Bifurcated Axial Fan

Installation and Wiring Instructions

220-240V/1/50Hz & 380-415V/3/50Hz

Vent-Axia

READ INSTRUCTIONS IN CONJUNCTION WITH ILLUSTRATIONS
PLEASE SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS
Installation and Wiring Instructions for the Bifurcated Axial Fan.

IMPORTANT:
READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE COMMENCING THE INSTALLATION

DO NOT install this product in areas where the following may be present or occur:
• Excessive oil or a grease laden atmosphere.
• Corrosive or flammable gases, liquids or vapors.
• Ambient temperatures less than –5°C or higher than 200°C (60°C when speed controlled).

SAFETY AND GUIDANCE NOTES

Air moving equipment may present mechanical, electrical or noise hazards. To minimise the risks associated with these potential hazards, it is essential that installation, operation and maintenance instructions are followed and carried out by a suitably qualified person.

A. All wiring to be in accordance with the current I.E.E. Regulations, or the appropriate standards of your country.
B. The Fan should be provided with a local double pole isolator switch having a contact separation of at least 3mm.
C. Ensure that the mains supply (Voltage, Frequency, and Phase) complies with the rating label.
D. The Fan should only be used in conjunction with the appropriate Vent-Axia products.
E. It is recommended that the connection to the terminal box is made with flexible cable/conduit.
F. The fan should not be sited within 600mm horizontally of/or 2250mm vertically of a bath/shower tray, in accordance with the I.E.E. Regulations for bathrooms.
G. When the Fan is used to remove air from a room containing a fuel-burning appliance, ensure that the air replacement is adequate for both the fan and the fuel-burning appliance.
H. If the Fan is used to supply air into a room, the installer must ensure that the fan intake is located a minimum of 600mm from any flue outlet.
I. This Fan is designed as an inline ducted fan to be positioned between lengths of ducting. Short duct runs terminating within 1.5m must incorporate suitable guards.
J. Certain applications may require the installation of sound attenuation material, together with either an Auto Transformer or Inverter Speed Controller to achieve the sound levels required.

DESCRIPTION.

The Bifurcated Case Axial range of fans incorporates factory adjustable pitch impellers, which provide a comprehensive range of duties offering high performance and pressure characteristics. Available in Nine sizes ranging from 250mm to 1000mm ø and performances from 0.27m³/s to 19.1m³/s with a pressure development up to 700Pa. The casing is constructed from rolled steel plate and protected with a galvanised finish.

A. INSTALLATION.

1. Ensure the impeller rotates and is free from obstruction, prior to installation.
2. The fan is suitable for mounting at any angle.
3. Ensure that there is adequate clearance for accessing and ventilating the fan.
4. Securely mount the fan using the holes in the end flanges and use the appropriate drop rods, bolts, anti-vibration mountings etc.
5. Ensure the Airflow Arrow is aligned with the direction of the airflow required.
6. The use of flexible connections and anti-vibration mountings is recommended to minimise noise and vibration.
7. Ensure that the flexible connections are taut and the fan and ductwork are aligned.
8. Flexible connections MUST be used in conjunction with anti-vibration mountings.
9. Anti-vibration mountings must be installed in compression.
WIRING

WARNING: THE FAN AND ANCILLARY CONTROL EQUIPMENT MUST BE ISOLATED FROM THE POWER SUPPLY DURING THE INSTALLATION / OR MAINTENANCE.
THE EQUIPMENT MUST BE EARTHED

1. Select and follow the appropriate wiring diagram (Figs. 2-10).
2. Check all connections have been made correctly and ensure that all terminal connections and cable clamps are securely fastened.
3. The cable entry must be made using a suitable grommet or cable gland.
4. Switch the mains power supply on and check the fan is operating correctly.

Fig. 2. Single Phase Fan Connected to a 240V D.O.L. Starter.

Fig. 3. Single Phase Fan Connected to a 240V D.O.L. Starter an Auto Transformer Speed Controller.
Fig. 4. Three Phase Fan Connected to a 415V D.O.L. Starter.

3 Phase Supply (380-415V 50Hz).

415 Volt D.O.L. Starter
A suitable sized overload relay must be fitted to provide motor protection.

N.B. Links between terminals 5 to 95 and 24 to 96 must be fitted.

Fig. 5. Three Phase Fan Connected to a Star / Delta Starter.

3 Phase Supply (380-415V 50Hz).

STAR / DELTA Starter with current overload protection and a 415 volt coil.

Fig. 6. Three Phase Fan Connected to a 415V D.O.L. Starter and an Auto Transformer Speed Controller.

3 Phase Supply (380-415V 50Hz).

415 Volt D.O.L. Starter
A suitable sized overload relay must be fitted to provide motor protection.

N.B. Links between terminals 1 to A1, 5 to 95 must be fitted and the link between terminals 24 to 96 must be FITTED.

NOTE: If an Auto Transformer is being used to control the Fan speed, the reset facility MUST be disabled.
Fig. 7. Three Phase Fan
Single Phase in – Three Phase (240V) Out Bifurcated Fan connected to an Inverter Speed Controller Kit (103 20 101).

Fig. 8. Three Phase Fan
Single Phase in – Three Phase (240V) Out Bifurcated Fan connected to an Inverter Speed Controller Kit (103 20 102 or 103 20 103).
Fig. 9. Three Phase Fan. 
Three Phase In – Three Phase Out. Bifurcated Fan connected to an Inverter Speed Controller Kit (103 20 301, 103 20 302, 103 20 303 or 103 20 305).

Metal Enclosure & Wiring by others. 10 Volt D.C. Up to a maximum distance of 50m from the Inverter to the speed controller.

- User Fan Speed Controller ILVC 2 (103-20-602)
- Ferite Coils
- Shielding (Wrap with Insulation Tape)
- Shielded Cable
- Shielding (Wrap with Insulation Tape do not connect to the earth terminal)

50m Maximum Distance from the Inverter to the Fan (shielded cable required).
Fig. 10. Three Phase Fan.
Three Phase In – Three Phase Out. Bifurcated Fan connected to an Inverter Speed Controller Kit (103 20 350).

ROUTINE INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE

ISOLATE FROM THE POWER SUPPLY AND ENSURE THAT THE FAN CAN NOT BE ACCIDENTALLY SWITCHED BACK ON.

1. At intervals appropriate to the installation, the fan should be inspected and cleaned to ensure there is no build up of dirt or other deposits on the impeller or motor. If the fan is handling dust laden air, it is recommend that a filter is installed.

2. All Case Axial fans have sealed for life bearings and do not require lubrication.

3. Check the condition and security of all fixing bolts, rods, anti-vibration mountings, and flexible connections.
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• Has not been connected to an unsuitable electricity supply. (The correct electricity supply voltage is shown on the product rating label attached to the unit).
• Has not been subjected to misuse, neglect or damage.
• Has not been modified or repaired by any person not authorised by the company.

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