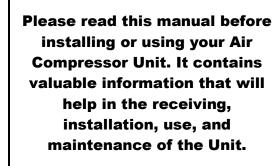


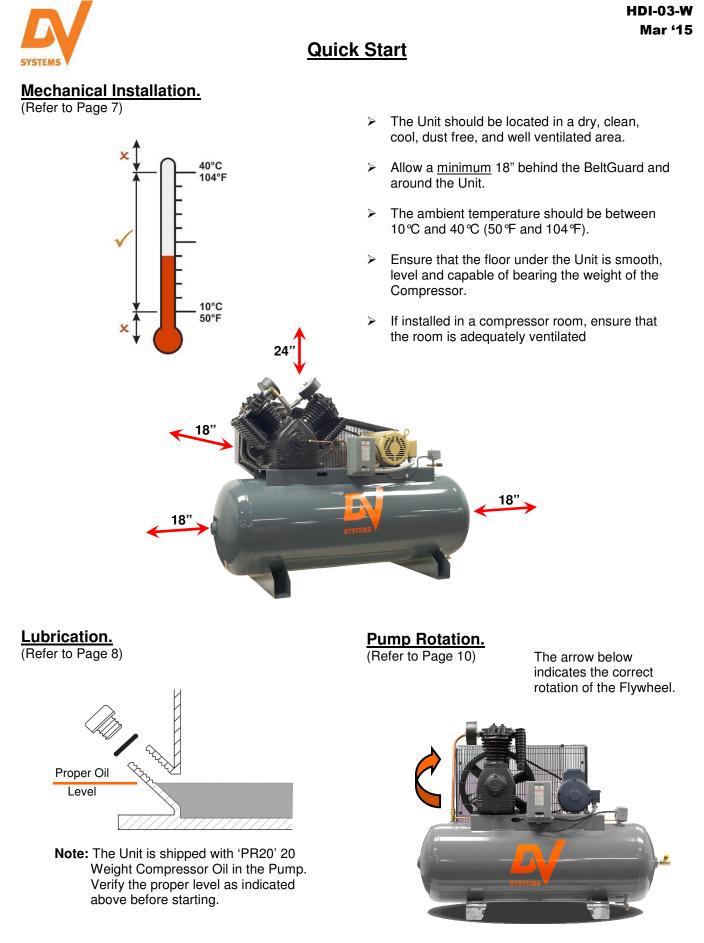
Heavy Duty Industrial ('HDI') Air Compressor Installation, Maintenance, And Service Data

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Please keep this manual in a safe place for future reference.

All of the information, policies, and procedures in this reference manual apply exclusively to DV Systems.





Safety Precautions

In order to operate the Compressor Unit safely and correctly, we have opted to use the following symbols to make you aware of important points. These points relate to user safety and preventing equipment problems. Please pay close attention to these sections.



Important safety Information. A hazard that may cause serious injury or loss of life.



Important information that indicates how to prevent damage to equipment, or how to avoid a situation that may cause minor injury.



Information that you should pay special attention to.

MWARNING

The following hazards may occur during the normal use of the equipment. Please read the following chart.

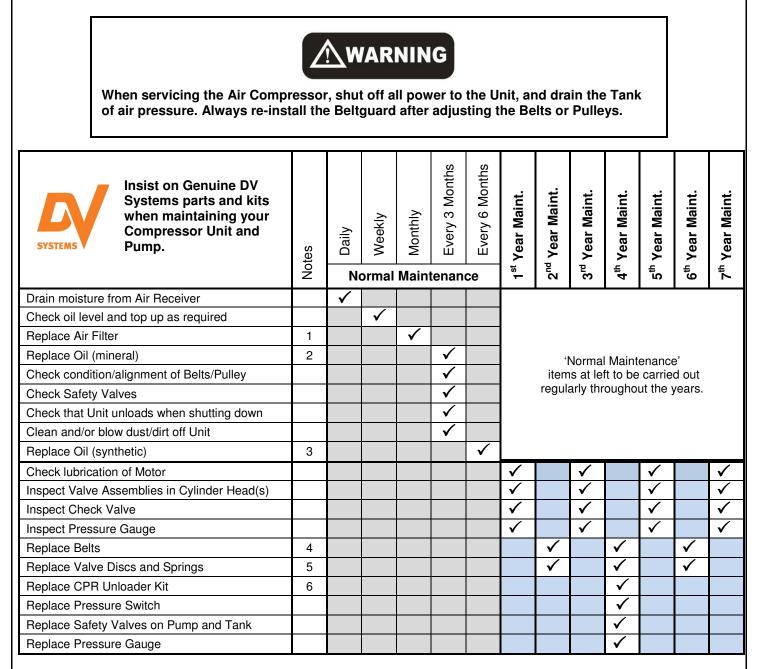
Area:	Hazard:	Safeguards:
What to look for:	What may occur if precautions are not observed.	How to avoid the hazard.

	Tampering with the Unit while under full or partial pressure may cause an explosion.	Relieve all pressure from the Unit before attempting any repair or maintenance work.
۲. ۲ .	As the Unit starts and stops automatically, serious injury may result from working on the Unit with the power still in the on position.	Shut off all power to the Unit before attempting any repair or maintenance work.
	As the Unit starts and stops automatically, do not come into contact with moving parts.	Shut off all power to the Unit before attempting any repair or maintenance work.
	Air compressed by the Unit is not suitable for inhaling. It may contain vapours harmful to your health.	Never directly inhale compressed air produced by the Compressor.
- AND	The Compressor Pump, Motor, and Tubing become hot when running. Touching these areas may cause severe burns.	Never touch the Pump, Motor, or Tubing during or immediately after operation.
20FT 6.1m	As the electrical components on the Unit are General Purpose, there is a potential for explosion should vapours be present in the area.	The Compressor must be a minimum of 20 feet (6.1 meters) from any source of potentially explosive vapours.



Preventative Maintenance Schedule

Noted below are general maintenance guidelines which must be followed and documented, this in accordance with the DV Systems Warranty. It is based on an approximate Compressor usage of 30 hours per week. If your particular application varies from this, please adjust accordingly.



Notes: 1. Air Filters are available separately or in a Maintenance Kit. Consult your Pump bulletin.

2. Mineral Oil is available separately or in a Maintenance Kit. Consult your Pump bulletin.

3. Synthetic Oil is available separately or in a Maintenance Kit. Consult your Pump bulletin.

4. Belts are available through your local DV Systems Distributor.

5. Valve Discs and Springs are available separately or in a Kit. Consult your Pump bulletin.

6. The CPR Unloader Assembly and Kit is noted in your Pump bulletin.

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Unpacking and Inspection



Each DV Systems Air Compressor is carefully tested and inspected before shipment. Though every attempt is made to ensure the safe and complete shipment of our product, freight damage or misplacement of goods may occur.

Shipments of DV Systems products are the property of the Consignee when the products leave our facility. DV Systems Inc. is not responsible for any damages or shortages caused to the product after it has left our shipping dock.

It is the responsibility of the receiver of the goods, either the Distributor or Customer, to ensure that the product has been shipped in full, and has arrived in suitable condition. Damage to the product may not be visible at time of off-loading, but may only become apparent upon unpacking or start-up.

Some areas to initially check are as follows:

- a) Check for damage to the crating and/or packaging.
- b) Check for damage to the Beltguard.
- c) If the BeltGuard appears damaged, remove the Guard and turn the Flywheel by hand to ensure the Crankshaft has not been bent, and the Belt drive is properly aligned and free of distortion.
- d) Check the Air Tank thoroughly for possible damage

Should there be damage to the product or shortages in shipment:

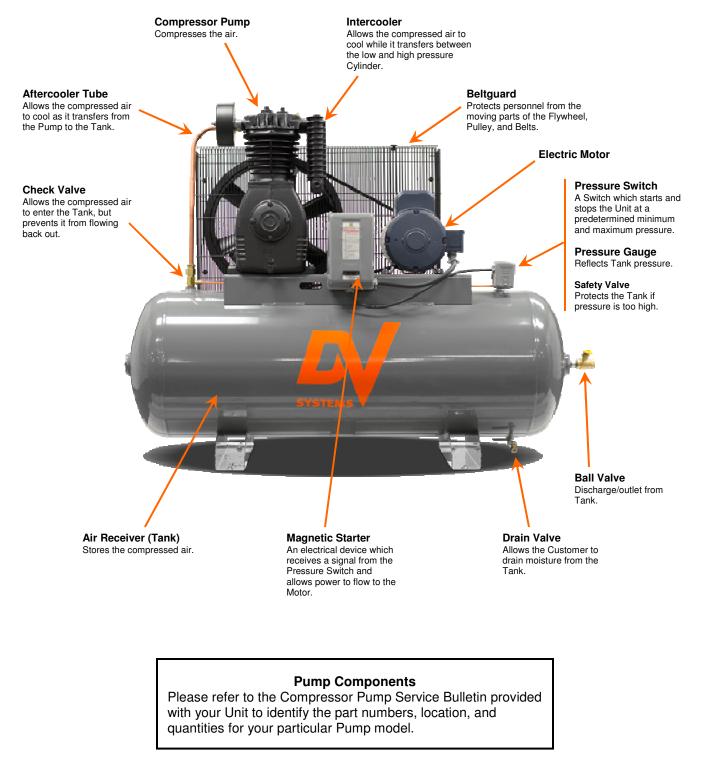
- 1) Stop any further unpacking or operation of the product.
- 2) Make note of the problem on the Freight Bill, should it concern a shortage or visible damage to the product.
- Should the damage be noticed only after the product has been received, contact the transport company immediately to file a claim.
 Depending on the problem, it may be wise to photograph the damage. Also, it may be wise to discuss with the carrier representative the time allotted to give notice of loss or damage to the product; there may be guidelines which limit timeframes of same.
- 4) Do not attempt further unpacking or operation of the product. Also, do not discard any packing material used.
- 5) A Loss or Damage Claim must be submitted to the carrier and supported by the following documents:
 - Copy of Freight Bill of Lading
 - Copy of the Invoice and Estimate to repair, in case of damage
 - Damage Report
 - Copy of photos, if applicable



Compressor Terminology

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Please refer to the picture below, as it identifies the major components of a typical Piston Air Compressor Unit and their function. (Some Units may vary slightly from this design, eg. gas powered or base mounted Units.)



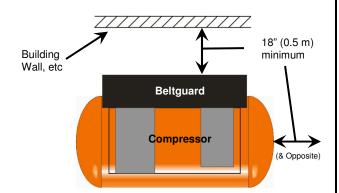


Installation – Mechanical

Location of the Unit.

Items to consider when installing the Unit are as follows:

- The Unit should be located in a dry, clean, cool, dust free, and well ventilated area. If possible, the Compressor should be located in a separate room or area, away from the general operations of the shop.
- Allow a <u>minimum</u> of 18" around and 24" above the Unit, this being for both the proper ventilation of the Unit and ease of servicing.

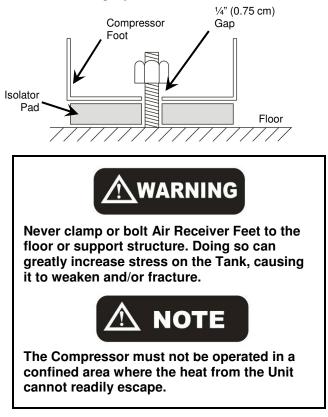


- Ensure that the floor under the Unit is smooth, level and capable of bearing the weight of the Compressor. The Compressor must sit squarely on the floor.
- DV Systems has available Installation Kits which include (4) Vibration Isolator Pads and (1) Stainless Steel Flex Hose.



DV Systems Installation Kit	'HDI' Compressor Horsepower
IK515	5 to 15 HP
IK2530	25 and 30 HP

- If installing the Unit on a mezzanine, ensure that the structure can safely support the weight of the Unit. As well, the sound level of the Unit may increase due to the harmonics created by the structure; use Vibration Pads to lessen this.
- If anchoring the Unit, ensure that there is approx. ¼" (0.75 cm) between the Nut and the Compressor Foot (as shown below). Do not bolt down tightly.



- If installed in a compressor room, ensure that the room is adequately ventilated. (One Horsepower produces approximately 2500 BTU/HR.)
 Eg: 15 HP Unit x 2500 BTU/HP = 37,500 BTU/hour
- ➤ The ambient temperature should be between 50°F and 104°F (10°C to 40°C).

Many common Compressor problems can be attributed to the location or installation of the Unit. Make sure the Unit is in a suitable location, and installed correctly.



Lubrication

Initial Start-up.

Each Compressor Unit built is extensively tested at the factory before shipment. The Unit is shipped with the original oil in it as used for testing purposes.

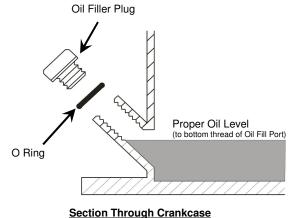
Check the oil level and for any oil leaks on a daily basis. This must be done when the Unit is off. Top up the Oil level on a monthly basis.

Use only DV Systems Premium Compressor Oil. Also, do not mix the DV Systems oil with any other lubricant.

Oil Changes.

Drain the existing oil from the Unit. Running the Unit prior to draining the oil will ensure that the oil will drain relatively quickly.

Fill the Oil Reservoir to the bottom thread at the Oil Filler Plug. Do not under or overfill. See drawing below.



At Oil Fill Port

The following oils are available from your DV Systems Distributor.

DV Systems Premium Mineral Oils	Room (Ambient) Temperature
20 Weight: 'PR-20-4'	Up to 90 ℉ (32 ℃)
30 Weight: 'PR-31-4'	Above 90 °F (32 °C)

DV Systems Premium Synthetic Oil is

used in high heat or high duty applications or when Beltguard Aftercoolers are used.

20 Weight: 'OJ-2000'

Do not attempt to operate the Unit without first checking whether there is oil in the Pump Crankcase. Add oil as required. Serious damage may result from use, however limited, without oil.



Use of improper oil may negatively affect Compressor performance or shorten Unit life. Resulting problems are not covered by the DV Systems Warranty.



With limited Compressor use or installing in a very humid environment, condensation (water) may form in the Crankcase with the oil. If this occurs, change the oil more often than indicated on the Maintenance Schedule.

The following Maintenance Kits are available from your DV Systems Distributor. The Kits include both the Oil and Filters.

Kits c/w 20 Weight Mineral Oil

DV Systems Pumps	Kit Part Number
123, 223	MK-223
247	MK-247
447	MK-447

Kits c/w 20 Weight Synthetic Oil

DV Systems Pumps	Kit Part Number
247	MKS-247
447	MKS-447



Installation - Electrical

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General Information.

It is your responsibility to ensure that the Compressor Unit is electrically connected in a safe and correct manner. Any electrical work must be carried out by a competent Electrician, and be done in such a way that it meets all applicable Codes and Regulations.

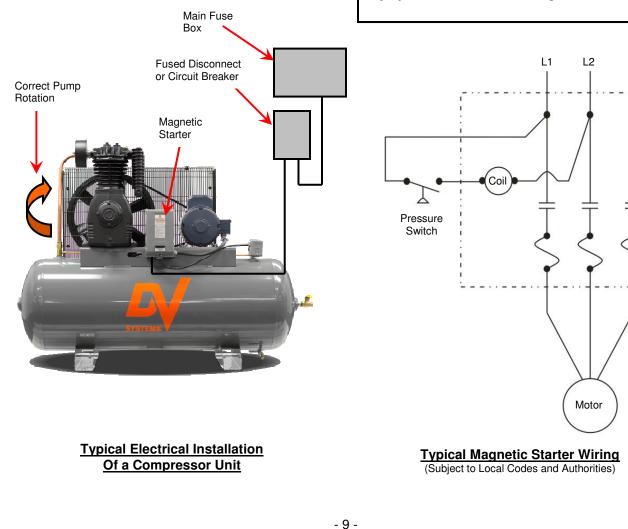
Ensure that a suitable Fused Disconnect or Breaker (by others than DV Systems) is installed in the electrical supply before the Compressor Unit.

A Magnetic Starter must be an integral part of the Compressor Unit circuit as it provides overload protection to the electric Motor. A Magnetic Starter can be purchased separate from the Unit, or factorymounted at the time of Unit manufacture.



- Failure to correctly connect the Compressor to your building's electrical services may result in serious personal injury or damage to the equipment.
- Before servicing the Unit, ensure the power source has been shut down and locked off.
- Read and understand the information contained in this manual before installing or operating the Unit.

Failure to observe any of the above precautions could result in severe personal injury or death, and/or damage to the Unit.





Installation – Electrical (cont'd)

Motors.

Ensure that the voltage on your site is reflected on the Motor nameplate, +/- 10%. In the case of 208 volts 3 phase electrics, the Unit must be 200 volt



Use of an incorrect Motor for your particular building service will result in premature Motor failure, something not covered by the DV Systems or Motor manufacturers Warranty.

<u>The Warranty that exists on the Electric Motor is that of</u> <u>the original Motor manufacturer.</u> In the event of a Motor failure, contact your DV Systems Distributor or Service Centre for the location of the nearest authorized Motor Service Centre.

Why Hire a Licensed Electrician?

To ensure that your new DV Systems Unit works as designed and required, you must ensure that it is correctly wired to your building service. It is the responsibility of your Licensed Electrician to ensure that:

- The Unit you purchased is suitable for your particular buildings electrical service.
- Protective devices such as Magnetic Starters, Fused Disconnects, etc have been sized and installed correctly.
- Any electrical accessories purchased with your Compressor have been installed and wired correctly.
- The wiring of the Unit meets with all applicable codes and regulations.
- When completed, the Unit works in both a safe and correct manner.

Failure of the Compressor Unit due to an incorrect electrical installation is not covered by the manufacturer's warranty.

Pump Rotation.

The Compressor is to be wired in a manner that the rotation of the Pumps Flywheel causes the air to be blown from the Beltguard forward over the Pump. This, coupled with the unobstructed area behind the Beltguard of 18" (0.5 m) minimum, allows the Pump to cool properly.

> When facing the Compressor (as shown at right), the Flywheel must rotate in a clockwise direction.





Start-up Procedures



Do not attempt to operate the Unit without first checking whether there is oil in the Pump. Add oil as required. Serious damage may result from use, however limited, without oil.

Initial Start-up

- Remove the Oil Filler Plug, and ensure that there is sufficient Oil in the Crankcase. Refer to the 'Lubrication' section (Page 8) in this manual for proper type and level of Oil.
- 2) Replace the Oil Filler Plug, and use a crescent wrench to tighten snug plus 1/4 turn.
- Do a visual inspection of the Unit, and ensure that all Bolt heads are sufficiently tightened. This must be done, as some fasteners may become loose in transit.
- Turn the Compressor 'On' momentarily by positioning the Fused Disconnect or Breaker in the 'On' position. Ensure that the Flywheel is turning in the correct direction. See the 'Pump Rotation' (Page 10).



On Compressors with 3 phase power, switch 'L1' and 'L3' at the input into the Magnetic Starter if the rotation is incorrect.

 Open the Compressor's Ball Valve, and start the Unit. Ensure that air is escaping to atmosphere. Allow the Unit to operate in this fashion for 30 minutes. This lubricates the Pistons, Bearings, and all internal surfaces.



Do not place any materials in close proximity to the Compressor. Placing materials against or close to the Unit will limit the cooling required, and could lead to premature failure.

- After having run the Unit unloaded for 30 minutes, close the Ball Valve, and allow the Unit to reach maximum operating pressure.
- 7) Ensure that the Compressor shuts off at the factory preset maximum pressure, and the head pressure is released through the Unloader at either the front of the Pump (the 'CPR') or at the Pressure Switch.
- 8) Measure the amp draw as the Unit reaches maximum pressure.
- 9) Once off, check the Compressor and piping systems for any air leaks. Correct as required.



Shut off all power to the Compressor Unit before attempting any repair or maintenance.

- 10) With the Unit shut off, check the oil level in the Pump. Add oil as necessary.
- 11) After the Unit has run for 40 hours (or 2 weeks), retorque the Pump Bolts. Refer to the appropriate Pump Bulletin for torque values.



During the first few days of operation, check the Unit periodically to ensure it is running smoothly. Should you have any concerns, contact your DV Systems Distributor.



Compressor Unit Accessories

'AD-9400' Pneumatic Autodrain.

The 'AD-9400' Pneumatic Autodrain is designed to drain moisture from the Compressor Tank each time the Unit reaches maximum pressures and shuts off. It receives its signal as the Unit unloads once the Unit has shut down.

Specifications.

- > Maximum working pressure of 200 psi (13.8 Bar).
- Minimum working pressure of 30 psi (2.1 Bar).
- > Will not operate in temperatures below freezing.

Maintenance.

- Service/maintenance can only be done when the drain is not under pressure.
- > The internal screens must be cleaned periodically.
- > The 'RK-AD-9400' Repair Kit is available.



'KK-9840-1' Electronic Autodrain.

The 'KK-9840-1' Electronic Autodrain is designed to drain moisture from the Compressor Tank based on an internal timer. The timer is an electrical device which requires 120-60-1 power to operate, and can be plugged into a standard outlet. A 6 foot (1.8 m) power cord is supplied.

Condensate

Discharge

Internal Wire

Mesh Filter

Specifications.

- Maximum working pressure of 230 psi (16 Bar).
- Includes manual Ball Valve and Filter.
- > Drain duration can be set between .05 to 10 seconds.
- Operating cycle time (time between discharges) can be set between 1 to 45 minutes.
- UL and CSA approved.
- Will not operate in temperatures below freezing.

Maintenance.

- Service/maintenance can only be done when the drain is not under pressure.
- The internal wire mesh filter must be cleaned periodically.

'KK-9860' Zero Loss Autodrain.

The 'KK-9860' Zero Loss Autodrain is designed to drain moisture from the Compressor Tank once the cavity inside the Autodrain has become full. This eliminates the unnecessary draining of the Tank and purging of compressed air. The Autodrain is an electrical device that requires a 120-60-1 power supply, and is supplied with a 6 foot (1.8 m) power cord.

Specifications.

- Maximum working pressure of 175 psi (12 Bar).
- Includes manual Ball Valve and Filter.
- > IP65 Electrical Protection Rating.
- > Will not operate in temperatures below freezing.

Maintenance.

- Service/maintenance can only be done when the drain is not under pressure.
- > The internal wire mesh filter must be cleaned periodically.



Electronic

Timer

Ball Valve



Compressor Unit Accessories (cont'd)

'OM-9400' Oil Monitor.

The 'OM-9400' Oil Monitor provides a means of ensuring that there is sufficient oil in the Pump during normal Compressor Unit operation. It contains a Micro-switch which registers the level of the oil in the Pump. Should the level of the oil drop below a preset level, the Micro-switch will open, causing the Unit to shut off.

The Oil Monitor is an electrical device, and requires 120 or 230 volts to operate. On Units where the voltage is 460 or 575, a Step-down Transformer or alternate power source must be provided by a Licensed Electrician. The Electrician must ensure that the wiring of the Monitor(s) meet with all applicable codes and regulations.

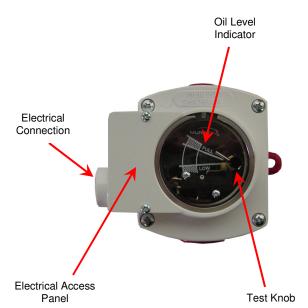
Please be advised that, in some instances, the Level Indicator may read as 'Low' on the Monitor. This is acceptable. Please test the Monitor regularly to ensure it is functioning correctly.

Specifications.

- Die cast aluminum case.
- > Internal brass float registers oil level.
- Lens allows viewing of oil level.
- Suitable for use with voltages up to 230 v ac.
- Maximum working pressure of 25 psi (1.72 Bar).

Maintenance.

- Test the Monitor on a regular basis to ensure it is working properly.
- To do this, simply turn the Test Knob in a counter-clockwise direction, there-by leading the Switch to believe the oil level is too low, and shutting the Unit off.



Beltguard Aftercooler.

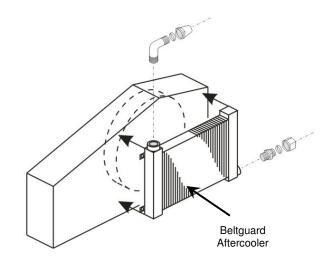
A Beltguard Aftercooler is used to decrease the temperature of the compressed air after it exits the Compressor Pump and before it enters the Tank. The compressed air is cooled as it passes through the 'radiator style' Aftercooler. The air flow created by the Pump Flywheel provides the cooling action.

Specifications.

- Maximum working pressure of 175 psi (12.08 Bar).
- Reduces the temperature of the compressed air by approx. 100°F.
- Use only the DV Systems 'OJ2000-K1' Synthetic Oil in the Compressor Pump.

Maintenance.

- The Beltguard Aftercooler must be cleaned with compressed air on a regular basis.
- Use only DV Systems 'OJ2000-K1' Synthetic Oil in the Pump to inhibit carbon build-up in the Valves.





Compressor Unit Accessories (cont'd)

Alternator Relays on Duplex Compressor Units.

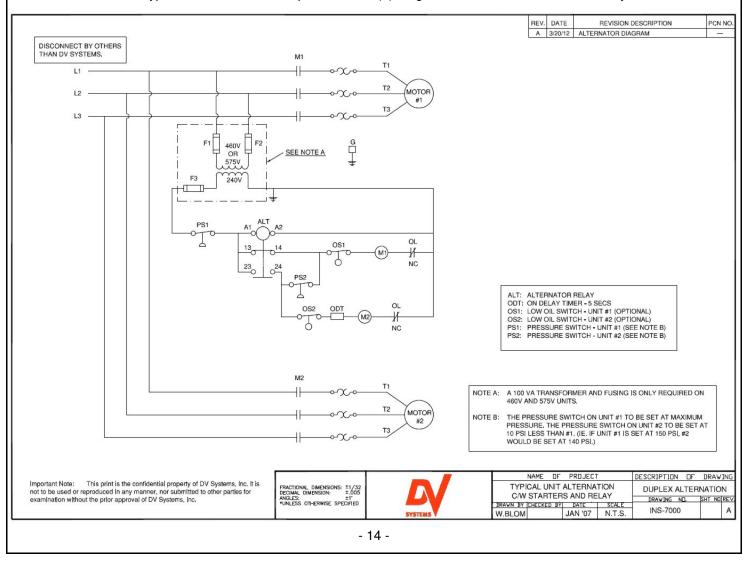
An Alternator Relay is used with a Duplex Compressor Unit, namely a Unit with two Pumps and two Motors on one large Tank. Coupled with two Magnetic Starters, the Alternator Relay allows the Pumps to alternate back and forth. This is necessary to spread the compressed air load over the two Pumps.

Designating the Pump and Motor assemblies on the Tank as being Unit #1 and Unit #2 allows the alternating to take place. The 'Lead Pressure Switch' (or 'PS1') regulates the starting of the Units, and is therefore set at the maximum pressure setting. (In smaller Compressors, this is generally the Switch with the Unloader.) The 'Lag Pressure Switch' (or 'PS2') is set at 5 to 10 psi less than the Lead Switch, and will bring the second Unit on only if the pressure in the Tank goes below that of the 'cut-in' pressure of 'PS2'. (For example, this will occur when the Unit is started at 0 psi in the Tank.)



Duplex Units having voltages of 460 or 575 have a Step-down Transformer and Primary and Secondary Fusing.

Shown below is a typical schematic for a Duplex Unit c/w (2) Magnetic Starters and Alternator Relay.



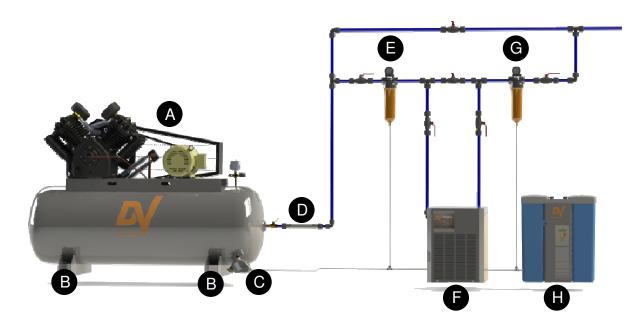
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Compressed Air System Design

In designing a compressed air system, there are several factors that must be considered. Though cost may be a factor in most designs, it cannot be the final determining factor, especially where air quality, air volume, and air pressure are critical.

Shown below is a typical layout of a compressed air system.



Item:	Component:	Description:
A	Air Compressor	Is the heart of the compressed air system. Ensure it is sized properly for the application, installed in a correct and safe manner, and in maintained according to the maintenance guidelines.
В	Vibration Isolators	Absorb any vibration caused by the normal operation of the Unit, allow for any irregularities in the floor, and help to make the Unit marginally quieter.
С	Automatic Drain	Drains the Compressor Tank on a regular basis. Available as either pneumatic or electronic operated.
D	Flex Hose	Protects the building air lines from vibration caused by the Compressor, and allows for any misalignment between the Compressor outlet and building piping.
E	Separator Filter	Acts as a pre-filter to the Refrigerated Air Dryer. Generally a 'Cyclone' or 10 micron Filter.
F	Refrigerated Air Dryer	Removes the moisture from the compressed air by lowering the temperature of the air to a few degrees above freezing.
G	Coalescing Filter	Removes oil from the compressed air. Available in 1.0 micron and 0.01 micron.
н	Oil Water Separator	Separates the oil from the moisture drained by the Compressor Tank, Refrigerated Air Dryer, and Filters. Oil is trapped by internal Filters, while the separated water is allowed to be dispensed to the building drain.

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Compressed Air System Design (cont'd)

Compressed Air Piping.

A good compressed air system not only includes the items as noted on the previous page, but it also deals with the design of the compressed air piping system in the building. Several factors that ensure a correct air system design are as follows:

- > Use a full loop piping layout whenever possible. This limits pressure losses.
- Run the Compressor and distribution system at high pressure. Regulate the air pressure at the point of use.
- Use a suitable size of piping (based on Compressor CFM and length of piping) to keep the total pressure drop in the system below 1 psi.
- > Always take drops from the top of the main headers.
- > Join pipe lengths with tees in order that additional drops can be added easily at a later date.
- > Piping material must meet all applicable provincial/state and federal codes and regulations.

Correct Piping Size.

As noted above, determining the correct size of piping is based on a) the size of the Compressor and b) the length of piping. Incorrectly sizing the piping will adversely affect the pressure or volume of air at the point of use.

Unit	Length of Piping		
HP	0' – 100'	100' – 200'	200' +
1⁄2	1⁄2"	1⁄2"	1⁄2"
1	1⁄2"	1⁄2"	1⁄2"
1-1/2	3⁄4"	3⁄4"	3⁄4"
2	3⁄4"	3⁄4"	3⁄4"
3	3⁄4"	3⁄4"	1"
5	3⁄4"	3⁄4"	1"
7-1⁄2	3⁄4"	1"	1-1/4"
10	1"	1 -1⁄4"	1-1⁄2"
15	1"	1-1/4"	1-1/2"
25	1-1/4"	1 -1⁄2"	1-1⁄2"
30	1 -1/4"	1-1⁄2"	1 -½"

Piping Material.

As with the correct sizing of the compressed air piping, the material used must also be considered. Though cost might be a concern, correct air flow, quality, safety, and longevity are factors that will outweigh the initial cost.

Many types of piping can and have been used in compressed air systems. These include (but are not limited to) PVC, iron, galvanized iron, and copper piping.

Until recently, copper pipe has proven to be the best material available to date for a compressed air system. There are now available piping systems which include the piping and all necessary fittings. These have become relatively easy to install, cost affective, and will last for many years.

Contact your DV Systems Distributor, as DV Systems offers Transair piping systems.





The size and materials used in the piping system may be governed by local Codes or Regulations. Please consult local authorities to ensure that your system design meets with all applicable criteria.



Refrigerated Air Dryers

As discussed earlier, a Refrigerated Air Dryer may be part of your compressed air system. Shown below are two Refrigerated Air Dryer models that are available through DV Systems, namely the 'ASD' and 'HTD' Dryers.



'ASD' Dryer Unit

- Has a maximum inlet temperature of 120°F.
- Must have approx. 20 feet of piping between the Compressor outlet and Dryer inlet.

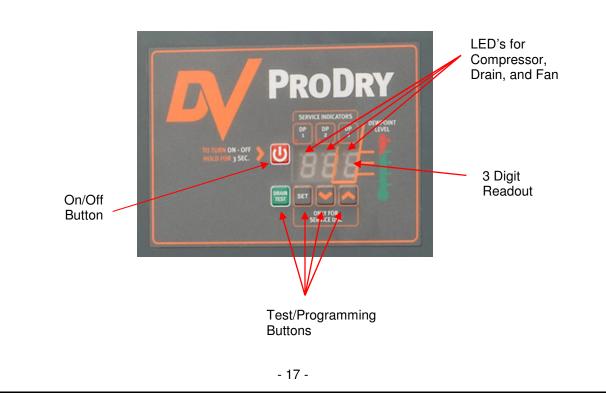


'HTD' Dryer Unit

- ≻ Has a maximum inlet temperature of 180 °F.
- Should have approx. 5 feet of piping between the Compressor outlet and Dryer inlet, this simply for servicing of the Units.

More detailed information concerning the Dryer Unit is included in the Dryer manual. The information contained in this manual is a 'quick reference' only.

Dryer Controls.





Refrigerated Air Dryers (cont'd)

Typical Dryer Operation.

The Dryer will operate as follows:

- Pressing the 'On/Off' Button for 3 seconds will start the Unit
- There is a time delay of up to 2 minutes before the Refrigerant Compressor starts.
- The Condenser Fan will start approx. 20 to 30 seconds there-after.
- The Fan will not normally run at full speed, this indicated by a flashing LED
- The readout will initially show ambient temperature indicated by 3 horizontal bars on the readout
- Once the Fan and Compressor start, the dew point of the Unit will decrease to approx. 1 °C, this indicated by 1 or no horizontal bars.
- Pressing the 'On/Off' Button (when the Unit is operating) will run the Fan at full speed for several seconds, after which the Unit will stop. (The LED will be on continually while the Fan runs at full speed.)



The Unit is ON with a normal load and is operating correctly.

• As well as showing the dew point, the readout may indicate several fault codes as suggested below.

Typical Fault Codes.

The readout will indicate a variety of 'fault codes', the most common being as follows:



Energy Saving Mode.

- The Dew Point has been running at below -1 °C for over 6 minutes.
- The Unit will automatically restart operation at 6 °C.



Temperature Probe Alarm.

- The Temperature Probe is not working properly. It may not be connected to the Board, or the Probe may be defective.
- Replace the Probe if necessary.



High Temperature Alarm.

- The Dew Point has been running at above 12.5°C for over 6 minutes. The Unit must be manually turned off and on.
- The fault could be caused by a dirty radiator, high ambient temperature, a faulty Fan, or a faulty refrigerant Compressor, to name only a few.



Compressed Air Filter Assemblies

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Typical Filter Assembly.

As indicated previously, suitable filtration may be critical applications where a) a Refrigerated Air Dryer is used, and b) where good quality air is required downstream. Shown below is a typical Filter Canister with the 'Cat-eye' Indicator. Also, shipped with the Filter Element is a label as shown below right. Affix the label to the outside of the Canister, as it indicates the correct Filter Element when it comes time to re-order.



To replace a dirty Filter Element:

- Shut the Compressor Unit off.
- Bleed any compressed air from the system to ensure there is no pressure at the Filter.
- Unscrew the Bowl from the assembly, exposing the dirty Filter Element.
- Twist the Filter Element until it comes loose.
- Replace with a new Filter Element
- Clean any debris from the inside of the Bowl, and re-install.
- Cat-eye Gauge will return to green when Filter is once again under pressure.



Trouble Shooting Guide

WARNING

When servicing the Air Compressor, shut off all power to the Unit, and drain it of air pressure.

The 'Conditions', 'Causes', and 'Suggested Corrections' as indicated below and on the following page(s) are only a guideline for failures that we have found to be most common.

Though this information is provided in this booklet, it is assumed and expected that any personnel involved in the servicing of an Air Compressor Unit is knowledgeable with this type of equipment. Do not attempt to service a Compressor Unit unless you are familiar with it, as there are many issues that may come into play, the most important being personal safety and the welfare of the Unit.

Should you have any questions, or require servicing to your Unit, please contact your local DV Systems Distributor.

Condition: Cause:		Suggested Correction:
A. Unit won't start.	No power to the Unit.	Check that power at the disconnect or breaker is on. Also, check any fuses.
	Pressure may not be low enough in the Tank to allow the Unit to start.	Drop pressure below the Pressure Switch 'cut- in' pressure.
	Loose and/or missing wires in the electrical circuit.	Check that all wiring connections are tight. With a wiring schematic, check that all wiring is present and correct.
	Starter Overload is tripped.	Reset the overload in the Magnetic Starter.
	If an Oil Monitor is mounted on the Unit, the oil level in the Pump could be too low.	Check the oil level and add oil as required.
B. No or Insufficient Air Flow.	Air Filter is dirty.	Replace the Air Filter.
TIOW.	Restricted air intake piping if a remote air intake is used.	Clean the intake Filter and piping.
	Loose Belts.	Tighten as required. Do not over-tighten.
	Pump Valves, Aftercooler, or Tank Check Valve leaking, sticking, or plugged.	Clean, repair, or replace.
	Air leaks at Compressor in piping system.	Fix leaks. Soap/water mixture will assist in finding small leaks.
	Unit is too small for the compressed air requirements.	Contact your DV Systems Distributor for assistance.



Trouble Shooting Guide (cont'd)

Condition:	Cause:	Suggested Correction:
C. Excessive Noise.	Normal sound amplified through floor or carried through remote air intake, when used.	Mount Unit on Vibration Isolators. Insulate remote intake piping from building.
	Loose Beltguard, Flywheel or Motor Pulley.	Tighten as required.
	Loose Valve in the Cylinder Head.	Inspect the Valves. Ensure they are seated properly in the Cylinder Head. Reinstall, making sure that you re-torque as necessary.
	If noisy only during start-up, check for loose Belts.	Tighten Belts until no slippage is apparent.
	Unit not installed level.	Ensure the Unit is mounted level. Use Vibration Pads.
	Improper level or grade of oil in Pump.	Use correct DV Systems oil, and check that level is correct.
	Carbon or other foreign material on Piston head.	Clean top of Piston. Check Cylinder walls for scoring.
	If the Pump is knocking, and cannot be attributed to any of the above, the Bearings in the Pump may be worn.	Worn Main Bearings can usually be detected by noticeable end play on the Flywheel. Replace the Main Bearings.
		Worn Connecting Rod Bearing Inserts can be detected by removing a Valve and watching the Piston while moving the Flywheel by hand. If the Flywheel can be moved at mid-stroke without the Piston moving, the Bearing Inserts or Connecting Rod may need to be replaced.
D. Oil Passing Downstream of Unit and Excessive	Ambient temperature is too high.	Introduce cool air, better air flow, or move Unit to cooler location.
Carbon Build-up.	Little or no air circulation around and over Unit.	Check the air circulation around the Unit. Ensure Flywheel rotation is correct, and there is 18" minimum around and 24" above Unit.
	High percentage of running time.	Check for air leaks. If no air leaks are present, the Compressor may be too small for the application.
	Obstructed Air Filter or air intake piping (if remote air intake is used).	Clean or replace as necessary.
	Too much oil in the Pump.	Reduce the amount of oil in the Pump.
	Using wrong type of compressor oil.	Change to the factory recommended oil.
	Worn Valves.	Check and repair as necessary.
	Worn Piston Rings.	Replace Piston Rings as necessary.



Trouble Shooting Guide (cont'd)

Condition: Cause:		Suggested Correction:	
E. Appearance of Water in the Air Lines and/or Oil 'milky' in Colour.	Tank is not being drained regularly.	Drain the Tank on a daily basis. Purchase a Tank Autodrain if required.	
	Unit is not being used enough to burn off any water in the Pump.	If using the Unit very infrequently, run for 30 minutes when used to burn off water.	
		An oil/water mixture can cause premature issues with the Pump. Check the oil regularly and change more often then suggested in the Maintenance Schedule.	
F. Compressor Over- heating.	Undersized Unit for air requirements.	Maximum operating time, based on an 8 hour day, is 75% to 80%, which related to 45 minutes per hour.	
	Dirt accumulation on outside of Pump.	Clean Pump.	
	Compressor too close to building wall/obstructions.	Move Compressor so Beltguard is a minimum of 18" away from nearest obstruction. See Page 2.	
	Pump rotating in wrong direction.	Correct rotation of the Flywheel. See Page 10.	
	Air leaks on Unit or in air lines.	Fix leaks. Soap/water mixture will assist in finding small leaks.	
	Remote air intake piping (if used) is too small or plugged.	Clean or replace piping.	
	Restricted Air Intake Filter.	Replace Air Filter.	
	Improper level or type of oil in Pump.	Refer to 'Lubrication' on Page 8.	
	Worn or carbonned Valves in Cylinder Head, Aftercooler Tube, or Check Valve.	Clean or replace as required.	
G. Belts Roll Off Motor Pulley and/or Flywheel.	Flywheel and Motor Pulley are not aligned.	Align using a straight edge.	
Tulley and/or Flywheel.	If two or more Belts are used, Belts may not be matched set.	Purchase a new set of matched belts.	
	A nick or tear on the edge of a belt.	Purchase a new set of matched belts.	
	Belts do not match the Flywheel/Pulley groove (such as 'A' or 'B' section).	Purchase a new set of Belts, paying close attention to 'A' or 'B' section requirement.	
H. Flywheel or Motor Pulley	Clamping Bolt not tight on Flywheel.	Tighten as required.	
Wobbles or Comes Loose.	Set Screw on Motor Pulley came loose.	Take existing Set Screw out and purchase new one. Set Screws have Loctite coating, and can only be used once.	



Trouble Shooting Guide (cont'd)

Condition:	<u>Cause:</u>	Suggested Correction:
I. Crack in Air Receiver.	This condition is rare, and can be caused by damage during transit or incorrect mounting on site.	Do not attempt to repair the Tank. Do not continue to operate the Compressor Unit. Contact your local DV Distributor for further guidance.
J. Compressor Pump Seizes.	Started without oil in the Pump. Pump ran low on oil. Worn Connecting Rod bearing Inserts. Piston and Pin Assembly seized. Worn Crankshaft Bearings. High ambient temperature or very high duty cycle.	The Pump will require a complete overhaul, at which time the defective parts must be replaced.
K. Oil Leaks or the Appearance of Oil on the Compressor.	Oil was spilled when filling the Pump.	Use care when filling with oil. Wipe any spills immediately.
	Over-filling of the Pump with oil.	Drain oil until proper level is reached.
	Leak at Oil Fill Plug.	Check Filler Plug. Change O Ring.
	Leak at Oil Drain.	Ensure Pipe Nipple and Cap are sealed.
	Oil leak at Gaskets, Cap Screws, Cylinder Head, Cylinder, or Crankcase. Oil Seal leak.	Initially, retorque fasteners to factory specs. If leaks persist, replace Gasket. Use Loctite Form- a-Gasket on Head Bolts and Crankcase to Cylinder Bolts. Inspect Crankshaft for any scratches or burrs.
		Use emery cloth. Replace Oil Seal as required.
L. Unloader Does Not Function, or Leaks When Unit Operating.	Unloader may be dirty or faulty.	Clean, repair, or replace.
	If using a CPR, the Pump may not be turning fast enough for CPR Valve to close. Minimum rpm for CPR Valve to close is 500 rpm.	Ensure the Pump is operating at a minimum of 500 rpm.
M. Unloader Leaks Constantly When Unit is Not Operating.	The Disc inside the Tank Check Valve is not seating properly, allowing the compressed air in the Tank to escape.	Clean or replace the Check Valve as required.
N. Intercooler Safety Valve Pops Continuously.	Dirty or defective Valves will cause back pressure.	Clean, repair or replace the Valves.
	Intercooler clogged with carbon.	Clean or replace.
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DV Systems Limited Warranties Heavy Duty Industrial Air Compressors

DV Systems 7 Year Limited Pump Warranty.

DV Systems has implemented a 7 Year Limited Pump Warranty, this being unprecedented in the Piston Compressor market. The Warranty reflects the DV Systems commitment to providing quality Air Compressor Units to our Customers, this being the cornerstone of our long history in building Heavy Duty Industrial Air Compressors.

The '7 Year Limited Warranty' applies only to those Pump Assemblies that:

- ➤ are provided on and sold as a complete DV Systems 'HDI' Heavy Duty Cast Iron Compressor Unit. Pumps sold as 'separate sale items' or being installed on Units having the 'IS' or 'SDI' designation are governed by their own Warranty applicable to that product.
- > have been manufactured by DV Systems after January 1, 2007.
- have been registered with the manufacturer within thirty (30) days from the date of purchase or 7 months from the date of manufacture (whichever occurs first), this done by returning the completed 'Warranty Registration Card' by email, fax, or post or by registering the warranty online at www.dvcompressors.com.
- have been maintained in accordance with the DV Systems 'Preventative Maintenance Schedule' as provided here-in.
- have been maintained and serviced using only 'Genuine DV Systems' parts and kits, this including (but not limited to) Oil and Filters.
- > are property of the original owner. The warranty is not transferrable.

DV Systems 5 Year Limited Motor Warranty – 3 Phase Motors Only.

With the above noted Warranty, DV Systems has also implemented a 5 Year Limited Motor Warranty for 3-Phase Motors. This Warranty applies only to those Motors that:

- are provided on and sold as a complete DV Systems 'HDI' Heavy Duty Cast Iron Compressor Unit. Motors sold as 'separate sale items' or being installed on Units having the 'IS' or 'SDI' designation are governed by their own Warranty applicable to that product.
- > are provided on 'HDI' Units manufactured by DV Systems after January 1, 2007.
- have been registered (along with the Compressor Unit) with DV Systems within thirty (30) days from the date of purchase or 7 months from the date of manufacture (whichever occurs first), this done by returning the completed 'Warranty Registration Card' by email, fax, or post or by registering the warranty online at www.dvcompressors.com.
- > have been maintained in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations as provided with the Unit.
- > are property of the original owner. The warranty is not transferrable.

The 'Five Year Limited Motor Warranty' includes repair parts / Motor assemblies only, this at the discretion of DV Systems. Any costs of labour, shipping, or travel incurred are not included in the Limited Warranty.

Please note that single phase Motors are explicitly excluded from this Warranty.



DV Systems Limited Warranty Heavy Duty Industrial Air Compressors

Subject to the terms and conditions contained herein, DV Systems Inc. (the "Manufacturer") warrants that the Air Compressor (the "Product") shall be free of defects in material and workmanship (the "Warranty") for a period of one (1) year from the date of purchase, not to exceed eighteen (18) months from the date of manufacture (the "Warranty Period"). This Warranty is subject to the following terms and conditions:

- when in use, the Product must be properly installed, operated, applied and maintained in accordance with procedures and recommendations outlined in the Manufacturer's instruction manuals;
- all claims under this Warranty must be brought to the attention of the Manufacturer within the Warranty Period;
- the Warranty shall continue to apply to any Product or part of the Product replaced or repaired under the Warranty for the remaining term of the Warranty Period as would have been applicable to the original Product or part of the Product;
- this Warranty is applicable to the original purchaser of the Product and is not transferable;
- this Warranty does not apply to a Product that is purchased outside Canada or the continental United States (the "Territory"); and
- any service on the Product must be performed by the Manufacturer or, if by another party, only with the prior written authorization of the Manufacturer.

If there is a defect in the material or workmanship of the Product to which the Warranty applies, the Manufacturer will repair or replace the Product or part of the Product determined to be defective by the Manufacturer, in its sole and reasonable discretion. This Warranty applies only to parts and labour necessary to correct a defect in the Product.

This Warranty shall be deemed void if:

- any service on the Product is performed by any party other than the Manufacturer or his agent without the prior written authorization of the Manufacturer;
- the Product is not properly maintained as detailed in the Manufacturer's instruction manuals; or
- the Product is subject to misapplication, misuse, abuse, neglect, incorrect maintenance or accident.

This Product is subject to ordinary wear and tear ("Ordinary Wear and Tear"), which particularly applies to parts that are subjected to friction or that may generally have a known useful life (including but not limited to compressor pump rings, valves and bearings). The Manufacturer shall determine, in its sole and reasonable discretion, if a Product or part of a Product has been subject to Ordinary Wear and Tear. This Warranty does not apply to Ordinary Wear and Tear. In addition, without limiting the foregoing, this Warranty does not apply to:

- all shipping and handling charges
- · compressor pumps using other than the recommended compressor pump lubricant;
- · costs of removal, replacement, or repair of Product without previous authorization from Manufacturer;
- expenses incurred by a technician for travel or lodging beyond a 100 kilometre (60 mile) distance or 1 hour driving time from the nearest DV Systems Authorized Service Centre;
- · damages resulting from transportation, installation, or servicing;
- products, parts, materials, components or accessories manufactured by parties other than the Manufacturer or supplied in connection with the sale of the Manufacturer's Product; and
- the cost of rental or loaner equipment provided to the customer while the Product is being assessed, repaired, or replaced.

To the maximum extent permitted by state, provincial or federal law, this warranty is in lieu of all other warranties, expressed or implied, including the implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose. In some jurisdictions, the duration of implied warranties is hereby expressly limited to the duration of the express warranty stated above.

To the maximum extent permitted by state, provincial, or federal law, in no event, whether as a result of breach of warranty or contract, tort (including negligence) strict liability or otherwise, shall the manufacturer be liable for indirect, special, incidental, or consequential damages, including but not limited to loss of use of the product or associated equipment, lost revenues or profits or cost of substitute equipment relating to or arising out of the use of the product or a claim under this warranty howsoever caused.

In order to make a claim under this Warranty, the customer must first call DV Systems Warranty Department at the number shown on this warranty.

All returns must be pre-authorized, returned 'Freight Prepaid', and accompanied by a 'Return Material Authorization (RMA) Number'. All decisions made by the Manufacturer with regard to this Warranty shall be final. The Manufacturer will not be responsible for any claimed defective materials returned other than in accordance with this statement of policy or without its prior written authorization.

