

Hydraulic Pump VP1-120

Variable displacement Pressure up to 350 bar

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Conversion factors	
1 kg	2.20 lb
1 N	0.225 lbf
1 Nm	0.738 lbf ft
1 bar	14.5 psi
1 I	0.264 US gallon
1 cm ³	0.061 cu in
1 mm	0.039 in
1 kW	1.34 hp
⁹ / ₅ °C + 32	°F



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Hydraulic Pump

VP1-120

The VP1-120 is the world's most powerful variable displacement pump for truck applications. It can be close-coupled to a gearbox PTO (power take-off) or to a coupling independent PTO (e.g. an engine PTO) which meets ISO standard 7653-1985.

An application that makes full use of all the features of the VP1 is truck cranes with a load sensing system. The complex systems of refuse collection vehicles and sewage trucks as well as various combinations of tippers, cranes, snow ploughs, and salt/sand spreaders can also be greatly simplified and optimised with the VP1 pump.

The VP1 provides the hydraulic system with the correct amount of fluid at precisely the right moment, effectively reducing energy consumption and heat generation. This means a smoother and quieter running system with much reduced impact on the environment.

The VP1 is highly efficient, has a small installation envelop and is extremely light. It is reliable, economical and easy to install.

The new frame size, VP1-120, has almost the same installation dimensions as the VP1-45 and VP1-75, and is suitable for all load sensing systems, regardless of make.

Features

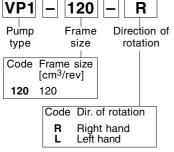
- Low energy consumption
- Strong and reliable
- 11 pistons for low noise and smooth running
- Compact and light
- Improved overall economy
- High power-to-weight ratio
- Sturdy design.

Specifications

Frame size	VP1-120
Max displacement [cm ³ /rev]	120
Max pressure [bar] - intermittent 1) - continuous 2)	350 300
Response time [ms] - max-to-min - min-to-max	20–40 100–140
Selfpriming speed ³⁾ [rpm] 2 ¹ / ₂ " suction line, max	1 800
Max input power [kW]	125
Control type	LS
Shaft end spline	DIN 5462
Mounting flange	ISO 7653-1985
Weight (with control) [kg]	26.9

- 1) Max 6 seconds in any one minute.
- 2) Refer to page 6: LS control.
- 3) At an inlet pressure of 1.0 bar (abs.) with mineral oil at a viscosity of 30 mm²/s (cSt).

Ordering information



Standard model numbers

Model	Ordering no.
VP1-120-R	378 3182
VP1-120-L	378 3183

NOTE: - The direction of rotation cannot be changed. The desired direction of rotation must be stated when ordering

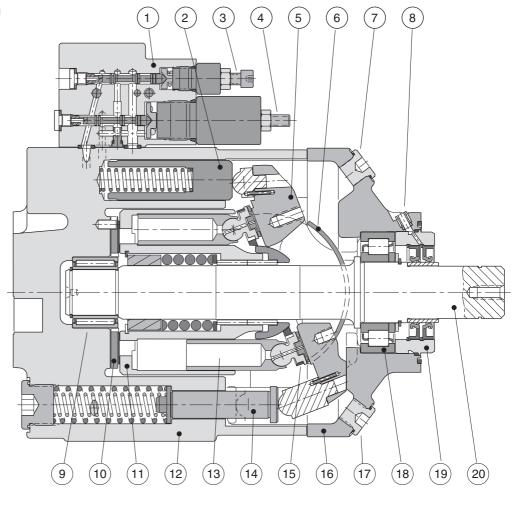
> The suction fittings must be ordered separately (see information on page 7).



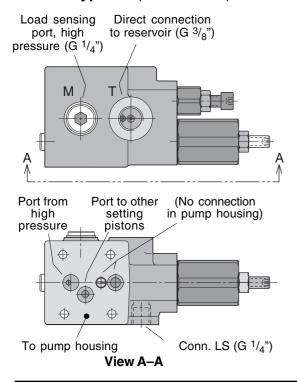
Cross section; valve block

VP1-120 cross section

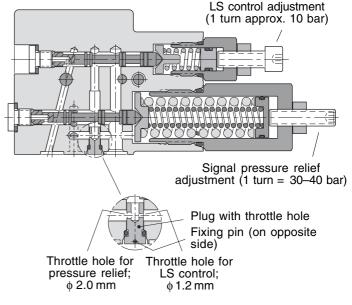
- 1. Control
- 2. Setting piston
- 3. Setting screw for LS control
- 4. Setting screw for pressure relief
- 5. Swash plate
- 6. Bearing shell
- 7. Purge plug
- 8. Drain for shaft seal
- 9. Needle bearing
- 10. Valve plate
- 11. Cylinder barrel
- 12. Barrel housing
- 13. Piston with piston shoe
- 14. Setting piston
- 15. Retainer plate
- 16. Bearing housing
- 17. Purge plug
- 18. Roller bearing
- 19. Shaft seals with carrier
- 20. Input shaft



Control type LS (for VP1-120)

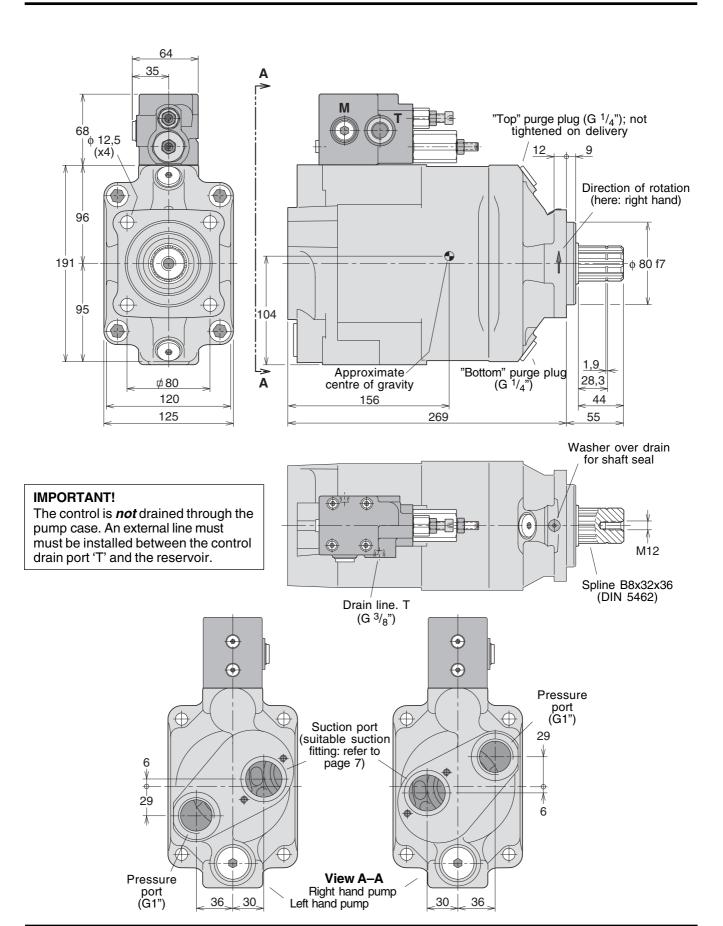


Cross section of VP1-120 control.



Note: See also the schematic on page 6.







LS load sensing control (for VP1-120)

The VP1 pump can be used with any load sensing valve on the market. The control governs the pump flow to the hydraulic system as determined by the pressure differential, Δp , between the pump pressure and the signal pressure.

At a certain 'opening' of the directional valve, the pump flow is kept constant (up to max specified rpm and pressure limits of the pump) even if the pump pressure changes due to increasing or decreasing work load.

The LS control, consisting of a valve body, which is installed

on the main pump housing, determines the pressure levels for "standby pressure" (Δp) and "pressure relief". Both functions are adjustable.

As shown in the figure below, the control is connected to the system pressure, the LS signal and the setting piston.

When the pump does not need to deliver flow to any consumers (no-flow mode), the pressure in the signal line is zero. This means that the pump maintains the "standby" pressure as determined by the setting in the setting spring.

LS load sensing control function

Refer to the hydraulic schematic on the right. A selected 'opening' of the directional control valve spool corresponds to a certain flow to the work function. This flow, in turn, creates a pressure differential Δp over the spool and, consequently, also a pressure differential between the pump outlet and the LS port.

When the differential pressure decreases (e.g. the directional valve is 'opened' further) the Δp also decreases and the LS valve spool moves to the left. The pressure to the setting pistons then decreases and the pump displacement increases.

The increase in pump displacement stops when the Δp finally reaches the setting and the forces acting on the valve spool are equal.

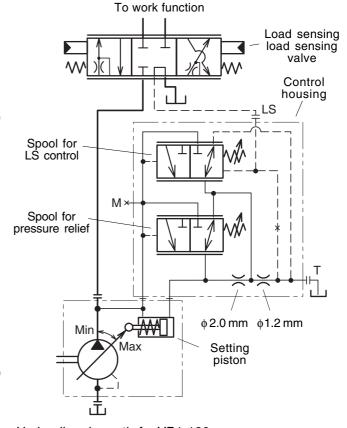
If there is no LS signal pressure (e.g. when the directional valve is in the neutral position) the pump only delivers sufficient flow to maintain the standby pressure as determined by the setting.

Control adjustments

- Signal pressure limiter
 The valve is factory set at 275 bar but is adjustable to 350 bar.
- Standby pressure
 Δp is factory set at 25 bar but is adjustable to 35 bar.

The 25 bar setting and the standard orifice sizes shown (see also "Control type LS", page 4), will usually provide an acceptable directional valve characteristic as well as physical system stability.

For additional information, contact Parker Hannifin.



Hydraulic schematic for VP1-120.

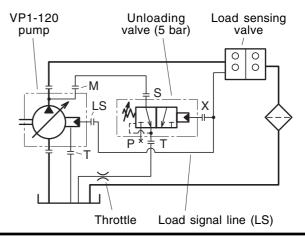
BPV-VP1 unloading valve*

The BPV unloading valve for the VP1-120 is utilized in hydraulic systems where the pump is operating constantly. The valve, which requires no additional control valve, allows the pump to operate off-load for long periods, for example when fitted to a PTO.

The valve protects the pump from overheating in the off-load mode by allowing a small flow through the pump (refer to the schematic to the right). When a load sensing valve function is engaged, the bypass flow is cut off (as port 'X' is being pressurized).

Valve	Ordering	Rated flow [l/min]	Max press.
type	number		[bar]
BPV-VP1	3798799	20	350

For more details, refer to the "Truck Hydraulics" catalogue, ordering number HY17-8200/UK, page 44.





Suction fittings for VP1-120

A "suction fitting" consists of a straight, 45° or 90° fitting, 2 clamps, 2 cap screws and an O-ring.

NOTE: - Never use suction fittings smaller than the above.

 Suction fittings are not supplied with the pump, and must be ordered separately.

"Straight" suction fitting

Ordering no.	A mm	B mm	φ C mm (in.)
378 0637	25	145	63 <i>(2¹/₂")</i>

45° suction fitting

Ordering no.	A mm	B mm	φ C mm (in.)
378 0634	75	117	63 <i>(2</i> ¹ / ₂ ")
378 3367	88	129	75 (3 ")

90° suction fitting

Ordering no.	A mm	B mm	φ C mm (in.)
378 1980	147	103	63 <i>(2</i> ¹ / ₂ ")

Start-up

Make sure the entire hydraulic system is clean before filling it with a recommended fluid.

In addition, the VP1 pump must be purged to remove any entrapped air in the pump housing; utilize the uppermost purge port (see figure).

Hydraulic fluids

The VP1 data shown in the specifications on page 3 are valid when operating on a high quality, mineral based fluid. Hydraulic fluids type HLP (DIN 51524), ATF (automatic transmission fluids), and API type CD engine oils are suitable.

Fluid temperature

Main circuit: Max 75 °C.

Viscosity

Recommended viscosity: 20 - 30 mm²/s (cSt).

Operating viscosity limits:

- Min 10 mm²/s; max 400 mm²/s.
- At start-up: max 1000 mm²/s.

Filtration

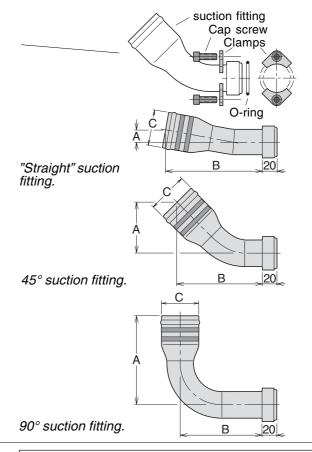
To obtain long VP1 life, we recommend a filtration level of:

- 25 µm (absolute) in clean environment or at low pressures
- 10 µm (absolute) in contaminated environment or at high pressures.

Filtration should meet ISO standard 4406, code 18/13.

Drain line

The LS-regulator requires a separate drain line, which *must* be routed directly to the reservoir (refer to the figure on the right).

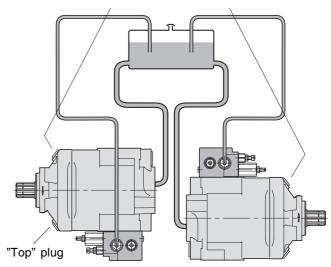


IMPORTANT!

As shown in the figure, the pump inlet must always be below the lowest reservoir oil level.

Before starting, open the uppermost purge port and purge the pump. Afterwards, make sure both the ports are re-tightened.

Note! When the pump is purged the plug should be tightened with a torque of 30 Nm.



The VP1-120 pump should be installed below the reservoir fluid level. Purging should be performed when the pump is connected to the reservoir and the system is filled with fluid.



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