of the meter (if required contact your local distributor for further information).

Note: When a strainer is installed it should be regularly inspected and cleaned. Failure to keep the strainer clean will dramatically effect flow meter performance.

To prevent damage to the meter slowly fill the system with fluid (this will

prevent damage caused by air purge).

Note: Failure to do this could damage the meter.

For pump applications, turn off the pump at the end of each day.

Installation

- 1] It is recommended that when setting up pipework for meter installations a bypass line be included in the design. This provides the facility for a meter to be removed for maintenace without interrupting production. (See Fig.1)
- 2] Use thread sealant on all pipe threads. For flanged versions use appropriate companion flanges and gaskets.
- **3**] For pump applications ensure pipe work has the appropriate working pressure rating to match the pressure output of the pump.
- **4**] Install a wire mesh strainer (Y or basket type 40 mesh as close as possible to the inlet side of the meter.
- **5**] Ensure that the meter is installed so that the flow of the liquid is in the direction of the arrows embossed on the meter body.
- **6]** The meter can be installed in any orientation as long as the meter shafts are in a horizontal plane.

Operation

When fluid passes through the meter, rotors turn. The gear located on top of one of the rotors drives the mechanical registers gear train which provides an accurate readout.



(Refer to Fig.2 for correct installation) The register assembly may be orientated to suit the individual installation.

Note: Incorrect installation can cause premature wear of meter components.

- 7] Do not over tighten meter connections.
- 8] It is important that after initial installation you fill the line slowly, high speed air purge could cause damage to the rotors.

9] Test the system for leaks.

10] Check the strainer for swarf or foreign material, after the first 200 litres check periodically, particularly if the flow rate decreases.





Do Not Install Meter This Way

Service Instructions

Disassembly

Ensure that the fluid supply to the meter is disconnected, and the line pressure is released before disassembly. Refer to the exploded parts diagram for item numbers.

- 1] To remove the Analogue display refer to "Anaolgue Register Supplement" MS548.
- **2**] Remove the six cover plate screws (Item 12) and remove the cover plate (Item 11).
- 3] Remove the eight meter cap screws (Item 5) and remove the meter cap (Item 4).
- 4] Remove rotors (Item 3).

Reassembly

- 1] Clean all components before reassembly.
- 2] Before reassembly check the condition of the rotors (Item 3). Replace if necessary.
- **3]** Replace the rotor (with the gear) on the short shaft in the housing then place the 2nd rotor onto the shaft so as the rotors are at 90° to each other. (Refer Fig 3). Check rotor operation by turning either of the rotors. If the rotors are not in mesh correctly or do not move freely remove one of the rotors and replace it correctly at 90° to the other rotor. Recheck the operation of the rotors.
- 4] Inspect the gears (Item 6) in the

meter cap (Item 4) for wear. Replace if required, refer to spare parts listing.

- **5]** Replace the o-ring (Item 2) into the groove in the meter cap, if the o-ring has been distorted or is damaged in any way replace it with a new part.
- **6]** Replace the meter cap, making sure the locating pins line up with the holes in the meter cap and the gear on the rotor meshes correctly with the gear in the meter cap (Item 4). Insert the allen screws (Item 5) and tighten as shown in Fig. 4.
- 7] Inspect the Drive Dog, o-ring (Item 10), and output gear (Item 7) for wear or damage. (Replace faulty components if necessary).
- 8] Replacement of output shaft, bush and seal.

Disassembly

a.Remove the Drive Dog. b.Remove the circlip and push out the output shaft assembly, including washer (Items 7, 8, 9).

c.Remove the seal.

d.Carefully press out the output shaft bush (If required).

Assembly

a.Carefully press the new output shaft bush into place (Use Loctite Primer 747, as per instructions, followed by sealant Loctite 680). b.Insert a new seal into the groove of the output shaft bush.

c.Replace the output gear and washer and replace the circlip to



Rotors must be at 90⁰ to each other.



lock the output gear shaft into place. d.Replace the Drive Dog (Item 13) and tighten the grub screw onto flat face of shaft.

- **9**] Place the o-ring (Item 10) into the groove in the cover plate (Replace the o-ring seal if required).
- **10**] Place the cover plate onto the meter. Replace the cover plate screws and tighten the six cap head screws (Item 12) firmly.

11] To install the Analogue Register refer to "Anaolgue Register Supplement" MS548.

12] Test the meter by turning the rotors with a finger or by applying low air pressure to one end of the meter, before returning meter to the line.



Meter Trouble Shooting

TROUBLE SHOOTING GUIDE				
TROUBLE	CAUSE	REMEDY		
Fluid will not flow through meter	 a] Foreign matter blocking rotors b] Line strainer blocked c] Damaged rotors d] Meter connections over tightened e] Fluid is too viscous 	 a] Dismantle meter, clean rotors (Strainer must be fitted in line) b] Clean strainer c] Replace rotors (Strainer must be fitted in line) d] Re-adjust connections e] See specifications for maximum viscosity 		
Reduced flow through the meter	a] Strainer is partially blockedb] Fluid is too viscous	 a] Clean strainer b] See specifications for maximum viscosity 		
Meter reading inaccurate	 a] Fluid flow rate is too high or too low b] Fluid is too viscous c] Excess wear caused by incorrect installation 	 a] See "specifications" for minimum and maximum flow rates b] Bleed air from system c] Check meter body and rotors. Replace as required. Refer to installation instructions 		
Fluid flows but no reading on meter	 a] Drive Dog is loose on shaft b] Rotor drive gear is damaged c] Transmission gears damaged d] Register gears damaged 	 a] Tighten grub screws b] Replace rotor c] Replace gears d] Replace register assembly 		
Fluid leaks into register	a] Seal worn or damaged on the cover plate	a] Replace seal (Check seal compatibility with fluid)		

Meter Parts Listing



ltem No.	No. Off.	Rec. Parts	Part or Set (Order from this column only)	Part Description
1.4	1		MS631MS	Meter Body Module (Aluminium)
10	1		M5031M5	
1B 1D	2		MS632BS	4" BSP Flange (Aluminium)
	2		M5632N5	4" NPT Flange (Aluminium)
IC 1C	2		MS632S	4" ANSI - 150lb Flange (Aluminium)
IC	2		MS653S	3" ANSI - 150lb Flange (Aluminium)
1C	2		MS632DS	4" DIN-16 Flange (Aluminium)
1C	2		MS632JS	4" JIS10K Flange (Aluminium)
1D	2	u	BS245S	"O" Ring (NBR)
1D	2	u	BS245ES	"O" Ring (EPDM)
1D	2	u	BS245TES	"O" Ring (Teflon)
1D	2	u	BS245VS	"O" Ring (Viton)
1E	4	u	MS649S	Bolt set (To suit item 1B only)
1F	4	u	MS647S	Bolt set (To suit item 1C only)
2	1	u	BS267S	"O" Ring (NBR)
2	1	u	BS267ES	"O" Ring (EPDM)
2	1	11	BS267TFS	"O" Ring (Teflon)
2	1	11	B\$267VS	"O" Ring (Viton)
3	2	11	MS634MS	Rotors (Aluminium)
4	1	u	M\$708\$	Meter Can Litre (Aluminium) incl Gear Set
4	1		MS728S	Meter Cap LIS Cal (Aluminium) incl Gear Set
5	8		M\$243\$	Meter Cap Screws (Standard)
6	1	11	M52455 M\$7095	Complete Gear Set - Litres
6	1	11	M\$7295	Complete Gear Set - US Gallons
7	1	u	M\$975	Output Gear and Shaft Assembly
8	1	u	MS78S	Cover Plate Seal/Bush set Standard
9A	1		N7-007S	Standard Oring (NBR)
10	2		BS145S	Oring (NBR)
10	2		BS145ES	Oring (EPDM)
10	2		BS145TES	Oring (Teflon)
10	2		BS145VS	Oring (Viton)
11	1		M\$327\$	Coverplate (Aluminium) includes bush
12	6		MS312S	Coverplate Screws
12	6		MS419S	Coverplate Screws (US Gallon Model only)
13	1		MS423	Spacer Ring (US Gallon Models Only)

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Meter Dimensions



Meter Specifications

Flow Ranges(Litres per minute/US Gallons per minute)Above 5 Centipoise120 to 1200/31.7 to 317Accuracy of Reading+/- 1%Maximum Viscosity1000 CentipoiseMaximum Operating Pressure1000 kPa / 145 PSI / 10 BAROperating Temperature Range-10°C / 14° to 80°C / 176°F



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