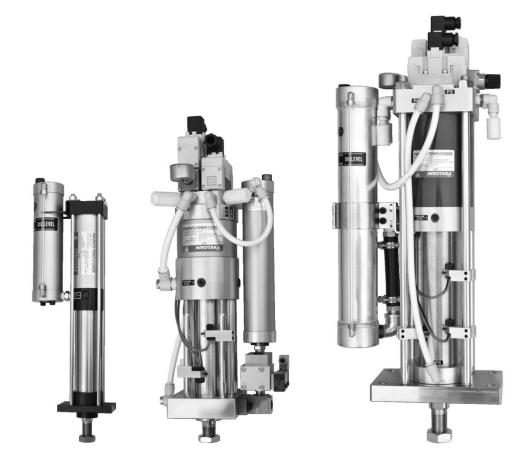
MANUAL



PNEUMATIC POWER CYLINDER



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1. Piping

Before installing the piping, blow compressed air to prevent dirt from entering the piping. Due to the structure of the pneumatic power cylinder, oil may be discharged from each air port due to wear or damage to the seals. We recommend installing an exhaust cleaner in the exhaust port of the valve.

2. Air supply

Using the compression air with dry via filter. The operating pressure is 0.7 MPa or less.

3. Hydraulic fluid (ISO VG22 Standard mineral hydraulic fluid or VG32)

If the hydraulic fluid has drain or dirt mixed in with it, or if it has deteriorated or discolored, replace it with new hydraulic fluid. Also, use the same old and new hydraulic oil. Recommended to replace once a year.

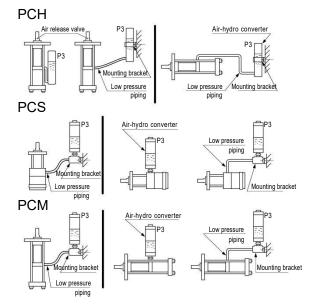
4. Quantity of oil

There is an oil level tube on the side of the converter, so please replenish the hydraulic oil when the oil level drops. Check the oil level with the cylinder stopped (Piston rod retraction end).

5. Mounting direction

Mount the pneumatic power cylinder so that the piston rod is oriented downward.

If it will mount upward or horizontally, the standard model cannot use it. Please contact us before your order and consideration.



Attach a plug to P3 port by all means when you carry a cylinder and send it. Don't flow out oil inside the cylinder.

Carry out an air vent every one or two months in case of the model with air release valve.

Capacity of oil				U	nit : liter
Model	Type of total stroke	Capacity	Model	Type of total stroke	Capacity
	05	0.20		15	1.60
	10	0.30	PCH-03, 06, 08	20	1.90
PCM-005, 01	15	0.40		30	2.50
	20	0.45		10	2.70
	30	0.55		15	3.40
	05	0.35	PCH-13, 17, 24	20	4.10
	10	0.45		30	6.20
PCS-02, 04	15	0.55		10	3.80
	20	0.75		15	4.70
	30	0.95	PCH-35, 44	20	5.60
PCH-03, 06, 08	10	1.00		30	7.40

Preparations before the use (All models)

1. Return a piston rod to the backward end position.

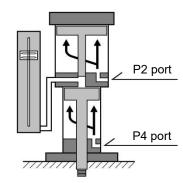
Place the Pneumatic Power Cylinder on the machine frame, and construct the air piping.

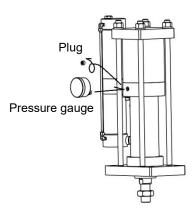
Supply a compressed air to P2 and P4, make situation that returned a piston rod and a booster.

The type with operating valve, when air is supplied to the IN-port, it is supplied to the P2 and P4 port. (Operating valve is OFF)

The model with pressure gauge (Option)

The pressure gauge of a model with pressure gauge is packed separately, and it is shipped. Remove the R1/4 plug next to the "PRESSURE GAUGE" label before supplying compressed air. Wrap sealing tape around the threads of the pressure gauge and attach it. Oil will not drip if the plug is removed with the pressure gauge port pointing upward, but when the plug is removed with the cylinder upright, a small amount of oil will drip. Remove the plug while receiving oil with a waste cloth, etc., and then attach the pressure gauge. When installing a pressure gauge after supplying air, be sure to do so in the state of 1 above. Please be careful when there is pressure inside the cylinder (P1, P3 port) as oil may flow out or scatter. "The PCM and PCS types are pre-filled with oil. Be careful not to flow out or scatter."





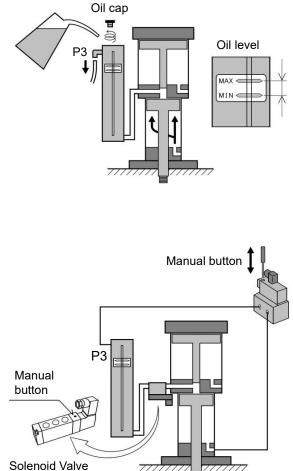
2. Oiling

When adding oil, be sure to put oil in the state of 1. Remove the oil cap on the top of the air-hydro converter and add oil. If it remove the P3 port piping, it will be easier for oil to enter. The oil level of air-hydro converter rise speed of the oil gauge is slower than the actual amount of oil, so please add it slowly when it reaches near the oil level. It is recommended to use mineral hydraulic oil with a viscosity equivalent to VG22. After the oil has entered, tighten the oil cap firmly and connect the P3 port piping. "PCM and PCS types are pre-filled with oil. Remove the plug from the P3 port before piping. Also, remove the plug and connect the attached air pipe for the type with operating valve."

3. Air releasing "Repeat pneumatic thrust stroke"

By manually operating the pneumatic thrust stroke solenoid valve (SOL-1), release remaining air. Operate the manual button of the solenoid valve to extend the piston rod to the stroke end and then return the piston rod. After returning to the backward end position, wait about 5 seconds to release the air in the oil in the air-hydro converter. Do this action about 5 times. When the air is released and the oil level drops, add oil to the appropriate amount.

Note:For type with a stop valve, push the manual button on the solenoid valve that comes with the stop valve. Do this with the stop valve open.



for stop-valve

Preparations before the use (Type with options)

A. Type with operating valve (Symbol : PCMV*, PCSV*, PCHV*)

Air piping is for IN port only. Pipe the source pressure directly. The P3 port is delivered with the fitting removed, so mount it in the equipment, remove the plug after standing upright, and then perform piping. The PCSV* model comes with 3 silencers, so please attach them to each exhaust port.

B. Type with auto switch (Symbol : PCMW, PCSW, PCHW)

The switch mounting position at the time of shipment is provisional. Adjust to the proper position after the equipment can be operated, such as air piping and electrical wiring. The orientation of the switch can be changed by reversing the mounting bracket or by mounting the switch in the opposite direction. Make sure the switch is in close contact with the cylinder tube.

- (b-1) Piston rod backward end position
 - Adjust so that the switch turns ON when the piston rod is completely returned.
- (b-2) Start position of high thrust stroke Adjust to the contact position of the JIG and workpiece after the pneumatic thrust stroke operation.
- (b-3) High thrust stroke completion position Adjust to the position where the high thrust stroke is completed. It can adjust the position more finely by sliding it upward from the piston rod side and adjusting it to the ON position.

C. Type with stop valve (Symbol : - V*)

Connect the air piping to the attached solenoid valve. The center port is the air supply port. Supply the source pressure. The stop valve is open when shipped. When air is supplied, the stop valve closes. A silencer for the exhaust port is not included, so please install an R1/8 silencer.

D. Type with regulator (Symbol : R)

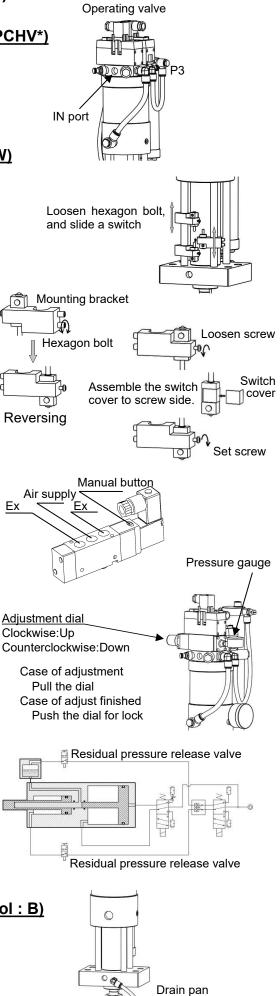
Used to adjust high thrust to a thrust lower than the supply pressure. Refer to the thrust table on page 19 for pressure setting. The regulator pressure increases only when the high thrust solenoid valve is turned ON. Adjust while watching the pressure gauge attached to the regulator during high thrust stroke.

E. Type with drop prevention valve (Symbol : T)

When the compressed air supplied to the IN port disappears, the air in the pneumatic thrust stroke (inside the P3 and P4 port) is sealed. The piston rod thereby retains the retraction force. To operate the cylinder again, supply air to the IN port. A residual pressure release is not included, so if it is necessary to release the residual pressure, loosen the mounting screw of the pneumatic thrust stroke valve to release the air, or branch the air piping and install a separate residual pressure release.

F. Type with oil film removal specification for rod (Symbol : B)

Pipe the drain port (Rc1/8) and install a drain pan near the cylinder. The leaked oil will drain to the exhaust of the solenoid valve. 4



Operation adjustment method

Adjust the operation of the cylinder by adjusting or installing parts as shown below.

Motion	Adjustment method
Adjustment of pneumatic thrust stroke speed	Install speed controller of the meter out in P4.
Adjustment of high thrust stroke speed	Install speed controller of the meter out in P2.
Adjustment of high thrust stroke return speed	Install speed controller of the meter out in P1. Adjust silencer with speed controller. (Type with operating valve)
Adjustment of backward speed	Install speed controller of the meter out in P3.
Adjustment of high thrust	Install regulator with backflow function in P1. Adjust regulator. (Type with operating valve and regulator)
Adjustment of pneumatic thrust stroke thrust	Install regulator with backflow function in P3.
Add top dead center to mid-stroke position (Switching of top dead center, Emergency stop)	After adjusting the auto switch to the new top dead center, off the stop valve while the piston rod is returning. Increase supply air pressure. (Booster regulator)
Speed up	Install quick exhaust valve in P4 or P2. (But the life of seal shortens.) Make the air piping thicker and shorter. Also consider the size of the pneumatic equipment. Use supporting air cylinder. (Backward stroke speed)

Drop prevention

When the compressed air inside the cylinder(P4) runs out, the load may drop due to its weight. In that case the following method can be dealt with. The same applies to the type with stop valve. However, ① and ④ may not be retained for a long time.

Method of drop prevention

- ① Use a pneumatic thrust stroke solenoid valve of a closed center type (Perfect type) to seal the air in the P4 port. Or install a pilot check valve on the P4 port piping.
- 2 Attach a mechanical brake to the jig guide.
- ③ Provide a mechanical stopper at the upward end (effective only when waiting for the upward end).
- ④ For models with an operation valve, install the optional drop prevention valve.

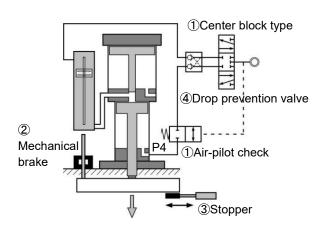
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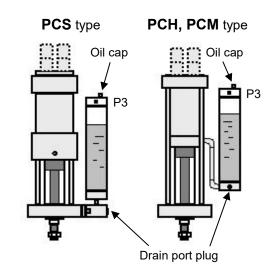
Hydraulic oil deteriorates and turns black with repeated use. Hydraulic oil is also used as a lubricant, so replace the deteriorated or blackened hydraulic oil.

(Recommended replacement period : One year)

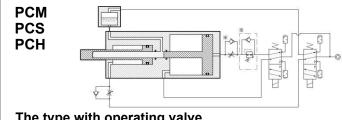
Replacement method (with air supplied)

- ① Set the piston rod back as shown in the illustration.
- (2) Remove the P3 port piping.
- ③ Remove the plug from the drain port at the bottom of the air-hydro converter and drain the oil. Hydraulic oil will come out vigorously, so use a cylindrical plastic bag to prevent scattering.
- ④ After draining the oil, apply a sealing material to the plug and attach it to the drain port.
- (5) Add new hydraulic oil from the oil cap to the appropriate amount within the oil level.
- (6) Connect the oil cap, piping and bleed the air (see page 14).
- Note:For the type with a stop valve, drain the oil with the solenoid valve of the stop valve turned on.





Example for air circuit



The type with operating valve PCMV* PCSV*

PCHV* Install the regulator when adjusting high thrust. The position shown in the figure or the primary side of SOL-2 (For SOL-2 primary side, use a pressure reducing valve without backflow function). Speed controller (P1) should be installed in the direction shown in the illustration to prevent negative pressure in the oil. Be sure to install it. For speed adjustment, install a speed controller on each port. (see page 16)

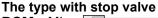
Supply air to the IN port.

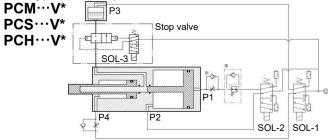
The regulator (option) is for high thrust adjustment. Speed controller (optional) for each port can be retrofitted in-line.

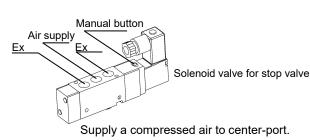
"circle mark" indicates supply, "cross mark" indicates exhaust.

Operating condition	SOL-1	SOL-2	P1	P2	P3	P4	Progress condition
Stop	OFF	OFF	×	0	×	0	Condition of illustration
Pneumatic thrust stroke	ON	OFF	×	0	0	×	Forward at fast speed
High thrust stroke	ON	ON	0	×	0	×	Forward at high thrust
Backward drive	OFF	OFF	×	0	×	0	Return at fast speed

Example for air circuit







How to intermediate stop (Emergency stop, Inching)

"circle mark" indicates supply, "cross mark" indicates exhaust.

Operating condition	SOL-1	SOL-2	SOL-3	P1	P2	P3	P4	Progress Condition			
Stop	OFF	OFF	OFF	×	0	×	0	Condition of illustration			
Pneumatic thrust stroke	ON	OFF	ON	×	0	0	×	Forward at fast speed			
Intermediate stop	OFF	OFF	OFF	×	0	×	0	Intermediate stop			
High thrust stroke	ON	ON	ON	0	×	0	×	Forward at high thrust			
Backward drive	OFF	OFF	ON	×	0	×	0	Return at fast speed			
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It does not stop during the high thrust stroke, stop after the high thrust stroke returns.

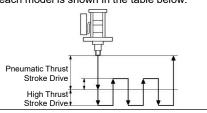
How to continuous operation for high thrust stroke drive only

_					"CI	rcle ma	rk" indi	cates si	upply, "cross mark" indicates exhaust.
	Operating condition	SOL-1	SOL-2	SOL-3	P1	P2	P3	P4	Progress Condition
1	Stop	OFF	OFF	OFF	×	0	×	0	Condition of illustration
2	Pneumatic thrust stroke	ON	OFF	ON	×	0	0	×	Forward at fast speed
3	High thrust stroke	ON	ON	ON	0	×	0	×	Forward at high thrust
4	High thrust stroke return drive	OFF	OFF	OFF	×	0	×	0	Return at (High thrust + α) stroke
(5)	High thrust stroke	OFF	ON	OFF	0	×	×	0	Forward at (α + high thrust) stroke
6	Backward drive	OFF	OFF	ON	×	0	×	0	Return at condition of illustration

(Note1) The α stroke is a stroke that returns by α mm from the position at the start of high thrust stroke drive.

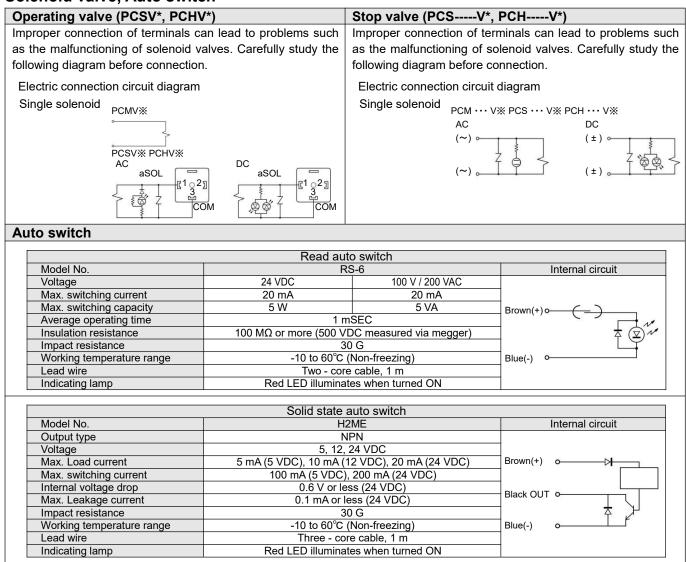
There is no high thrust during α stroke advancement. The α stroke of each model is shown in the table below.

Model	α stroke (mm)	Model	α stroke (mm)
PCS-02-V*	About 5.5	PCH-13-V*	About 2.0
PCS-04-V*	About 3.1	PCH-17-V*	About 1.8
PCH-03-V*	About 2.1	PCH-24-V*	About 1.4
PCH-06-V*	About 3.6	PCH-35-V*	About 4.5
PCH-08-V*	About 2.8	PCH-44-V*	About 1.8

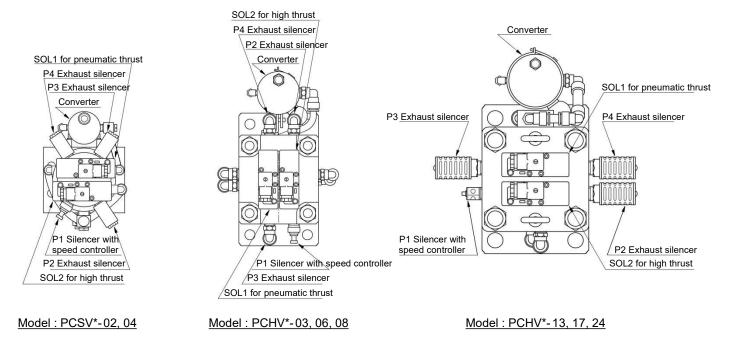


(Note1) (Note1)

Solenoid valve, Auto switch



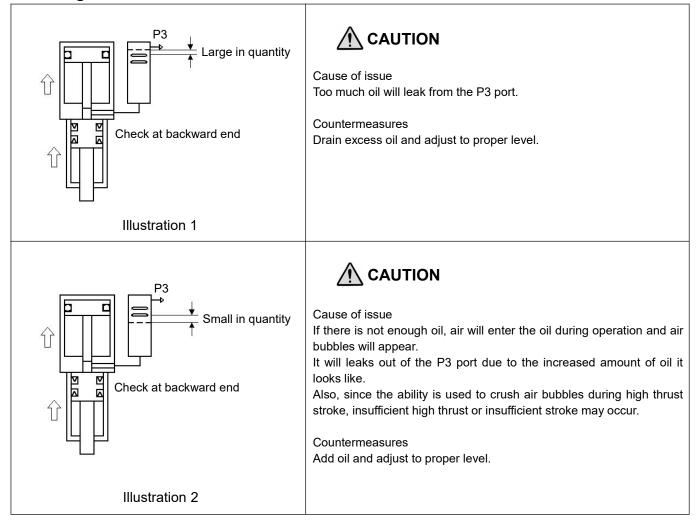
Part name for type with operating valves (Top view)

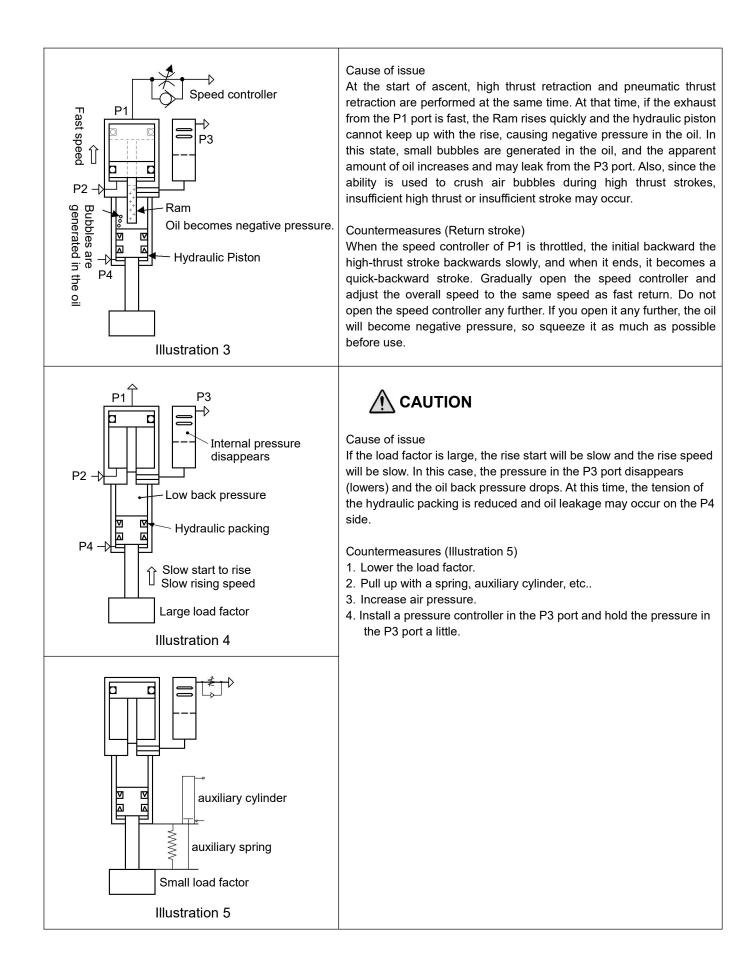


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Thrust Table Unit : kN (The Air Model PCM PCS PCH PCH PCH PCH													
Air Pressure (MPa)	Model	PCM 005	PCM 01	PCS 02	PCS 04	PCH 03	PCH 06	PCH 08	PCH 13	PCH 17	PCH 24	PCH 35	PCH 44
	0.1	0.78	1.60	3.14	6.06	4.90	8.72	12.56	19.63	24.85	34.39	49.52	63.61
_	0.2	1.57	3.20	6.28	12.12	9.81	17.45	25.13	39.26	49.70	68.79	99.05	127.23
High Thrust	0.3	2.35	4.80	9.42	18.18	14.72	26.17	37.69	58.90	74.55	103.18	148.58	190.85
L L	0.4	3.14	6.41	12.56	24.24	19.63	34.90	50.26	78.53	99.40	137.58	198.11	254.46
Irus	0.5	3.92	8.01	15.70	30.30	24.54	43.63	62.83	98.17	124.25	171.97	247.64	318.08
-	0.6	4.71	9.61	18.84	36.36	29.45	52.35	75.39	117.80	149.10	206.37	297.17	381.70
	0.7	5.49	11.21	21.99	42.42	34.36	61.08	87.96	137.44	173.95	240.76	346.70	445.32
	0.3	0.37	0.37	0.58	0.58	1.50	1.50	1.50	3.68	3.68	3.68	5.30	5.30
Pne	0.4	0.50	0.50	0.78	0.78	2.01	2.01	2.01	4.90	4.90	4.90	7.06	7.06
Pneumatic Thrust	0.5	0.62	0.62	0.98	0.98	2.51	2.51	2.51	6.13	6.13	6.13	8.83	8.83
st	0.6	0.75	0.75	1.17	1.17	3.01	3.01	3.01	7.36	7.36	7.36	10.60	10.60
	0.7	0.87	0.87	1.37	1.37	3.51	3.51	3.51	8.59	8.59	8.59	12.37	12.37
	0.3	0.28	0.28	0.44	0.44	1.13	1.13	1.13	2.83	2.83	2.83	3.39	3.39
ת	0.4	0.37	0.37	0.58	0.58	1.50	1.50	1.50	3.77	3.77	3.77	4.52	4.52
Return	0.5	0.47	0.47	0.73	0.73	1.88	1.88	1.88	4.72	4.72	4.72	5.65	5.65
3	0.6	0.56	0.56	0.88	0.88	2.26	2.26	2.26	5.66	5.66	5.66	6.78	6.78
	0.7	0.65	0.65	1.03	1.03	2.63	2.63	2.63	6.61	6.61	6.61	7.91	7.91

Oil leakage

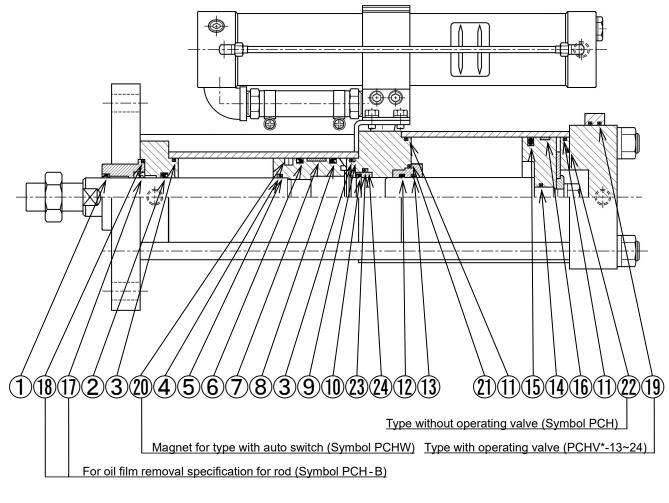


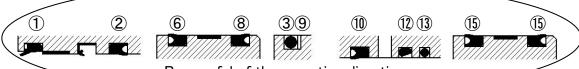


Troubleshooting guide

	Sit	uation	Cause of issue	Countermeasures					
	- Oit		Fittings, piping size are small or long	Make thicker and shorter					
			Solenoid valves, silencer are small size	Make larger size					
		0		Increase the size of the air piping from the					
		Overall	Insufficient air supply	air source to the device					
			(Large drop in pressure during operation)	Install a reservoir tank					
				Increase compressor capacity					
				Increase air pressure					
			Heavy JIG weight	Add a auxiliary equipent (see page 20)					
	Slow speed		The speed controller at the P1 and the P3	Lighten the JIG					
			are excessively closed	Open or remove the speed controller					
		Backward side	Regulator for high thrust adjustment	Replace the type with backflow function					
			Misalignment	Check the guide, slide bush and die					
			Resistance due to seal wear	Replace the seal					
Σ			Switching delay of drop prevention valve	Delay SOL-2 OFF at start of rising					
OVe			due to insufficient supply air flow rate	Increase the supply air flow rate					
me		Forward side	The high thrust valve is turned on first	Turn on the pneumatic thrust valve first					
Movements	Piston rod stop on		Insufficient high thrust stroke	Reconsider the cylinder type					
	the way of stroke	Backward side	Misalignment of device and cylinder	Check the guide, slide bush and die.					
		Dackward Side	Resistance due to seal wear	Replace the seal					
	Go forward once af	ter starting	Booster backward speed is fast	Install a speed controller on P1					
	backward		The high thrust valve is turned off first	Check electrical circuit					
			High load factor Stop valve seal is broken	Increase supply air pressure					
	Intermediate stop is	not possible	SOL of stop valve is broken	Replace the stop valve Replace the stop valve SOL					
	Raises slightly at in	termediate stop		Add a timer, delay only stop valve SOL					
	and stops		The workpieace is heavy	Add a timer, delay only stop valve SOL OFF by about 0.2 sec					
			The defective control circuit, no air supply	Check control circuit, air supply					
			The malfunctions of pneumatic control	Check the solenoid valve, speed					
	The cylinder does n	ot move at all.	equipment	controller, etc					
			Stop valve is broken	Replace the stop valve or SOL					
			Pneumatic Power Cylinder is broken	Inquire with us or our distributor					
			Compressed air is not supplied to P1	Check the regulator, high thrust valve					
	No high thrust		The high thrust valve is turned on first	Turn on the pneumatic thrust valve first					
	rto night tindot		Oil is not contained, or insufficient	Add oil and adjust to proper level					
–			High thrust operation at a position where there is no repulsive force	Check high thrust operation at a position with repulsive force					
ligh			•	Slow the return of the booster by					
High thrust			Compression loss due to air mixed in oil	adjusting a speed controller in P1					
Irus			Struts stretch, or frames bend	Design change, or parts exchange					
약	High thrust is unsta	ble	High thrust start is too early	Adjust the position of high thrust start					
	Can't be fully presse			switch					
			Ability lack of the cylinder	Increase the air pressure, or reconsider of					
			Seal failure due to seal wear	the cylinder type Replace the seal					
		From all exhaust	There is a lot of drain in the supplied air	Remove drain with a filter, etc					
		ports From P2	Worn seal in intermediate cover	Replace the seal (Penta seal)					
			Too much or too little oil	Adjust to proper level					
	Oil leakage from			Slow the return of the booster by					
Oil leakage	solenoid valve's	From P3	The oil becomes foam and is discharged	adjusting a speed controller in P1					
eal	exhaust ports		Discharge of oil contained in exhaust air	Install the exhaust filter					
ag			Negative pressure generation of oil due to self-weight dropping (with stop valve type)	Keep a stop valve ON when supply air stops, or drop prevention measures					
(D			Seal failure due to seal wear	Replace the seal (Piston packing)					
	From P4		Normal leakage by packing sliding	Install the exhaust filter					
			High load factor	Install the exhaust filter Increase supply air pressure					
	Oil leakage from co cylinder	nnection part of	Seal failure due to seal wear	Replace the seal					
			Initial wear of seals	Continue to use					
	Oil color turned blad	СК	Deterioration of oil, or drain mixed	Continue to use Exchange the oil					

Packing for <u>PCH</u> series





Be careful of the mounting direction

Packing	

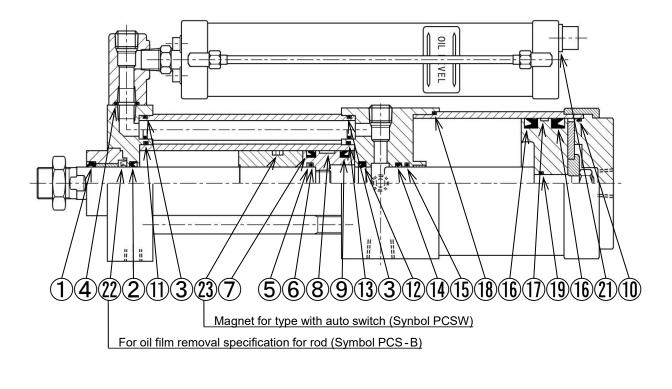
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Model	seal	packing	-	up	ring	packing		packing	up	packing	ring	seal	ring	ring	packing	ring	seal	ring	ring	Magnet	ring	ring	ring	up
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PCH-										IDI													P44	BR44
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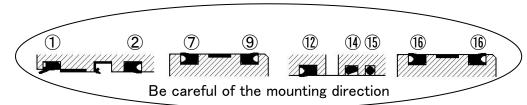
PCH-03 to 08 type uses one No.15 packing. PCH-35 and PCH-44 of all use the No.18 O-ring.

Note) Standard seal kit is No.1 to No.16 (without No.4 and No.5). No.17 to No.24 are sold separately.

How to order : Seal kit for PCH - ※※

Packing for <u>PCS</u> series

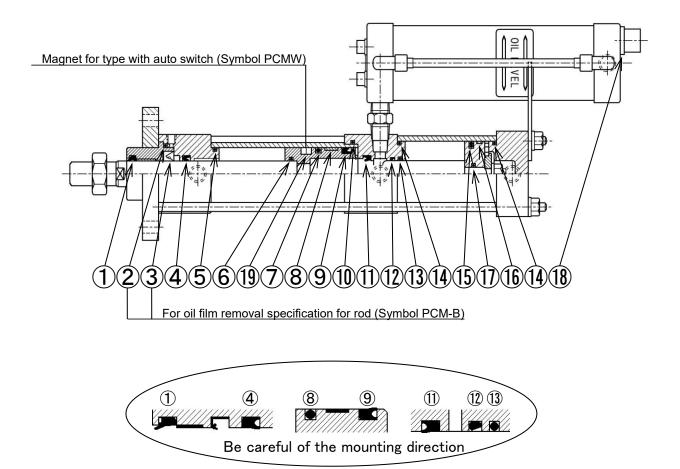




Pack	ing Li	ist																				
No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	21	22	23
Model	Dust seal	Y packing	O ring	O ring	Back up	O ring	Y packing	Wear ring	Y packing	O ring	O ring	Y packing	O ring	Penta seal	O ring	Y packin g	Wear ring	O ring	O ring	Seal washer	Oil seal	Magnet
PCS 02 PCS 04	SFR 25	ISI 25 33 5	P14	P14	P25	P25	PGY 50	SW 50	UHP 50	S95	G60	ISI 25 33 5 ISI 18 26 5	G60 90°	PS 25 PS 18	P25 P18	PGY 100	SWB 100	S 105	P14	TSW 12	TB4 25 40 8	_
Q'ty	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	_

Note) Standard seal kit is No.1 to No.19 (without No.5 and No.6). No.21 and No.22 are sold separately. How to order : Seal kit for PCS -: XX

Packing for <u>PCM</u> series



Packing List

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No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Model	Dust	0	Oil	Y	0	0	0	Wear	Y	0	Y	Penta	0	0	Piston	Wear	0	Seal	Magnot
Model	seal	ring	seal	packing	ring	ring	ring	ring	packing	ring	packing	seal	ring	ring	packing	ring	ring	washer	Magnet
PCM											ISI	PS	P20						
005	SDR	S40	TB4	PNY	S36	P20	P34	SW	OSI	G45	20 28 5	20	120	S46	PSD	SWB	Р	TSW	_
PCM	20	340	20 35 7	20	330	F 20	г 04	40	40 30 6	645	ISI	PS	P14	340	50	50	10A	12	
01											14 22 5	14	1 14						
Q'ty	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	_
Quy						1	1		1	1		•	1	2	•				

Note) Standard seal kit is No.1 to No.17 (without No.2, 3 and No.6). No.18 is sold separately.

How to order : Seal kit for PCM - ***



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