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1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Scope of Manual

1.1.1 These instructions cover setup, operation, maintenance, troubleshooting, optional accessories, and replacement parts for BNP-6012 and 7212 Suction Blast Cabinets. The instructions cover the operation of all pull-thru reclaimers and basic installation of the dust collector. One of the following supplemental manuals is provided with the dust collector. Refer to the appropriate manual for specific installation, operation and maintenance of the collector.

- CDC-1 Dust Collectorsmanual stock no. 28225
- RPC-2 Dust Collectormanual stock no. 22788
- RPH-2 Dust Collectorsmanual stock no. 21449

1.1.2 The instructions contain important information required for safe operation of the cabinet. Before using this equipment, all personnel associated with the blast cabinet operation must read this entire manual and all accessory manuals to become familiar with their operation, parts, and terminology.

1.2 Safety Alerts

1.2.1 Clemco uses safety alert signal words, based on ANSI Z535.4-2011, to alert the user of a potentially hazardous situation that may be encountered while operating this equipment. ANSI's definitions of the signal words are as follows:



This is the safety alert symbol. It is used to alert you to potential physical injury hazards. Obey all safety messages that follow this symbol to avoid possible injury or death.

NOTICE

Notice indicates information that is considered important, but not hazard-related, if not avoided, could result in property damage.

CAUTION

Caution indicates a hazardous situation that, if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury.

WARNING

Warning indicates a hazardous situation that, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.

DANGER

Danger indicates a hazardous situation that, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.

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1.4 General Description

1.4.1 BNP® blast cabinets enclose the blasting environment to provide efficient blasting while maintaining a clean surrounding work area. Production rates are influenced by size of nozzle, compressor output, working pressure, type and size of media, and angle and distance of the nozzle from the blast surface. BNP suction cabinets consist of three major components:

- Cabinet enclosure
- Reclaimer
- Dust collector

1.4.2 Cabinet enclosure: This manual covers two BNP cabinet sizes.

BNP 6012 Approximate work chamber dimensions:
58" wide x 58.5" deep x 53" high.

BNP 7212 Approximate work chamber dimensions:
69" wide x 70.5" deep x 63" high.

1.4.3 Refer to Figure 1 for arrangement of components with a CDC-1 Dust Collector. The illustration shows a freestanding 900 reclaimer. 1200 and 1800 cfm reclaimers have minor differences. Figure 2 shows the arrangement with an RPC-2 Reverse-Pulse Dust Collector with dust drawer. The optional RPH is set up the same way as the RPC-2, but includes a hopper for additional dust storage and empties into a drum. The overall height of an RPH-2 is approximately 10.5 feet and 12 feet when the top access door is open. To upgrade, an RPC-2 or RPH-2 Dust Collector may be added at any time.

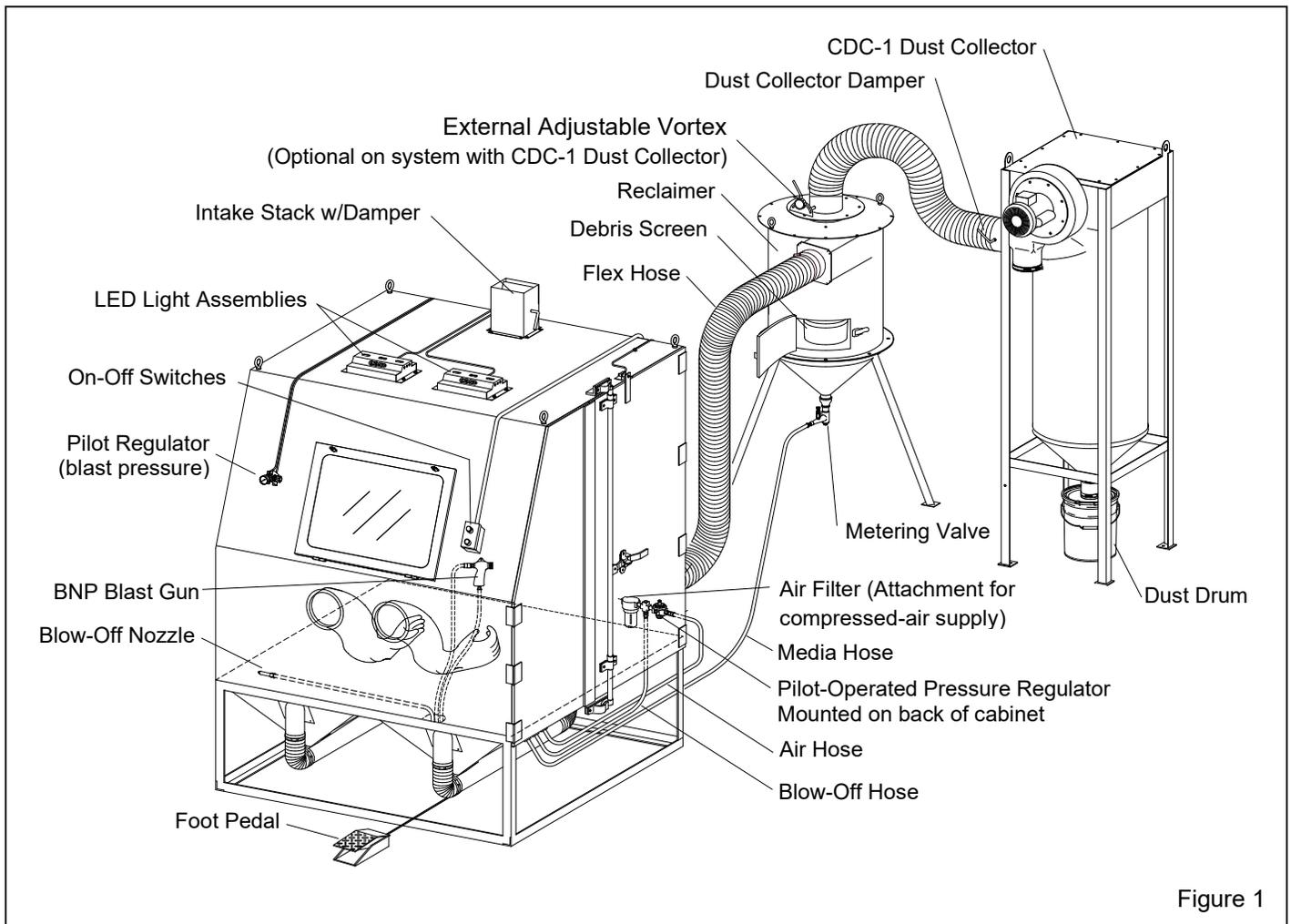


Figure 1

1.5 Theory of Operation

1.5.1 Once the components are correctly set up and turned on, the cabinet is then ready for operation by actuation of the foot pedal. Fully depressing down on the foot pedal causes air to flow through the blast gun. The partial vacuum created by air moving through the gun draws media into the blast-gun mixing chamber. The media mixes with the air stream and is propelled out the nozzle. After striking the object being blasted, the blast media, fines, dust, and byproducts generated by blasting fall through the grate into the cabinet hoppers. These particles are then drawn into the reclaimer for separation. Dust and fines are first separated from reusable media and pass into the dust collector. Next, the media is screened for oversize particles and returned to the reclaimer hopper for reuse. Dust and fines entering the dust collector are removed from the air stream as they pass through the filters, discharging clean air. When the foot pedal is released, blasting stops.

1.6 Reverse-Pulse Dust Collector Options

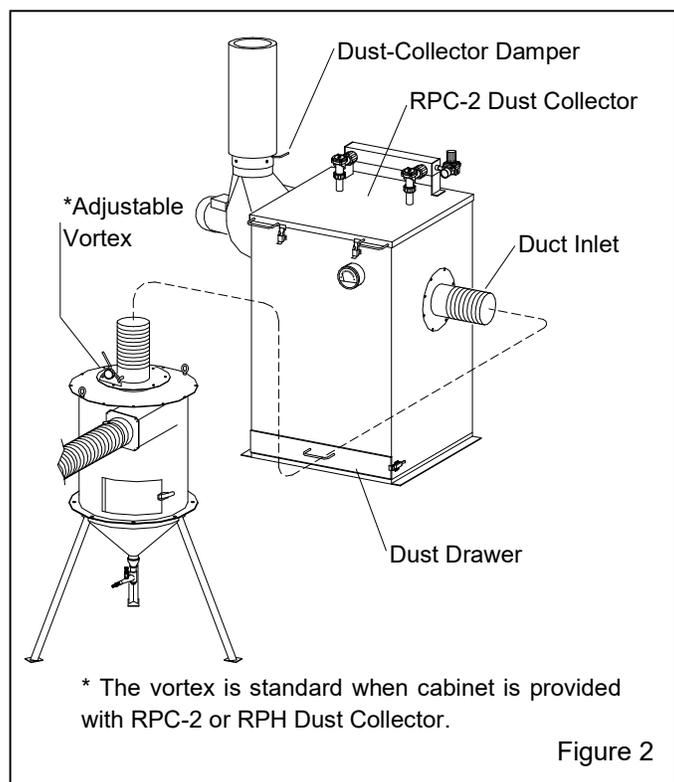
⚠ WARNING

All dust is hazardous to breathe. Emissions can occur from the dust collection system. Identify all materials that are to be removed by blasting; if any toxic materials such as lead dust or dust from other heavy metals and corrosives, or any other toxic materials are being removed, use a HEPA afterfilter to assist in maintaining inhalation hazards below the permissible exposure limits (PELs). Prolonged exposure to any dust can result in serious lung disease and death. Short-term ingestion of toxic materials can cause serious respiratory injury or death. Filtration may not be adequate in reducing all inhalation hazards. It remains the employer's or user's responsibility to ensure all emissions are safe to breathe.

1.6.1 CDC-1 Dust Collectors: Shown in Figure 1, CDC-1 Dust Collectors are standard with BNP cabinets with 900 cfm reclaimers, unless an optional RPC-2 or RPH-2 Dust Collector is ordered at time of purchase. The single-filter cartridge is cleaned by using a manually controlled pulse of compressed air. Dust collects in a 5-gallon dust drum, which must be frequently emptied. Refer to manual number 28225.

1.6.2 RPC-2 Dust Collectors: Shown in Figure 2, this collector is available for 900 cfm models for use with BNP-6012 and 7212 cabinets. Dual-filter cartridges are automatically cleaned by a timed, periodic pulse of compressed air. Dust collects in the drawer, and it must be frequently emptied. Refer to manual number 22788.

1.6.3 RPH Dust Collector: The RPH-2 (900 cfm and RPH-3 (1200)cfm) are set up and operates the same as the RPC-2, as shown in Figure 2, but instead of a dust drawer the collector sits atop a hopper, which provides additional dust storage and empties into a 30-gallon drum. An RPH is standard with 1200 cfm models. Refer to manual number 21449.



1.6.4 HEPA (high-efficiency particulate air) Filter: Optional HEPA afterfilters provide additional filtration and must be used with a reverse-pulse cartridge collector when removing toxic coatings, heavy metals, or any other toxic materials. Refer to the applicable dust collector manual noted in Paragraph 1.1.1 for the HEPA option.

1.7 Nozzle Options

1.7.1 Unless otherwise specified at the time of purchase, the cabinet is provided with a No. 5 (5/16" orifice) ceramic nozzle and No. 5 (5/32" orifice) air jet. Optional, more durable tungsten carbide and boron carbide nozzles are available and are shown under *BNP Gun and Feed Assembly in Section 9.3*. Use a boron carbide nozzle when blasting with aggressive media, as noted in Section 1.9.4.

1.8 Reclaimer Options

1.8.1 A 900 cfm pull-thru reclaimer utilizes a CDC-1 reverse-pulse dust collector or optional RPC-2 or RPH-2 dust collector.

A 1200 cfm reclaimer utilizes an RPH-3 reverse-pulse dust collector.

Cabinets with 1800 cfm reclaimers and RPH-4 Dust Collectors are available by special order. Refer to Figure 3 for 1800 cfm applications.

1.8.2 Replaceable rubber reclaimer liners: Rubber liners prolong service life of the reclaimer and should be installed when using silicon carbide, aluminum oxide, or other aggressive media, as noted in Section 1.9.4. Rubber liners are available for a reclaimer that has a removable top and designed to accept liners. *Rubber liners are shown on Page 38, Figure 45.*

1.8.3 Externally adjustable vortex option: The vortex fine tunes media separation; refer to Section 5.5 for additional information. The vortex is an option on 900 cfm cabinets with a CDC-1 Dust Collector but is standard on reclaimers when the cabinet is provided from the factory with an RPC or RPH Dust Collector.

1.9 Blasting Media

1.9.1 Always use media specifically manufactured for blasting and those that are compatible with the surface being blasted. Media produced for other applications may be inconsistent in size and shape, contain particles that could jam the media metering valve, or cause irregular wear. Always obtain the safety data sheet (SDS) for the blasting media prior to blasting and identify material being removed by blasting, paying particular attention to worker health risks and presence of any hazardous/toxic substances.

Most common reusable media specifically manufactured for blasting can be used in ZERO cabinets. The listing of media sizes shown in this section and in Figure 3 are provided as a guideline only. The guideline is based on standard 5/32" orifice air jet with 5/16" nozzle and average conditions, with variables such as blast pressure,

media/air mixture, visibility inside the cabinet, humidity, and reclaimer cleaning rate.

Several variables affecting the reclaimer cleaning rate include reclaimer size (cfm), contamination of parts being blasted, media friability, damper setting (static pressure), and dust-collector filter loading (differential pressure across the dust filters).

As a rule, larger orifice air jets and nozzles deliver more media, requiring higher performance from the reclaimer. When using larger nozzles, the maximum mesh size of media will be smaller than normally recommended. Using media finer than those recommended may decrease visibility and, at some point, carryover to the dust collector. Media coarser than those recommended may be too dense for the reclaimer to recover from the cabinet hopper.

1.9.2 Steel When the recovery hose diameter is suitably sized (usually reduced one size from standard as shown in Figure 3) steel may be used with 1200 cfm and 1800 cfm reclaimers. When using steel media, conveying hose should have a smooth durable lining, and rubber curtains should be used to protect the cabinet walls from peening and rapid wear. Cabinets configured for steel media use can be ordered from the factory with appropriately sized conveying hose and curtains installed. This special requirement must be specified at the time of purchase. They may also be field installed at a later date. NOTE: Steel grit or shot is too heavy to use with cabinets equipped 900 cfm reclaimers.

1.9.3 Sand and slag: Sand should NEVER be used for abrasive blasting because of the respiratory hazards associated with media containing free silica. Slags are not recommended because they rapidly break down and, making them unsuitable for cabinet applications.

1.9.4 Silicon carbide, aluminum oxide, and garnet: These are the most aggressive of the commonly used media. Aggressive media may be used, but the service life of any components exposed to the media will be reduced. To avoid unscheduled downtime and maximize cabinet life, periodically inspect the reclaimer wear plate, blast hose, and nozzle for wear and replace parts as needed.

When using aggressive media only occasionally, install an optional aluminum oxide kit, which includes rubber curtains for the cabinet interior and a boron carbide-lined nozzle. When using aggressive media on a regular basis, install the aluminum oxide kit and a fully rubber-lined reclaimer. Rubber-lined reclaimers are available as factory-installed items, or field-installed liners can be installed later if the reclaimer has a removable top and it is designed to accept liners. Nozzles lined with boron carbide extend nozzle wear life. Refer to *BNP Gun and Feed Assembly* in Section 9.3.

1.9.5 Glass bead: Most beads are treated to ensure free-flow operation, even in environments of moderately high humidity. Glass beads subjected to excessive moisture may be reused only after thoroughly drying and breaking up of any clumps.

1.9.6 Lightweight and fine-mesh media: When using lightweight (such as agricultural) media or fine mesh (180-mesh and finer) media, the reclaimer inlet baffle may need to be removed to retain media and avoid carryover. On reclaimer models with bolt-on removable tops, baffle removal and replacement is easily accomplished, as explained in Section 7.10. Reclaimers with welded-on tops require grinding to remove the baffle, and **once it is removed it cannot be replaced.**

This guideline to media selection is based on standard 5/16" orifice nozzle (5/32" air jet) and average conditions, (air pressure, media/air mixture, visibility, contamination of parts being cleaned, humidity, media breakdown, reclaimer cleaning rate, etc.) As a rule, larger nozzles deliver more media, requiring higher performance from the reclaimer. Larger nozzles decrease the maximum mesh size of media from those recommended. Media that is finer than those recommended may decrease visibility, and, at some point, carryover to the dust collector. Media coarser than those recommended may be too dense to recover from the cabinet hopper.

RECLAIMER SIZE	MEDIA TYPE				
	STEEL GRIT	STEEL SHOT	PLASTIC	GLASS BEAD	ALUM. OXIDE
900 cfm with 6" inlet	Do not use	Do not use	N/A See 1.8.7	No. 6 to No. 12	46 to 180-Mesh
1200 cfm with 6" inlet	40 to 120	S230 to S170	Do not use	No. 4 to No. 8	16 to 60-Mesh
1200 cfm with 7" inlet	Do not use	Do not use	N/A See 1.8.7	No. 4 to No. 12	46 to 180-Mesh
1800 cfm with 7" inlet	25 to 120	S280 to S70	Do not use	No. 4 to No. 8	16 to 60-Mesh
1800 cfm with 8" inlet	Do not use	Do not use	N/A See 1.8.7	No. 4 to No. 12	36 to 180-Mesh

Figure 3

1.9.7 Plastic media: Plastic and similar lightweight and/or nonaggressive media are generally not recommended for suction-style cabinets because the lower blast velocity of suction blasting combined with the softer and lighter weight media do not provide the media impact for productive blasting. Best performance from plastic media is achieved with pressure blasting, requiring a pressure vessel with a 60-degree conical bottom. Refer to Clemco's Aerolyte® cabinet line.

1.9.8 Bicarbonate of soda: Bicarbonate of soda is not recommended for use in standard cabinets. Bicarb is a one-use media, which will quickly saturate the filter cartridge(s). Best performance from bicarb media is achieved with pressure blasting, requiring a pressure vessel. Refer to Clemco's Aerolyte cabinet line for cabinets that are specifically designed for use with bicarbonate of soda.

1.10 Compressed-Air Requirements

1.10.1 The size of the compressor required to operate the cabinet depends on the size of the air jet and blasting pressure. Unless otherwise specified, cabinets are supplied with a No. 5 (5/32" orifice) jet. Refer to the table in Figure 4 to determine air consumption. Consult with a compressor supplier for suggested compressor size based on the air consumption. **NOTE: A separate air line is required for the reverse-pulse dust collector. If preferred, remove the plug from the auxiliary air port (shown in Figure 6) and connect a 1/4" ID or larger air line to the dust collector pulse reservoir/manifold.**

BNP Gun	Jet Orifice	Nozzle Orifice	CFM	PSI
No. 4	1/8"	5/16"	21	80
No. 5	5/32"	5/16"	32	80
No. 6	3/16"	3/8"	47	80
*No. 7	7/32"	7/16"	62	80
*No. 8	1/4"	1/2"	86	80

* Using this combination could affect usable media size; refer to Section 1.9.

Figure 4

1.10.2 The air filter at the air-inlet connection reduces condensed water from the compressed air. Its use is especially important in areas of high humidity or when using fine-mesh media. Moisture causes media to clump and inhibits free flow through the feed assembly. If the filter does not remove enough moisture to keep media dry and flowing, it may be necessary to install an air dryer or aftercooler in the air-supply line.

1.11 Electrical Requirements

All wiring external of the cabinet is provided by the user to comply with local electrical codes.

1.11.1 Electrical requirements depend on the size and phase of the dust-collector exhaustor motor. NOTE: Full load amps (FLA) shown below are for the motor only; the lights draw less than one amp. Standard cabinets are supplied as follows:

900 cfm: 2 HP, 208/230/460V, 3-PH, 60 HZ

Supplied with 230-volt control panel unless 460-volt is specified at the time the order is placed.

FLA 208/5.5, 230/5.6, 460/2.8.

1200 cfm: 5 HP, 208/230/460V, 3-PH, 60 HZ

Supplied with 230-volt control panel unless 460-volt is specified at the time the order is placed.

FLA 208/12 to 13, 230/12 to 13, 460/6.

1800 cfm: 7.5 HP, 208/230/460V, 3-PH, 60 HZ

Supplied with 230-volt control panel unless 460-volt is specified at the time the order is placed.

FLA 208/17.8 to 19.6, 230/17.8 to 19.6, 460/8.9.

Refer to Section 2.5 to connect electrical service.

2.0 INSTALLATION

Unless noted otherwise, the sequence of assembly in Sections 2.2 through 2.8 may be done in any order that is convenient for the installer.

2.1 General Installation Notes

2.1.1 Refer to Figures 1 (and Figure 2 for optional RPC-2 Dust Collector) for the general arrangement. Place all components in a convenient location where compressed air and electrical service are available. The cabinet location must comply with OSHA and local safety codes. Allow for full access to all doors and service areas, and for efficient handling of large parts. Provide enough clearance at the dust collector for maintenance and to remove the dust container. Place freestanding reclaimers directly behind the cabinet with flex hose connections and metering valve facing toward the cabinet to allow for as few bends as possible to prevent wear. Determine the best location for all components and position them before making compressed-air connections, electrical connections, and attaching flex hose.

2.1.2 The cabinet must be placed on a flat level surface. If the surface is not flat, the cabinet could flex, causing the door alignment to shift. If the floor is not level, shim the leg(s) as required to align the door.

2.1.3 Use the eyebolts on the four top corners to lift and maneuver the cabinet. **Do not lift the cabinet from the hopper or lower frame.**

NOTICE

Do not use a forklift to lift the cabinet from the hoppers or lower frame. The cabinet hopper is not designed to support the weight of the cabinet. The lower frame is designed to support distributed weight. Using a forklift on the hoppers or frame may cause damage.

2.1.4 Refer to the dust-collector owner's manual to set up the dust collector and prepare it for operation.

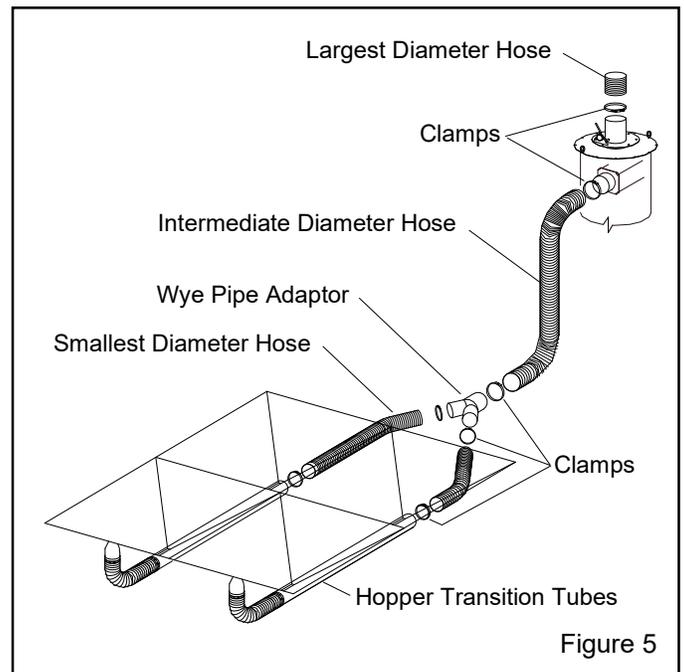
2.2 Connect Conveying (flex) Hoses – Figure 5

Refer to Page 36, Figure 43 for hose sizes

2.2.1 Connect the two smallest diameter flexible conveying hoses between the cabinet hopper transition tubes and wye pipe adaptor. It is easier to slip the hose over the adaptor and to create a tighter seal if the first two or three inches of wire are removed from the inside of the hose. Use care not to damage the hose. **NOTE: The hose wire helps dissipate static electricity in the conveying hose, and helps ground each segment. For the hose wire to dissipate static electricity, the wire must touch the metal of each segment.** Clamp the flex hose securely with worm clamps provided.

2.2.2 Connect the intermediate diameter flex hose between the wye pipe and reclaimer inlet

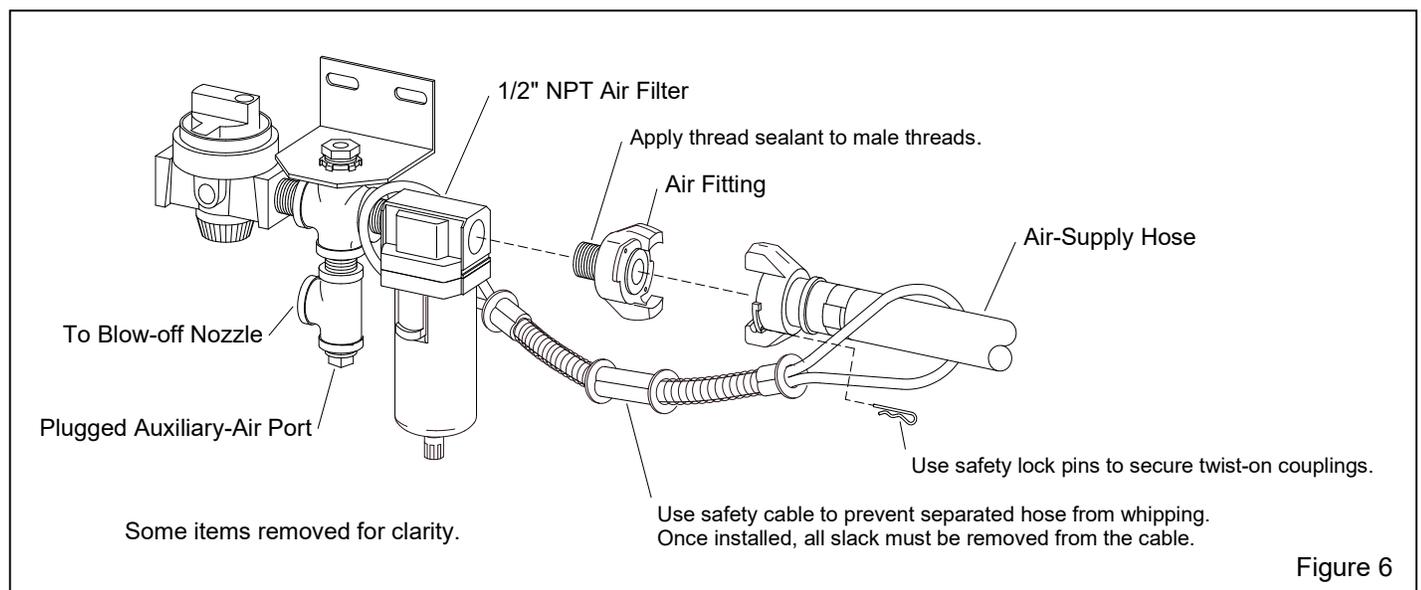
adaptor. Clamp the flex hose securely with worm clamps provided.



2.2.3 The largest diameter hose attaches between the reclaimer outlet and dust collector inlet.

2.3 Connect Compressed-Air-Supply Lines

A separate air line is required for the dust collector pulse. Refer to the dust collector owner's manual. The line may be connected to the auxiliary-air port on the cabinet plumbing, as shown in Figure 6.



⚠ WARNING

Failure to observe the following before connecting the equipment to the compressed-air source can cause serious injury from the sudden release of trapped compressed air:

- Lockout and tagout the compressed-air supply.
- Bleed the compressed-air supply line.

2.3.1 Refer to Paragraph 2.3.2 to determine the recommended air-supply hose size, then refer to Figure 6 and apply thread sealant to the male threads of an air fitting that is compatible with the air-supply hose fitting, and install it onto the 1/2-NPT air filter located under the cabinet hopper. The style of connection shown in Figure 6 is for reference only.

2.3.2 Install an isolation valve at the air source to enable depressurization for service, and refer to the table in Figure 7 to determine the minimum ID air-supply line to the cabinet air inlet. A smaller diameter hose may reduce blasting efficiency.

⚠ WARNING

To avoid the risk of injury from compressed air, install an isolation valve and bleed-off valve where the air supply is tapped into the compressed-air system. This enables a lockout and tagout procedure and depressurization of the compressed-air line before performing maintenance.

MINIMUM COMPRESSED-AIR LINE ID			
Jet Size			
Air Line Length	1/8" No. 4	5/32" No. 5	3/16" No. 6
25 feet	3/4"	3/4"	1"
50 feet	3/4"	3/4"	1"
75 feet	3/4"	1"	1"
100 feet	3/4"	1"	1"

Figure 7

2.3.3 Connect the air line from the air source to the air-filter inlet.

⚠ WARNING

Hose disconnection while under pressure can cause serious injury or death. Use safety lock pins or safety wire to lock twist-on couplings together and prevent accidental separation, and also use safety cables to prevent hose from whipping should separation occur. Safety lock pins and safety cables are listed in *Section 9.1: Optional Accessories*.

2.3.4 Refer to the dust collector owner's manual and connect a compressed-air line to the pulse manifold.

2.4 Ground the Cabinet and Dust Collector

2.4.1 To prevent static electricity buildup, attach an external grounded wire from an earth ground to the grounding lug on the left rear of the cabinet. Refer to the dust collector owner's manual and connect a ground wire to the dust collector.

2.5 Connect Electrical Service

⚠ WARNING

Shorting electrical components can result in serious injury or death from electrical shock and can cause equipment damage. Electrical power must be locked out and tagged out before performing any electrical work. All electrical work or any work done inside a control panel or junction box must be performed by a qualified electrician and comply with applicable codes.

All wiring external of the cabinet is provided by the user to comply with local electrical codes.

2.5.1 Three-phase wiring

A wiring schematic is stowed inside the control panel mounted on the back of the cabinet. After wiring is completed, keep a copy of the schematic with the manual for future reference and for electrical replacement parts.

2.5.1.1 Refer to the wiring schematic and wire from the users disconnect to the panel and from the panel to the dust-collector motor, per instruction on the motor data plate.

2.5.1.2 Check the dust-collector motor amperage on initial startup; if the motor draws excessive amperage, gradually close the dust-collector damper, located on the inlet on CDC Dust Collectors and on the exhaust outlet on RPC-2 and RPH-2 Dust Collectors, until the amperage is within the specifications shown on the motor plate.

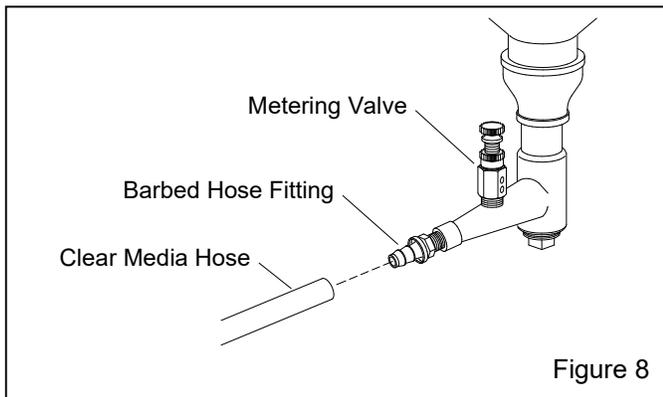
2.5.2 Check Motor Rotation

2.5.2.1 After wiring is completed, observe the warning that follows and check the motor rotation. To check rotation, turn the On-Off switch ON and quickly turn it OFF, causing the motor to rotate slowly. Look through the slots in the motor fan housing where rotation of the fan can easily be observed. Proper rotation is indicated by the arrow on the exhaust housing; the fan should rotate toward the exhaust outlet. If it rotates in reverse, change the wires as noted on the motor plate to reverse rotation.

⚠ WARNING

Do not look into the exhaust outlet while the paddle wheel is turning. Injury to the eye or face can occur from objects being ejected from the exhauster.

2.6 Connect Media Hose to Metering Valve

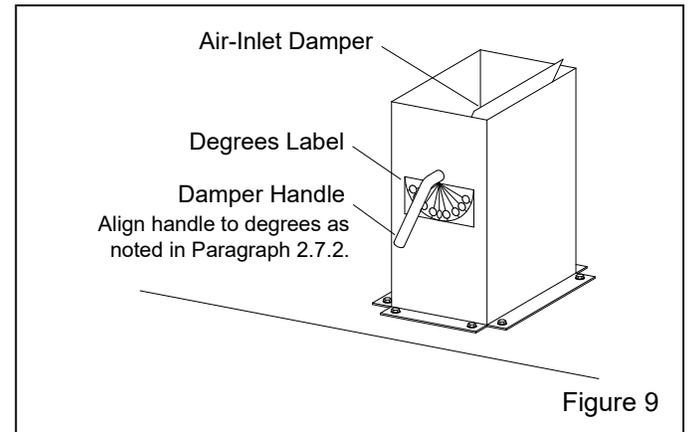


2.6.1 Refer to Figure 8 and attach the clear media hose from under the cabinet hopper to the metering valve at the bottom of the reclaimer hopper by sliding the hose onto the barbed fitting on the metering valve.

2.7 Set Air-Inlet Damper – Figure 9

2.7.1 The air-inlet damper is located on the top of the cabinet and must be set to match the cabinet dimensions and reclaimer size. The air damper was

preset prior to shipment; confirm the initial setting as noted in Paragraph 2.7.2.



2.7.2 The label on the damper shows the settings in degrees. The initial setting should align the handle as follows:

900 reclaimer align handles to 30 degrees
 1200 reclaimer align handles to 0 degree (full open)
 1800 reclaimer align handles to 0 degree (full open)

2.7.3 Loosen the lock nuts and align the damper handle as noted. When correctly positioned, tighten the lock nuts to maintain the setting. Refer to Section 5.6 for adjustment procedure.

2.8 Final Assembly

2.8.1 Position the foot pedal on the floor at the front of the cabinet.

2.8.2 A package of five view-window cover lenses is supplied with the cabinet. To install a cover lens, remove the adhesive backing and apply the lens to the clean, dry, inner surface of the view window. Refer to Section 7.3. When the cover lens becomes pitted or frosted, replace it.

3.0 FIELD INSTALLED ACCESSORIES

Optional accessories are shown in Section 9.1

3.1 Aluminum Oxide (aggressive media) Kit

3.1.1 An optional aluminum oxide kit is available factory installed or may be field installed later.

Factory-installed kits consist of black rubber cabinet curtains with grommets, curtain hardware, and a boron carbide nozzle.

Field-installed (or replacement factory-installed) kits consist of black rubber cabinet curtains (refer to Section 3.2 for curtain installation), a boron carbide nozzle, and light-lined flex hose. If the existing flex hose is in good condition, reserve the new hose for future replacement.

3.2 Cabinet Curtain Installation – Figure 10

3.2.1 Match the curtains to the corresponding wall and door as shown in Figure 10. Hook the curtains to the J-Hooks welded along the top of the front, back, and side walls. Cut openings for the hoses on the lower left rear wall.

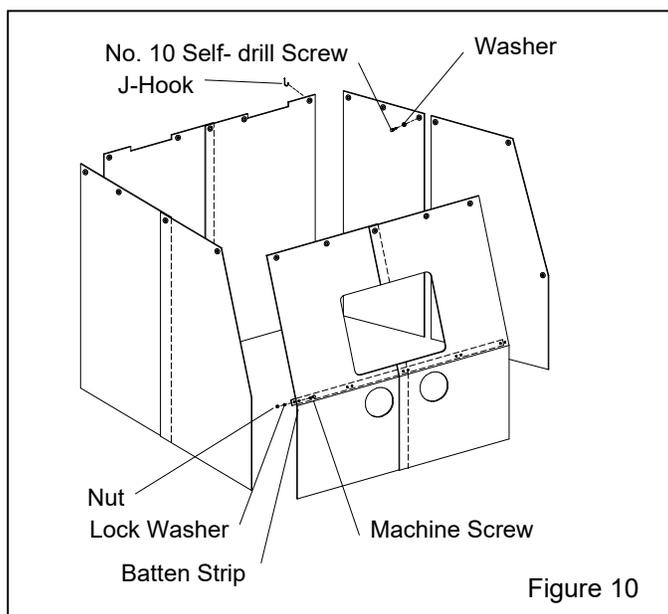


Figure 10

3.2.2 Using protectors against the curtains and outer door, clamp the door curtains in place. The upper edges of the door curtains should be even with the outer edges of the soundproofing panel. Insert a #10 self-drilling screw with an 11/16" OD flat washer through the grommet holes. Use a screw gun with a 5/16" socket to attach the door curtains.

3.2.3 For front walls, place the batten strip over the curtain, and clamp it in position on the front slope above the break as shown in Figure 10. Match drill .187" (3/16") diameter holes through the rubber and cabinet front at each batten hole. To install the batten, insert #10-24 x 1" round head machine screws through the cabinet front, curtain and batten. Install lock washers and nuts from inside the cabinet and tighten securely.

3.3 Manometer

The optional manometer kit is listed in Section 9.1.

3.3.1 Consistent static pressure is necessary for precise media separation, as the reclaimers efficiency is achieved by a centrifugal balance of air flow, particle weight, and size. The manometer measures static pressure. Reclaimer static pressure is set by adjusting the dust collector-damper. Refer to Section 5.4 to adjust static pressure. Refer to Section 5.8 for instructions on using the manometer.

3.4 Armrest

3.4.1 Assemble the armrest and mounting brackets, as shown in Figure 11.

3.4.2 Position the assembly so the armrest is about even with the bottom of the arm port opening. Mark one hole location on the front of the cabinet at each mounting bracket.

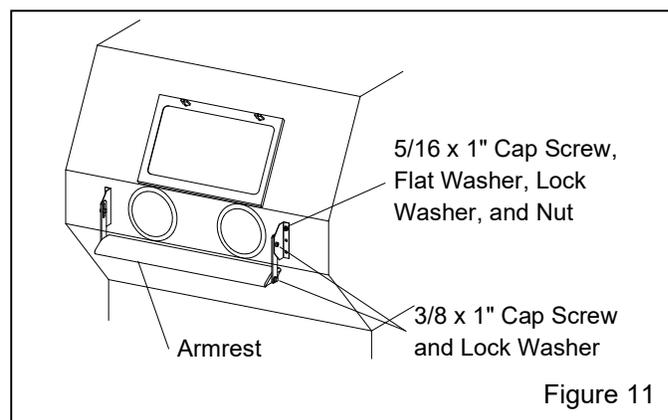


Figure 11

3.4.3 Drill a 3/8" hole at both locations and mount the armrest using 5/16 cap screw, washers, and nuts. Install the bolts from inside the cabinet to protect the threads from abrasion, should the armrest need to be removed at a later date.

3.4.4 Match drill the remaining four bracket holes and install the remaining fasteners.

3.4.5 Loosen the fasteners on the slotted bracket and raise or lower the armrest to a comfortable position.

3.5 Turntable with Workcar and Track

3.5.1 These instructions cover field installation of the 2000 lb. capacity track and work cart with turntable. If the track was ordered with the cabinet, it is partially assembled at the factory. Disregard the instructions that do not apply. Refer to Figure 12 for arrangement of the major components.

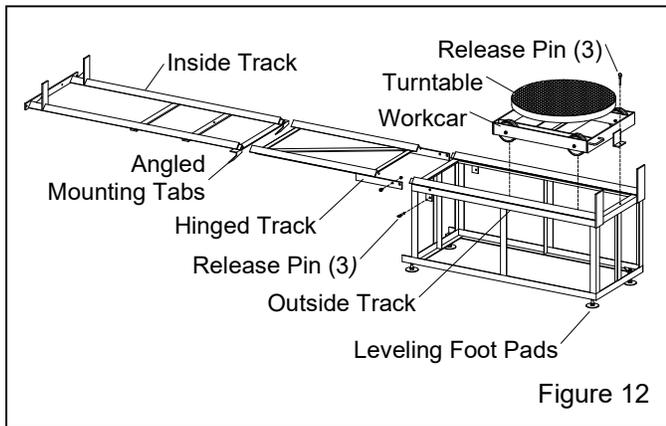


Figure 12

3.5.2 Install inside track – Figure 13

3.5.2.1 Lay the inside track on the cabinet hoppers and above the grate as shown in Figure 13.

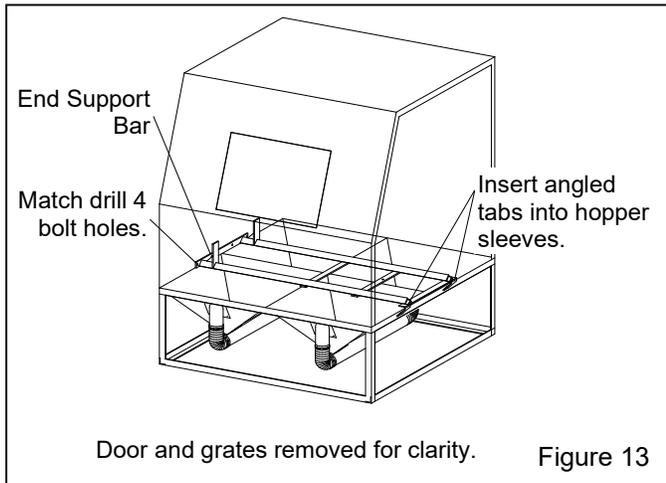


Figure 13

3.5.2.2 Push the end support bar against the inside cabinet wall, opposite the door, and insert the angled tabs on the door end of the track into the two sleeves on the hopper as shown.

3.5.2.3 Make sure the weight of the track is evenly distributed over the hoppers and match drill through the cabinet wall, at the four hole locations in the end support bar for 3/8 fasteners. If necessary, mark the hole locations and remove the track for drilling.

3.5.2.4 Secure the inside track to the cabinet with four 3/8-NC cap screw, flat washers, lock washers, and nuts provided.

3.5.3 Position outside track – Figure 14

3.5.3.1 Place the outside track so it is in-line with the inside track. Space the track so the top rails (not the smaller support angles) on the hinged end are

approximately 42-inches from the top rails on the inside track.

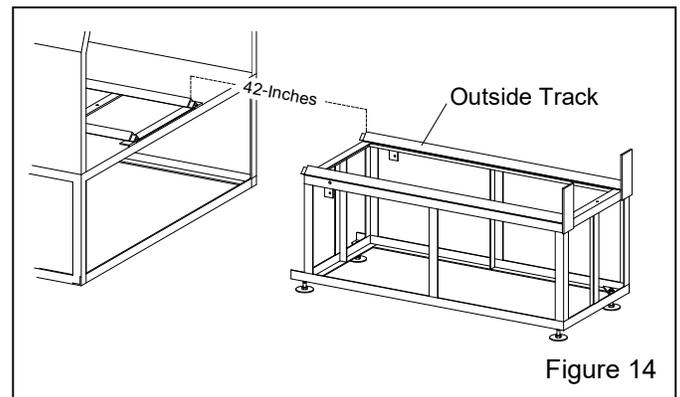


Figure 14

3.5.4 Attach hinged track – Figure 15

3.5.4.1 With the door open, place the hinged track on the inside and outside track supports, as shown in Figure 15. Maneuver the outside track as needed to align the hinge track bolt holes with the outside track bolt holes, while making sure hinge track is fully resting (with no gaps) on the track supports.

3.5.4.2 Install 1/2" shoulder screws through both hinged track pivot-bars and into the holes in the outside track. Secure with 3/8 lock nuts.

3.5.4.3 Raise or lower the four adjustable foot pads on the outside track as needed to level it to the hinged track and inside track.

3.5.4.4 The quick-release pin holds the hinge track when in the raised position, as shown in Figure 16.

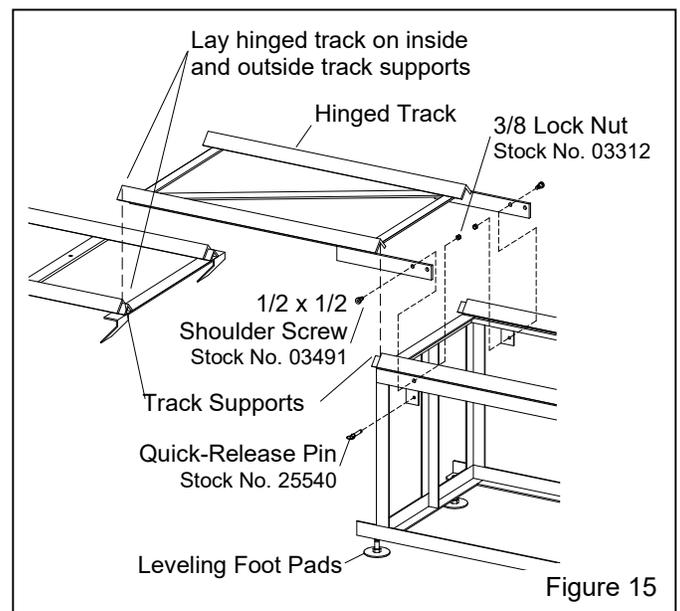


Figure 15

3.5.5 Turntable work cart and hinge track operations – Figure 16

3.5.5.1 Set the workcar on the outside track; the grooves in the wheels are designed to ride on the top of the track rails.

3.5.5.2 For shipping purposes, some field installed or replacement turntables may not be installed on the workcar. If shipped separately, slide the turntable shaft through the rubber bearing-protector, bearing collar and bearing. When the turntable shaft is fully seated in the bearing, use a hex key to tighten the collar on the shaft.

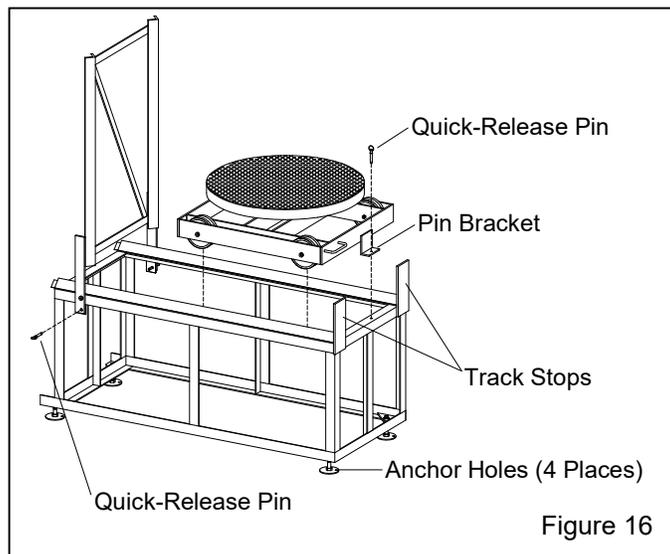


Figure 16

3.5.5.3 Move the workcar toward the track stops until the hole in the pin bracket is aligned with the hole in the outside track cross brace. Insert the release pin through both holes to prevent the workcar from moving. Note: A similar hole is in one of the inside track cross braces. Inserting the pin through the workcar and inside track hole prevents the workcar from moving when inside the cabinet.

3.5.5.4 When certain the tracks are aligned, level, and that the workcar moves smoothly on all tracks, anchor the outside track to the floor through the holes in the foot pads.

3.5.5.5 Raise the hinged track until the locking hole in the pivot-bars is aligned with the hole in the bracket on the bottom side of the outside hinge. Install a quick-release pin on both sides of the track to hold it vertical.

⚠ WARNING

Always insert pins in both sides of the hinged track to lock it upright when it is lifted vertical. The track could fall if left unlocked and cause severe injury.

4.0 OPERATION

NOTICE

Do not pulse new dust collectors or replacement cartridges until the cartridges are properly seasoned, as instructed in the dust-collector owner's manual. Pulsing unseasoned cartridges can decrease the efficiency of dust collector and cause premature cartridge failure.

4.1 Media Loading

4.1.1 Media capacity: The approximate capacity and minimum media amount is shown in the table below.

Reclaimer Size	Cubic Feet	Glass Bead	Aluminum Oxide	Minimum Charge
900 cfm	1.1	100 lbs.	130 lbs.	40 lbs.
1200 cfm	1.5	135 lbs.	180 lbs.	75 lbs.
1800 cfm	2.4	215 lbs.	285 lbs.	100 lbs.

4.1.2 Media loading: With the exhauster OFF, add clean, dry media by pouring it through the reclaimer door. Do not fill above the hopper on the reclaimer. **Do not pour media directly into the cabinet hopper, as overfilling may occur.** Overfilling will result in media carryover to the dust collector and possible blockage in the conveying hose. Refill only after all media has been recovered from the cabinet.

4.2 Media Unloading – Figure 17

4.2.1 To empty the cabinet of media, turn ON the exhauster and blow off the cabinet interior until all media is recovered from the cabinet. Turn OFF the exhauster and place an empty bucket or other suitable container under the metering valve. Unscrew the plastic drain plug from the metering valve, permitting media to flow into the bucket.

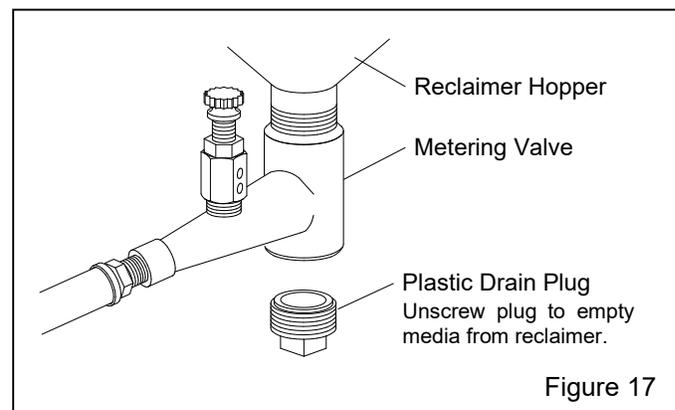


Figure 17

4.2.2 If media does not flow, it has caked; open the fill door and stir media until it starts to flow. Before the container becomes too heavy to easily manage, replace the plug and empty the container. Replace the plug when the reclaimer is empty or, if changing media type, purge the media hose, as noted below.

4.2.3 To purge the media hose, before replacing the plug turn ON the exhauster, grasp the gun, and press the foot pedal using the gun to blow off the cabinet interior until the air from the gun and the cabinet are clear. Turn OFF the exhauster and replace the plug.

4.3 Loading and Unloading Parts

WARNING

Use solid fixturing to hold heavy parts in place. Do not remove lift equipment until the part is adequately supported to prevent movement. Moving heavy, unsupported parts may cause them to shift or topple and cause severe injury. This is especially important with the use of turntables.

4.3.1 Load and unload parts through the door.

4.3.2 Parts must be free of oil, water, grease, or other contaminants that will clump media or clog filters. If parts are oily or greasy, degrease and dry them prior to blasting.

4.3.3 When blasting small parts or objects having small pieces that could become dislodged and fall off, place an appropriately sized screen over the grate (or under the grate when frequently blasting small parts) to prevent parts from falling into the hopper. If an object should fall through the grate, stop blasting immediately and retrieve it.

4.3.4 Close door; the door interlock system will prevent blasting if the door is open.

4.4 Blasting Operation

4.4.1 Slowly open the air supply to the cabinet. Check for air leaks on the initial startup and periodically thereafter.

4.4.2 Turn ON the lights and exhauster. The push-button switches, located on the cabinet front, performs both functions.

4.4.3 Load parts.

WARNING

To avoid the inhalation of dust, which can cause respiratory illness from short-term ingestion or death from long-term ingestion;

- **Use the blow-off nozzle to blow media off parts before opening the door.**
- **After blasting, keep door closed and exhauster running until the cabinet is clear of all airborne dust.**
- **Always close cabinet, reclaimer, and dust-collector doors before blasting. Keep all doors closed during blasting.**
- **Always wear blast gloves.**
- **Stop blasting immediately if dust leaks are detected.**

4.4.4 Close door; the door interlock system will prevent blasting if the door is open.

4.4.5 Adjust the pilot-pressure regulator to the required blast pressure, per Section 5.1. The regulator is located on the top-left side of the cabinet.

4.4.6 Insert hands into blast gloves.

4.4.7 To blast, hold the gun firmly, point the gun toward the object to be blasted, and apply foot pressure to the top of the foot pedal; blasting will begin immediately.

WARNING

Shut down the cabinet immediately if dust leaks are detected from the dust collector or cabinet. Make sure the dust-collector filter(s) are correctly seated and not worn or damaged. Prolonged breathing of any dust can result in serious lung disease or death. Short-term ingestion of toxic dust, such as lead, poses an immediate danger to health. Toxicity and health risk vary with type of media and dust generated by blasting. Identify all material being removed by blasting and obtain a safety data sheet (SDS) for the blast media.

NOTICE

To prevent rapid frosting of the view window, avoid pointing the blast nozzle toward the window and install a view-window cover lens, per Section 7.3.

4.4.8 When holding parts off the grate, use a solid conductive backrest to support the part. Without this assist, especially with longer blasting operations, the operator will tire easily from resisting blast pressure, and static electricity could build up in the ungrounded part and cause static shocks. Whenever possible avoid holding small parts that require blasting into the glove.

4.4.9 If an object should fall through the grate, stop blasting immediately and retrieve it.

4.5 Blasting Technique

4.5.1 Blasting technique is similar to spray painting technique. Smooth continuous strokes are most effective. The distance from the part affects size of blast pattern. Under normal conditions, hold the nozzle approximately 3" to 6" from the surface of the part.

4.6 Stop Blasting

4.6.1 To stop blasting, remove foot pressure from the top of the foot pedal.

4.6.2 Use the blow-off nozzle to blow media off cleaned parts.

4.6.3 Keep door closed and exhauster running until the cabinet is clear of all airborne dust.

4.6.4 Unload parts.

4.7 Shutdown

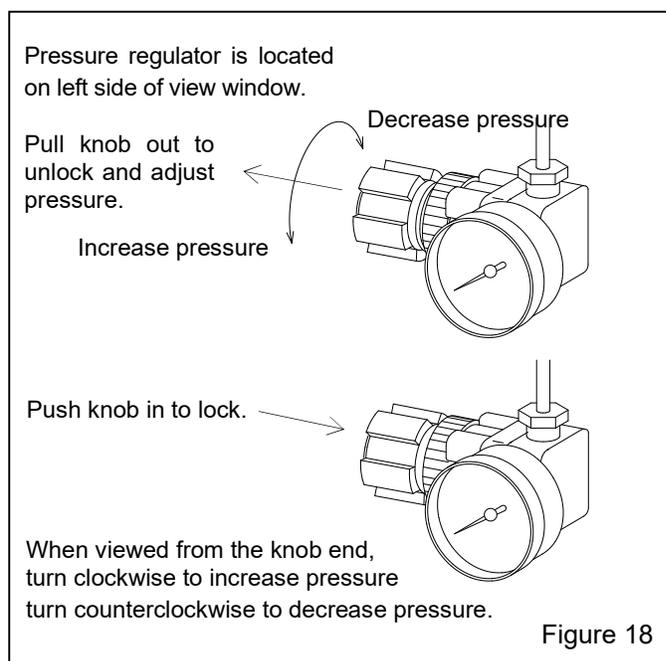
4.7.1 Shut off the air-supply valve, bleed the air-supply line, and drain the compressed-air filter and dust-collector pulse reservoir.

4.7.2 Switch OFF the lights and exhauster.

5.0 ADJUSTMENTS

5.1 Blasting Pressure (pilot regulator) – Figure 18

5.1.1 The pilot regulator, located on the top-left side of the cabinet, enables the user to adjust blasting pressure while blasting to suit the application. The suitable pressure for most purposes is about 80 psi. Lower pressures may be required on delicate substrates and will reduce media breakdown. Higher pressure may be required for difficult blasting jobs on durable substrates, but will increase media breakdown. If pressure is too high, suction in media hose will decrease, and if high enough, cause blowback in the hose. Optimal production can only be achieved when pressure is carefully monitored.



5.1.2 To adjust pressure, unlock the knob by pulling it out, as shown in Figure 18, and turn it clockwise to increase pressure or counterclockwise to decrease pressure. Pressure may drop slightly from closed-line pressure when blasting starts. Once operating pressure is set, push the knob in to lock it to maintain the setting.

5.2 Air Jet Adjustment – Figure 19

5.2.1 Thread the air jet 4-1/2 to 5 full turns into the gun body. Doing so will leave 3-1/2 to 4 threads exposed past the lock nut. Tighten the lock nut to maintain the setting. Refer to Section 9.3 for optional adjusting tool, which correctly positions the jet. Instructions are provided with the tool.

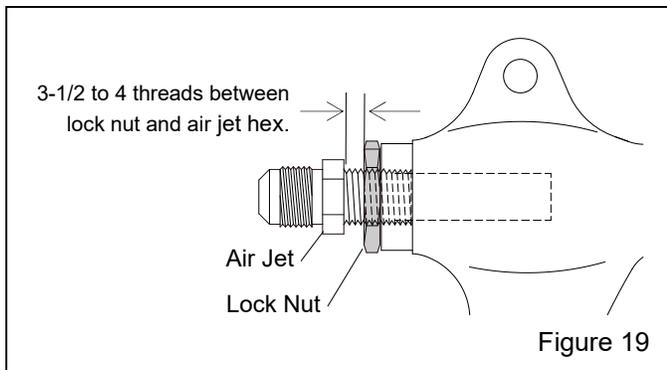


Figure 19

5.3 Media/Air Mixture (media flow) – Figure 20

5.3.1 Check the media stream for correct media/air mixture; media flow should be smooth and appear as a light mist coming from the nozzle.

5.3.2 If media does not flow smoothly, loosen the locking nut and adjust the metering screw until the upper holes in the metering stem are closed off and the lower holes are fully open, as shown in Figure 20. This adjustment is a starting point.

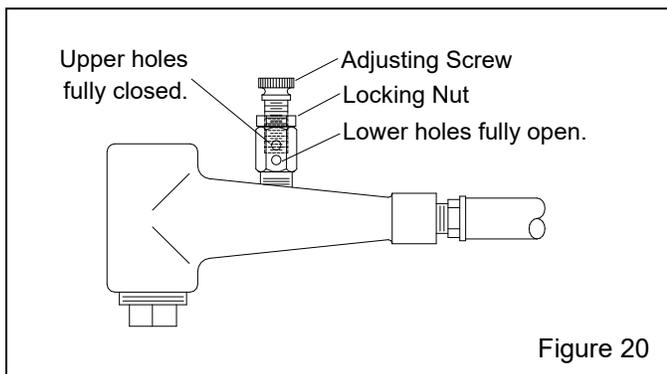


Figure 20

5.3.3 If pulsation occurs in the media hose, either media is damp and caked, or not enough air is entering the media stream. While blasting, loosen the locking nut and slowly turn the adjusting screw out (counterclockwise when viewed from the top) until media flows smoothly. Tighten the locking nut finger-tight to maintain the setting.

5.3.4 If media flow is too light, decrease air in the mixture by turning the metering screw in (clockwise when viewed from the top), covering more of the holes so less air enters the media hose. Tighten the locking nut finger-tight to maintain the setting.

5.4 Reclaimer Static Pressure (dust-collector outlet damper)

5.4.1 Correct static pressure varies with size of reclaimer, and the size, weight, and type of media.

5.4.2 Adjust static pressure by opening (handle inline with air flow) or closing (handle perpendicular to air flow) the dust-collector damper. Refer to the dust collector owner's manual; the damper is located on the inlet on CDC-1 Dust Collectors and on the exhaust outlet on RPC-2 and RPH Dust Collectors. If the damper is not opened far enough, the reclaimer will not remove fines, resulting in dusty media and poor visibility, and possible media blockage in the conveying hose. If the damper is opened too far, it may cause carryover (usable media carried into the dust collector) and result in excessive media consumption. Open only as far as necessary to obtain a balance of dust removal without media carryover.

5.4.3 A manometer is useful when adjusting or monitoring static pressure. The manometer kit is listed in *Section 9.1: Optional Accessories*. Refer to Section 5.8 for manometer operation. The following are static pressure starting points for given media. Static pressure may need to be lower with finer media, higher with coarser media. Run the media through several blast cycles, allowing the reclaimer to function with these settings. Inspect the media in the reclaimer and fines in the dust collector, as noted in Paragraph 5.4.2. Continue adjusting static pressure until optimum media cleaning without carryover is attained.

Glass Bead No. 4 to 7	3" – 3-1/2"
Glass Bead No. 8 to 13	2-1/2" – 3"
Aluminum Oxide, 60-mesh & coarser	4" – 5"
Aluminum Oxide, 80-mesh & finer	2-1/2" – 3"
*Steel Grit, 50-mesh to 120-mesh	6" – 7"
*Steel Shot S-170 to S-70	6" – 7"
*Refer to Section 1.9 for media limitations.	

5.4.4 If the damper has been adjusted and carryover or excessive dust in the media continues, the optional externally adjustable vortex cylinder may help by fine tuning media separation. The vortex cylinder is usually required only when using 180-mesh and finer media or lightweight media. Refer to Section 5.5.

5.5 Optional, Externally Adjustable Vortex Cylinder – Figure 21

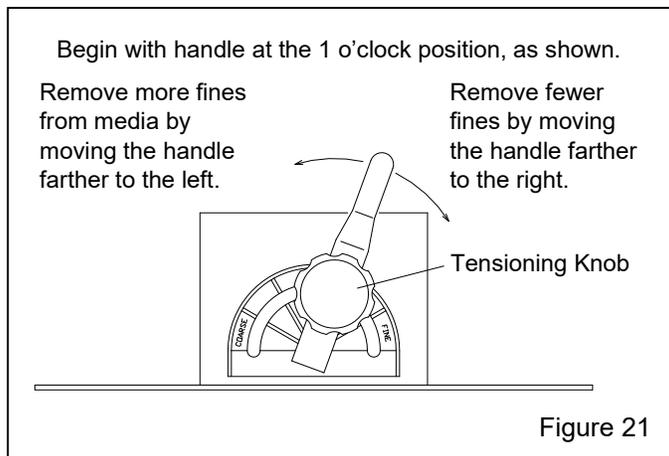
The externally adjustable vortex is an option when the cabinet is provided with a CDC-1 Dust Collector. The vortex is standard on reclaimers when the cabinet is provided from the factory with an RPC-2 or RPH Dust Collector.

The vortex cylinder fine tunes media separation. Before adjusting the cylinder, adjust the damper on the dust collector to increase or decrease static pressure, per Section 5.4. Once the damper is adjusted, adjust the cylinder.

5.5.1 The vortex cylinder is located atop the reclaimer where the flex hose connects. Adjustments are made by loosening the handle's tensioning knob and moving the handle to achieve the correct setting. When the correct setting is established, tighten the locking knob to prevent movement. Start with the lever slightly to the right (about 1 o'clock, as shown in Figure 21) of the vertical position.

5.5.2 To remove more fines: (Too much dust in media. Raise the cylinder by moving the lever left toward COARSE in 1/4" increments at the indicator plate. Allow the media to go through several blast cycles before determining if further adjustment is needed.

5.5.3 To remove fewer fines: (Excessive usable media is carried to the dust collector). Lower the cylinder by moving the lever right toward FINE in 1/4" increments at the indicator plate. NOTE: If the cylinder is lowered too far, the reclaimer will again begin to allow usable media to be carried over, which this causes abnormally high static pressure.



5.5.4 When using media finer than 180-mesh, the inlet baffle in the reclaimer may need to be removed. Refer to Section 1.9.6.

5.6 Cabinet Air-Inlet Damper

5.6.1 Once the inlet damper is initially set, per Section 2.7, it seldom requires readjustment. The initial setting produces approximately .5" to .75" of static pressure in the cabinet enclosure. **Do not confuse cabinet static pressure with reclaimer static pressure, which is controlled by the dust-collector damper, as noted in Section 5.4. Reclaimer pressure must be set before cabinet pressure.**

5.6.2 Using a manometer (as noted in Section 5.8 and listed in Section 9.1) is the most accurate method of monitoring and adjusting cabinet pressure. Following the instructions packed with the manometer, start the exhauster, insert the needle into a glove, and adjust pressure using the cabinet's air-inlet damper. Open the damper farther to decrease static pressure or close it farther to increase pressure.

5.6.3 If a manometer is not available, use the gloves as an indicator. With the exhauster ON, the gloves should be inflated but not elevated off the grate.

5.7 Door Interlocks – Figure 22

⚠ WARNING

Never bypass the door interlock system. Doing so can result in serious injury from unexpected blasting.

5.7.1 The door interlocks disable the blasting control circuit when the door is open. To enable blasting, the door-interlock switch must be engaged when door is closed. The interlocks are set at the factory and do not normally require field adjustment unless parts are replaced. When adjustment is required, proceed as follows.

5.7.2 Close cabinet door.

5.7.3 Loosen the actuator bracket screws and adjusting screw nut. Move the actuator bracket up or down, and the adjusting screw sideways, as needed to center the adjusting screw on the over-travel stop (in center of detent sleeve). Tighten the bracket screws.

5.7.4 Turn the adjusting screw in or out as required to engage the switch without applying excessive pressure on it. Tighten the adjusting screw nuts.

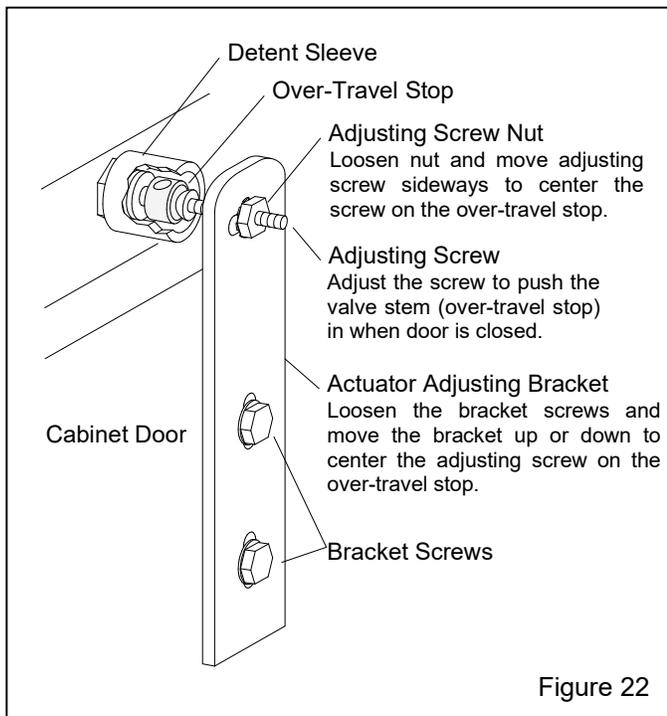


Figure 22

5.7.5 Test the operation with the door open and then closed. Negative pressure inside the cabinet may cause the door to flex inward. Tests should be performed with the exhauster running. Point the nozzle away from the door during the tests and open the door only enough to disengage the interlock switch. The interlocks should stop the blasting when the door is open and permit blasting when the door is closed.

5.8 Optional Manometer

These instructions show several methods of taking static pressure readings (negative pressure) on reclaimers by using a flexible-tube manometer. Use the method best suited for the application. The instructions explain the processes for taking periodic readings and show how to permanently install the manometer for taking frequent readings. A fitting should be installed when the manometer installation is permanent, per Paragraph 5.8.6.3. Use silicone or other sealant around the fitting to prevent leaks. The fitting should be capable of being capped when the manometer tube is removed. A cap will prevent leaks that alter the reclaimer's separation efficiency. Taking readings at different locations could produce different readings. Static pressure readings at the door are generally 0.5" to 1" lower than those taken above the reclaimer. The readings are reference points, so readings should be taken using the same method each time a reading is taken.

5.8.1 Refer to instructions packed with the manometer for preparing and operating the manometer.

5.8.2 Connect one end of the 3/16" ID tubing to one of the tubing connectors (elbows) at the top of the manometer by pushing it over the barbed adaptor.

5.8.3 Leave the needle protector on the needle and insert the needle into the other end of the tubing. The ends of the tubing must fit tight on the manometer and needle; leaks will cause inaccurate readings.

5.8.4 Open both manometer valves (elbows), per manometer instructions.

5.8.5 Magnets on the manometer hold it in position on the reclaimer or dust-collector body. The manometer must be vertical, so the fluid is level on both sides.

5.8.6 Needle placement: Figure 23 shows the manometer setup for taking both periodic and frequent static pressure readings.

5.8.6.1 Taking readings in the flex hose: Remove the needle protector and insert the needle into the flex hose approximately 8" above the top of the reclaimer.

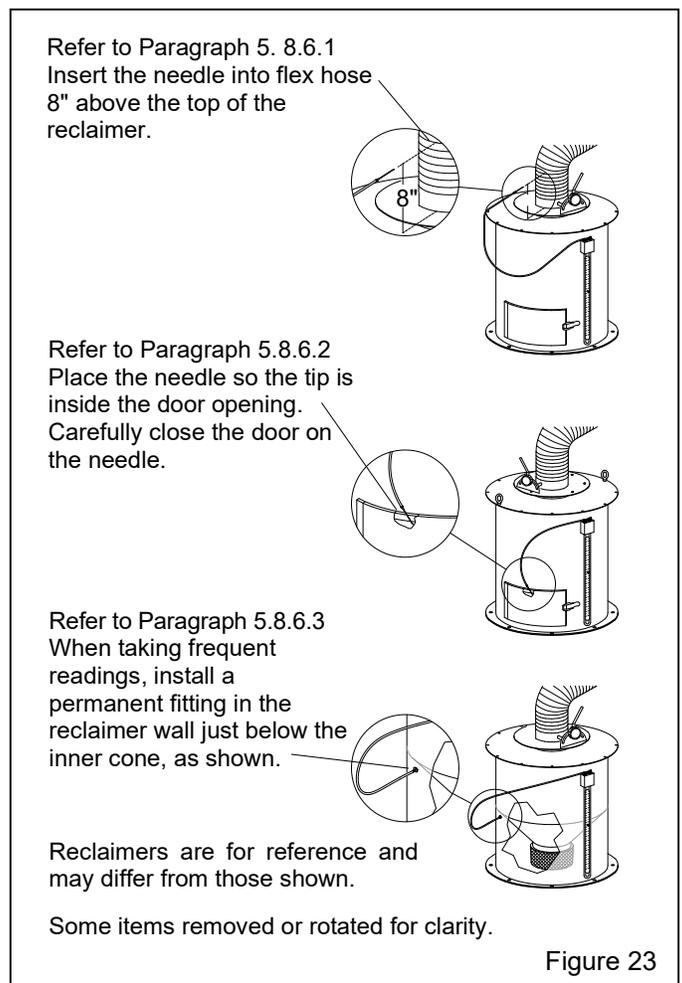
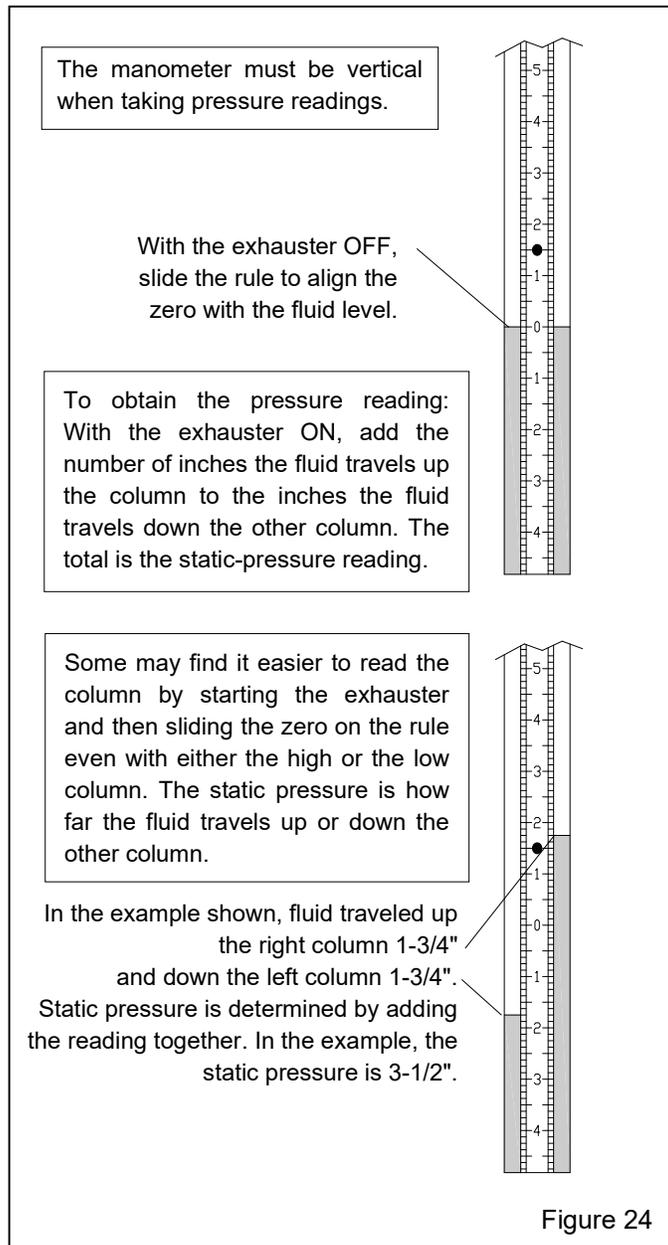


Figure 23

5.8.6.2 Taking readings at the reclaiming door: Open the reclaiming fill door, remove the needle protector, and place the needle so the tip is inside the door opening. Carefully close the door on the needle. The side of the needle will embed into the rubber, creating an airtight seal.



5.8.6.3 Taking frequent readings using a permanent fitting: A permanent fitting may be installed in the reclaiming wall, as shown in Figure 23, for taking frequent static pressure readings. Permanent fittings must have a barb to accommodate the 3/16" ID tubing and have a means of sealing the fitting when the manometer is not in use. Use silicone sealer or other sealant to seal around the fitting to prevent leaks. The fitting should be

capable of being capped when the manometer tube is removed. Sealing the fitting will prevent leaks that alter the reclaiming's separation efficiency. Air drawn into the reclaiming will cause carryover of good media to the dust collector.

5.8.7 Adjust the slide rule to align the zero with the fluid level. Refer to the upper part of Figure 24.

5.8.8 Open cabinet door and turn the exhauster ON. The negative (static) pressure will move fluid in the tube. **NOTE: Readings must be taken with the cabinet door open and with the exhauster running.**

5.8.9 To find the static pressure, add the number of inches the fluid travels up one column to the inches the fluid travels down the other column. Refer to the example in Figure 24.

5.8.10 After taking the readings, replace the needle protector. Close the manometer valves and store the manometer in the original container in a clean area. **NOTE:** If the manometer installation is permanent, the manometer may remain on the reclaiming body after the valves are closed.

6.0 PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE

⚠ WARNING

Failure to wear an approved respirator and personal protection when servicing dust-laden areas of the cabinet and dust collector, as well as when emptying the container, can result in lung disease, serious skin or eye irritation, or other health issues. Toxicity and health risk vary with type of media and dust generated by blasting. The respirator must be approved for the type of dust generated. Identify all material being removed by blasting and obtain a safety data sheet (SDS) for the blast media.

To avoid unscheduled downtime, establish an inspection schedule. Inspect all parts subjected to media contact, including the gun and nozzle, media hose, flex hose, wear plate, and all items covered in this section. Adjust frequency of inspections based on the following:

- **Usage:** Cabinets often used require more maintenance and inspections than those occasionally used.
- **Type of media:** Aggressive media wears parts faster than nonaggressive media.

- **Condition of parts being blasted:** Heavily contaminated parts require more maintenance to the cabinet's media recovery system.
- **Friability of media:** Media that rapidly breaks down require more maintenance to the cabinet's media recovery system and dust collector.

6.1 Daily Inspection and Maintenance before Blasting with the Air OFF

6.1.1 Check media level: Check media level in reclaimer and refill as necessary.

6.1.2 Inspect reclaimer debris screen and door gasket: Check reclaimer debris screen for debris. The screen is accessible through the reclaimer door. With the exhauster OFF, remove the screen and empty it daily or when loading media. Empty the screen more often if part blasted causes excessive debris. Do not operate the machine without the screen in place; oversized byproduct from blasting could plug the nozzle. While the door is open, inspect the door gasket for wear or damage. Replace the gasket at the first sign of wear.

6.1.3 Drain compressed-air filter: The cabinet is equipped with a manual-drain air filter. Drain the filter at least once a day and more often if water is present. Moist air inhibits the flow of media. Drain the air line and receiver tank regularly. If the filter does not remove enough moisture to keep media dry and flowing, it may be necessary to install an air dryer or aftercooler in the compressed-air-supply line.

6.1.4 Inspect dust container: Refer to the dust collector owner's manual and empty dust containers. Adjust schedule based on refill rate.

6.2 Daily Inspection During Blasting – Have Someone Do the Following:

6.2.1 Inspect cabinet for dust leaks: During operation, inspect cabinet door seals for media leaks. Dust leaking from the inlet damper or other places on the cabinet indicates saturated filter cartridge. Refer to the dust collector owner's manual.

6.2.2 Check exhaust air for dust: Dust discharge at the dust-collector outlet indicates a leaking or damaged filter cartridge. Check immediately. Note that a small amount of dust egress is normal for a short time before a new cartridge is seasoned.

6.2.3 Drain pulse reservoir: Refer to the dust collector owner's manual and drain the pulse reservoir (manifold) at the end of each shift.

6.2.4 Cartridge pulsing: Refer to the CDC-1 Dust Collector manual for pulsing instructions and pulse the cartridge at least every half hour of blasting and before turning OFF the exhauster. Dusty blasting conditions will require more frequent pulsing. RPC-2 and RPH-2 Dust Collectors are automatically pulsed at timed intervals.

6.3 Weekly Inspection and Maintenance Before Blasting with Air OFF

6.3.1 Inspect view-window cover lens: Inspect the window cover lens. Replace as needed, per Section 7.3.

6.3.2 Inspect gloves: Inspect gloves for wear. The first sign of deterioration may be excessive static shocks. Replace as needed, per Section 7.1.

6.3.3 Inspect BNP® Gun Assembly: Inspect internal parts of the BNP Gun for wear. Inspection and replacement of the air jet cover before it wears through will prolong the life of the jet. Replace parts as needed, per Section 7.2.

6.3.4 Inspect media hose: Inspect media hose for thin spots by pinching it every 6 to 12 inches. Replace the hose when it becomes soft.

6.4 Weekly Inspection During Blasting – Have Someone do the Following:

6.4.1 Inspect flex hoses: Inspect flex hoses for leaks and wear.

6.5 Monthly Inspection and Maintenance

6.5.1 Reclaimer wear plate and liners: Remove the flex hose from the reclaimer inlet and use a light to inspect the reclaimer wear plate or optional rubber reclaimer liners for wear. If the rubber is worn through to the backing metal, replace the wear plate per Section 7.8 or rubber liners per Section 7.9, as necessary.

6.6 Dust Collector

Reverse-pulse dust collectors are covered in a separate manual. Refer to Section 1.1.1.

7.0 SERVICE MAINTENANCE

⚠ WARNING

Prior to doing any maintenance or opening the dust collector, the employer must meet required OSHA standards, including but not limited to 29CFR 1910 for:

- Appropriate Respirator
- Protective Clothing
- Toxic and Hazardous Substances
- Fall Protection
- Lockout and Tagout

All dust is hazardous to breath; toxicity and health risk vary with type of dust generated by blasting. Prolonged exposure to any dust can result in serious lung disease and death. Short-term exposure to toxic materials, such as lead dust or dust from other heavy metals and corrosives, can cause serious injury or death. Identify all material that is being removed by blasting and obtain a Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for the blast media. Waste dust in the collector can cause serious injury or death through inhalation, absorption, or ingestion. The employer shall meet all OSHA requirements, including but not limited to those for confined space, combustible dust, fall protection, hazard communication, and lockout and tagout procedure for electrical and pneumatic supply.

7.1 Gloves

7.1.1 Special static-dissipating gloves are provided for operator comfort. It will be necessary to change gloves periodically as they wear. The first sign of deterioration may be excessive static shocks.

7.1.2 Band-clamp type: Band-clamp type gloves are held in place by metal band clamps on the inside of the cabinet. To replace, loosen the clamps with a screwdriver, replace the gloves, and tighten the clamps.

7.1.3 Quick-change type, clampless installation: Quick-change gloves are held in place using spring rings sewn into the attachment end of the glove. To install, insert the glove into the arm port so one spring is on the inside of the port and the other is on the outside, sandwiching the arm port between both spring rings.

7.2 BNP® Gun and Hose Assembly – Figure 25

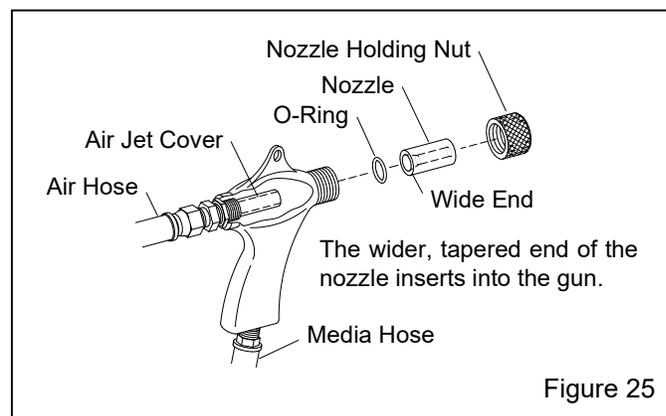


Figure 25

7.2.1 Replace the nozzle when its orifice diameter has worn 1/16" larger than its original size or when suction diminishes noticeably. To change the nozzle, unscrew the holding nut from the gun end, and pull the nozzle from the gun. Inspect the nozzle and O-ring and replace if worn or damaged. Inspect the air jet cover; replacing it before it wears through will prolong the life of the jet. Insert a new O-ring and nozzle, placing the tapered end of the nozzle toward the jet. Screw the holding nut onto the gun.

7.3 View-Window Cover Lens

7.3.1 Rapid frosting of the view window can be avoided by directing ricocheting media away from the window and by installing a cover lens on the inside surface of the window. Using cover lenses prolongs the life of the view window.

7.3.2 The best way to install a cover lens is to remove the window from the cabinet. If, for some reason, it is not practical to remove the window, the lens may be applied with the window glass in place.

7.3.3 To install a cover lens, carefully remove the adhesive backing making sure the adhesive remains on the lens and apply the lens to the clean, dry, inner surface of the view window. When the cover lens becomes pitted or frosted, replace it.

7.4 View-Window Replacement

⚠ WARNING

Do not use plate glass for replacement view windows. Plate glass shatters on impact and can cause severe injury. Use only genuine ZERO® laminated replacement glass.

7.4.1 Remove the two window frame nuts located on the upper edge of the window frame and swing the window frame open. If the frame is to remain open for cleaning or other reasons remove it, per Section 7.6.

7.4.2 Remove the old window.

7.4.3 Inspect the window-frame gaskets on both the window frame and on the cabinet. If either gasket is damaged replace it, per section 7.5.

7.4.4 Install a view-window cover lens, per Section 7.3.

7.4.5 Set the new window (cover lens down) squarely over the window opening, making sure that all edges of the window are centered and overlapping the window gasket, and that the window is resting on the window support tabs.

7.4.6 Swing the window frame into place and tighten the frame nuts.

7.5 Window-Gasket Replacement – Figure 26

7.5.1 Inspect the gaskets when changing the view window. Replace the window-frame gasket and cabinet-window-opening gasket at the first sign of media leakage around the view window, or if gaskets are worn or otherwise damaged.

7.5.2 Remove the window and window frame, per Section 7.6.

7.5.3 Remove all the old gasket material and clean the surfaces of the cabinet and window frame.

7.5.4 Peel a short section of adhesive backing from the 5/16"-thick strip gasket and adhere the gasket to the center of the top edge of the window opening, as shown in Figure 26. Peel additional backing as needed and work the strip around the radius of each corner, pressing it firmly to bond. Trim the gasket to fit and compress the ends to seal.

7.5.5 Using 5/32"-thick strip gasket, repeat the process on the underside of the window frame.

7.5.6 Trim around the window-frame bolt slots, as needed.

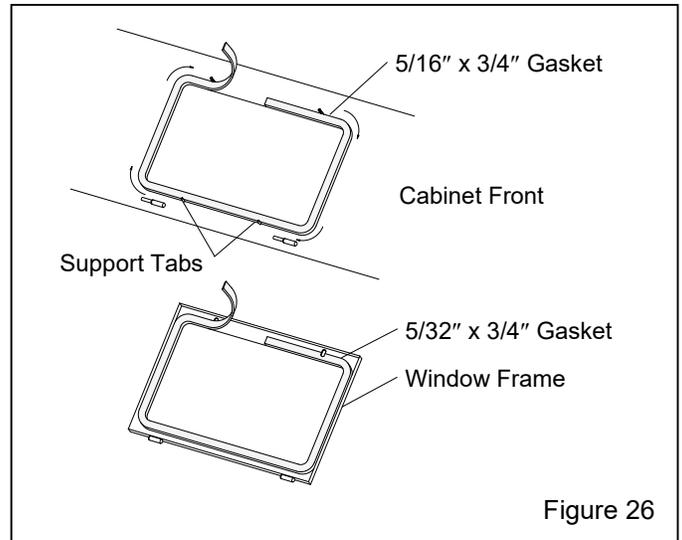


Figure 26

7.6 Window-Frame Removal – Figure 27

7.6.1 Remove the two window frame nuts located on the upper edge of the window frame and swing the window frame open.

7.6.2 Remove the window to prevent breakage.

7.6.3 Pivot the window frame up or down until tension is off the frame hinges.

7.6.4 To remove, slide the frame to the right. The hinges separate, as shown in Figure 27.

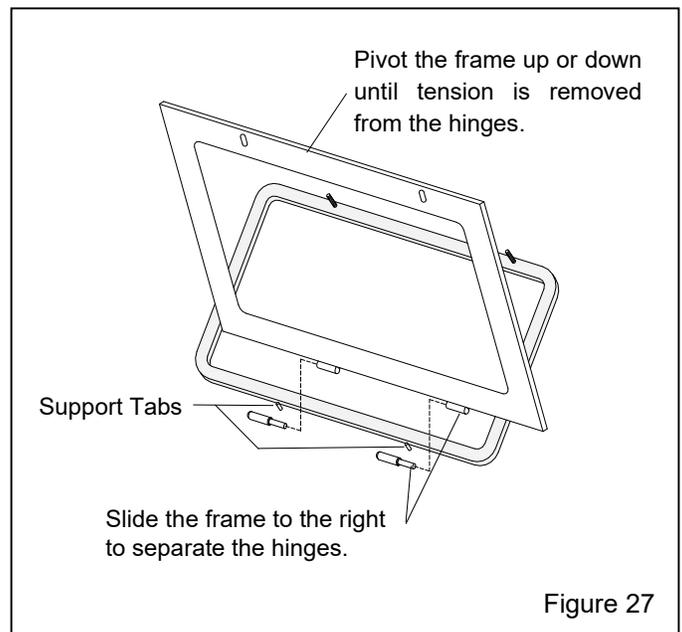


Figure 27

7.6.5 Replace the frame in reverse order. Align the top bolt holes with the bolts; slide the frame as necessary.

7.6.6 Set the window squarely over the window opening. Make sure that all edges of the window are centered, overlapping the window gasket, and that the window is resting on the window support tabs.

7.6.7 Swing the window frame into place and tighten the frame nuts.

7.7 Light Assembly

Follow the steps for both light assemblies

⚠ WARNING

Use an approved stepladder when servicing the light assembly. Do not climb on top of the cabinet. The cabinet top will not support the weight of a person. Failure can result in injury and property damage.

7.7.1 Turn OFF electrical power.

7.7.2 Remove the four nuts and washers attaching the hold-down cover to the cabinet and remove the cover, as shown in Figure 28

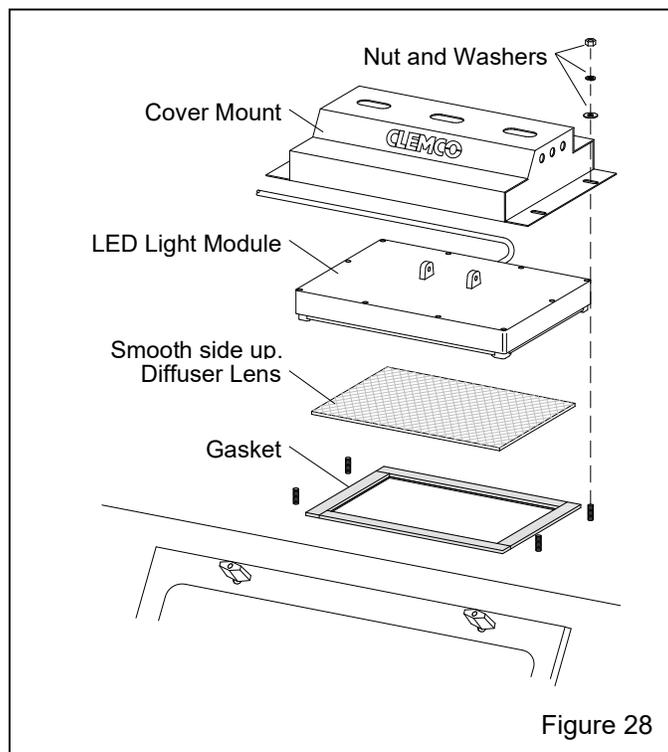


Figure 28

7.7.3 Gasket replacement

7.7.3.1 Remove all the old gasket material and clean the surface of the cabinet.

7.7.3.2 Lay a section of strip gasket along the edge of the opening, and cut to length allowing 3/4" overlap on each end. Peel a short section of adhesive backing and adhere the strip gasket to the top edge of the light opening, as shown in Figure 28. Press the gasket to bond. Repeat the process for each side, compressing the ends to seal.

7.7.4 Diffuser lens replacement

7.7.4.1 Remove the four nuts and washers, attaching the hold-down cover to the cabinet and remove the cover. Move the light module off the diffuser. Inspect the gasket and replace if compressed or otherwise damaged before centering the new diffuser (smooth side up) over the gasket.

7.7.4.2 Set the light module on the diffuser and reattach the cover.

7.7.5 LED module replacement

7.7.5.1 Turn OFF electrical power and perform lockout and tagout procedure to power supply.

7.7.5.2 Remove the cover mount, per Paragraph 7.7.2

7.7.5.3 Remove the junction box cover and note the wire connections. Current connections are as follows:

- Brown wireHot
- Blue wireNeutral
- Yellow w/ green stripeGround

If color coding is different from that shown above, make note of the color code before disconnecting the module wires.

7.7.5.4 Loosen the strain-relief compression nut and remove the cord from the junction box.

7.7.5.5 Place the new module in position on the cabinet and route to cord through the strain relief and into the junction box.

7.7.5.6 Cut the cord to length and wire as follows:

- Brown wireHot
- Blue wireNeutral
- Yellow w/ green stripeGround

7.7.5.7 Apply power to test the light(s).

7.7.5.8 Tighten the strain-relief compression nut, set the light module on the diffuser, and reattach the cover.

7.8 Replacing Reclaimer Wear Plate – Figure 29 Reclaimer with bolt-on, removable top.

⚠ WARNING

To access wear-plate mounting screws, the reclaimer may need to be removed from the cabinet; not applicable to freestanding 900 reclaimers. BNP reclaimers weigh between 100 lbs. and 150 lbs., depending on the size. When removing and installing the reclaimer, it must be adequately supported and secured to appropriate lift equipment. Failure to secure and use proper lift device can result in injury.

Depending on conditions such as height and accessibility, it may be easier to replace the wear plate if the reclaimer is removed from the hopper and leg assembly. Make sure enough 13089 - 2" adhesive-backed gasket is available to replace compressed or damaged gaskets on the reclaimer upper flange (and lower flange if the reclaimer is removed from the hopper and leg assembly).

- 900 cfm requires 7 feet for each flange.
- 1200 cfm requires 7 feet for the lower flange and 8 feet for the upper flange.

⚠ WARNING

BNP reclaimers weigh between 150 lbs and 250 lbs, depending on the size. When installing or removing the reclaimer it must be adequately supported and secured to appropriate lift equipment. Failure to secure and use proper lift device can result in injury or death. When using a ladder to service the reclaimer make sure it is approved for the application and that appropriate fall protection is used. Failure to use appropriate ladder and fall protection can result in injury.

7.8.1 Remove the flex hose from the reclaimer inlet.

7.8.2 If it is necessary to remove the reclaimer to access the wear-plate mounting screw, remove the media hose or metering valve, whichever is easier, then remove the reclaimer mounting bolts and remove the reclaimer.

7.8.3 Unbolt the reclaimer top and then remove the top, the inlet-pipe adaptor, adaptor gasket, and old wear plate. The wear plate is held in place by screws attached from the outside of the reclaimer. Remove the screws and pull out the wear plate.

7.8.4 Remove remnants of old caulk that will prevent the new wear plate from seating against the reclaimer wall or top.

7.8.5 Angle the new wear plate into the reclaimer inlet and position it so the straight end is flush with the inlet. Use locking pliers, clamps, or other means where needed to pry the wear plate against the side of the inlet and inner wall. Make sure the leading edge of the wear plate is aligned with the reclaimer inlet and that the top edge is even with the top of the reclaimer.

7.8.6 New self-drilling sheet metal screws are provided with the wear plate; match drill through each old screw hole into the wear plate to secure. Rearrange the clamp(s) as needed to press the wear plate against the reclaimer wall when installing.

7.8.7 Replace the upper flange gasket as needed and reattach the reclaimer top.

7.8.8 To avoid rapid wear, apply RTV caulk to fill gaps at the seams on the top and bottom of the wear plate.

7.8.9 Attach the inlet adaptor pipe, replacing the gasket if worn, compressed, or otherwise damaged.

7.8.10 Replace the lower flange gasket as needed, reattach the reclaimer, and connect the flex hose and media hose.

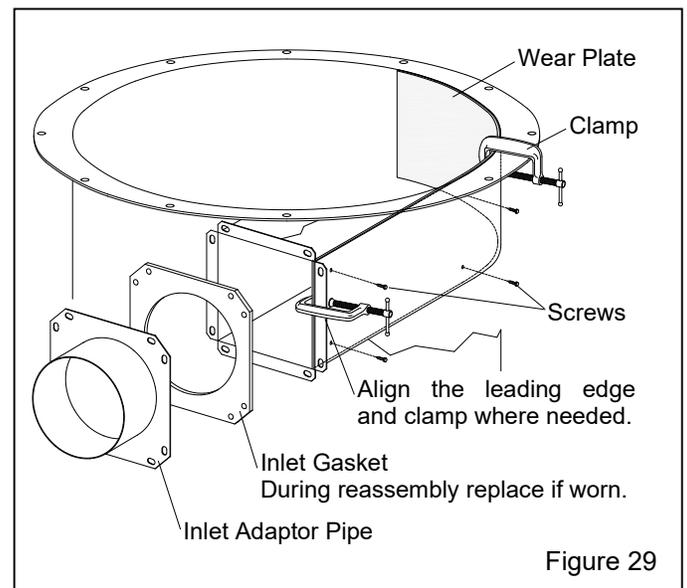


Figure 29

7.8.11 Allow time for the caulking to cure before putting the reclaimer into service.

7.9 Replacing or Field Installing Optional Rubber Reclaimer Liners – Figure 30

The reclaimer must be designed to accept liners and have a removable top, as shown in Figure 31. **NOTE: The following instructions are to replace existing liners or field installing new liners into modular style 900 cfm and 1200 cfm reclaimers only. Modular reclaimers have an upper**

Installation Notes: Make sure enough 13089 - 2" adhesive-backed gasket is available to replace the compressed or damaged gasket on the reclaimer lower flange.

- 900 cfm requires 6 feet.
- 1200 cfm requires 7 feet.

The inner cone and cone ring are glued in place. Make sure a multi-purpose contact adhesive, such as 3M® no. 10 neoprene contact adhesive or equal, is available.

It is easier to replace or install liners if the reclaimer is detached from the hopper and leg assembly. Doing so provides a flat surface for the reclaimer to sit.

WARNING

BNP reclaimers weigh between 150 lbs and 250 lbs, depending on the size. When installing or removing the reclaimer it must be adequately supported and secured to appropriate lift equipment. Failure to secure and use proper lift device can result in injury or death. When using a ladder to service the reclaimer, make sure it is approved for the application and that appropriate fall protection is used. Failure to use appropriate ladder and fall protection can result in injury.

7.9.1 Remove the flex hoses from the reclaimer inlet and outlet.

7.9.2 Remove the reclaimer body from the hopper and leg assembly.

7.9.3 Set the reclaimer top-side-up on a clean, flat, and level surface.

7.9.4 Remove the reclaimer inlet-pipe adaptor.

7.9.5 Remove the bolts and nuts securing the reclaimer top and then remove the top (and top liner if the reclaimer is currently lined).

7.9.6 If the reclaimer is currently unlined, begin at the installation note preceding Paragraph 7.9.12.

7.9.7 Remove the top liner and cylinder liner: Grind the tack welds from the bottom of the cylinder liner that secure the liner to the tube, then slide the cylinder liner and top liner off the inner tube.

7.9.8 Remove the nuts and washers located along the right side of the inlet and remove the inlet baffle through the top of the reclaimer.

7.9.9 Remove the screws holding the inlet-side liner and inlet-top liner and remove both liners from the reclaimer inlet.

7.9.10 The wall liner is held in place with self-drilling screws; from the outside of the reclaimer, remove the screws and lift the wall liner from the top of the reclaimer.

7.9.11 Inner cone liners and cone-ring liners are glued onto the inner cone. Pull off the liners to remove them.

7.9.12 Remove all old caulking and adhesive from the weldment.

Installation Note: The numbers in parentheses (-) shown in Figure 30 and their applicable paragraphs show the recommended order of installation. When installing the liners, make sure that seams are aligned. The final assembly must be smooth and free of protrusions, edges, and gaps. Any edges will disrupt the air flow, causing wear and affecting the reclaimer's media cleaning efficiency.

7.9.13 (1st) Place the cone-ring liner on the inside of the cone ring; check fit and trim if needed. Refer to the instructions provided with the adhesive; some adhesives require it to be applied to both contact surfaces. Apply a multi-purpose contact adhesive, such as 3M® no. 10 neoprene contact adhesive or equal, to the fabric side of the liner and install the liner. Smooth out the liner to eliminate air pockets.

7.9.14 (2nd) Place the cone liner in the cone with the fabric side down, and check the fit and trim if necessary. Apply contact adhesive to the fabric side of the liner and install the cone liner. Smooth out the liner to eliminate air pockets.

7.9.15 (3rd) Place the inlet-side liner (rubber side out) against the side of the inlet housing; center the side liner and align the front edge of the liner with the front of the housing. Temporarily clamp the side liner in place.

7.9.16 (4th) Align the wall liner cutout with the reclaimer inlet housing and lower the liner into the reclaimer. Temporarily insert the baffle bolts through the liner and reclaimer holes to position that side of the wall liner. Clamp the wall liner in place, making adjustments to make sure it is flush with the top of the reclaimer body and that the inlet-side liner is aligned with the side-liner cutout. Reposition the inlet-side liner as needed.

While pushing or clamping the liner against the weldment, secure the wall liner with self-drilling screws at each existing hole location. **NOTE: To field install a new, first-time wall liner, use self-drilling screws to secure it at the seam and an inch or two from the top and bottom at each quadrant.** Remove the clamps after the liner is secured.

7.9.17 (5th) Remove the temporary baffle bolts and install the inlet baffle by inserting bolts and flat washers from the inside of the reclaimer and then attach lock washers and nuts from the outside, leaving the baffle slightly loose.

7.9.18 Apply silicone caulking on seams between the cone ring and cone liner to the seams on the cone ring and cone, between the cone liner and wall liner, and the seam on the wall liner. Wipe caulking to even with the liners. Voids will cause premature wear.

NOTICE

All seams between each liner must be sealed, and all seams between the liners and reclaimer weldment must be sealed. Voids will cause premature wear.

7.9.19 (6th) Use self-drilling screws through the existing holes to secure the inlet-side liner to the side of the inlet housing. **NOTE: To field install new, first-time inlet-side liners, use self-drilling screws at each liner corner to secure.** Remove the clamps after the liner is secured.

7.9.20 (7th) Align the front edge of the inlet-top liner to the front of the inlet housing and use self-drilling screws through the existing holes to secure. **NOTE: To field install new, first-time inlet-top liners, after clamping the liners, use self-drilling screws at each liner corner to secure.** Remove the clamps after the liner is secured.

7.9.21 (8th) Slide the top liner onto the inner tube and align the holes in the liner with those in the top. Note that the holes around the inlet are spaced differently from the others. Temporarily install a couple of bolts to keep it in alignment.

7.9.22 (9th) Place the cylinder liner over the inner tube. Make sure the liner is tight against the top liner and use worm clamps to temporarily clamp the liner to the tube. Tack weld the bottom of the cylinder liner to the inner tube in three or four places. Remove the clamps when the cylinder liner is secured.

7.9.23 Apply caulking to the seam on the cylinder liner and between the cylinder liner and top liner.

7.9.24 Apply caulking around the top edge of the wall liner and top-inner edge on the inlet housing.

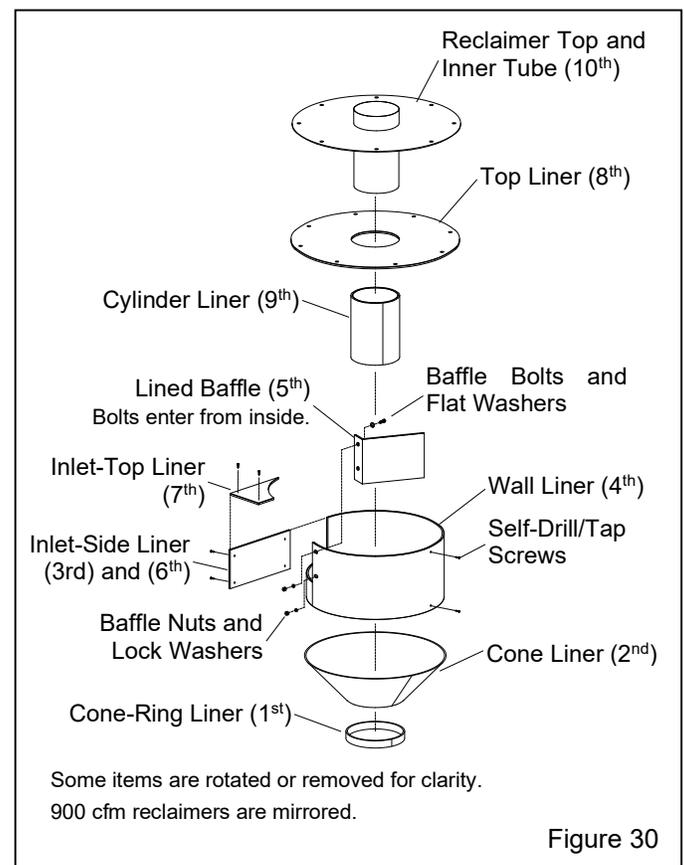


Figure 30

7.9.25 (10th) Align the reclaimer top assembly over the top of the reclaimer and lower it into place to match the mating holes in the flange, being careful not to smear the caulking. Secure the top bolts and inlet baffle bolts.

7.9.26 Working through the reclaimer inlet, wipe the caulking seal smooth. Re-caulk any voids.

7.9.27 Working through the reclaimer inlet, apply silicone caulking to seal seams around the inlet-side liner, inlet-top liner, and reclaimer weldment. Wipe the caulking smooth.

7.9.28 Attach the inlet-pipe adaptor, replacing the gasket if worn, compressed, or otherwise damaged.

7.9.29 If the lower flange gasket (usually installed on the hopper flange) is worn, compressed, or otherwise damaged, clean old gasket material from the flange and install new 2" strip gasket to the reclaimer hopper flange.

7.9.30 Reattach the reclaimer body to the hopper and leg assembly.

7.9.31 Install flex hoses.

7.9.32 Allow time for the caulking to cure before putting the reclaimer in service.

7.10 Removing or Replacing Reclaimer Inlet Baffle Figure 31

When using lightweight media such as agricultural media or very fine media (180 and finer), as noted in Paragraph 1.9.6, good media may be carried over to the dust collector. To prevent lightweight-media carryover, the reclaimer inlet baffle can be removed. Review the following process before beginning to make sure all parts are available:

Installation Notes:

Make sure enough 13089 - 2" adhesive-backed gasket is available to replace compressed or damaged gaskets on the reclaimer upper flange (and lower hopper flange if the hopper is removed from the reclaimer).

- 900 cfm requires 7 feet at each flange.
- 1200 cfm requires 8 feet at upper flange and 7 feet at lower flange.

Depending on conditions such as height and accessibility, it may be easier to replace the inlet baffle if the reclaimer body is removed from the hopper and leg assembly.

7.10.1 Remove the flex hose from the reclaimer top.

7.10.2 Remove the fasteners securing the reclaimer top and remove the top.

7.10.3 Remove the two bolts (three on 900 reclaimer) that secure the baffle to the side of the reclaimer inlet and remove the baffle through the top.

7.10.4 Remove all caulking residue.

7.10.5 If removing (not replacing) the baffle, remove the strip gasket from the inner tube and install the baffle bolts and reclaimer top. If replacing the baffle, skip to Paragraph 7.10.6.

7.10.6 When replacing the baffle, make sure the strip gasket on the inner tube is in good condition and install the new baffle in reverse order. Apply silicone caulk to the seam (opposite side of the mounting bolts) between the baffle and reclaimer body. Wipe the caulk smooth.

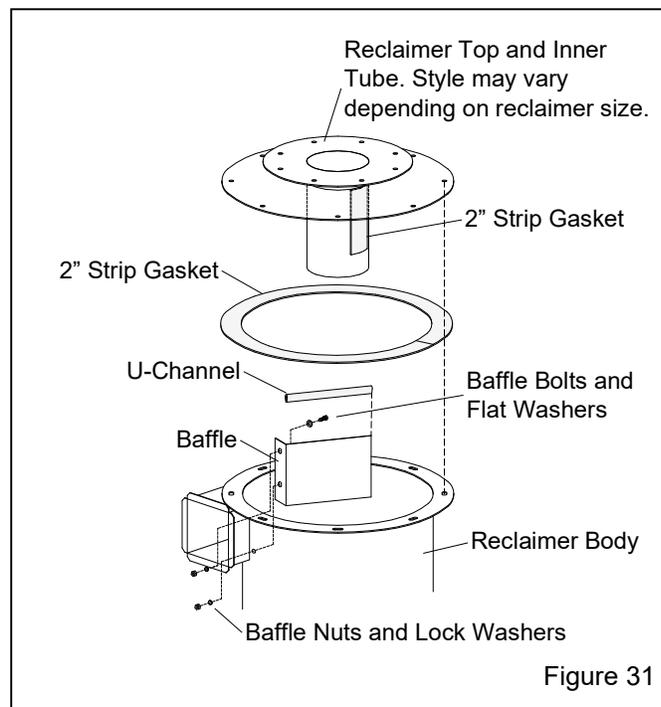


Figure 31

7.10.7 Inspect the strip gasket on the reclaimer upper flange; replace it if damaged or compressed.

7.10.8 Install the reclaimer top and allow the caulking to cure before putting the reclaimer into service.

7.11 Reverse-Pulse Dust Collector

Refer to the applicable dust collector manual, as noted in Paragraph 1.1.1, for dust collector maintenance.

8.0 TROUBLESHOOTING

WARNING

To avoid serious injury, observe the following when troubleshooting:

- Turn OFF the compressed-air supply, bleed the supply line, and lockout and tagout the air supply.
 - When air is required to check the controls, always enlist the aid of another person to:
 - Hold the blast gun securely.
 - Operate the foot pedal.
 - Never bypass the foot pedal or wedge it in the operating position.
 - Never bypass the door interlock system.
 - Follow all OSHA regulations, including lockout and tagout procedures.
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8.1 Poor visibility

8.1.1 Dirty filter cartridge(s). Pulse cartridge and empty dust container regularly. Refer to the applicable dust-collector manual noted in Paragraph 1.1.1 to adjust pulse pressure and pulse sequence.

8.1.2 Exhauster motor not operating. Check voltage to motor and motor wiring.

8.1.3 Check rotation of exhauster motor; the motor should rotate as indicated by the arrow on the housing. If it does not rotate in the proper direction, **lockout and tagout power** and switch the motor leads, as shown on the motor plate. Refer to Section 2.5.

8.1.4 Using friable media that rapidly breaks down or using media that is too fine or worn out. Check condition of media.

8.1.5 Dust collector-damper closed too far, restricting air movement through the cabinet. Adjust static pressure, per Section 5.4.

8.1.6 Cabinet air-inlet damper closed too far, restricting air movement through the cabinet. Adjust damper, per Section 2.7 and 5.6.

8.1.7 Reclaimer door open. Check door.

8.1.8 Hole worn in flex hose between cabinet hopper and reclaimer inlet or between the reclaimer and dust collector. Replace hose and route it with as few bends as possible to prevent wear.

8.1.9 Obstruction in flex hose between the cabinet hopper and reclaimer inlet. Inspect flex hose for blockage.

8.2 Abnormally high media consumption

8.2.1 Door on reclaimer open or worn door gasket. Air entering the reclaimer around the door will cause media carryover to the dust collector. Inspect door gasket. DO NOT operate unless all doors are closed.

8.2.2 Dust-collector damper open too far. Adjust static pressure, per Section 5.4.

8.2.3 Media may be too fine or worn out. Check condition of media.

8.2.4 Using friable media that rapidly breaks down. Check condition of media.

8.2.5 Blast pressure too high for the media, causing media to break down. Check blast pressure and adjust as needed or switch media.

8.2.6 Hole worn in reclaimer or leak in reclaimer seams. Check entire reclaimer for negative-pressure leaks.

8.2.7 When using media finer than 180-mesh, the reclaimer inlet-baffle may need to be removed. Refer to Section 1.9.6.

8.2.8 Optional, externally adjustable vortex cylinder out of adjustment. Adjust per Section 5.5.

8.3 Reduction in blast cleaning rate

8.3.1 Low media level reducing media flow. Check media level and replenish or replace as needed.

8.3.2 Media-air mixture out of adjustment. Adjust metering valve, per Section 5.3.

8.3.3 Reduced air pressure. This may be caused by the pressure regulator set too low, a malfunctioning regulator, a dirty filter element in the air filter, partially closed air valve, leaking air line, or other air tools in use. Inspect all items.

8.3.4 Blockage in media hose or gun. Blockage may occur as a result of:

- A damaged or missing reclaimer screen. Inspect screen.
- Heavy media flow. Adjust media flow, per Section 5.3.

8.3.5 Worn gun parts such as nozzle or air jet. Inspect and replace all worn parts.

8.3.6 Worn media hose. Check hose for leaks and soft spots. Replace worn or damaged hose.

8.3.7 Air jet out of adjustment. Check adjustment, per Section 5.2.

8.3.8 Moist media. Frequent bridging or blockage in the area of the metering valve can be caused by moisture. Refer to Section 8.5.

8.4 Plugged nozzle

8.4.1 A damaged or missing reclaimer screen will allow large particles to pass and block the nozzle. Replace or reinstall, as necessary.

8.4.2 Media mixture too rich. Adjust media-air mixture, per Section 5.3.

8.5 Media bridging

8.5.1 Frequent bridging or blockage in the media metering valve can be caused by damp media. Media becomes damp from blasting parts that are slightly oily, from moisture in the compressed air, or from absorption from ambient air.

8.5.2 To avoid contaminating media from the workpiece, all parts put into the cabinet should be clean and dry. If parts are oily or greasy, degrease and dry them prior to blasting.

8.5.3 Moist compressed air may be due to a faulty compressor that overheats or pumps oil or moisture into the air line, too long of an air line permitting moisture to condense on the inside, or from high humidity. Drain the air filter and receiver tank regularly. Ongoing problems with moist air may require the installation of an air dryer or aftercooler in the air-supply line.

8.5.4 Absorption. Some media types tend to absorb moisture from the air, especially fine-mesh media in areas of high humidity. Empty the media and store it in an airtight container when cabinet is not in use.

8.5.5 A vibrator attached to the reclaimer hopper or media metering valve may help to prevent bridging of fine-mesh media. **NOTE: To avoid the possibility of compressing media, a vibrator should be set up to start when the foot pedal is pressed and stop when the pedal is released.**

8.6 Media surge

8.6.1 Heavy media flow. Adjust media-air mixture, per Section 5.3.

8.7 Blockage in media hose

8.7.1 Media obstructions. Usually caused when the media mixture is too rich. Adjust media-air mixture, per Section 5.3.

8.7.2 Wet or damp media. Refer to Section 8.5.

8.8 Poor suction in media hose

8.8.1 Inadequate air supply. Refer to Sections 1.10 and 2.3.2, and make sure cfm and air hose requirements are met.

8.8.2 Air jet needs adjustment. Check adjustment, per Section 5.2.

8.8.3 Nozzle is worn. Replace if orifice diameter is worn 1/16" or more from original size.

8.8.4 Blockage in media hose or nozzle. Refer to Sections 8.4 and 8.7.

8.8.5 Air jet and nozzle combination may be wrong. Refer to the table in Paragraph 1.10.1.

8.8.6 Air jet sleeve extends past end of air jet. Cut the sleeve to align with the air jet.

8.8.7 Blast pressure too high. Adjust pressure, per Section 5.1.

8.8.8 Nozzle inserted backward. The wider, tapered end of the nozzle inserts into the gun toward the air jet.

8.9 Air only (no media) from nozzle

8.9.1 Low media level in reclaimer. Check media level and replenish as needed.

8.9.2 Check for blockage in media hose; refer to Section 8.7.

8.9.3 Poor suction in media hose; refer to Section 8.8.

8.9.4 Make sure the air hose and media hose are not reversed; the green air hose attaches to the back of the gun and the clear media hose attaches to the bottom of the gun's grip. Refer to Page 33, Figure 36.

8.10 Blowback through media hose

8.10.1 Blockage in nozzle. Remove the nozzle and check for blockage.

8.10.2 Air jet may be too large for nozzle. Refer to the table in Paragraph 1.10.1.

8.10.3 Blast pressure too high. Adjust blast pressure, per Section 5.1.

8.11 Blasting does not begin when the foot pedal is pressed

8.11.1 Door interlocks not engaging. Check adjustment, per Section 5.7.

8.11.2 Blocked or leaking control lines. Check all urethane tubing for blockage or leaks.

8.11.3 Foot-pedal valve malfunction. Check foot-pedal alignment, and inlet and outlet lines for pressure.

8.11.4 Make sure lines are not reversed on the foot pedal or pilot regulator. Refer to the schematic in Figure 42.

8.11.5 Pressure regulator may be set too low or OFF. Adjust blast pressure, per Section 5.1.

8.11.6 Make sure that the air compressor is operating and air-supply valves are open.

8.11.7 Check the nozzle to see if it is plugged. Refer to Section 8.4.

8.12 Blasting continues after the foot pedal is released

8.12.1 Make sure the 3-way valve in the foot pedal exhausts air when the pedal is released. If it does not exhaust, check the inbound air line for blockage; if no blockage, replace the valve.

8.13 Media buildup in cabinet hopper; media does not convey to reclaimer

NOTE: Do not pour media directly into the cabinet hopper, as overfilling may occur. Overfilling will result in media carryover to the dust collector and possible blockage in the conveying hose.

8.13.1 Exhauster motor rotating backwards. The motor should rotate as indicated by the arrow on the exhauster housing. If it does not rotate in the proper direction, **lockout** and **tagout** electrical power and switch the motor leads, as shown on the motor plate. Refer to the system's wiring schematic. Refer to Sections 2.5.1 and 2.5.2.

8.13.2 Dust-collector damper closed too far, restricting air movement through cabinet. Adjust static pressure, per Section 5.4.

8.13.3 Dust collector filter cartridge(s) clogged. Refer to the dust collector owner's manual noted in Section 1.1.1.

8.13.4 Hole worn in flex hose between cabinet hopper and reclaimer inlet or between the reclaimer outlet and dust-collector inlet. Inspect hoses and replace them as needed and route them with as few bends as possible to prevent early wear.

8.13.5 Reclaimer door open. DO NOT operate unless door is closed.

8.13.6 Obstruction in flex hose. Remove hoses and check for blockage.

8.14 Static shocks

8.14.1 Cabinet and/or operator not grounded. Abrasive blasting generates static electricity. The cabinet must be earth-grounded to prevent static buildup. Refer to Sections 2.2.1 and 2.4. If shocks persist, the operator may be building up static. Attach a small ground wire, such as a wrist strap, from the operator to the cabinet.

8.14.2 Gloves wearing thin. Inspect gloves and replace them as needed.

8.14.3 Avoid holding parts and blasting off the grate. Static will buildup in the part if not dissipated through the metal cabinet. If blasting parts off the grate cannot be avoided, attach a ground wire between the cabinet and the part.

8.15 Dust leaking from cabinet

8.15.1 Damaged door gaskets. Inspect and replace damaged gaskets.

8.15.2 Refer to Section 8.13.

8.16 Dust leaking from dust collector

8.16.1 Cartridge(s) not seasoned; refer to the dust-collector owner's manual to season cartridge(s)

8.16.2 Damaged or loose filter cartridge(s). Inspect filters, replace as needed.

8.16.3 Refer to the dust-collector owner's manual to service the dust collector.

9.0 ACCESSORIES AND REPLACEMENT PARTS

9.1 Optional Accessories

Turntables and Turntables with Tracks

! WARNING

Turntable capacities are based on concentric loading. Use solid fixturing to hold heavy parts in place. Do not remove lift equipment until the part is adequately supported to prevent movement. Moving or rotating heavy, unsupported or off-centered parts may cause them to shift or topple, and cause severe injury.

Fixed-Base Turntable with Bearing, 500 lb Capacity – Figure 32

Item	Description	Stock No.
(-)	30" diameter turntable assembly	14138
(-)	40" diameter turntable assembly	24042
(-)	48" diameter turntable assembly	13845
1.	Turntable, replacement	
	30" diameter, 500 lb. capacity	21390
	40" diameter, 500 lb. capacity	23879
	48" diameter, 500 lb. capacity	21400
2.	Bearing, 1-1/2" bore (48" table requires 2) ..	11517
3.	Protector, bearing	13479
4.	Bolt, 1/2-NC	
	2" long for 30" and 40" turntable	03456
	2-1/2" long for 48" turntable	03457
5.	Lock-washer, 1/2"	03516
6.	Nut, 1/2-NC hex	03511

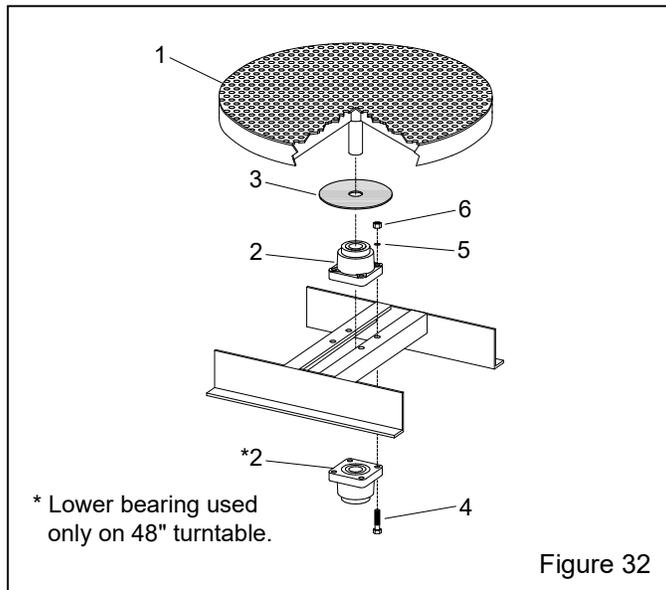


Figure 32

Turntable with Workcar and Track

2000 lb. capacity turntable mounted on workcar with
9 ft. (nominal) track extension

30" diameter for BNP 6012	25550
48" diameter for BNP 6012	27055
48" diameter for BNP 7212	25555

Turntable with Workcar, 500 lb – 2000 lb Capacity
Figure 33

Item	Description	Stock No.
1.	Turntable, replacement	
	30" diameter 500 lb/2000 lb capacity	21390
	48" diameter 500 lb/2000 lb capacity	21400
2.	Bearing, 1-1/2" bore, 1 req'd for 30" table	
	2 required with 48" table	11517
3.	Protector, bearing	13479
4.	Wheel, 6" V groove	12220
5.	Bolt, 1/2" shoulder	13477
6.	Washer, 1/2" flat.....	03515
7.	Nut, 3/8 lock	03312
8.	Bolt, 1/2-NC	
	2" long for 30" turntable	03456
	2-1/2" long for 48" turntable	03457
9.	Washer, 1/2" lock	03516
10.	Nut, 1/2-NC hex	03511
11.	Pin, quick release	25540

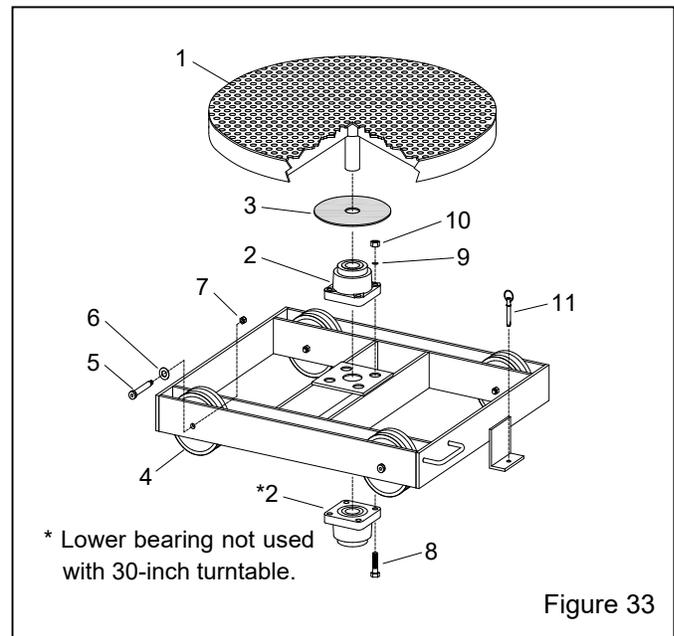


Figure 33

Time-delay door locks	24164
Lock pins (pkg of 25) for twist-on hose couplings ...	11203
Safety cable, for 1/2" to 1-1/4" OD hose	15012
Manometer kit	12528
Noise-reduction arm port covers, pair	24885
Armrest assembly with brackets	24900
Armrest assembly, replacement	24899
Anti-fatigue floor-mat, 2 ft x 3 ft, for front of cab.	24744

Aluminum oxide kit, factory-installed: Includes No. 5 boron carbide nozzle, heavy-lined flex hoses, black rubber curtains with grommets and curtain hardware.

6012 with 900 cfm	27781
6012 with 1200 cfm	27783
7212 with 900 cfm	27785
7212 with 1200 cfm	27787

Aluminum oxide kit, field-installed or replacement kits, includes No. 5 boron carbide nozzle, heavy-lined flex hoses, black rubber cabinet curtains with grommets and curtain hardware. Does not include rubber reclaimer liners.

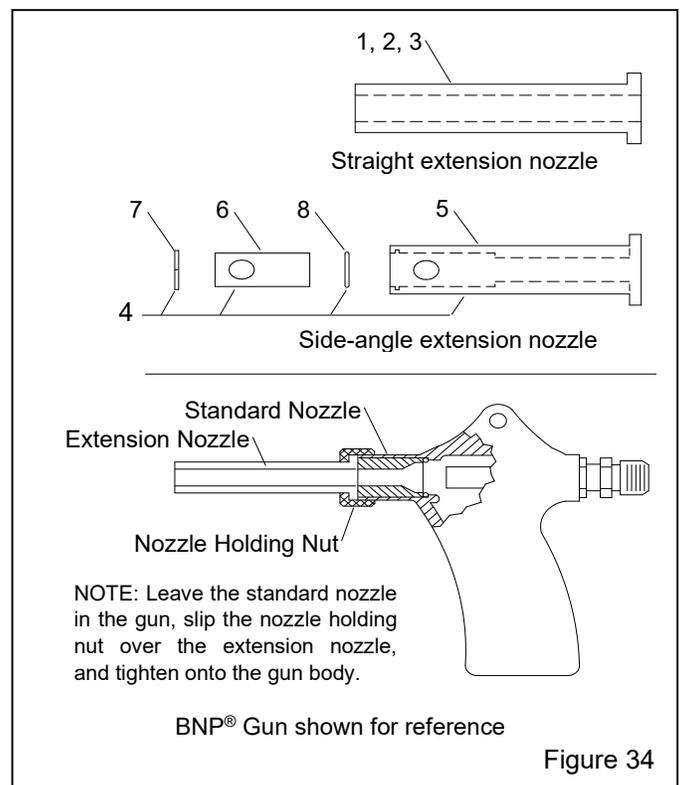
6012 with 900 cfm	25492
6012 with 1200 cfm	25494
7212 with 900 cfm	25517
7212 with 1200 cfm	25519

Rubber curtain set, black	
for 6012	27768
for 7212	27746

Rubber curtain set, white	
for 6012	27767
for 7212	27745

Extension Nozzles – Figure 34

Item	Description	Stock No.
1.	3" Straight extension nozzle	
	No. 5, 5/16" orifice	11921
	No. 6, 3/8" orifice	11922
	No. 7, 7/16" orifice	11923
2.	6" Straight extension nozzle	
	No. 5, 5/16" orifice	11927
	No. 6, 3/8" orifice	11928
	No. 7, 7/16" orifice	11929
3.	9" Straight extension nozzle	
	No. 5, 5/16" orifice	11924
	No. 6, 3/8" orifice	11925
	No. 7, 7/16" orifice	11926
4.	Side-angle extension nozzle assemblies with No. 5 orifice, includes 5, 6, 7, and 8	
	4" long assembly	21311
	6" long assembly	12374
	9" long assembly	12373
5.	Side angle extension nozzle casing	
	4" long casing	11943
	6" long casing	11940
	9" long casing	11939
6.	Tip, side-angle extension	12173
7.	Snap ring, side-angle extension	12040
8.	O-ring, side-angle extension	08977



9.2 Cabinet Replacement Parts – Figure 35

Item	Description	Stock No.
1.	Gasket, door, 5/8" x 2-1/2" adhesive-backed 24 ft. for 6012, 28 ft. for 7212	21236
2.	Gasket, 5/32" x 3/4" adhesive backed, 6 ft required at each cutout	00192
3.	Grate, slotted front for 6012	25155
	for 7212	12971
4.	Grate, unslotted for 6012	25154
	for 7212 (3 required)	12970
5.	Glove set Band-clamp attachment	11215
	Quick-Change (clampless) attachment	28820
6.	Glove, left hand only Band-clamp attachment	12710
	Quick-Change (clampless) attachment	28638
7.	Glove, right hand only Band-clamp attachment	12711
	Quick-Change (clampless) attachment	28639
8.	Clamp, for clamp-attached glove	11576
9.	Grommet, media and air hose	11798
10.	Foot pedal assembly, less tubing	20483
	with tubing, 14 feet	20195
11.	Bracket, door interlock actuator	19152
12.	Over-travel stop, door interlock	20004
13.	Detent sleeve, door interlock	15042
14.	Valve, 1/8", 3-way air, door interlock	12202
15.	Fitting, straight, 1/8" NPT x 1/8" barb	11732
16.	Eyebolt, 5/8"	13421
17.	Regulator, 1/4-NPT pilot, with gauge	12050
18.	Gauge, pressure 1/4 cbm	11826
19.	Gasket, 5/16" x 1" adhesive-backed, per foot, 3 ft. required	00187
20.	Intake stack w/damper	23156
21.	Baffle, air intake	25912
22.	Bushing 1/4" x 1/8" NPT	02010
23.	Fitting, 1/8" NPT elbow x 1/8" barb	11733
24.	Bracket, pressure regulator	22358

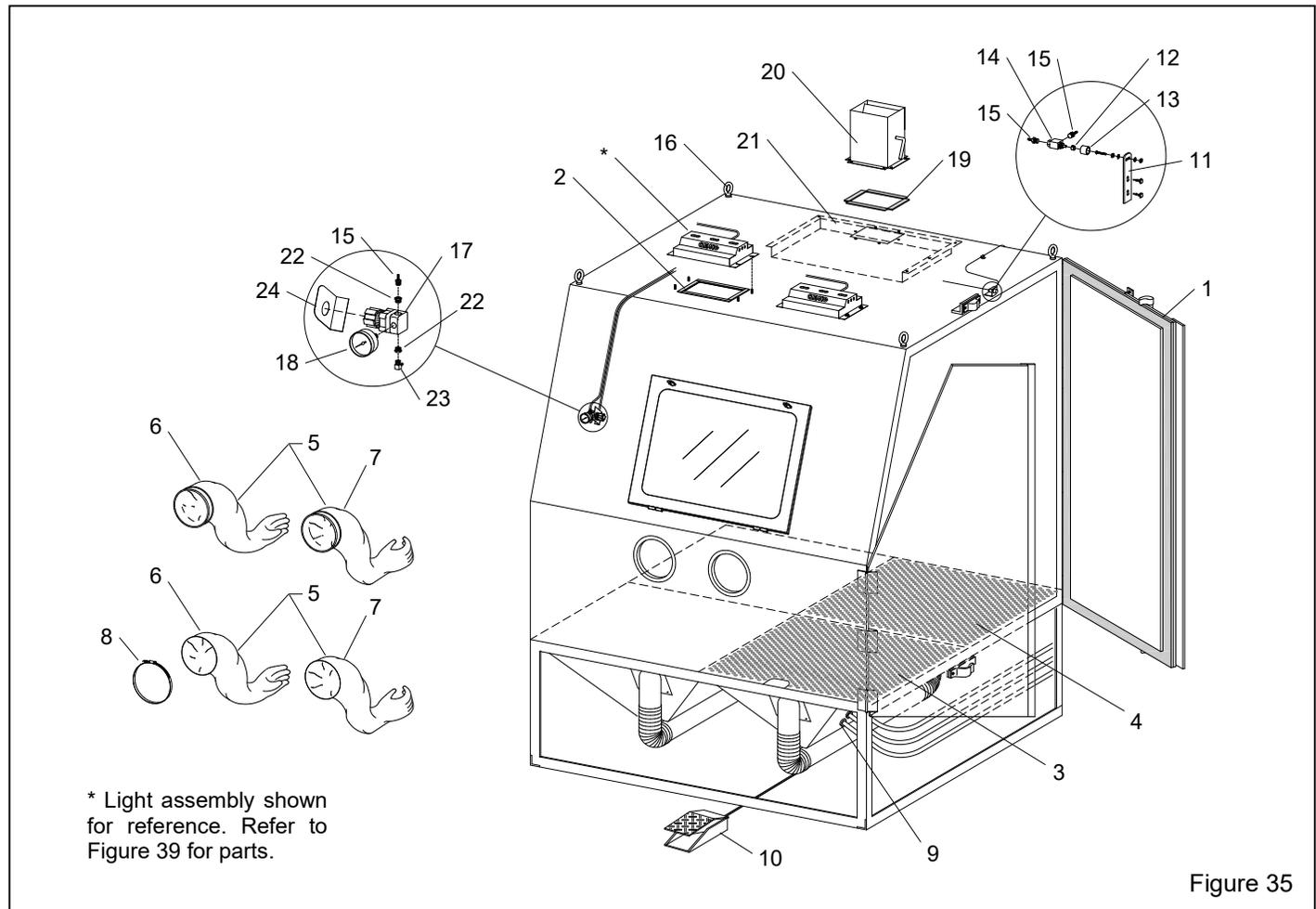


Figure 35

9.3 BNP® Gun and Hose Assembly – Figure 36

Item	Description	Stock No.
(-)	BNP Gun assemblies less nozzle, includes items 1 (brass) through 7	
	No. 4 Gun	12301
	No. 5 Gun	12302
	No. 6 Gun	12303
	No. 7 Gun	12304
	No. 8 Gun	12305
1.	Nut, nozzle holding	
	Standard, knurled brass	11914
	Urethane covered	11574
2.	O-ring	08975
3.	Gun body	11802
4.	Lock nut, air jet	11913
5.	Rubber sleeve	12097
6.	Air jet assembly, includes item 5	
	No. 4	12342
	No. 5	12343
	No. 6	12344
	No. 7	12345
	No. 8	12346
7.	Fitting, hose, 3/8" NPT x 1/2" barb	06369
8.	Hose end, 1/2" barb x 1/2" fem. swivel	15002
9.	Nozzle, ceramic	
	No. 5, green tip	11930
	No. 6, blue tip	11931
	No. 7, red tip	11932
	Nozzle, tungsten carbide	
	No. 5	13118
	No. 7	12882
	No. 8	11942
	Nozzle, boron carbide	
	No. 5	11935
	No. 6	11936
	No. 7	11937
	No. 8	12894
10.	Hose, 1/2" air, specify ft. required	12472
11.	Hose, media, clear, specify ft. required	12476
12.	Wide-spray nozzle	
	Tungsten carbide, No. 6	11947
	Boron carbide	
	No. 6	11934
	No. 8	11944
13.	Wide-spray nozzle nut	
	Knurled brass	11916
	Urethane covered,	12906
14.	Wide-spray retaining ring	12038
15.	Wide-spray nozzle guard	12295
16.	Adjusting tool, BNP air jet	19041

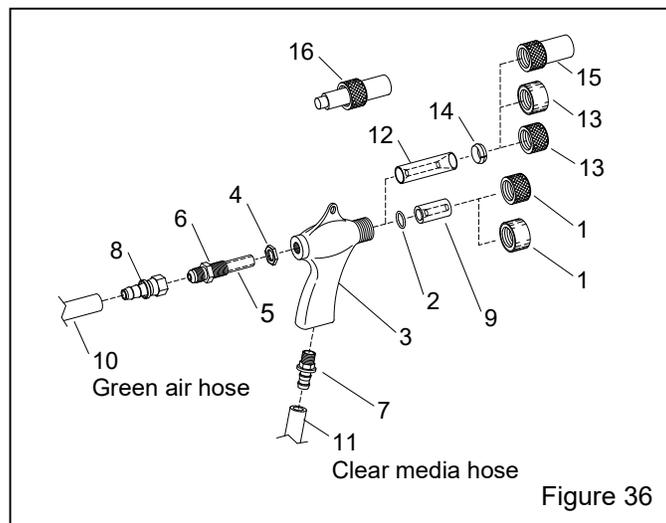


Figure 36

9.4 Filter-Regulator Inlet Piping Assembly Figure 37

Item	Description	Stock No.
(-)	Filter-regulator inlet piping assembly	
	Includes all items shown	12763
1.	Filter, 1/2" manual drain air	01308
2.	Regulator, 1/2" pilot-operated pressure	11345
3.	Bracket, 1/2" regulator assembly	19231
4.	Nipple, 1/2" x 2	01734
5.	Cross, 1/2" NPT	10254
6.	Lock nut, 1/2"	12713
7.	Bushing, 1/2" NPT x 1/8"	11350
8.	Adaptor, 1/2" NPT x 1/2" flare	11351
9.	Fitting, straight, 1/8" NPT x 1/8" barb	11732
10.	Bushing, 1/4" NPT x 1/8" brass	02010
11.	Hose end, 1/2" barb x 1/2" female swivel ..	15002
12.	Tee, 1/2" NPT	01787
13.	Nipple, 1/2" x close	01733
14.	Plug 1/2" NPT	01759
15.	Nipple, 1/2" x 3	01735
16.	Screw, 1/2-NC x 1/2 set	03471

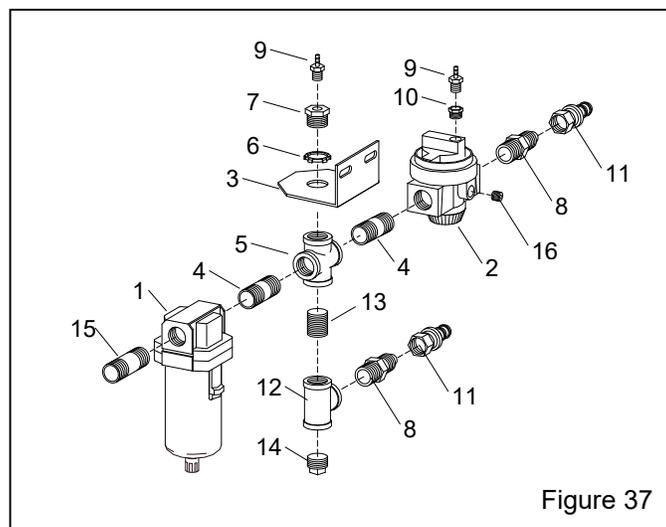


Figure 37

9.5 View-Window Assembly – Figure 38

Item	Description	Stock No.
1.	Window glass, 20" x 30" laminated	12213
2.	Gasket, 5/16" x 3/4", applied to cabinet per foot, 9-feet required	00189
3.	Gasket, 5/32" x 3/4", applied to window frame per foot, 9-feet required	00192
4.	Cover lens, 20" x 30" pkg. of 5	23232
5.	Nut, plastic, window frame, 2 required	23035
6.	Window frame, 20" x 30" quick change	22825

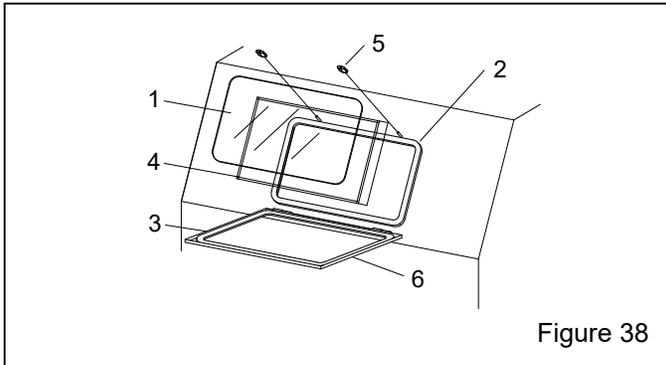


Figure 38

9.6 LED Light Assembly – Figure 39

Item	Description	Stock No.
1.	Light fixture, 50 watt LED	29711
2.	Diffuser lens	29713
3.	Gasket, 5/32" x 3/4" adhesive backed, 6 ft required at each cutout	00192
4.	Cover, LED light mount	29712
5.	Strain relief connector	11631
6.	Locknut, 1/2"	12713
7.	Nut, 1/4" NC hex	03111
8.	Washer, 1/4" lock	03117
9.	Washer, 1/4" flat	03116

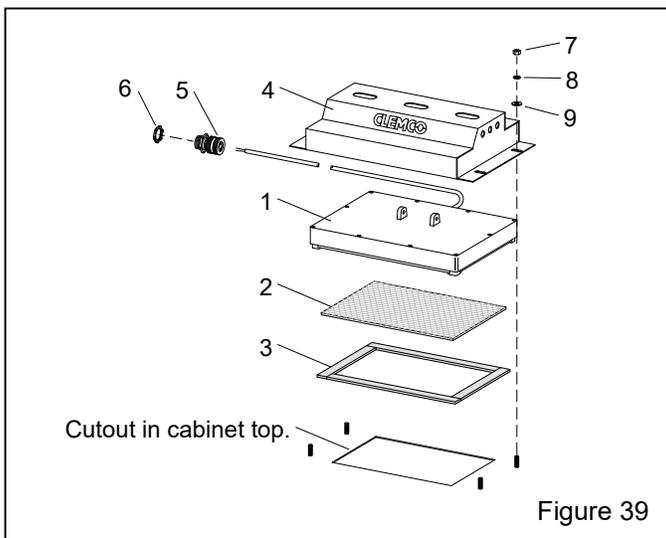


Figure 39

9.7 Foot-Pedal Assembly – Figure 40

Item	Description	Stock No.
(-)	Foot-pedal assembly less tubing, includes items 1 thru 9	20483
	with tubing, w/14 ft item 10	20195
1.	Foot pedal casting set, top and base	28379
2.	Valve, 10-32, 3 way n/c	20026
3.	Drive pin, grooved	20109
4.	Screw, sh 1/4 NF x 3/4"	03086
5.	Screw, 10-32 x 1/2" fh	19571
6.	Adaptor, 10-32 thread. x 1/8" barb	11731
7.	Spring, 1-1/4" x 3-1/2"	20121
8.	Screw, 8-32 x 3/8" thread cutting	11389
9.	Bumper, rubber (feet)	21522
10.	Tubing, 1/8" ID twin, specify ft. required ...	19577
11.	Tie, nylon wire	12139

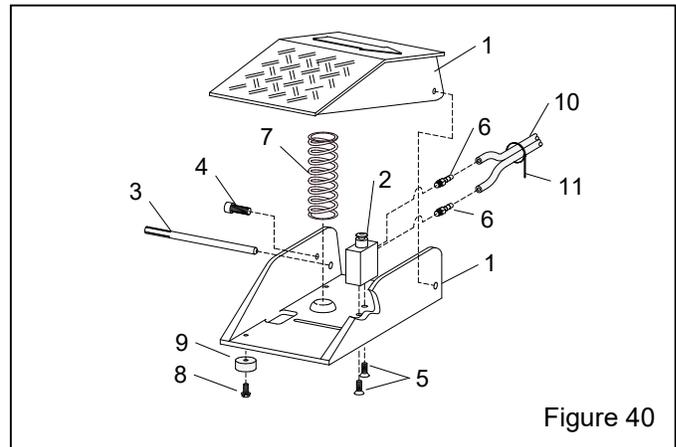


Figure 40

9.8 Metering Valve Assembly, BNP – Figure 41

Item	Description	Stock No.
(-)	Metering valve assembly, BNP	12417
1.	Metering stem assembly, items 2, 3, & 4	23889
2.	Stem, metering adjusting	23097
3.	Screw, adjusting	23098
4.	Nut, adjusting stem lock	23099
5.	Body, metering valve	11532
6.	Fitting, hose, 3/8" NPT x 1/2" barb	06369
7.	Plug, metering valve	12011

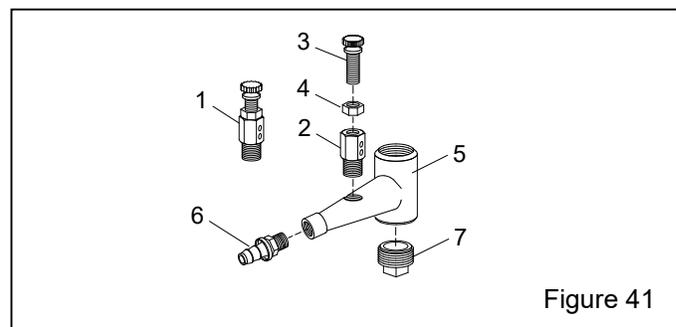
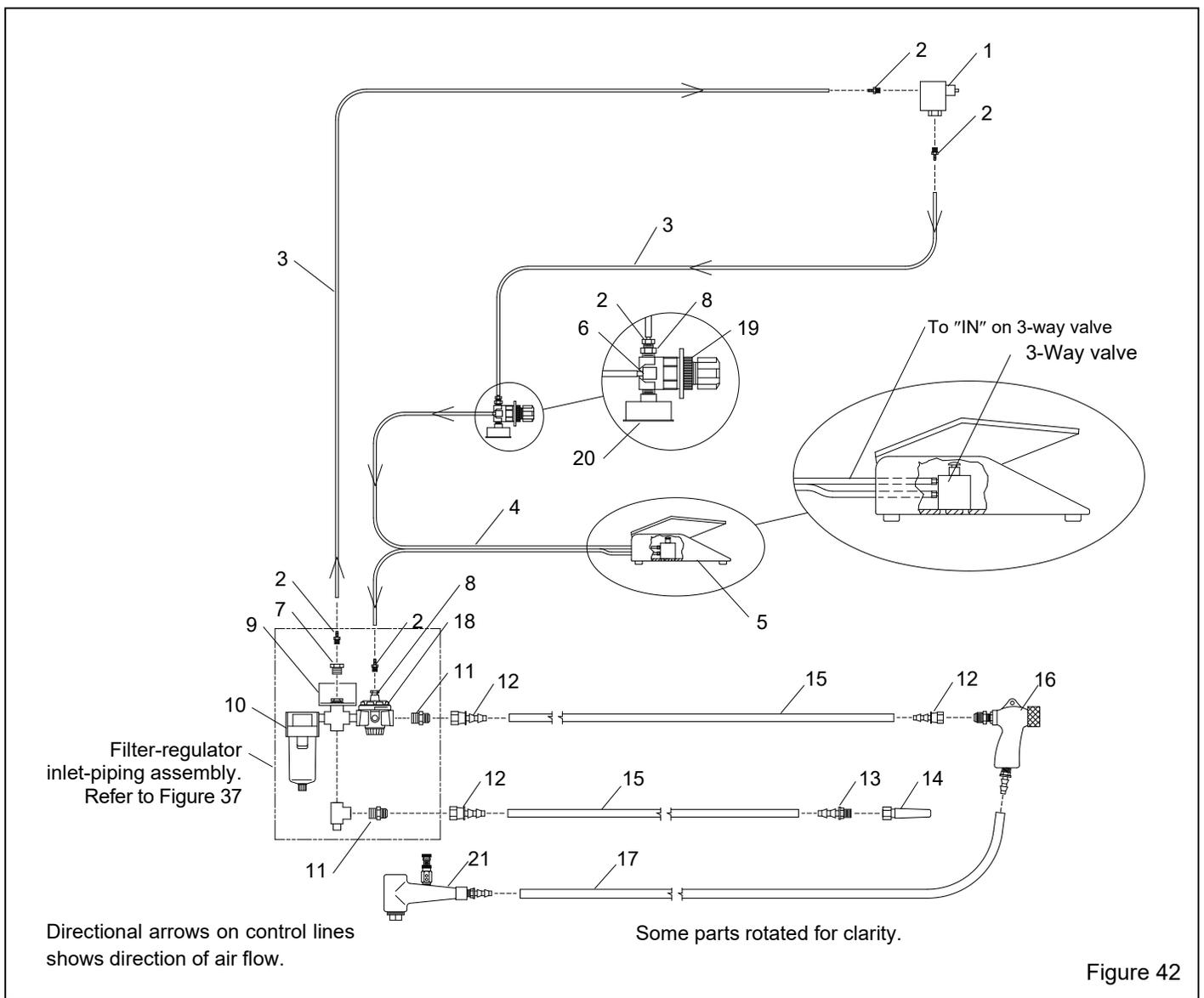


Figure 41

9.9 Plumbing and Cabinet Controls – Figure 42

Item	Description	Stock No.
1.	Valve, 3 way	12202
2.	Fitting, straight, 1/8" NPT x 1/8" barb	11732
3.	Tubing, 1/8" urethane, specify ft. required	12475
4.	Tubing, twin urethane, specify ft. required	19577
5.	Foot-pedal assembly, less tubing	20483
	with tubing, 14 feet item 4	20195
6.	Fitting, 1/8" NPT elbow x 1/8" barb	11733
7.	Bushing 1/2" x 1/8" NPT	11350

8.	Bushing 1/4" x 1/8" NPT	02010
9.	Bracket, 1/2" regulator assembly	19231
10.	Filter, 1/2" manual drain air	01308
11.	Adaptor, 1/2" NPT x 1/2" flare	11351
12.	Hose end, 1/2" barb x 1/2" female swivel ...	15002
13.	Hose end, 1/2" barb x 3/8" male NPT	06369
14.	Blow-off nozzle	13116
15.	Air hose, 1/2", specify ft. required	12472
16.	Gun assembly, BNP No. 5	12302
17.	Hose, media, clear, specify ft. required	12476
18.	Regulator, 1/2" pilot-operated pressure	11345
19.	Regulator, 1/4-NPT pilot, with gauge	12050
20.	Gauge, 1/4" NPT cbm pressure	11826
21.	Metering valve assembly, BNP	12417



9.10 Flex Hose, Wye Pipe, and Adaptors – Figure 43
 All hose is sold per foot unless noted, specify feet required. Some trimming may be necessary.

Item	Description	Stock No.
1.	Hose, light-lined flex, 2-ft required per side 4" ID for 900 cfm conventional use 12466 4" ID for 1200 cfm w/steel media 12466 5" ID for 1200 cfm conventional use 12467 5" ID for 1800 cfm w/steel media 12467 6" ID for 1800 cfm conventional use 12468	
2.	Hose, light-lined flex, 5-ft required per side 4" ID for 900 cfm conventional use 12466 4" ID for 1200 cfm w/steel media 12466 5" ID for 1200 cfm conventional use 12467 5" ID for 1800 cfm w/steel media 12467 6" ID for 1800 cfm conventional use 12468	
3.	Hose, light-lined flex, 9-ft required 6" ID for 900 cfm conventional use 12468 6" ID for 1200 cfm w/steel media 12468 7" ID for 1200 cfm conventional use 12469 7" ID for 1800 cfm w/steel media 12469 8" ID for 1800 cfm conventional use 12470	
4.	Hose, unlined flex, specify feet required 7" ID for 900 cfm 12448 12" ID for 1200 and 1800 cfm w/RPH 12460	
5.	Clamp, hose for 4" hose 11577 for 5" hose 11578 for 6" hose 00750 for 7", 8", and two for 12" hose 11576	

6.	Wye pipe adaptor, 4" x 4" x 6" 900 conv'l and 1200 cfm w/steel 12379 5" x 5" x 7" 1200 conv'l and 1800 cfm w/steel 16939
7.	Air intake adaptor, hopper, each 4" for 900 cfm conventional use 24526 4" for 1200 cfm w/steel media 24526 5" for 1200 cfm conventional use 24527 5" for 1800 cfm w/ steel media 24527 6" for 1800 cfm conventional use 24528
8.	Hopper transition tubes, bolt on, each 4" for model 6012, 900 conv. and 1200 cfm w/steel 24517 5" for model 6012, 1200 conv'l and 1800 cfm w/steel 24518 6" for model 6012, 1800 cfm conv'l 24519 4" for model 7212, 900 conv'l and 1200 cfm w/steel 24534 5" for model 7212, 1200 conv'l and 1800 cfm w/steel 24535 6" for model 7212, 1800 cfm conv'l 24536
9.	Gasket, 5/16" x 1" adhesive-backed, per foot, specify feet required 00187
10.	Hose, heavy lined, 15 foot lengths only Provided with aluminum oxide kits 4" ID for 900 cfm 12473 5" ID for 1200 cfm 12465
11.	Hose, heavy lined, 15 foot lengths only Provided with aluminum oxide kits 6" ID for 900 cfm 12457 7" ID for 1200 cfm 12459

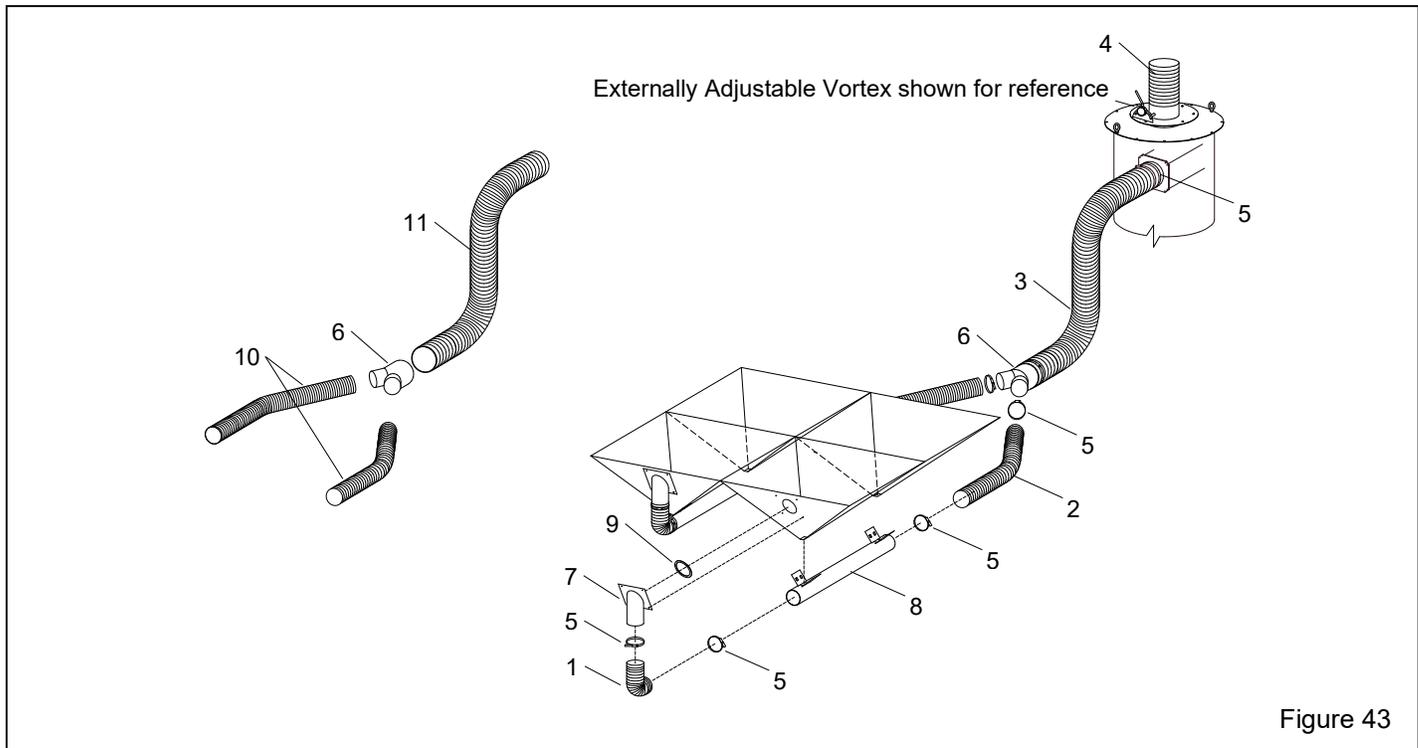


Figure 43

9.11 Replacement Reclaimer Assemblies

Replacement reclaimers are pull-thru type for use with reverse-pulse dust collectors; they include the hose inlet, screen, and wear plate, they do not include metering valve, flex hoses, or hose clamps. Order separately when needed.

Description	Stock No.
(-) Reclaimer assemblies	
900 cfm with outlet pipe adaptor	28967
900 cfm with external vortex	21305
1200 cfm with external vortex	24060
1800 cfm with external vortex	21307

9.12 Reclaimer – Figure 44

Item	Description	Stock No.
1.	Gasket, 5/16" x 1" adhesive-backed, per foot, 5 feet required	00187
....2.	Inlet pipe adaptor, 900 cfm, 6"	12363
3.	Gasket, inlet adaptor	
	900 cfm	11759
	1200 cfm	11767
	1800 cfm	11765
4.	Wear plate, rubber-lined w/mounting screws	
	900 cfm with removable top	25071
	1200 cfm	19223
	1800 cfm	23028

5.	Screen assembly	21265
6.	Latch assembly, door	12263
7.	Gasket, door	
	900 cfm	11745
	1200 cfm and 1800 cfm	11766
8.	Door assembly w/gasket and latch.....	14271
9.	Gasket, 2" adhesive-backed, per foot, specify ft. required	13089
10.	Eyebolt 3/8-NC	00430
11.	Hose support, inlet	
	6", 900 cfm, * optional	16887
	6", 1200 cfm for steel grit	22729
	7", 1200 cfm 7" conventional	20596
	8", 1800 cfm, conventional	20597
12.	Vortex cylinder externally adjustable,	
	900 cfm, optional	23046
	1200 cfm	25432
	1800 cfm, 12"	19090
13.	Top assembly, 900 cfm	23040
14.	Outlet plate, 900 cfm with 7" pipe	16832
15.	Body section, unlined, with door, wear plate, and baffle	27465
16.	Body section with rubber liners, door, and item 13 bolt-on top assembly	27466
17.	Leg and hopper assembly, 900 cfm	23042
*18.	Hose support, outlet, optional	
	7" for 900 cfm	20619
	for 1200 cfm and 1800 cfm	20730

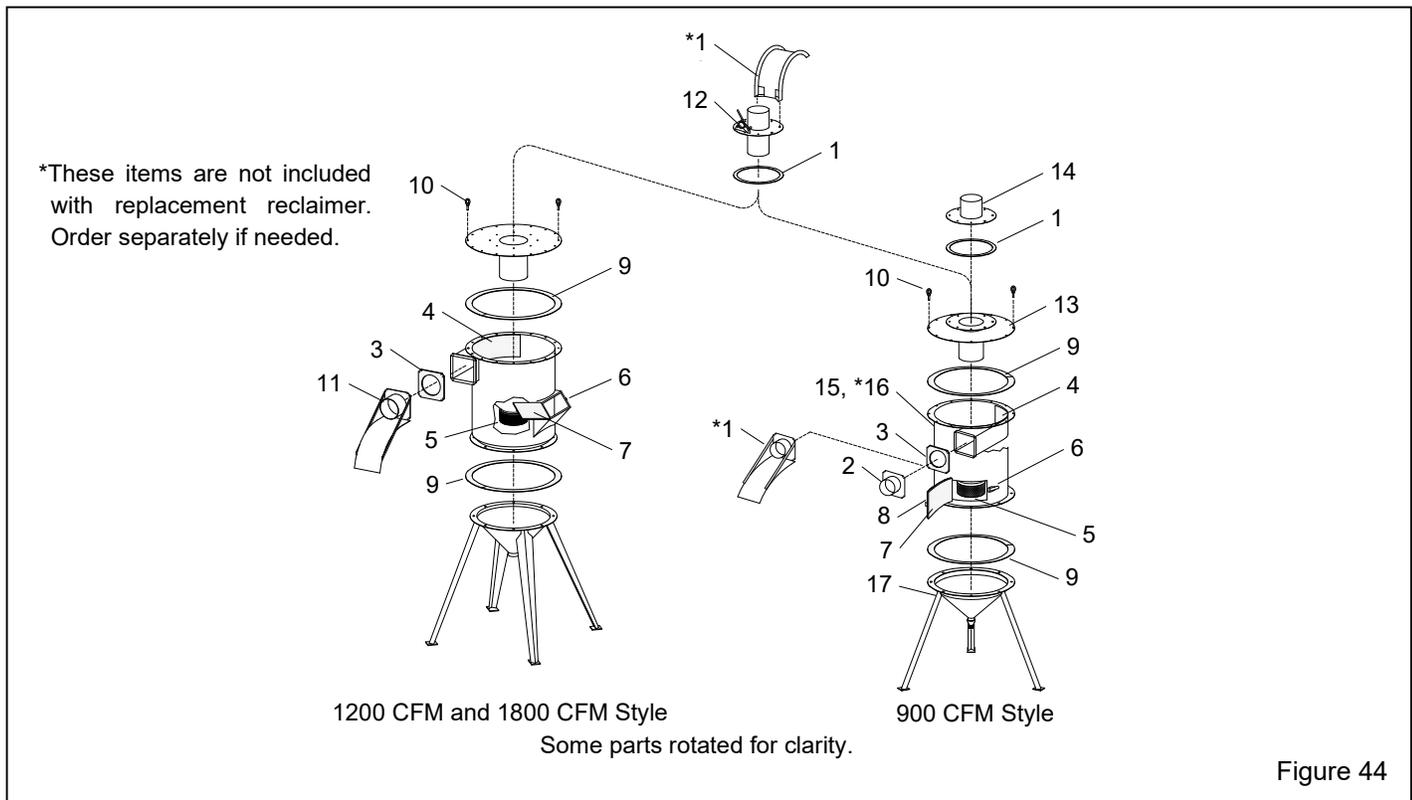


Figure 44

9.13 Reclaimer Liners – Figure 45

Reclaimer must be designed to accept liners and have a removable top.

Item	Description	Stock No.
(-)	Rubber liner sets	
	900 cfm	23151
	1200 cfm	25439
	1800 cfm	23153
1.	Top liner	
	900 cfm	23059
	1200 cfm	22689
	1800 cfm	22695
2.	Baffle, lined	
	900 cfm	13694
	1200 cfm	25437
	1800 cfm (one piece - includes Item 3) ...	22696
3.	Inner cylinder liner	
	900 cfm	24203
	1200 cfm	25438
4.	Wall liner, reclaimer body	
	900 cfm	17008
	1200 cfm	25436
	1800 cfm	22697
5.	Inlet-side liner	
	900 cfm	12830
	1200 cfm	22693
	1800 cfm	22698
6.	Cone liner	
	900 cfm	16070
	1200 cfm	22694
	1800 cfm	22699
7.	Inlet-top	
	900 cfm	22827
	1200 cfm	24031
	1800 cfm	24032
8.	Screw, 10-16 x 3/4" self-drill/tap	12722

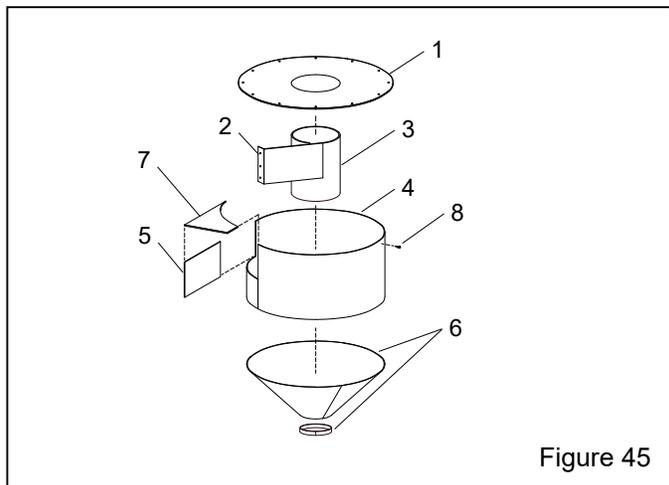


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