

# **MANN+HUMMEL Centrifugal Oil Cleaners**

**High Performance Bypass Oil Filtration** 





# MANN+HUMMEL Centrifugal Oil Cleaners – the ingenious solution for many applications

MANN+HUMMEL centrifugal oil cleaners are internationally recognised in providing superior bypass filtration for the removal of contaminant from the lubricating oil of Diesel engines. The technology can also be successfully used for gearboxes, hydraulics and other industrial fluids.

MANN+HUMMEL provide its centrifuge technology to the following market sectors:

- Trucks
- Buses
- Marine
- · Power Generation
- · Mining Machinery
- Locomotives
- Construction
- Agriculture
- Military
- · Industrial Fluids

MANN+HUMMEL centrifuges clean oil by generating centrifugal force 2,000 times greater than gravity. It is this force that separates solid contaminant from the oil. This technology has been proven to remove contaminant down to a sub-micron size, which is advantageous to both engine producers and users.

#### The Benefits:

- · Cleaner oil
- · Extension of oil life
- · Lengthens service intervals
- · Reduces engine wear
- Enhances long-term preventative maintenance
- Reduces maintenance costs
- · Cuts waste disposal costs
- Reduces application down
  time
- Maximises in-service time for vehicle/engines/machine

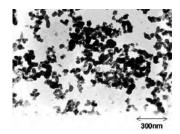


- Reduces total cost of ownership
- Helps ensure clean combustion and fuel efficiency
- Supports engine technology for the reduction of exhaust emissions (e.g. exhaust gas recirculation)
- · Fast return on investment

## The Importance of Clean Oil

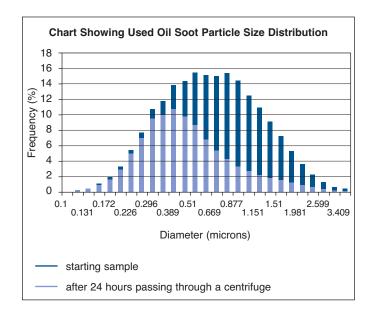
Oil is the life-blood of the engine and clean oil is essential if an engine is to operate efficiently throughout its working life. In response to environmental legislation and customer requirements engine manufacturers are adapting their designs to reduce harmful exhaust emissions and at the same time extend oil drain intervals. Emission reduction

technologies such as exhaust gas recirculation have been shown to increase the level of contaminant, especially soot in the lubricating oil. The net effect is modern oils are being required to work harder, last longer and contain higher levels of contamination. Therefore, advances in oil chemistry and filtration technology are essential to meet these needs.



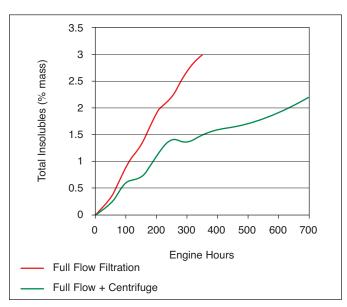
Photograph of soot

Soot particles are sub-micron in size. Soot is a hard prowear particle. High soot levels within a lubricating oil have been shown to be responsible for accelerated wear of critical engine components. Traditional full flow and by-pass filters are unable to remove soot contaminant as it is too small to be captured by the media. MANN+HUMMEL bypass centrifugal oil cleaners are proven to be effective at removing soot.



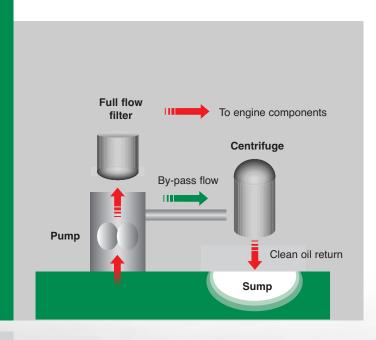


Sectioned Rotor with Contaminant



Heavy durability engine test – oil analysis results displaying contaminant increase with engine operation hours. Engine size 8 litres, 250 kW Industrial Diesel.
The result concluded that the MANN+HUMMEL centrifuge controlled total contamination levels within the lube oil at a level below the engine manufacturers condemnation limit for more than double the standard drain interval.

# **Centrifugal Oil Cleaners - Principle of operation**

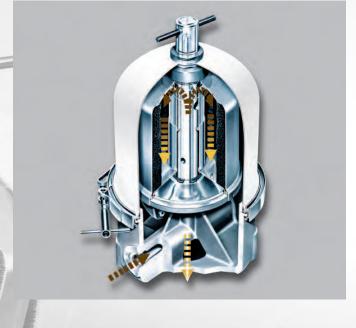


Full flow filters are designed to process all the oil used to lubricate the moving parts of the engine. However, the need to maintain a high flow and limit pressure drop across the filtration media restricts the ability to filter out sub-micron particles. This job is taken over by the centrifugal oil cleaner in the bypass. The MANN+HUMMEL centrifugal oil cleaner processes approximately 10 % of the oil flow provided by the engine pump before returning it directly to the engine sump.

The removal of particles by centrifugal force is based on their relative density and therefore there is no restriction on contaminant size.

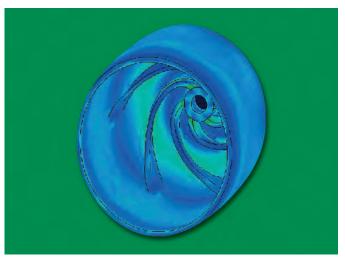
#### Working principle

Oil is pumped into the centrifuge at engine pressure and directed into a hollow spindle where it exits via a cross drilling into the centrifuge rotor. The rotor becomes full of pressured oil that is then allowed to exit through two tangentially opposed nozzles in the rotor base. This causes rotation of the free spinning rotor assembly thus generating the centrifugal force within the rotor. As contaminant particles enter the rotor they are subjected to a centrifugal force causing them to migrate radially outwards to the inner surface of the rotor wall where, over time they compact to form a dense cake. MANN+HUMMEL offers both cleanable and disposable rotor designs.



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MANN+HUMMEL cleanable and disposable metal centrifuges contain patented Swept Rib Technology in the rotor cover. These ribs are used to displace the contaminated fluid from the rotor core to the outer edge where the contaminants are acted upon by higher centrifugal forces, hence aiding cleaning efficiency. Competitor centrifuges use inserts inside of the rotor in an attempt to achieve the same result.



MANN+HUMMEL Swept Rib Technology

Extensive comparative testing of various insert designs has shown there to be no noticeable advances in cleaning efficiency for the removal of sub-micron soot coupled with a greatly reduced contaminant holding capacity.

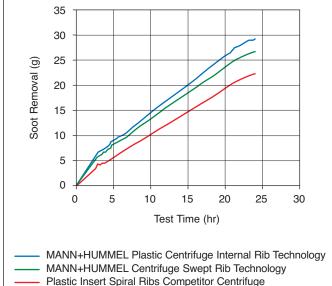




Plastic rotor and cover

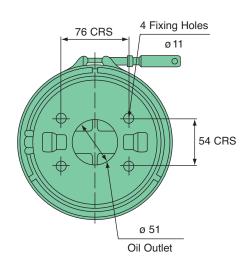
first to introduce to market a centrifugal oil cleaner with a 100 % metal free rotor. The MANN+HUMMEL plastic rotor is fully combustible and can be incinerated at disposal. This design contains patented Internal rib technology throughout its complete length. Internal rib plastic rotors ensure that all of the oil and hence the contaminant is rotating at the same speed as the rotor. As with the swept rib design, internal rib technology also helps displace the oil and contaminant from the rotor core to the outer edge. These two effects provide an even greater cleaning efficiency without compromising contaminant holding capacity.

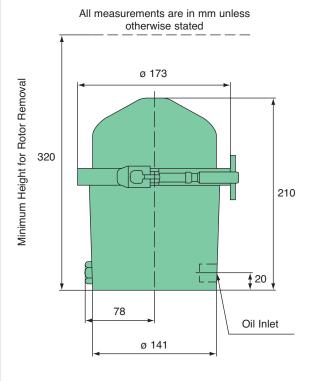
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OEM used engine oil draw-down comparative test. The graph displays soot removal by the centrifuge with time. Three centrifuge concepts were tested. The MANN+HUMMEL Swept and Internal rib designs provided a greater soot removal over the test period when compared with a centrifuge using a plastic insert of spiral ribs.

## **FM090 Centrifuge**





Part No.	Туре	Oil Inlet Thread	C.O.V. Rating (bar)
68 991 42 101	FM090-31	3/8" B.S.P.	1.3

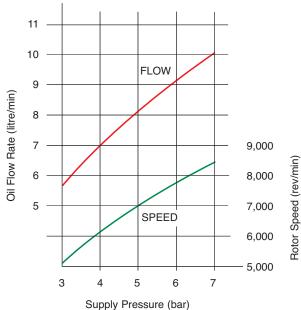


- · Suitable for system capacity from 15 to 90 litres
- · Rotor dirt capacity 0.9 litres
- · Rotor oil capacity 1.125 litres
- · Minimum oil feed pipe size 9.5 mm internal diameter
- · Minimum oil drain pipe size 38 mm internal diameter
- · This model is available with a cleanable rotor, and is supplied with paper insert

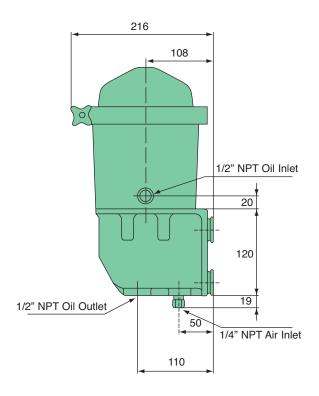
- 68 933 30 101 to improve serviceability.
- Oil inlet threads and Cut Off Valve (C.O.V.) ratings can be tailored to suit customer requirements
- · Other features can be included to suit specific customer requirements
- · The net weight of the FM090 is 3.5 kg

#### **Performance Curves**

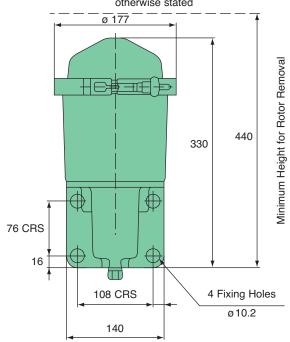
Typical Rotor Performance for SAE 30 Oil @ 100 °C



## **FM090-LCB Centrifuge**



All measurements are in mm unless otherwise stated



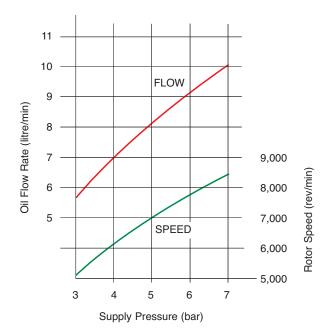
Part No.	Туре	Oil	Air	C.O.V. Rating
		Connection	Connection	(bar)
68 991 39 301	FM090-LCB Transit	1/2" NPT	1/4" NPT	1.3



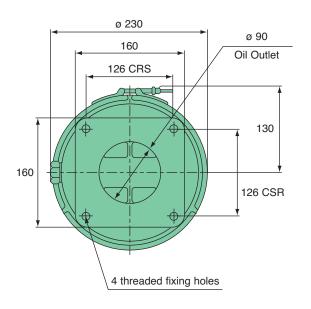
- Incorporates a level control base for remote mounting
- · Rotor dirt capacity 0.9 litres
- Rotor oil capacity
   1.125 litres
- Minimum oil drain pipe size
   12 mm internal
- Maximum air consumption 36 litres/hour
- · This model is available with
- a cleanable rotor, and is supplied with paper insert 68 933 30 101 to improve serviceability.
- Oil inlet threads and Cut Off Valve (C.O.V.) ratings can be tailored to suit customer requirements
- The net weight of the FM090-LCB is 6 kg

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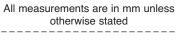
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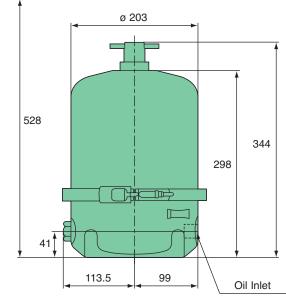


## **FM200 Centrifuge**





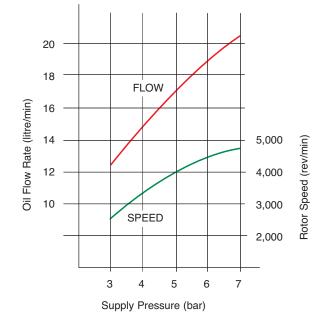




- Suitable for system capacity from 40 to 170 litres
- · Rotor dirt capacity 2 litres
- Rotor oil capacity 2.3 litres
- Minimum oil feed pipe size
   12 mm internal diameter
- Minimum oil drain pipe size
   50 mm internal diameter
- This model is available with a cleanable rotor, and is supplied with paper insert 68 903 22 001 to improve serviceability
- Oil inlet threads and Cut Off Valve (C.O.V.) ratings can be tailored to suit customer requirements
- For this centrifuge the following items are available: Remote mounting base with air assisted drainage 68 999 11 101, Rotor disassembly tool 68 906 90 601, Standtube extraction tool 68 906 90 901
- The net weight of the FM200 is 9.5 kg

#### **Performance Curves**

Typical Rotor Performance for SAE 30 Oil @ 75 °C

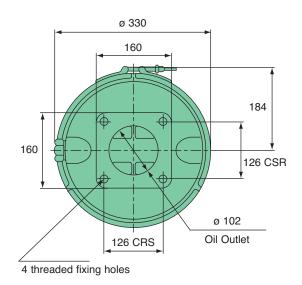


Part No.
 Type
 Oil Inlet Thread
 C.O.V. Rating (bar)
 Threaded Fixing Holes

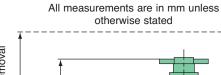
 68 991 19 701
 FM200-21
 1/2" B.S.P.
 2.5
 M12

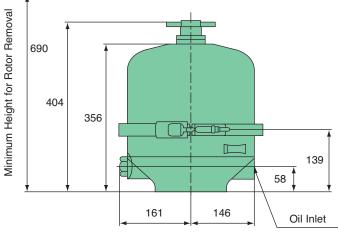
Minimum Height for Rotor Removal

## **FM400 Centrifuge**





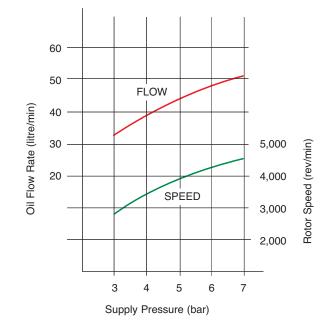




- · Suitable for system capacity from 200 to 1,500 litres
- Rotor dirt capacity 4 litres
- Rotor oil capacity 4.5 litres
- Minimum oil feed pipe size 19 mm internal diameter
- Minimum oil drain pipe size 76 mm internal diameter
- · This model is only available with a cleanable rotor and is supplied with paper insert 68 933 22 601 to improve serviceability
- · Oil inlet threads and Cut Off Valve (C.O.V.) ratings can be tailored to suit customer requirements
- Remote mounting base 68 999 11 101 with air assisted drainage is also available for use with this model
- · Rotor disassembly may be aided by rotor disassembly tool 68 906 91 301
- · The net weight of the FM400 is 22 kg

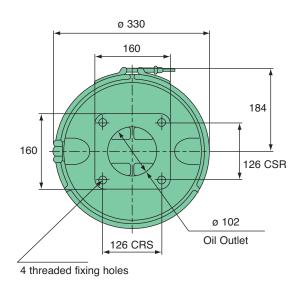
#### **Performance Curves**

Typical Rotor Performance for SAE 30 Oil @ 75 °C

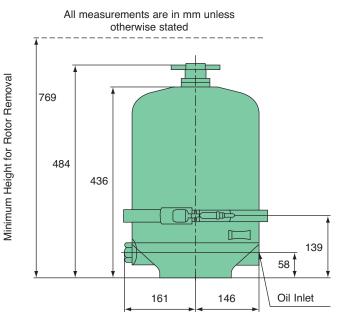


Part No.	Туре	Oil Inlet	C.O.V.	Threaded
		Thread	Rating (bar)	Fixing Holes
68 991 38 801	FM400-23	3/4" B.S.P.	2.5	M12

## **FM600 Centrifuge**





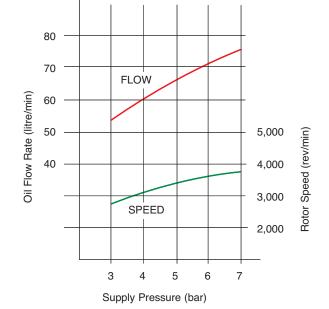


- Suitable for system capacity from 200 to 1,500 litres
- Systems with a higher capacity can also be supplied – please contact our sales office directly for further information.
- · Rotor dirt capacity 6 litres
- Rotor oil capacity 6.5 litres
- Minimum oil feed pipe size
   19 mm internal diameter
- Minimum oil drain pipe size
   76 mm internal diameter
- This model is only available with a cleanable rotor and is supplied with paper insert

- 68 903 02 801 to improve serviceability
- Oil inlet threads and Cut Off Valve (C.O.V.) ratings can be tailored to suit customer requirements
- Remote mounting base 68 999 11 101 with air assisted drainage is also available for use with this model
- Rotor disassembly tool 68 906 91 201 is required to service this product
- The net weight of the FM600 is 25 kg

#### **Performance Curves**

Typical Rotor Performance for SAE 30 Oil @ 75 °C



Part No.	Type	Oil Inlet	C.O.V.	Threaded
		Thread	Rating (bar)	Fixing Holes
68 991 18 901	FM600-23	3/4" B.S.P.	2.5	M12
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#### Installation

A MANN+HUMMEL centrifuge can be designed onto an engine as original equipment or retrofitted to an existing engine by the end user. The by-pass centrifuge requires a supply of pressurised oil. In the majority of applications the oil supply is obtained at engine pressure via the lube oil pump. In cases where oil pressure is insufficient a slave pump can be installed.

The centrifuge should be mounted at an angle of no more than 10 degrees from the vertical. Temporary increases in tilt angle due to vehicle operation are not important. For OEM applications where tilt performance is essential MANN+HUMMEL will design the centrifuge arrangement to meet the required specification.



Oil leaving the centrifuge needs to be able to fall back to the engine's oil sump under gravity. It is therefore important that the drain is free from restrictions and that the return is of the correct diameter and above the oil level within the sump. When specifying a centrifuge for an application it is vital to ensure the oil system can support the extra flow taken

by the centrifuge in bypass, in order not to starve the full flow lubrication of engine components. In the majority of cases engine oil pumps have sufficient excess oil capacity to support a bypass with a correctly sized centrifugal oil cleaner. Please consult with MANN+HUMMEL or your local distributor for centrifuge selection and installation advice.

For retrofit applications where direct engine mounting of the centrifuge is difficult, MANN+HUMMEL offer remotely mounted designs which use air pressure to assist the clean oil to return to the sump. This option is suitable only for applications where a supply of compressed air is available.







# **MANN+HUMMEL Group**

The MANN+HUMMEL Group is an international company with its headquarters in Ludwigsburg, Germany. The group employs approx. 13,000 people worldwide at more than 41 locations.

The company develops, produces and sells technically complex components for the automotive and other

industries. A key area is high quality filtration products for vehicles, engines and industrial applications. The OEM business with global market leaders and producers of vehicles, machines and installations defines the quality and performance of the group. Filters for the international aftermarket are sold under numerous inter-

national brands as well as under the MANN-FILTER brand.

# MANN+HUMMEL Industrial Filters

The Industrial Filters Business Unit with its headquarters in Speyer, Germany is specialised in meeting the requirements of off-highway vehicle and engine applications, compressed air and vacuum technology, mechanical engineering and plant construction. For these and other industrial fields MANN+HUMMEL Industrial Filters offers high performance products for the filtration and separation of air, gases and liquids.

