Technical Information
Axial Piston Pumps
Series 20
Danfoss a world leader in hydraulic power systems has developed a family of axial piston pumps.

Danfoss axial piston variable displacement pumps are of swash plate design with variable flow capability suitable for hydrostatic transmissions with closed loop circuit. Tilting the swash plate to the opposite side of the neutral or zero displacement position reverses flow direction.

Danfoss axial piston variable displacement pumps are well engineered and easy to handle. The full-length shaft with a highly efficient tapered roller bearing arrangement offers a high loading capacity for external radical forces. The hydro-mechanical servo displacement control maintains the selected swash plate position and hence pumps displacement. Upon release of the control handle, the swash plate automatically returns to zero position and the flow reduces to zero. High case pressures can be achieved without leakage even at the lowest temperatures by using suitable shaft seals. The servo valve arrangement offers the facility to incorporate function regulators and remote control systems.

Axial piston units are designed for easy servicing. Complete dismantling and reassembly can be carried out with standard hand tools, and all components or sub-assemblies are replaceable. Axial piston variable displacement pumps of the Danfoss pattern are made by licensed producers worldwide, providing consistent service and fully interchangeable parts.

Typical markets

- Industrial
- Mining
- Transit Mixer
- Utility Vehicles
General Description

Axial Piston Variable Displacement Pump

Sectional View

Swash plate
Control handle
Servo valve (control valve)
Charge pump
Charge check valve
Shaft seal
Cylinder block assembly
Servo cylinder
Design 1
Design 2
General Description

Pump and Motor Circuit Description

Above figure shows schematically the function of a hydrostatic transmission using an axial piston variable displacement pump and a fixed displacement motor.

Pump Circuit Schematic

Designation:
1 = Variable displacement pump
2 = Charge pump
3 = Servo control valve
4 = Charge check valve
5 = Charge relief valve
6 = Filter
7 = Heat exchanger

Ports:
A, B = Main pressure ports (working loop)
S = Suction port - charge pump
L1, L2 = Drain ports
M = Gauge port - charge pressure
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Technical Parameters

**Design**
Axial piston pump of swash plate design, with variable displacement.

**Type of mounting**
SAE four bolt flanges.

**Pipe connections**
Main pressure ports: SAE split flange
Remaining ports: SAE O-ring boss

**Direction of rotation**
Clockwise or counterclockwise (viewing from the input shaft).

**Installation position**
Optional; pump housing must be always filled with hydraulic fluid.

**External drain fluid loss**

![Graph showing external drain fluid loss vs. driveshaft speed](image-url)

Typical values for 350 bar [5076 psi] and 18° swashplate angle.

- Driveshaft speed $n$ (min$^{-1}$) (rpm)
- External drain fluid loss (l/min)
- (US gal/min)
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Hydraulic Parameters

System pressure range, input $p_1$
Variable displacement pump:
Charge pressure nominal: 13 bar [189 psi] above case pressure
Charge pressure minimum: 8 bar [116 psi], intermittent only

Charge pump input pressure:
Min. allowable pressure, continuous = 0.75 bar [10.9 psi] absolute
Min. allowable pressure, intermittent = 0.50 bar [7.3 psi] absolute (for cold start)

Charge pump output pressure:
Max. operating pressure = 35 bar [508 psi] above case pressure

System pressure range, output $p_2$
Pressure on port A or B:
Max. operating pressure $\Delta p = 420$ bar [6092 psi]
Max. high pressure setting $\Delta p = 460$ bar [6672 psi] 1

Case pressure
Max. rated pressure = 2.5 bar [36.3 psi]
Intermittent = 5.0 bar [72.5 psi]

Hydraulic fluids
Refer to Danfoss publications Hydraulic Fluids and Lubricants, 520L0463 and Experience with Biodegradable Hydraulic Fluids, 520L0465.

Temperature range
$\theta_{\text{min}} = -40 ^\circ C [-40 ^\circ F]$
$\theta_{\text{max}} = 95 ^\circ C [203 ^\circ F]$

Viscosity range
$\nu_{\text{min}} = 7 \text{ mm}^2/\text{s} [49 \text{ SUS}^*]$
$\nu_{\text{max}} = 1000 \text{ mm}^2/\text{s} [4630 \text{ SUS}^*] \text{ (intermittent cold start)}$
Recommended viscosity range: 12 - 60 mm$^2$/s [66 - 280 SUS$^*$]

Filtration
Required cleanliness level: ISO 4406 - 1999 Code 22/18/13 or better. Refer to Danfoss publication Hydraulic Fluids and Lubricants, 520L0463 and Design Guideline for Hydraulic Fluid Cleanliness, 520L0467.

Shaft load
The pump will accept radial and axial loads on its shaft, the maximum capacity being determined by direction and point of application of the load. Please contact your Danfoss representative.
### Technical Specification

#### Technical Data

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<td>min⁻¹ (rpm)</td>
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<td>Maximum swash plate angle</td>
<td>degree</td>
<td>±18</td>
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<td>kg m² · 10⁻³ [lbf ft² · 10⁻³]</td>
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<td>Weight</td>
<td>kg [lb]</td>
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1 for higher speeds contact your Sauer-Danfoss representative.

#### Determination of Nominal Pump Sizes

Use these formulae to determine the nominal pump size for a specific application:

**Based on SI units**

- **Output flow:**
  \[ Q = \frac{V_g \cdot n \cdot \eta_v}{1000} \text{ l/min} \]

- **Input torque:**
  \[ M = \frac{V_g \cdot \Delta p}{20 \cdot \pi \cdot \eta_m} \text{ N·m} \]

- **Input power:**
  \[ P = \frac{M \cdot n}{9550} = \frac{Q \cdot \Delta p}{600 \cdot \eta_t} \text{ kW} \]

**Based on US units**

- **Output flow:**
  \[ Q = \frac{V_g \cdot n \cdot \eta_v}{231} \text{ [US gal/min]} \]

- **Input torque:**
  \[ M = \frac{V_g \cdot \Delta p}{2 \cdot \pi \cdot \eta_m} \text{ [lbf·in]} \]

- **Input power:**
  \[ P = \frac{M \cdot n}{63,025} = \frac{Q \cdot \Delta p}{1714 \cdot \eta_t} \text{ [hp]} \]

**Variables:**

- \( V_g \) = Displacement per rev. [cm³/rev [in³/rev]]
- \( p_o \) = Outlet pressure [bar [psi]]
- \( p_i \) = Inlet pressure [bar [psi]]
- \( \Delta p = p_o - p_i \) [bar [psi]]
- \( n \) = Speed [min⁻¹ (rpm)]
- \( \eta_v \) = Volumetric efficiency
- \( \eta_m \) = Mechanical (torque) efficiency
- \( \eta_t \) = Overall efficiency (\( \eta_v \cdot \eta_m \))
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Servo Displacement Control (linear response)

Regulated by the control handle on the servo valve, the swash plate can be infinitely varied in both directions with the help of the servo system. The pump displacement resulting from any control handle position can be established using the figures on this page. The angle of the control handle for stroke initiation and for the final position of the stroke can vary from unit to unit within the range of the tolerance band. The inter-relation of flow direction, rotation of the pump and the control handle movement is shown below.

Pump flow direction

Flow direction changes with the direction of rotation and the control handle movement (see besides).

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Pump rotation</th>
<th>Movement of control handle in direction</th>
<th>Pressure port OUT</th>
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SPV2/070

SPV2/089

SPV2/334
Reversing time
Time for the directional change of the flow from \( Q_{\text{max}} \) across zero to \( Q_{\text{max}} \), depending on the size of the control orifice fitted in the supply port to the servo valve (see below).

The values given assume movement of the control handle directly from one end position to the other.

- Adjustment time of handle: < minimum reserving time
- Operating pressure: \( \Delta p_2 = 210 \text{ bar} \) [3046 psi]
- Speed: \( n = 1450 \text{ min}^{-1} \) (rpm)
- System temperature: 50 °C [122 °F]
- Viscosity: 35 mm²/s [164 SUS]

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<th>Maximum reversing time (s) with orifice Ø 0.66 in supply port</th>
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<td>334</td>
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Schematic diagram of servo valve with alternative orifice positions
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Servo Displacement Control (linear response) (continued)

**Reset time**

Time for reducing the flow from either flow direction from $Q_{\text{max}}$ to 0 releasing the control handle. Assuming no mechanical blockage of the control handle’s free return and assuming no orifices in the pilot ports:

- Operating pressure: $\Delta p_2 = 210$ bar [3046 psi]
- System temperature: 50 °C [122 °F]
- Viscosity: 35 mm$^2$/s [164 SUS]

**Changing reversing and reset time**

*Servo valve counter bored recesses for orifice insert*

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Inserting one orifice in each of the pilot ports can extend the reversing time. The reset time will also be extended.

Inserting an orifice in one of the pilot ports only can extend the reversing time in one flow direction. The reset time will be extended only for this flow direction.
## Dimensions

- **Frame Size 070 and 089 cm³**

**Configuration PS, displacement control VML 1**

### Dimensions - mm [in]

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* Minimum and maximum angle \( \alpha \), (see section [Servo displacement control](#)).

** Shaft spline data: spline shaft with involute spline, according to SAE handbook, 1963, class 1, fillet root side fit.**

### Shaft spline data**

- Pitch Ø = \( P \)
- Pressure angle = 30°
- Number of teeth = \( R \)
- Pitch = \( S \)

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Dimensions
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Configuration AA 010,
displacement control VML 1

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Circuit schematic

Designation:
1 = Variable Displacement pump
3 = Servo control valve
4 = Charge check valve
7 = Heat exchanger

Ports:
A, B = Main pressure ports (working loop)
L1, L2 = Drain ports
M = Gauge port - charge pressure
Dimensions
- Frame Size 334 cm³

Configuration PS,
displacement control VML 1

Coupling may not protrude beyond 48 mm maximum length of full spline

Shaft spline data:
- Pitch Ø = 63.500
- Pressure angle = 30°
- Number of teeth = 27
- Pitch = 16/32
- Internal opening for grooving = 61.93 ± 0.062

* Minimum and maximum angle α, (see section servo displacement control).
** Shaft spline data: spline shaft with involute spline, according to SAE handbook, 1963, class 1, fillet root side fit.
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