

HD Compressors

Experts in
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CRITICAL**
Industrial Gas
Process Compressor
Solutions

Applications for:

- Gas Transfer
- Liquefied Gas Transfer
- Vapor Recovery
- Gas Gathering
- Gas Evacuation
- Gas Blanketing
- Pressure Boosting
- Flare Elimination
- Leak Test Recovery
- Enhanced Recovery





Blackmer® Oil-free HD Compressors for Industrial Gas Applications

Heavy-duty, high efficiency, low maintenance and quiet operation

Blackmer process compressors provide efficient and quiet delivery of oil-free gas or air. These heavy-duty single and two-stage stationary compressors combine advanced design technology and state of the art materials to give maximum performance with minimum maintenance.

Single-Stage & Two-Stage Models

Single-stage models are available in 7 sizes with piston displacements to 125 cfm (212 m³/hr) and working pressures to 1,000 psia (69 bara) for use on low to moderate compression ratio applications. Three sizes of two-stage models are available for higher compression ratio requirements.

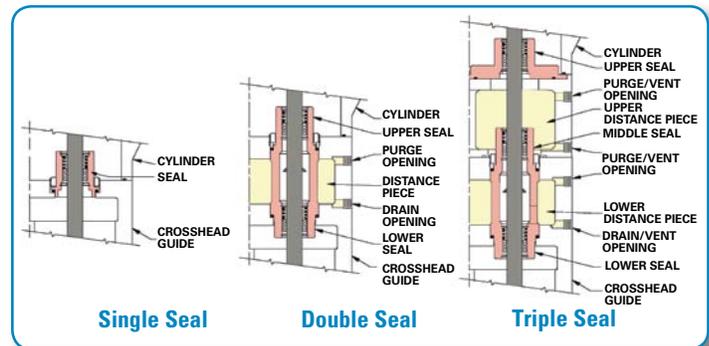
Air-Cooled & Liquid-Cooled Models

The HD air-cooled models are suitable for most applications, especially for operation at lower compression ratios and for liquefied gas transfer applications. HDL models have a liquid-cooled head and cylinder for more demanding applications.

Single, Double & Triple Seal Models

The standard double-seal models are constructed with a single distance piece between two sets of piston rod seals. The distance piece provides leakage control and prevents oil contamination of the compressed

gas stream. Triple seal models use two distance pieces for maximum leakage control and are well suited for handling toxic, hazardous or corrosive gases. Ports are provided in each distance piece chamber for purging, pressurizing or venting. Single-seal models are also available.



Blackmer HD Compressors are designed for the transfer, boosting and recovery of a wide range of industrial gases:

Air, Ammonia, Argon, Butadiene, Butane, Carbon Dioxide, Carbon Monoxide, CFC's, Chlorine, Cyclohexane, Cyclopropane, Dimethylamine, Dimethyl Ether, Ethane, Ethyl Alcohol, Ethyl Chloride, Ethylene, Ethylene Oxide, HCFC's, Helium, n-Heptane, n-Hexane, Hydrogen, Hydrogen Chloride, Hydrogen Sulfide, Isobutane, Isobutene, Isobutylene, Isopentane, Methane, Methanol, Methyl Chloride, Methyl Mercaptan, Monoethylamine, Natural Gas, Nitrogen, Nitrogen Dioxide, Nitrous Oxide, Oxygen, Ozone, n-Octane, n-Pentane, Propane, Propylene, Refrigerants, Sulfur Dioxide, Sulfur Hexafluoride, Trichloroethane, Tetrafluorethylene, Trimethylamine, Vinyl Chloride, Xenon and other gases.

Blackmer® HD Compressors - Custom Made Units

Complete custom packages are available. Engineering, fabrication and drawings are all provided per specifications to meet the application requirements.



HD942 compressor with explosion-proof control panel and electrically actuated 4-way flow control valve for LPG transfer.



Duplex HD613 two-stage triple-seal compressors with control panel for natural gas pressure boosting operation.



HDL372 two-stage water-cooled compressor with water-cooled aftercooler for Helium recovery service.



Single and Multi-Stage Compressors

The inside view on why Blackmer compressors are superior in handling industrial gases

High efficiency, PEEK valves

Blackmer valves are specifically designed for oil-free gas applications. Standard valve plates are constructed of self-lubricating PEEK (Poly Ether Ketone) material that provides superior sealing characteristics, high efficiency and durability. Optional stainless steel valves are also available. **Note:** *Series HD160 and HD170 have TNT-12 impregnated steel valves.*

Live loaded piston rod seals

Filled PTFE seals are wear compensating and maintain a constant sealing pressure around the piston rods with minimum friction. This special seal design prevents crankcase oil contamination and cylinder blow-by.

Single or double-distance piece

Single or double distance pieces (isolation chambers), control contamination of the compressed gas from crankcase lubricant, even at high vacuum inlet conditions. Each isolation chamber may be independently purged, pressurized or vented for maximum containment of toxic or hazardous gases.

Heavy-duty precision ground crankshaft

The ductile iron crankshaft features roller bearings and integral counterweights for smooth, quiet operation. Rifle drilling ensures positive oil distribution to the wrist pin and connecting rod bearings.

Two-part epoxy paint

Ductile iron construction

All pressure parts are ductile iron for greater resistance to both thermal and mechanical shock. For extended wear and corrosion resistance, specify the TNT-12 PTFE and Nickel impregnation option.

O-Ring seals

The head and cylinder are sealed with O-rings to ensure positive sealing under severe operating conditions. Buna-N, FKM, Neoprene, PTFE or Ethylene-Propylene O-rings are available.

One piece piston

Heavy-duty steel pistons are connected to the rod with a single positive locking nut, which eliminates potential problems associated with multiple piece designs.

Self-lubricating piston rings

Extra-thick, self-lubricating filled PTFE piston rings provide more wear surface for maximum sealing and extended life.

S3R Seal (600/900 Series)

Enhanced oil control providing even greater leakage control.

Wrist pin needle bearings

Roller needle bearings provide longer life under high rod load applications. Superior wrist pin lubrication is assured under all load conditions. All HD/HDL/HDS compressors are free of yellow metals

ANSI flanges

Many models are available with ANSI flanges for compatibility with CPI and refinery industry standards.

Pressure lubricated crankcase

A self-reversing oil pump provides positive oil distribution to all running gear components for long life and minimal wear. A full-flow spin-on oil filter is standard.

Options

- **Wear and Corrosion-Resistant Components** TNT-12 impregnated parts
- **Switches:** Automatic pressure, temperature shut-down, alarm switches
- **Suction Valve Unloader:** Loadless starting and constant speed unloading packages
- **Poly-Filled PTFE Piston Rings** for dry-gas service
- **Alternate O-Ring Materials** available
- **Extended Crankshaft** for direct drive mounting
- **Vapor Strainer Assembly** features 30-mesh stainless steel screen
- **Liquid Traps** available with mechanical valve or electric float switch (or both). ASME code construction also available
- **Piping:** Threaded or welded steel piping systems
- **Heat Exchangers:** pre-coolers, inter-coolers and after-coolers available
- **Four-Way Valve** with handle and easy-to-read flow direction indicator
- **Base Plates** of formed steel or fabricated skid
- **Motors** can be customized for any application
- **Control Panels** can be explosion-proof or weather-proof
- **Tests** certificates available for each compressor



Oil-Free Compressors

HD Models are air-cooled and HDL Models have liquid-cooled head and cylinders

Single-Stage Models

Single-Seal Double-Seal Triple-Seal	HD161 HD162 HD163	HDL322	HDL342 HDL343	HD361 HD362/HDL362 HD363/HDL363	HDL642 HDL643	HD602/HDL602 HD603/HDL603	HD942/HDL942
Number of Cylinders	2	2	2	2	2	2	2 (Double Acting)
Bore - in. (mm)	3.0 (76)	2.0 (51)	2.69 (68)	4.0 (102)	3.25 (83)	4.625 (117)	4.625 (117)
Stroke in. (mm)	2.5 (64)	3.0 (76)	3.0 (76)	3.0 (76)	4.0 (102)	4.0 (102)	4.0 (102)
Maximum Allowable Working Pressure - psia (bara)	350 (24.1)	1,000 (69)	750 (51.7)	350 (24.1)	750 (51.7)	350 (24.1)	350 (24.1)
Minimum/Maximum rpm	350 / 825	350 / 825	350 / 825	350 / 825	350 / 825	350 / 825	350 / 825
Piston Displacement							
@100 rpm - CFM (m ³ /hr)	2.05 (3.48)	1.09 (2.80)	1.97 (3.34)	4.36 (7.41)	3.84 (6.5)	7.78 (13.2)	14.99 (25.47)
@Min rpm - CFM (m ³ /hr)	7.16 (12.2)	3.81 (9.8)	6.89 (11.71)	15.3 (26.0)	13.4 (22.8)	27.2 (46.3)	52.46 (89.1)
@Max rpm - CFM (m ³ /hr)	16.9 (28.7)	9.00 (23.1)	16.25 (27.61)	36.0 (61.2)	31.7 (53.8)	64.2 (109.0)	125.2 (212)
Max. bph (kw)	10 (7.5)	15 (11)	15 (11)	15 (11)	40 (30)	40 (30)	50 (37)
Wt. w/Flywheel - lb. (kg)	-225 (102)	~385 (175)	~375 (170)	~365 (166)	~705 (320)	~705 (320)	~905 (410)
Inlet / Outlet Connections	0.75" NPT	1.5" 600# ANSI	1.5" 600# ANSI	1.5" 300# ANSI	2" 600# ANSI	2" 300# ANSI	2" 300# ANSI

Two-Stage Models

Double-Seal Triple-Seal	HD172 / HDL172 HD173 / HDL173		HD372 / HDL372 HD373 / HDL373		HD612 / HDL612 HD613 / HDL613	
	1 st Stage	2 nd Stage	1 st Stage	2 nd Stage	1 st Stage	2 nd Stage
# Cyl. per Stage	1	1	1	1	1	1
Bore - in. (mm)	3.0 (76.2)	1.75 (44.5)	4.625 (117)	2.687 (68)	6 (152)	3.25 (.83)
Stroke in. (mm)	2.5 (63.5)		3.0 (76)		4.0 (102)	
Maximum Allowable Working Pressure - psia (bara)		615 (42.4)		615 (42.4)		415 (28.6)
Minimum/Maximum rpm	350 / 825		350 / 825		350 / 825	
Displacement						
@100 rpm - CFM (m ³ /hr)	1.02 (1.73)		2.92 (4.96)		6.54 (11.1)	
@Min rpm - CFM (m ³ /hr)	3.57 (6.07)		10.2 (17.3)		22.9 (38.9)	
@Max rpm - CFM (m ³ /hr)	8.42 (14.3)		26.1 (40.8)		53.7 (91.2)	
Max. bph (kw)	10 (7.5)		15 (11)		40 (30)	
Wt. w/Flywheel - lb. (kg)	-290 (132)		-405 (184)		-775 (352)	
Inlet / Outlet NPT - in.	0.75/0.75		1.25/1.00		2.00*/1.50*	
					*Weld type flanges available	

Compression Ratios are normally limited by discharge temperature. High compression ratios and certain gases can cause excessive heat, i.e. over 350°F (177°C). The duty cycle must provide for adequate cooling time between periods of operation to prevent excessive operating temperature.

Note: HDS series compressors are now available for sour natural gas applications. Consult factory for additional information

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