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Preface to the Manual

The operation instructions contain important information for the safe and proper operation of an automated lubrication system. It is recommended that a user must read the instructions carefully prior to operation as Lubecore will not be held liable for damages and failures resulting from non-observance of these instructions. All instructions must be completed respective to national regulations pertaining to accident and environmental protection.

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Responsibility to ensure the safe operation of the automated lubrication system, the end user is responsible for the following:

- 1). The automated lubrication system shall be operated only for the intended use and its design shall neither be modified nor transformed.
- 2). The automated lubrication system shall be operated properly only if it is in a proper functioning condition and if it is operated in accordance with the maintenance requirements.
- 3). Personnel must be familiar with this operation manual and the safety instructions mentioned herein and observe these carefully.
- 4). Wastes (e.g. used oil, detergents, lubricant) must be disposed in accordance with relevant federal, state, provincial and territorial environmental regulations.

Service

Lubecore offers users full service in the form of advice, on-site installation assistance, training etc if requested. In case of inquiries pertaining to maintenance, repairs and parts, Lubecore requires model specific data to enable us to identify the components of the automated lubrication system. Lubecore will not accept any liability for damages caused by the misuse of the designed automated lubrication system and/or the repair of said system by using any other parts other that Lubecore International original (OEM) parts.



Safety precautions

- 1). Comply with all safety regulations applicable within the locality where all work is performed.
- 2). Always take the necessary precautions to prevent potentially dangerous situations from occurring during installation, inspection and maintenance. Always apply or use adequate safety measures to prevent personal injury and material damage, before starting work on any piece of the equipment.
- 3). The electrical system of the equipment must be disconnected before any work is performed.
- 4). The pressurized air system of the equipment must be drained of all air and pressure.
- 5). Inquire with the facilities management to the prescribed procedure to immobilize equipment and prevent operation of equipment. When these are not prescribed, remove any means that can start the equipment (ignition key / main power switch) and place indicator tags to show others not to start the equipment.
- 6). Never work underneath a machine, vehicle or any other piece of equipment, which is raised by a jack only. Always use a jack stand and check that the ground is firm and sufficiently flat.
- 7). Keep in mind that a vehicle with air suspension may drop of its own accord.
- 8). Only work underneath a cab if it is fully tilted and latched, or otherwise secured preventing accidental return-tilt.
- 9). Disconnect the ground battery lead from the vehicle's battery. This prevents electrical equipment from being inadvertently activated or otherwise electrically damaged.
- 10). Avoid working on a machine, vehicle or other equipment that recently was in use to allow components to cool (coolant, exhaust, turbo, etc).
- 11). A vehicle, machine or other equipment may only be operated by those who are trained and licensed to do so and are aware of all possible dangers.
- 12). Only use tools that fit and are designed for the specific task.
- 13). Adhere to all regulations, specifications and limitations as specified by the manufacturer of the machine, vehicle, equipment and /or engine.
- 14). Symbol explanations The following pictogram and signal words used in this manual give the seriousness of danger.

Keep the environment in which you work clean for you and others.



Introduction

Lubecore[™] Automated Lubrication Systems take care of daily regular and preventive maintenance for components requiring lubrication.

An automated lubrication systems prevents unnecessary wear and downtime, thus reducing operating costs and preventing unforeseen expenses.

Automated lubrication systems not only assist with extending maintenance intervals, they also prolong the useful technical and economic life of the equipment thus providing a higher residual value.

Lubecore™ automated lubrication systems are environmentally friendly; they are suitable for biodegradable lubricants, and prevent manual over lubrication, and grease waste. The reduced need for replacement components also has a positive impact on the environment reducing the need for raw materials and energy to produce these replacement components.

The most important advantages:

- Extension of maintenance intervals.
- Reduced wear on components.
- Lower repair and replacement costs.
- Prevents downtime.
- More effective use of lubricant.
- Less time spent by technicians servicing equipment.
- Less expensive lubricant required, as expensive additives can be avoided.
- Reduces strain on equipment.
- Improved fifth wheel performance; avoid trailer-steer and improves safety.
- Promotes the use of a single type of lubricant. Preventing compatibility problems and the accidental application of the incorrect type of grease.

A Lubecore[™] automated lubrication system ensures that all connected lubrication points on a vehicle or equipment are lubricated with a predetermined amount of grease at the correct interval. As lubrication takes place while the vehicle is in use, the lubricant is dispensed to all the connected lubrication points during movement of those components that are connected, ensuring an improved distribution of the lubricant over the surface area.

Apart from refilling the grease reservoir and performing a periodic quick system inspection, the Lubecore automated lubrication system does not require anything else to get the job done.

Lubecore's automated lubrication systems are designed with the utmost care and tested rigorously. This ensures an extended operational life and trouble free operation, even under the most extreme operating conditions.

High Lubecore™ installation standards along with the use of the correct type of grease and periodic inspections ensures years of trouble free system operations.. With periodic inspections, which take little time and effort, can be performed during the regular daily circle check by the operator as well as monthly by the maintenance staff..



The concept of automated lubrication

Greases are used where a mechanism can only be lubricated infrequently and where a lubricating oil would not stay in position. They also act as valuable sealants to prevent ingress of water and dust.

Equipment requires lubrication for the following reasons:

1). Keep moving components separated.

Lubricants are typically used to separate moving components, thus reducing friction, surface fatigue, heat generation, operating noise and vibrations. The most common way lubricants achieve this is by creating a physical barrier. In cases of high surface pressure (EP) or temperatures the fluid film is thin and some of the forces are transmitted between the surfaces through the lubricant. This is termed elastohydrodynamic lubrication.

2). Carry away contaminants and debris ("Wash Out" or "Purge").

Any accidental metal-to-metal contact created by debris or externally introduced contaminants like dirt or water, need to be removed to reduce the risk of damage and prevent corrosion.

3). Protect against wear.

Lubricants do not just prevent wear by keeping the moving parts apart. Lubricants may also contain anti wear or extreme pressure additives to boost their performance against wear and fatigue.

4). Prevent corrosion.

Quality lubricants are typically formulated with additives that form chemical bonds with surfaces to prevent corrosion and rust.

Under normal circumstances, lubricants / greases are applied to moving parts using a manual grease gun during regular maintenance intervals. These maintenance intervals could coincide with other service requirements like engine oil changes or can be determined based on hours in operation.

The goal of the maintenance interval and the pre-set type of lubricant is to overcome the period of lubricant film deterioration. Depending on the equipment application, the manufacturer based on user information and design data preset the interval to either hours or mileage, whichever is applicable. It is up to the operator and/or owner or the equipment to watch over the correct interval to refresh the lubricant and prevent (premature) wear.

The manual application of lubricant relies on flush out of old lubricant in one instance during a service interval, while the equipment is idle. The goal is to prevent the failure of the lubricant film, preventing metal to metal contact.



Benefits

Automated lubrication Systems by Lubecore™ are designed to ensure the proper quantity of lubricant is applied during equipment operation ensuring:

A better distribution of the lubricant to the moving parts, the longevity and reliability of the equipment being lubricated, than when lubricated manually using a grease gun. Higher frequency of lubricant application with nominal quantities of lubricant to sustain the lubrication film while the equipment is in operation.

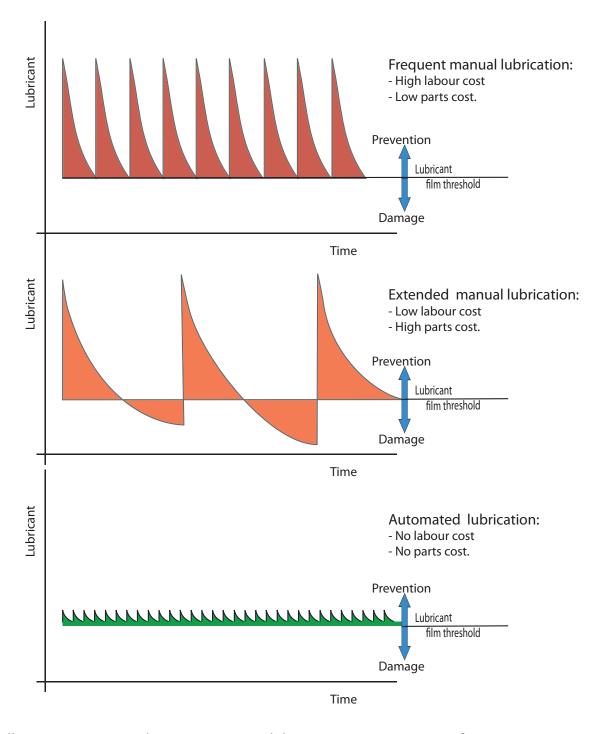


Illustration 1. Manual versus automatic lubrication, representation of concept.



General operation of the Modular Spyder ALS

The Lubecore Modular Spyder Automated Lubrication System can be used in a variety of applications. This section describes the general operation of a standard Modular Spyder lubrication system with standard components. For details regarding the operation of our other pumps and components, please refer to the appropriate Lubecore documentation or contact Lubecore directly. A Lubecore Modular Spyder automated lubrication system consists of the following main components.

Note: The 1 are identification markers referring to items in the illustration on the next page.

- ① Electrically operated Modular Spyder pump unit.
- ②Potted timer with 7 segment LED is integrated in the motor housing.
- 3 Metering elements and 4 filler coupling 5 Secondary tubing with fittings.

A Lubecore Automated Lubrication System will be designed and assembled according to the specific type of equipment and the associated operating conditions. Starting with the equipment specifications regarding the lubrication requirement, the system layout will be designed and the appropriate components will be selected.

This automated lubrication system is designed to function as follows:

While the equipment is in operation, the ignition switch provides the electronic timer with ignition power (In case of trailers ABS-power is used) to perform its program. When connected to ignition, the timer's flash memory retains the last status prior to shut down (ignition off); at start-up, the program resumes and counts down the time that remains of the pause interval.

After reaching the end of the pause interval, the timer engages an electric motor located on the bottom of the Modular Spyder pump ①. The electric motor drives a steel cam at 23 RPM in a clockwise direction pushing against the metering elements.

Depending on the programmed setting the motor will be activated for either 8,12,16,20 or 24 **seconds**, and pump lubricant in excess of 70 bar (1000 psi) to the connected lubrication points.

The metering elements are calibrated to dispense a pre-determined amount of grease to the connected lubrication points. A colored ring on the metering element indicates the size and quantity of lubricant delivered. This colored ring is not a sealing ring, it is for indicating purposes only!

At the completion of the lubrication cycle, the electric motor is de-activated by the timer. After the timer deactivates the electric motor, the system program sets the time interval back to the start of the pre-set value and initiates another countdown (as long as the timer is supplied with ignition power). The time between pump cycles can be set from 30,60,120,240 or 480 minutes.

Optionally the pump can be equipped with a low level sensor. This sensor, once triggered by the follower plate, when minimum grease level is reached, will stop the timer and alert the operator via the 7 segment LED that the reservoir needs to be filled.





Status LED indicating operation, alarms and time selection for pause and working times.

Illustration 2. Modular Spyder Automated Lubrication System layout.

Modular Spyder MLP pump

Pump features:

- o The pump is available with either a 4 Kg (8.8lbs) or 6 Kg (13.2 lbs) capacity reservoir. The Makrolon® impact proof reservoir is fitted with a bright red silicone follower plate. This provides a clear indication of the grease level and prevents funneling of the grease.
- o The 4 / 6 Kg reservoir comes equipped with a PIP Positive Inlet Pressure spring (patent pending). This spring is situated on top of the red follower plate pushing it down, providing extra pressure to the grease. This prevents air-locks from developing in and at the elements, allowing the use of NLGI / EP2 grade greases.



Illustration 5. PIP spring follower plate

o A fill connector of either a 1/4" quick disconnect for EP0 or a standard grease fitting for EP2 or other greases may be used. The filler coupling is threaded into the pump housing and is equipped with a large capacity, reusable stainless steel filter. The reservoir can be filled using a hand pump or standard grease gun. It is recommended to service (replace or clean) the filter every 5 pails of grease to ensure ease of filling..



Illustration 3. 4/6 Kg Modular Spyder MLP.



Illustration 4. Makrolon reservoir with red follower plate.



Illustration 6. 1/4" QD fill coupling with red dust cap.



Illustration 7. Stainless steel filter with standard grease fitting and dust cap.





- o There is a magnet attached to a pump bracket mounting bolt. 1 extra large 5/16 washer is placed behind the bolt to provide an attachment surface for the magnet. It can be used to operate the pump manually or to make adjustments to the timer settings.
- o A multi-voltage (10-30 Vdc) electronic timer with segmented LED's is epoxied into the motor housing. Electrical connections are made with high quality fully insulated Deutsch® connectors.
- o The segmented LED indicates when pump is active and when timer setting adjustments are made.
- o The pump may optionally be equipped with a low level proximity sensor. The timer is ready and set to receive the signal from the sensor.
- o The bottom of the motor and timer housing is slightly sloped. This allows for any accumulated moisture to run off through the slots in the bottom cover preventing any possibility of corrosion from taking place.



Illustration 13. Sloped housing prevents moisture build up.

- o Occasionally small air pockets may accidentally enter the reservoir during filling. In order to prevent air-lock at the elements during the recharge cycle, an Archimedes screw is installed to push the grease toward the cam and elements.
- A steel rather than plastic cam is used on the motor shaft to push the pistons in the elements. This prevents premature wear and allows for higher operating pressures.





Illustration 9. One possible magnet location shown



Illustration 10.7-segment LED



Illustration 11. Timer location



Illustration 12. Standard timer location



- o The pump is equipped with 2 overflow vents. The vents are located at the rear right of the pump housing when looking directly at the front of the pump. In case the pump is filled beyond the maximum level the vent opening in the guide rod will allow excess grease to escape. Also, when air is trapped under the follower plate it is recommended to fill the reservoir such that the bottom of the follower plate surpasses the vent opening to allow air to escape.
- o The pump comes with 2 over-flow galleries / vents. One of the vent openings is threaded which allows for installation of a tube to redicect excess grease.



Illustration 14. Grease overflow locations



Illustration 16. Grease overflow ports shown in ellow. Low level sensor port shown in red



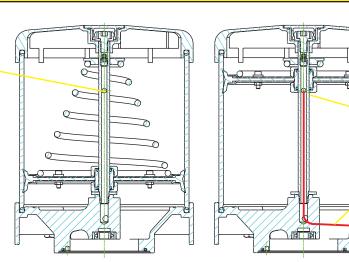
Illustration 15.Low level proximity sensor

CAUTION:

Caution!!! must be observed when changing elements, plugs, and low level sensor in the Modular pump series.

DO NOT ATTEMPT to remove the guide rod and follower plate assembly in a Modular series pump, due to the increased downward force applied by the PIP spring upon the surface of the grease when the reservoir is full. It is highly recommended to perform all these procedures when the reservoir is empty of grease or is going to be emptied by removing of the fill connector.

Vent opening in guide rod.



Bottom of follower plate surpasses vent opening

Escape route of excess grease and trapped air through guide rod and reservoir base.



o Pump collars; suitable for ether 9, 15 or 24 elements, can be stacked up to 3 collars tall to provide a maximum service capacity of up to 72 lubrication points.



Illustration 20. Pump with maximum of 72 element positions.

Pump mounting

The pump should be mounted vertically at an easily accessible location. The pump mounting brackets (arms) and installation hardware are made from Stainless steel. As the pump housing is an aluminum casting, it is required to utilize the provided nylon inserts and gaskets to prevent a galvanic reaction leading to oxidation of metals...

The bolt pattern, to mount the pump bracket, is the same as used with the Lubecore pneumatic and hydraulic pumps. As such, if so required, pneumatic and hydraulic pump bracket can be inter-changed.

It should be noted that the secondary lining to the lubrication points be kept as short as possible. These lines should not exceed 10 meters / 30 feet in length. Contact Lubecore or an authorized re-seller when secondary line length exceeds 10 meters long.



Illustration 17. Stainless steel mounting hardware and insulation components.



Illustration 19. Pump bracket installation options: swap left / right and up / down to achieve desired installation configuration.



Illustration 18. Pump bracket mounting hardware assembly order. (Pre-tightening)



Electrical connections

The 10-30 VDC timer for the automated operation of the lubrication system is located inside the motor housing. The motor housing is slotted on the bottom to allow moisture to dissipate while the timer itself is permanently sealed (potted).

The pump comes pre-wired with a 2 core SAE approved cable connected to a Deutsch DT weather proof connector. The DT connector is wired: Ignition (Red) +15 / Ground (Black) -31. When connecting ignition it is recommended to use a 5 Amp fuse.

A second connection is available for an optional low level sensor. The 3 - core wire provides a proximity sensor with a power source, ground and signal contact. The proximity sensor may be ordered separately and can be connected to the pump with no need for programming. When installing a proximity sensor adhere to the safety precautions as liste on page 13.

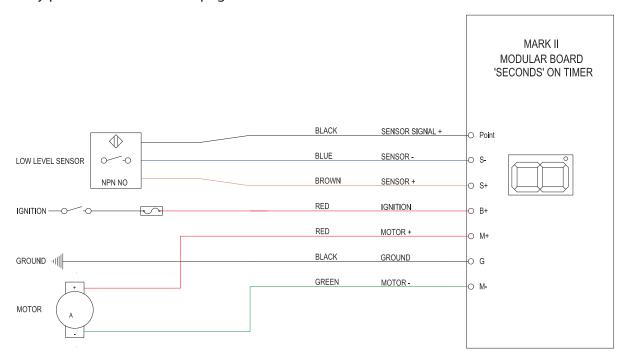


Illustration 21. Electrical connections for Modular Spyder MLP pump.



Illustration 22. Deutsch® DT electrical connectors (ground / ignition) inside motor and timer housing of pump. Remove the 6 bottom cover screws to gain access.

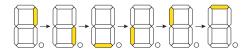


Timer setting and display operation

The Modular Spyder pump is equipped with a 7 segment digital display. This display indicates power, operation, error and is used for timer setting.

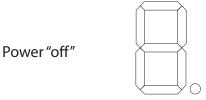
Following is an overview of possible display codes:

- No segments lit. Power is "off".
- Solitary LED (Bottom right corner of the Segmented display) momentarily stays on (5 Seconds) performing a self check.
- Solitary LED starts blinking, 1 blinks per second indicating that the timer is active
- Pump ON (T2) is started the segmented LED 'rotates'. The bar rotates clockwise for the entire pump cycle.



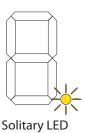
- If during a pump cycle (T2) an error occurs, the display shows "E". The error can be low level or over current draw. The "ERROR" status is displayed throughout the entire T2 pump cycle time.

- After the pump cycle (T2) the display will show "E" and a blinking solitary LED during the T1, pause time. The "E" status will return to normal after the error is resolved (example: pump filled) and a new cycle is started.



No segments lit.

Power "on" Battery and ignition

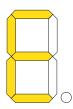


Motor running



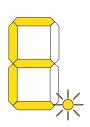
Rotating segments.

Error during pump cycle



An error is present during pump cycle.

Error at pause time.



An error is present when power is on. Blinking solitary LED



Testing and Programming

For correct operation of the pump (T1) the "Pause", and (T2) "Work" times must be set using the magnet. The following menu choices are available.

With power on (ignition) hold the magnet against the Lubecore logo on the motor housing near the segment display. After 3 seconds and with about 3 second steps thereafter, the segment display will change as follows:

- 7 segment display mode selection
- 1). To start a single test cycle, place the magnet on the maple leaf logo. When the bottom horizontal bar lights up, remove the magnet from the logo to initiate a single test cycle. The pump will run for the programmed period of "on time".



2). To start a continuos cycle, place the magnet on the maple leaf logo. When the bottom 2 horizontal bars light up, remove the magnet to initiate continuous running of the pump. Turn off power or place the magnet back on the maple leaf logo to stop the pump.



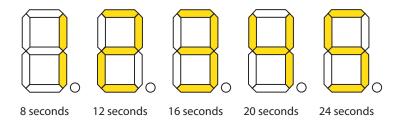
3). To change the pump running/working time (T2) setting. Place the magnet on the maple leaf logo until 3 horizontal bars light up.



When the display shows 3 horizontal bars, remove the magnet to go into time selection mode.

- When the sensor is not operated for 20 seconds it will return to the start.
- After a change the display will show an "A" for accept after 20 seconds or if the magnet is placed on the sensor for 5 seconds.

The display will show your current choice of one of the following 5 settings:



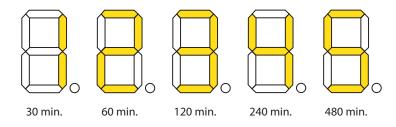
A one second touch or slow swipe with the magnet, at the maple leaf logo, will change the time selection.



4). To set the "Off time" (cycle interval), place the magnet on the maple leaf logo until the top 4 bars light up in the shape of a square. This indicates that the "off time" change mode is selected. The function is the same as in the "on time" programming mode. When the sensor is not operated for 20 seconds or the magnet is placed on the sensor for longer than 5 seconds the timer returns to normal start mode. If a change has been made the display will indicate this with an "A" for accept.

7 segment display mode selection





The display will show your current choice of one of the following 5 settings: A one second touch or slow swipe with the magnet, at the maple leaf logo, will change the selection.

After changing times or testing, switch off the ignition and the timer accepted the new values. The timer can at any point be returned to 'normal' by switching off the ignition.

Error reporting by the display

When the display indicates an "E" for error, the following could be the problem:

- Low grease level detected.

When installed and activated by the follower plate, the low level switch signal stops the pump from pumping and indicates

- Motor Over-load / Short Circuit.

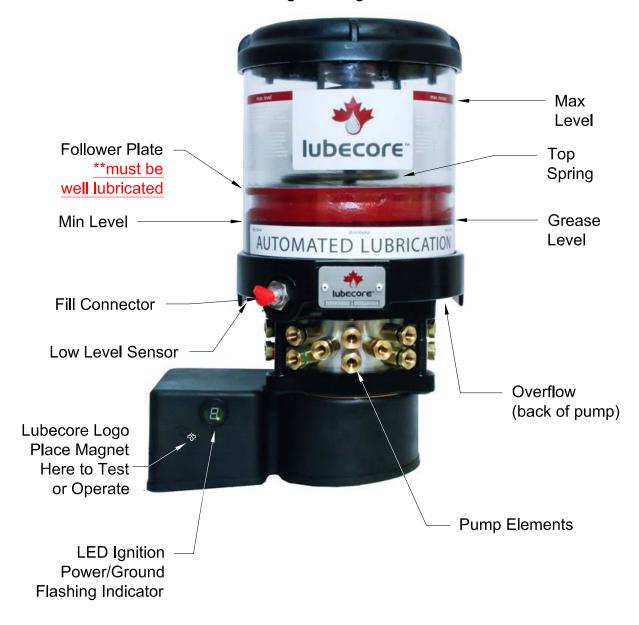




Automated Lubrication System - Operator Card

CHECK FOR EVIDENCE OF FRESH GREASE AT THE GREASE POINT

- Check grease level make sure it is above minimum level
- Check all grease points for evidence of fresh grease
- All points should look like you just greased it by hand (grease should look shiny)
- Inspect for damaged or worn grease lines and fittings
- Check for LED flashing when ignition is on



Part # 75.005 - Operator Card - "Seconds On" Timer

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Instruction card

Each system is delivered with a laminated 1/2 page size instruction card. This instruction card explains briefly the operation of the 7 segment display and the procedure for testing the Modular Spyder MLP pump.

Using the Magnet to Set the Timer & Operate or Test the **Modular "Seconds On" Timer**

NOTE: Ignition/Power must be on and small LED flashing 1 sec on, 1 sec off - indicating power to pump - and that it's a "Seconds On" Timer. If LED does NOT flash, confirm power and polarity are correct.



<u>Single Test Cycle</u> - place magnet on Lubecore logo. When bottom horizontal bar lights up, remove magnet to initiate single cycle. Pump will run for programmed period of "Seconds On Time".





Continuous Cycle - place magnet on Lubecore logo. When bottom 2 horizontal bars light up, remove magnet to initiate continuous running of pump. Turn off power or put magnet back to stop pump.





<u>"On" Time Programming</u> - place magnet on Lubecore logo. Remove when all 3 horizontal bars light up. You can now program "ON" times. Quickly replace and remove magnet till chosen parameter is shown - 1 through 5.



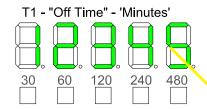


"Off" Time Programming - place magnet on Lubecore logo. Remove when top 4 bars light up. You can now program "OFF" times. Quickly replace and remove magnet till chosen parameter is shown - 1 through 5.





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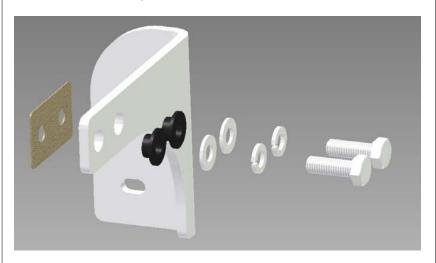
T1 off time setting, as set at time of installation.

T2 On time setting as set at time of installation.

Illustration 23. Operator Instruction card - page 1



Please use isolation gasket and top hat washers as shown.





Due to the nature of magnets, polarity could affect efficacy of the magnet. If the magnet doesn't activate the timer, please turn it over and try again.

Part # 75.002 - Instruction Card - Seconds On" Timer

Illustration 24. Operator Instruction card - page 2



PIP - Positive Inlet Pressure Follower Plate

PIP (Positive Inlet Pressure Spring patent pending)

Modular Progressive and Modular Spyder MLP lubrication systems are suitable for use with NLGI-2 / EP2 grade grease when a PIP - Positive Inlet Pressure spring is installed on top of the follower plate. Especially with low temperatures, it may occur that air pockets present in the grease accumulate at the intake opening of the metering elements. The PIP-follower plate allows, even at low temperatures, the use of a NLGI2 / EP2 grease.

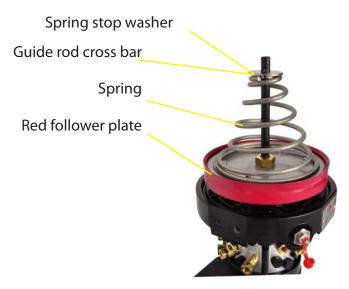




Illustration 25. PIP spring follower plate

Note In case of service / repairs:

- Before starting any repairs ensure reservoir is empty to reduce spring tension.
- o When removing M8 Allen cover bolt ensure guide rod is not rotating / coming loose: it is under spring tension, when guide rod is spinning loose **Stop** and call Lubecore for alternative disassembly procedure.
- Always follow supplied instructions with OEM replacement part to prevent damage and personal injury!
- o Although when reservoir is empty there is still an assembly tension in the spring! When loosening components this may be released and cause harm when done incorrectly!

CAUTION:

Caution!!! must be observed when changing elements, plugs, and low level sensor in the Modular pump series.

DO NOT ATTEMPT to remove the guide rod and follower plate assembly in a Modular series pump, due to the increased downward force applied by the PIP spring upon the surface of the grease when the reservoir is full. It is highly recommended to perform all these procedures when the reservoir is empty of grease or is going to be emptied by removing of the fill connector.



Low level sensor

The pump may be equipped or retrofitted with a low level proximity sensor. This sensor is a normally closed proximity sensor which detects the metal components on the bottom of the follower plate. The benefits of a low level proximity sensor are that the operators are additionally informed by the 7-segment LED display of a low level event when the reservoir is obscured by dirt such that a clear level indication is not visible.

The timer stops the pump from operating during a low level event, preventing air from being pumped into the grease points and the requirement to prime the pump after filling.

The sensor is located on the lower rear right side of the reservoir assembly. Depending on the model of follower plate and reservoir size, either a short or long sensor is used.



Illustration 26.12.045 Low level sensor.

Fitting instructions:

Remove the bottom cover from the pump housing. Make sure that there is no power to the timer (disconnect the 2 pin Deutsch connector)

Inside the housing you will find a black cable with a white insulator cap on the end. This is the 3 core low level switch pigtail. Cut off the end cap and strip the 3 wires so that the terminals provided in the kit can be connected. Use appropriate stripping and crimp tools to do this.

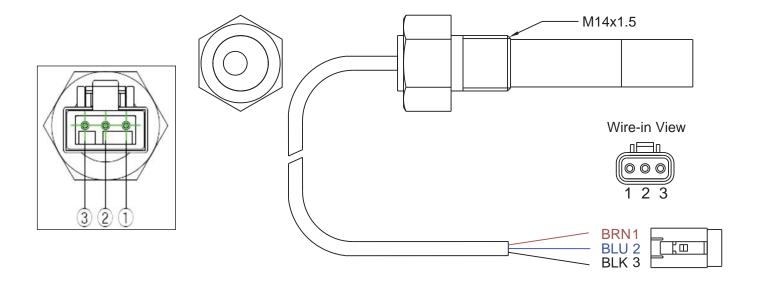
After crimping the terminals plug them into the Deutsch body that is in the kit, match the colors of the wires (i.e. blue on blue, brown on brown and black on black).

Remove the brass plug from the underside of the pump body (grease will come out if the reservoir is full, (it is highly recommended that this procedure be done with the reservoir empty) and fit the low level sensor in place. Move "O" ring from plug to the sensor. Lead the low level switch wire into the pump housing and connect the two halves of the 3 pin connector and re-connect the two pin power connector. Secure the wires and connector and close the housing.

Your Lubecore Modular pump is now ready and will signal a low level event when the follower plate in the reservoir is nearing 'empty'. In case of a low level event the timer will show an 'E' on the display for as long as the reservoir is empty. As long as the 'E' is displayed, the pump will not do any cycles. After filling the pump, it is advisable, to perform at least one minute continuous test cycle to make sure the pump is operational and functioning normally.

Note: When the pump is empty (low level event) and showing an "E" on the display, it is possible to use the magnet to initiate a continuous cycle, this will override a low level event ('E' error). Filling while the pump is running assist with re-priming the pump.





Position	Color	Identity				
1	Brown	+				
2	Blue	-				
3	Black signal					
Table 27.	Low level sensor connections					



Operation, Selection & Installation of Pump Elements

Pump elements can be installed into any of the available ports of the 9, 15 or 24- port collars. The arrangement of the pump elements can be selected to suit to the most convenient delivery lining route and fastening.

Pump elements are suitable for use with either a 5 mm inverted flare crimp nut or alternatively a 1/8" NPT male coupling can be used. The 5 mm inverted flare crimp is intended for use with 5 mm OD nylon tubing only. The 1/8" NPT crimp couplings are for other tubing styles and sizes such as Korilla and reinforced high pressure hose.

Note: The 5 mm OD pipe end as used with the 8.4OD Korilla tubing cannot be used with the inverted compression nut and sleeve. The pipe end is too short to ensure an appropriate crimp.

Each pump element is threaded into the outlet port until it meets with solid resistance. (NOTE: The color ring is NOT a sealing ring) Using the appropriate socket to turn the elements for further 1/8 turn (45°) with torque of 16 Nm / 12 ft-lbs.

Unused outlet ports need to be closed off with a plug. Tighten each closing plug firmly into unused outlet ports using 12 mm socket.

Ring color Identification	Output in cc's per stroke	Output in cc's / min (23RPM)
Brown	0.01	0.23
Red	0.02	0.46
Black	0.04	0.92
Green	0.06	1.38
Yellow	0.08	1.84
Blue	0.10	2.30
White	0.12	2.76
Brass	0.28	6.44
Table 28. Available pump el	ements	

^{*} Modular Spyder MLP elements have a M12x1.25 thread, older versions or series elements are not suitable for use in a Modular Spyder MLP model ring collar.



Illustration 30. Selection of Modular Spyder MLP elements.



Illustration 29. Pump equipped with piston elements.



The MLP piston elements deliver an consistent amount of grease per stroke. Based on the selected working time T2, ranging from 8 to 24 seconds, the total amount grease delivered is dependant on the total number of cam rotations. Please use the table below to determine the exact delivery of each piston element based on the selected working time. For reference a chart is provided to compare the MLP element output amount to the delivery of Lubecore's EPO Single line injectors.

Lubecore MLP Element Delivery Calculations by Pump Times Pump Element Part Number & Delivery Per Stroke											
	Output in cc's per pump working time T2										
	Brown Red Black Green Yellow Blue White Brass										
RPM:	23		11.601 11.602 11.604 11.406 11.408 11.410 11.412 11.636								
Pump time:	sec.	Strokes	Strokes 0.01 0.02 0.04 0.06 0.08 0.10 0.12 0.28								
T2 - 1	8	3.067	3.067 0.03 0.06 0.12 0.18 0.25 0.31 0.37 0.86								
T2 - 2	12	4.600	0.05	0.09	0.18	0.28	0.37	0.46	0.55	1.29	
T2 - 3	16	6.133	0.061	0.12	0.25	0.37	0.49	0.61	0.74	1.72	
T2 - 4	20	7.667	0.08	0.15	0.31	0.46	0.61	0.77	0.92	2.15	
T2 - 5	T2-5 24 9.200 0.09 0.18 0.37 0.55 0.74 0.92 1.10 2.58										
Table 31. Lubecore Element Delivery Calculations by Pump Times Seconds timer											

Reference table to compare element output to single line EP0 metering units.

Single Line EP0 injectors						
ID	cc's per stroke	Part #				
#0	0.025	11.100				
#1	0.050	11.101				
#2	0.100	11.102				
#3	0.150	11.103				
#4	0.200	11.104				
#8	0.400	11.108				
#9	1.000	11.109				
Table 32. Single Line EP0 injector output in cc's per cycle.						



The table below provides a list of suggested injector sizes for truck lubrication points under normal operating conditions. For assistance with selection of injectors, contact Lubecore or your local authorized Lubecore representative.

nent	ent	oke	nterval	Grease Del.	line nce	T2 - On Time	nterval	Grease Del.	line nce	T2 - On Time	T1 - Off Time
Component	Element	Per Stroke	Strokes/ Interval	EP-0 Grease	Single line Reference	T2 = 2	Strokes/ Interval	EP-2 Grease	Single line Reference	T2 = 1	T1 = 3
Release Bearing	Brown	0.01		0.046	#1			0.031	#0		
Clevis Pin	Brown	0.01		0.046	#1			0.031	#0		
S-Cam	Red	0.02	al	0.092	#2		 	0.061	#1		ntes
Cross shaft	Red	0.02	erv	0.092	#2		erv	0.061	#1		120 minutes
Tie rod end	Black	0.04	int	0.184	#4	ds	int	0.123	#2	als.	20 n
Drag link	Black	0.04	per	0.184	#4	Seconds	per	0.123	#2	Seconds	
Slack	Black	0.04	kes	0.184	#4	Sec	kes	0.123	#2	Sec	Ë
King Pin	Green	0.06	4.60 strokes per interval	0.276	#5	12	strokes per interval	0.184	#3	8	ime
Springs pin	Green	0.06	09	0.276	#5		3.07	0.184	#3		se t
Spring shackles	Green	0.06	4	0.276	#5		3.	0.184	#3		Pause time T1=
5th Wheel	Blue	0.10		0.460	#8.5			0.307	#6		
5th Wheel	White	0.12		0.552	#8.5			0.368	#8		
Table 33. Suggested injector size for truck application under standard conditions.											



Filling of the reservoir

If during a system inspection it is visible that the reservoir has reached minimum level, the pump needs to be filled with an appropriate NLGI - grade lubricant. Review the labeling as the pump is suitable for use with a wide range of lubricants.

For filling the reservoir, follow the steps as described below to ensure that no contaminants and/or air enter the lubrication system.

Step 1: Remove the dust cap from the male filler coupler (EP0) or grease fitting (EP2) located on the pump.

Step 2: Clean the male filler coupler or grease fitting located on the pump.

Step 3: With the female coupler of the filler pump, still mounted on the lid to the male coupler, ensure there are no air-pockets in the filler hose, by making **at least 3** strokes, circulating the grease. This is especially important when exchanging buckets of grease.

Step 4: Inspect the female coupler or other filler nozzle used, for dirt and clean when required. Then secure it to the male coupler on the pump, until it latches.

Step 5: Fill the reservoir with grease until the top of the follower plate has reached the maximum level mark on the reservoir. (This is located 1 inch / 3 cm below the black reservoir cap.) The bottom of the follower plate should have passed the vent opening in the follower plate guide rod.

During filling of the reservoir or immediately after the maximum level has been reached, some lubricant may be expelled from the pump at the vent opening. Air possibly trapped underneath the follower plate and excess lubricant may come out at this opening. The opening corresponds to the vent opening as located in the centre guide rod.

Step 6 Place the dust cap back on the male coupler or grease fitting on the pump and the female filler pump coupler on the male coupling on the lid of the filler pump.

It is suggested that the filter be replaced after every 5 pails of grease



Illustration 37. Male filler coupling with dust cap. Either a regular grease zerk for EP2 grease or a male guick disconnect for EP0 grease.



Illustration 39. Reservoir overflow / Vent location



Illustration 36. Circulate grease to remove air pockets.



Illustration 38. Overflow opening in the center guide rod.



Illustration 40. Reservoir filter.

Caution note: Automatic Lubrication Systems are not compatible with Moly or Metallic greases!

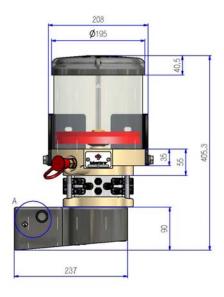
Extra caution must be used when mixing greases. See Lubecore Grease Compatibility chart for details

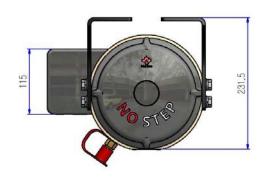


Technical specifications

Modular Spyder MLP

	Modular Spyder MLP					
Reservoir capacity	4 & 6 Kg (8.8 - 13.2 Lbs)					
Standard number of injectors openings	9 /15 / 24 or max 3 combinations					
Pressure at 23 RPM - Max	70 Bar - 1000 Psi					
Timer	10-30V integrated in bottom of pump					
Working time interval [seconds] - T2	8/12/16/20/24					
Pause time interval [minutes] - T1	30/60/120/240/480					
Operating / ambient temperature range	-20 C / 80 C -4 F / +160 F					
Lubricant grade:	NLGI 000 to NLGI 2 Depending on installed tubing size and follower plate.					
Pump weight without grease	8 Kg / 18 Lbs (4Kg reservoir model)					
Available number of piston elements	8					
Low level sensor	Optional - proximity sensor					
Filler coupling size:	1/4" Quick Disconnect for EPO with filter or standard grease fitting for EP2 with filter.					
Voltage / Amp (20 C)	(12V) 2 Amp (24V) 1 Amp Fuse: 20A recommended.					
Table 39. Overview of the technical specifications for the Modular Modular Spyder MLP.						







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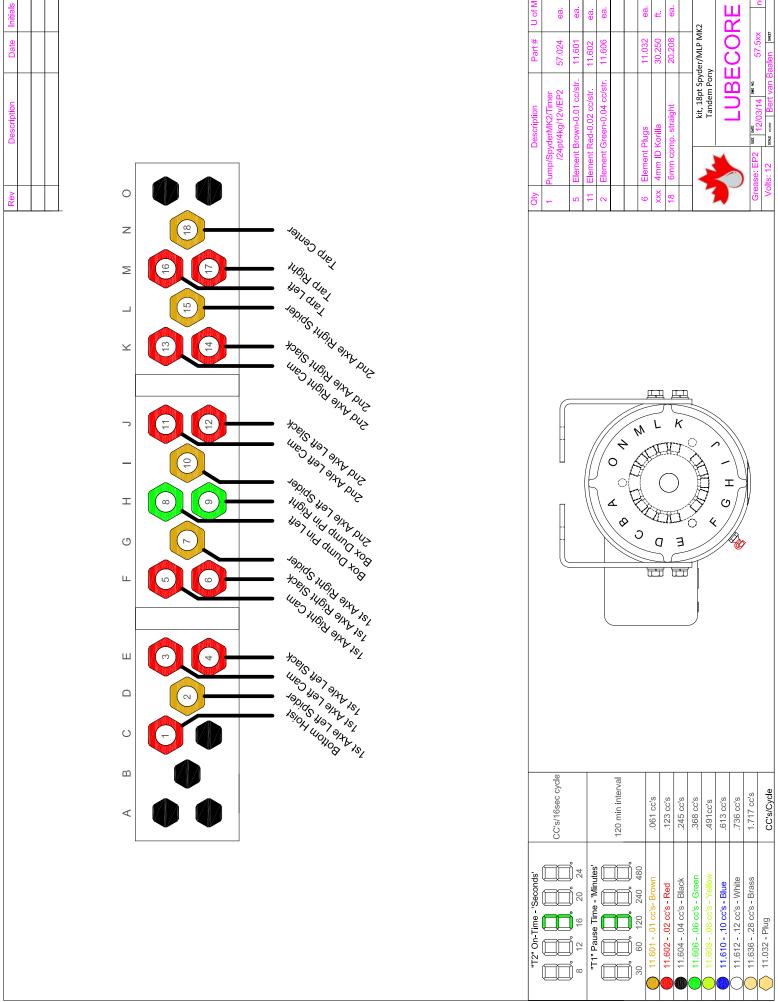
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Product name	Limited product warranty	Limited Steadylube Evolution extended warranty			
		On-Road / Transport	Off-Road		
Parallel pneumatic* EP0		5 -years	2 -years		
Parallel Electric* Gear EP0		2 years	1 -year		
Parallel High Pressure Electric* - Hydraulic	1- year	-	1 -year		
Series Progressive Electric*	-	-	1 -year		
Series Progressive Pneumatic*		5 -years	2 -year		
MLP/Multiline - including modular		1 -years	1 -year		

Table 42. Limited warranty terms / period. * Defines the method of pump operation.

Both the Regular and the Extended Warranty are void in case of the following:

- Damage from grease contamination or using alternate grease. Service from an unauthorized dealer Cut wires or missing parts Water above the follower plate from pressure washing Damage caused by
 negligence, theft, or accident.
- Contact Lubecore International or your local distributor for further details pertaining to the extended warranty provided with the use of Lubecore lubrication products.





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