

Instruction Manual for Model

# HYDRO 800 CD-8

Hydraulic Generator

# GENERAL INFORMATION MODEL: HYDRO 800CD-8

GENERATOR..... BRUSHLESS

GENERATOR...... 3600 (60 Hz)

GENERATOR VOLTAGE...... 120 or 120/240

MOTOR STARTING...... 300% SURGE

VOLTAGE REGULATOR..... INHERENT

OUTPUT...... 8000 WATTS CONTINUOUS

9000 WATTS PEAK AT

 $100^{\circ}\,F\,OIL\,TEMPERATURE$ 

HYDRAULIC MOTOR..... GEAR TYPE CASE DRAIN

 $PRESSURED\ TYPE$ 

FLOW CONTROL (OPTIONAL)..... CARTRIDGE TYPE

MAXIMUM SPEED..... 4200RPM

(3600 RPM IDEAL)

CONTINUOUS

PRESSURE RATING...... 3000 PSI

**PORT SIZE** 

INLET..... 1 1/16 - 12 S.A.E.

RETURN...... 1 1/16 - 12 S.A.E.

CASE DRAIN 7/16 4 S.A.E.

### <u>RECOMMENDATIONS</u> MODEL: HYDRO 800CD-8

HIGH PRESSURE LINE ...... 3/4 inch

LOW PRESSURE LINE..... 1 inch

FLOW RATE ...... 8 GPM

FOR BEST RESULTS KEEP HYDRAULIC OIL TEMPERATURE BETWEEN 80°F AND 120°F. DO NOT EXCEED 175°F.

#### OIL COOLER IS RECOMMENDED.

MAXIMUM BACK PRESSURE ..... 150 PSI

OPEN CENTER 2500 PSI SYSTEMS.

RECOMMEND FILTER ..... 10m

RECOMMEND HYDRAULIC OIL ...... DEXTRON III A.T.F.

RECOMMEND RESERVOIR SIZE...... MINIMUM 45 GAL. WITHOUT A COOLER

(Only 5 gallons if you use a cooler)

### INSTALLATION TIPS

Excessive pressure in your return line will damage the hydraulic motor seal. High back pressure can be caused by "spikes" sent back through the return from other equipment on a common return line. Another potential problem can develop if several pieces of equipment are connected to one "common" return line causing a high back pressure (150 PSI is the maximum). We recommend you run the case drain line from the generator back to the cooling tank with a separate line.

If our hydraulic generator is to be used on a truck or system that will be changing speeds, such as, in a fire truck (pumping water) we suggest you use a load sensing piston type pump rather than a fixed displacement gear type. The system will run much cooler and more efficient.

### **Initial Installation and Start-Up**

Be sure you set the hydraulic flow (GPM) to the generator at Approximately 62.5 HZ or 3750 RPM with NO electrical load on the generator.

By using this setting you will have approximately 60HZ (cycles) or 3600 RPM when you are running at full rated load.

One way this can be accomplished is by using a Photo Tachometer on our generator coupling or generator cooling fan.

A Photo Tachometer is an inexpensive tool that can be purchased at McMasters, Grainger, Sears or any other electrical supplier.

### TECHNICAL INFORMATION

These self-excited and self-regulating generators, although overall dimensions have been reduced to a minimum, are designed for high-level electrical performance and the maximum in operating reliability.

**PRELIMINARY CHECKS:** Before touching the machines, perform a thorough and in depth visual

inspection, checking that components are correctly connected up and

that no cables or terminals are broken or loose.

STARTING UP: Make sure, when starting up, that cooling air intake and discharge openings

are free and unblocked. We also recommend (when the machine operates in a dusty environment) do periodic checks to make sure it is properly

ventilated

**THE IMPORTANCE OF SPEED:** Frequency and voltage depend directly on rotation speed. This must be

kept as constantly as possible on its nominal value no matter what the load. Drive motor speed control systems generally have a small drop in

speed between no load and loaded conditions. We therefore recommend setting no load speed 3÷4% above nominal speed.

**CHECKING VOLTAGE:** All the machines are regulated during factory testing. If voltage

readings differ from the value indicated on the name plate, this maybe caused by a mistaken reading or by a different rotation speed and we recommend regulating motor speed in order to have nominal RPM

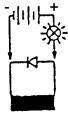
under loaded conditions.

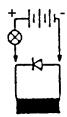
**CHECKING THE DIODES:** For the ohmmeter test it is best to disconnect the diode from its circuit.

Measure continuity in one direction only. The test can also be made without disconnecting the diode form the circuit, using a 12V battery and a 45 watt light bulb (automobile light) as shown in the illustration. The light should turn totally on only in one direction, as shown below.

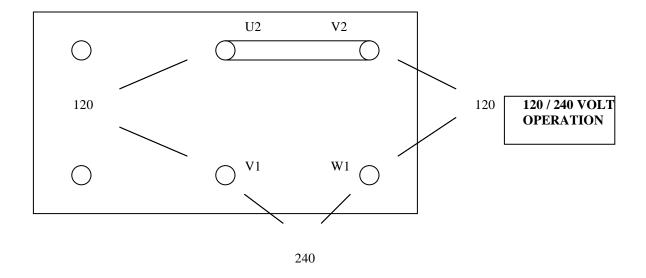
#### WINDING RESISTANCE AT 20° C ROOM TEMPERATURE

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Stator $\Omega$	Rotor $\Omega$	Exciter $\Omega$	
0.7	9.22	4.0	
0.7	9.28	4.0	
0.54	2.97	2.24	
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0.49	2.85	4.41	
0.109	4.67	1.30	
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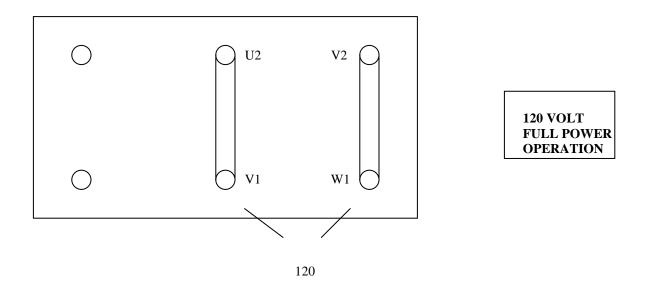




## **ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS**

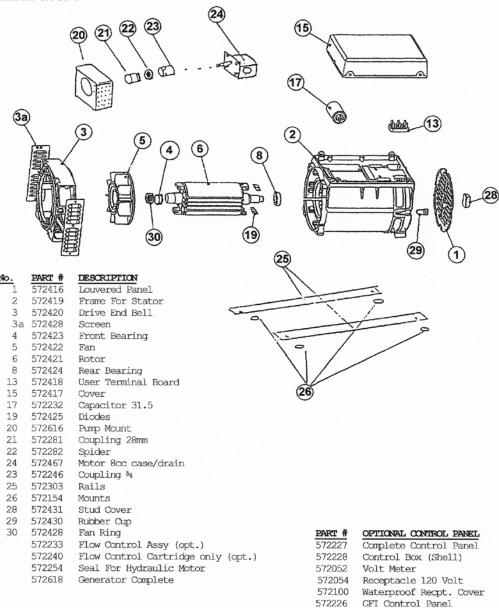


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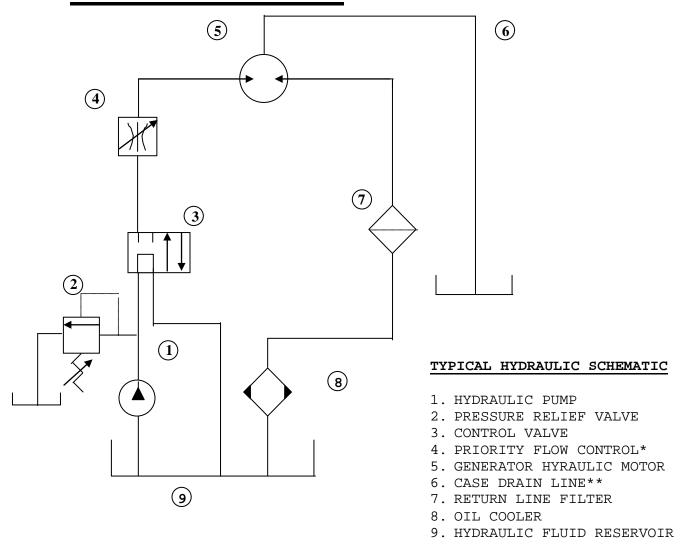
## PARTS BREAKDOWN HYDRO 800 CD-8



## TROUBLE SHOOTING

PROBLEMS	CAUSES	REMEDIES
ALTERNATOR EXCITATION FAILURE	1. Low Speed	Check RPM and set at nominal value.
	<ul><li>2. Faulty capacitor</li><li>3. Faulty winding</li></ul>	<ol> <li>Check and replace.</li> <li>Check that winding resistance is as shown in the tables.</li> </ol>
HIGH NO-LOAD VOLTAGE	<ol> <li>Speed too high.</li> <li>Capacitor with high capacity.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Check and adjust RPM's</li> <li>Check and replace</li> </ol>
LOW NO-LOAD VOLTAGE	<ol> <li>Speed too low.</li> <li>Faulty rotary diodes.</li> <li>Breakdown in windings.</li> <li>Capacitor with high capacity.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Check and adjust RPM's</li> <li>Check and replace.</li> <li>Check winding resistance, as per tables.</li> <li>Check and replace.</li> </ol>
PROPER NO-LOAD BUT LOW LOADED VOLTAGE	<ol> <li>Low loaded speed.</li> <li>Load too large.</li> <li>Rotary diodes short-circuited</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Check and regulate RPM.</li> <li>Check and change.</li> <li>Check and replace.</li> </ol>
UNSTABLE VOLTAGE	<ol> <li>Loose contacts.</li> <li>Uneven rotation.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Check connections.</li> <li>Check for uniform rotation speed.</li> </ol>
NOISY GENERATOR	<ol> <li>Broken bearings.</li> <li>Poor couplings.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Replace.</li> <li>Check and repair.</li> </ol>

# FIXED DISPLACEMENT TYPE GEAR PUMP

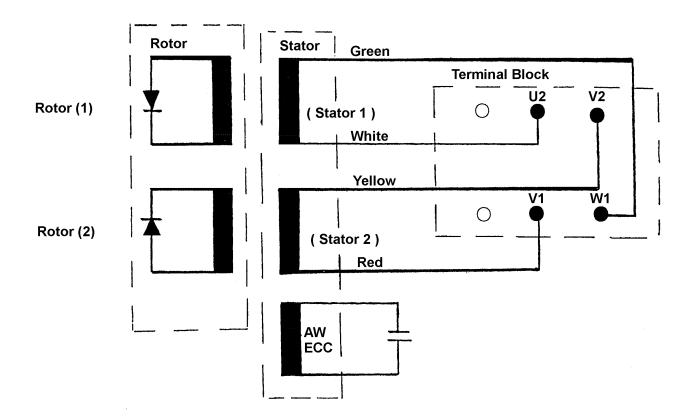


- \* Some units may be equipped with integral priority flow control, refer to specific model number.
- \*\* External case drain line may be required on some units refer to specific model number.

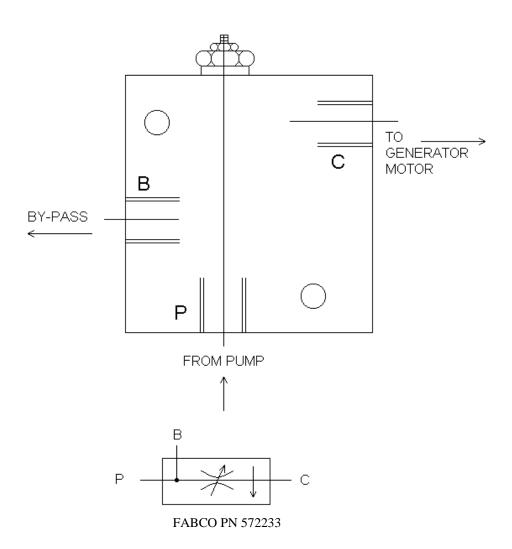
  When external case drain is required it should be unobstructed direct return to reservoir with a minimum I.D. no less than that of case drain port on generator motor.

FOR SPECIFIC INSTALLATION RECOMMENDATIONS CONSULT FACTORY

### BRUSHLESS GENERATOR WIRING



# FABCO BY-PASS FLOW CONTROL



NOTE: THIS ASSEMBLY ONLY NEEDED WITH FIXED DISPLACEMENT TYPE GEAR PUMP.

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