

TECHNICAL SUMMARY (TS) SERIES: FLOW

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SHAFT LIFTING EYE USE

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- ALWAYS STAND CLEAR OF ANY LOAD
- ALWAYS LIFT LOAD WITH A STEADY, EVEN PULL; DO NOT JERK
- NEVER EXCEED THE WORK LOAD LIMIT OF THE LIFTING EYE, SEE
 TABLE 1
- NEVER MODIFY LIFTING EYE
- ALWAYS LIFT THE SHAFT IN THE PLANE OF THE EYE, NOT AT AN ANGLE (SEE **FIG. A)**

- LOADS MAY SLIP OR FALL IF PROPER EYE BOLT ASSEMBLY AND LIFTING PROCEDURES ARE NOT USED.
- A FALLING LOAD MAY CAUSE SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH.
- READ AND UNDERSTAND THESE INSTRUCTIONS AND FOLLOW ALL EYE BOLT SAFETY INFORMATION PRESENTED.

\bigcirc INSPECTION: ALWAYS INSPECT HARDWARE BEFORE AND AFTER EACH USE.

REPLACE IF:

- 1. THERE ARE INDICATIONS OF HEAT DAMAGE INCLUDING WELD/WELD SPLATTER, OR ARC STRIKES
- 2. THERE IS EXCESSIVE PITTING OR CORROSION
- 3. IT IS BENT, TWISTED, DISTORTED, STRETCHED, ELONGATED, CRACKED, OR BROKEN
- 4. THERE ARE EXCESSIVE NICKS OR GOUGES
- 5. THERE IS EXCESSIVE THREAD DAMAGE OR WEAR
- 6. THERE ARE OTHER CONDITIONS, INCLUDING VISIBLE DAMAGE, THAT CAUSE DOUBT AS TO CONTINUE USE.

ENVIRONMENT CONSIDERATIONS:

- THE STRENGTH OF THE LIFTING EYES CAN BE AFFECTED BY CHEMICALLY ACTIVE ENVIRONMENTS SUCH AS CAUSTIC OR ACID SUBSTANCES OR FUMES.
- RATED CAPACITIES THROUGHOUT THIS DOCUMENT ASSUME A WORKING TEMPERATURE RANGE BETWEEN 30° AND 140°F (-1° AND 60°C), ANY USE OUTSIDE OF THIS RANGE MAY NOT PROVIDE THE SAME PERFORMANCE AS INTENDED.

↑ GENERAL PROPER LIFTING PRACTICES:

- > ENSURE THE LOAD IS SECURED WELL AND PROPERLY BALANCED BEFORE IT IS LIFTED MORE THAN A FEW INCHES.
- ENSURE THE RATED CAPACITY OF COMPLIMENTING LIFTING COMPONENTS (CHAINS, SHACKLES, PULLEYS, HOOKS, ETC.) MEET THE NECESSARY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE LIFT.
- > PERSONNEL SHOULD BE PROPERLY TRAINED AND QUALIFIED BEFORE PERFORMING A LIFT
- ▶ ALWAYS BE SURE THE THREADS ON THE LIFTING EYE AND IN THE SHAFT ARE CLEAN AND FREE OF DEBRIS.
- > ENSURE THE LIFTING EYE IS FULLY THREADED INTO THE SHAFT AND WON'T EASILY LOOSEN DURING LIFTING
- ➢ TAKE PRECAUTIONS TO AVOID DAMAGING THE GEARBOX'S BORE AND THE MIXER SHAFT. AVOID GALLING, BURRS, ETC.





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- DO NOT EXCEED THE WORKING LOAD LIMIT OF THE LIFTING EYE, SEE TABLE 1. FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE THE WORKING LOAD LIMIT INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO: SHAFT WEIGHT, HUB WEIGHT(S), BLADE WEIGHT(S), IMPELLER WEIGHT(S), ETC.
- LIFTING EYES SUPPLIED BY FUSION ARE DESIGNED TO FIT THROUGH THE GEARBOX'S BORE (SEE FIG. B).
 USE OF A DIFFERENT LIFTING EYE DOESN'T GUARANTEE THAT IT WILL FIT THROUGH THE GEARBOX'S BORE.
- FIG. C SHOWS THE POSSIBLE LIFTING EYES THAT CAME WITH YOUR MIXER. THE 1/4", 5/16", 3/8" LIFTING EYES ARE NOT SHOULDERED AND THE 3/4", 7/8", AND 1" LIFTING EYES ARE SHOULDERED. NOTE THAT THE LIFTING EYES ARE MARKED WITH WHAT SIZE THEY ARE (SHOWN IN RED FOR EMPHASIS IN THE FIGURE).

TABLE 1	
Working Load Limit (lbs)	Lifting Eye Size
520	1/4"
1250	5/16"
2250	3/8"
7200	3/4"
10,600	7/8"
13 300	1"

WORKING LOAD LIMIT CONSIDERATIONS:

- SHAFT WEIGHT
- HUB WEIGHT
- BLADE WEIGHT
- IMPELLER WEIGHT







