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General

In-line four stroke diesel engine with direct injection. Rotation direction, anti-clockwise viewed towards flywheel

Number of cylinders			6
Displacement, total		liters	9,36
		in ³	571
Firing order			1-5-3-6-2-4
Bore		mm	120
		in	4,72
Stroke		mm	138
		in	5,43
Compression ratio			20,2
Dry weight	Engine only, excluding cooling system	kg	1015
		lb	2238
	Power pac	kg	1354
		lb	2985
Wet weight	Engine only, excluding cooling system	kg	1065
		lb	2348
	Power pac	kg	1404
		lb	3095

Performance			r/min	1500	1800	2000	2100
IFN Power	280 kW	without fan	kW	269	279	270	255
			hp	366	379	367	347
	with fan ratio 0,9 890 mm	kW	262	267	254	236	
		hp	356	363	345	321	
280 kW	without fan	kW	269	279	270	255	
		hp	366	379	367	347	
	with fan ratio 0,9 750 mm	kW	265	272	260	243	
		hp	360	370	354	330	
	without fan	kW					
		hp					
	with fan mm	kW					
		hp					
Torque at:	IFN Power 280 kW	kW					
		hp					
		Nm	1713	1480	1289	1160	
		lbf ft	1263	1092	951	855	
		Nm					
		lbf ft					
		Nm					
		lbf ft					
Mean piston speed		m/s	6,9	8,3	9,2	9,7	
		ft/sec	22,6	27,2	30,2	31,7	

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Performance		r/min	1500	1800	2000	2100
Effective mean pressure at:	IFN Power 280 kW	Mpa	2,30	1,99	1,73	1,56
		psi	333	288	251	226
Max combustion pressure at:	IFN Power 280 kW	Mpa	18,5	18,5	18,4	18
		psi	2683	2683	2668	2610
Total mass moment of inertia , J Std fly wheel included		kgm ² lbft ²	2,6 61,6			
Degree of irregularity at:	IFN Power 280 kW		1:44	1:80	1:127	1:164
Residual speed droop at load increase from 0 to 100% at:	IFN Power 280 kW	%				
		%				
		%				
		%				
Friction Power		kW hp	28 38	39 53	48 65	51 69
Time from start to idle speed at ambient temperature:	°C	15	1			
		0	2			
		-20*	5			

* With manifold heater engaged, lubrication oil 15W/40 and block heater.

Cold start performance

*Cold start ambient temperature limit.	without starting aid	°C	0	2*170 Amp
		°F	32	
	with manifold heater 4 kW	°C	-5	2*225 Amp
		°F	23	
with manifold heater 4 kW and blockheater	°C	-35	2*225 Amp	
	°F	-31		
*Specify oil and fuel quality	<-15°C Lubrication oil 15/40w Fuel VSD >-15°C Lubrication oil 0/30w Fuel MK1			

Block heater type	Make	Power kW	Engaged hours	Cooling water temp engine block
Plug in type	Calix	1,5	48	7,5 °C

* See also general section in the sales guide

Derating

The engine may be operated up to 1000 m altitude and 40°C ambient air temperature

Altitude derating factor at rated power < 3000 m	% / m	See graph
Altitude derating factor at rated power > 3000 m	% / m	See graph
Ambient temperature derating factor	% / °C	No derating
Humidity		No derating

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Lubrication system		r/min	1500	1800	2000	2100
Lubricating oil consumption at max rpm at:	IFN Power 280 kW	liter/h	0,068			
		US gal/h	0,0180			
		liter/h				
		US gal/h				
		liter/h				
		US gal/h				
Oil system capacity including filters		liter	40			
		US gal	10,57			
Oil sump capacity:	Max	liter	35			
		US gal	9,25			
	Min	liter	28			
		US gal	7,40			
Oil change intervals/specifications	VDS-2	h	600			
	VDS, ACEA, E3	h	400			
	ACEA E2, API CF, CF-4, CG-4	h	250			
Engine angularity limits:	front up	°	30			
	front down	°	30			
	side tilt	°	30			
Oil pressure at rated speed		kPa	350 - 600			
		psi	51 - 87			
Oil pressure shut down switch setting		kPa	250			
		psi	36			
Lubrication oil temperature in sump:	max	°C	125			
		°F	257			
Oil filter micron size		mm	0,040			

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Fuel system		r/min	1500	1800	2000	2100
IFN Power 280 kW Specific fuel consumption at:	25%	g/kWh lb/hph	230 0,373	249 0,404	270 0,438	216 0,350
	50%	g/kWh lb/hph	205 0,332	213 0,345	222 0,360	236 0,383
	75%	g/kWh lb/hph	195 0,316	201 0,326	212 0,344	219 0,355
	100%	g/kWh lb/hph	196 0,318	203 0,329	214 0,347	218 0,353
Specific fuel consumption at:	25%	g/kWh lb/hph				
	50%	g/kWh lb/hph				
	75%	g/kWh lb/hph				
	100%	g/kWh lb/hph				
Specific fuel consumption at:	25%	g/kWh lb/hph				
	50%	g/kWh lb/hph				
	75%	g/kWh lb/hph				
	100%	g/kWh lb/hph				
Recommended fuel to conform to		ASTM-D975-No2, DIN 51601, EN 590				
System return flow	l/h	36				
	US gal/h	9,5				
System supply flow at rated speed	l/h	108				
	US gal/h	28,5				
Fuel supply line restriction, maximum allowable	kPa	10				
	psi	1,5				
Fuel return line restriction, maximum allowable	kPa	20				
	psi	2,9				
Fuel supply line max. pressure, engine stopped	kPa	0				
	psi					
Maximum allowable inlet fuel temp	°C	50				
Prefilter / Waterseparator micron size	mm	0,005				

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Intake and exhaust system		r/min	1500	1800	2000	2100
Air consumption at:	IFN Power 280 kW	kg/s	0,37	0,44	0,46	0,46
Air intake restriction, clean filter(s)		kPa	2			
		In wc	8,0			
Max allowable air intake restriction		kPa	5			
		In wc	20,1			
Heat rejection to exhaust at:	IFN Power 280 kW	kW	198	215	215	207
		BTU/min	11260	12227	12227	11772
		kW				
		BTU/min				
Exhaust gas temperature after turbine at:	IFN Power 280 kW	°C	457	425	410	396
		°F	855	797	770	745
		°C				
		°F				
Max allowable back pressure in exhaust line		kPa	10,0	13,0	15,0	15,0
		In wc	40,2	52,2	60,2	60,2
Exhaust gas flow at:	IFN Power 280 kW	m ³ /min	42,5	47,2	48	46,8
		cfm	1501	1667	1695	1653
		m ³ /min				
		cfm				
Exhaust gas smoke	IFN Power 280 kW	Bosch Units	0,12	0,26	0,34	0,44

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Cooling system		r/min	1500	1800	2000	2100
Heat rejection radiation from engine at:	IFN Power 280 kW	kW	18	18	19,7	19,8
		BTU/min	1007	1001	1120	1126
Heat rejection to coolant at:	IFN Power 280 kW	kW	116	118	118	115
		BTU/min	6568	6682	6682	6540
Radiator cooling system type			Closed circuit			
Charge air temp after CAC at referens ambient conditions 25°C / 1000mbar	°C	41	45	45	45	
	°F	106	113	113	113	
Charge air temp after turbo compressor at referens ambient conditions 25°C / 1000mbar	°C	177	185	186	181	
	°F	351	365	367	358	
Boost pressure	kPa	177	189	191	187	
	In wc	710,7	758,8	766,9	750,8	
Max allowable pressure drop (Turbo outlet to manifold)	kPa	15	15	15	15	
	In wc	60,2	60,2	60,2	60,2	
Heat rejection to CAC	kW	47	55	59	57	
	BTU/min	2673	3128	3355	3242	

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Radiator core area	(std. Size)	m ²	0,8			
		sq.ft.	8,61			
		m ²				
		foot ²				
Radiator core thickness	(std. Size)	mm	52			
		in	2,05			
		mm				
		in				
Intercooler core area	(std. Size)	m ²	0,89			
		foot ²	9,58			
		m ²				
		foot ²				
Intercooler core thickness	(std. Size)	mm	68			
		in	2,68			
		mm				
		in				
Fan diameter	890 mm	mm	890			
		in	35,04			
	750 mm	mm	750			
		in	29,53			
Fan power consumption	890 mm	kW	7,0	12,0	16,0	19,0
		hp	10	16	22	26
	750 mm	kW	4,0	7,0	10,0	12,0
		hp	5	10	14	16
Fan drive ratio	fan Ø890		0,9			
	fan Ø750		0,9			
Coolant capacity:	engine	liter	17			
		US gal	4,5			
	std. 0,8m ² radiator with hoses	liter	24			
		US gal	6,3			
		liter				
		US gal				
Coolant pump		drive/ratio	belt/1,50:1			
Coolant flow including radiator restriction		l/s	4,7	5,6	6,3	6,6
		cu ft/min	9,9	11,9	13,2	13,9
Maximum external coolant system restriction incl. piping		kPa	55,0			
		psi	8,0			
Thermostat:	start to open	°C	82			
		°F	180			
	fully open	°C	92			
		°F	198			
Maximum static pressure head		kPa	100			
		psi	14,5			
Maximum pressure cap setting		kPa	70			
		psi	10,2			
Maximum top tank temperature		°C	103			
		°F	217			
Minimum temperature entering engine		°C	68			
		°F	154			
Shutdown switch setting		°C	98			
		°F	208			
Recommended drawdown capacity		10% of total cooling system capacity				

Cooling performance: 0,8 m² radiator and 890mm fan. Fan ratio 0,9

Cooling air flow and maximum additional external restriction at different radiator air temperatures based on 103°C TTT and 50% antifreeze

Engine speed rpm	Engine power hp	Air on temp		Air flow		Max additional external restriction	
		°C	°F	kg/s		Pa	psi
2100	255	65	149	7,7		690	0,100
	347	55	131	5,7		1380	0,200
		45	113	4,5		1800	0,261
1800	279	65	149	7,9		160	0,023
	379	55	131	5,8		780	0,113
		45	113	4,5		1150	0,167

Cooling performance: m² radiator and fan

Cooling air flow and maximum additional external restriction at different radiator air temperatures based on 100°C TTT and 50% antifreeze

Engine speed rpm	Engine power hp	Air on temp		Air flow		Max additional external restriction	
		°C	°F	m ³	cu ft/s	Pa	psi

Cooling performance: m² radiator and fan

Cooling air flow and maximum additional external restriction at different radiator air temperatures based on 100°C TTT and 50% antifreeze

Engine speed rpm	Engine power kW hp	Air on temp		Air flow		Max additional external restriction	
		°C	°F	m ³	cu ft/s	Pa	psi

Engine management system Versatile

Functionality	Alternatives	Default setting
Governor mode	Isochronous/droop Switchable during operation	Isochronous
Governor droop	0 - 5%	
Governor response	Adjustable PID-constants	
Idle speed	600 - 1200 rpm	600 rpm
Stop function	Energized to run / stop	Energized to stop
Preheating function		
Lamp test	ON/OFF	ON

Engine protection		Alarm level		Engine protection		
Parameter	Unit	Setting range	Default setting	Level	Action. Default/Alternative	
Oil temp	°C	120 - 130	125	Setting +3	Torque reduction	
Oil pressure	Low idle	kPa	NA	160,0	130,000	Torque reduction
	Rated speed	kPa	NA	225	195,000	Torque reduction
Oil level		NA	Low level	NA	NA	
Piston cooling pressure >1000 rpm	kPa	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Coolant temp	°C	95 - 101	98	Setting +7	Torque reduction	
Coolant level		See coling system	On	Low level	Torque reduction	
Fuel feed pressure	Low idle	kPa	NA	100	NA	NA
Water in fuel		Water Present	NA	NA	NA	
Crank case pressure	kPa	Rapid Increase of Press			Torque reduction	
Air filter pressure drop		NA	NA	NA	NA	
Altitude, above sea	m	NA	NA	1200	Automatic derating, see section derating	
Charge air temp	°C	NA	80	91,000	Torque reduction	
Charge air pressurer	kPa	NA	325	350,000	Torque reduction	
Engine speed	rpm	100 - 120% of rated speed	115% of rated speed	Alarm level	NA	

Engine management system Power pac

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Preheating function		
Lamp test	ON/OFF	ON

Engine protection		Alarm level		Engine protection		
Parameter	Unit	Setting range	Default setting	Level	Action. Default/Alternative	
Oil temp	°C	120 - 130	125	Setting +3	Shut down	
Oil pressure	Low idle	kPa	NA	160,0	130,000	Shut down
	Rated speed	kPa	NA	225	195,000	Shut down
Oil level		NA	Low level	NA	NA	
Piston cooling pressure >1000 rpm	kPa	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Coolant temp	°C	95 - 101	98	Setting +7	Shut down	
Coolant level		See coling system	On	Low level	Shut down	
Fuel feed pressure	Low idle	kPa	NA	100	NA	NA
Water in fuel		Water Present	NA	NA	NA	
Crank case pressure	kPa	Rapid Increase of Press			Shut down	
Air filter pressure drop		NA	NA	NA	NA	
Altitude, above sea	m	NA	NA	1200	Automatic derating, see section derating	
Charge air temp	°C	NA	80	91,000	Shut down	
Charge air pressurer	kPa	NA	325	350,000	Shut down	
Engine speed	rpm	100 - 120% of rated speed	115% of rated speed	Alarm level	NA	

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Electrical system

Voltage and type			24V / Insulated from earth
Alternator:	make		Bosch
	output	Amp	80
	tacho output	Hz/alternator rev.	6
	drive ratio		4,5
Starter motor:	make		Melco
	type		90P55
	output	kW hp	5,5 7,5
Starter motor solenoid:	pull current	Amp	N/A
	hold current	Amp	2
Number of teeth on:	flywheel		153
	starter motor		11
Inrush current at +20°C		Amp	1000
Cranking current at +20°C		Amp	428
Crank engine speed at 20°C		rpm	75
Starter motor battery capacity	max	Ah	2x143 570A DIN
	min at +5°C	Ah	2x88 400A DIN
Inlet manifold heater (at 20 V)		kW	4
Power relay for the manifold heater		Amp	1

Power take off

	r/min	1500	1800	2000	2100	
Front end in line with crank shaft max:	Nm lbf ft	TVC calculation necessary Available torque depends on inertia				
Front end belt pulley load. Direction of load viewed from flywheel side:	max left	kW	61	63	59	43
		hp	83	86	80	58
	max down	kW	229	298	335	302
		hp	311	405	456	411
	max right	kW	38	61	62	53
		hp	52	83	84	72
Timing gear at compressor PTO max continuous:	Nm lbf ft	150 111				
Speed ratio direction of rotation viewed from flywheel side		1,29:1/anti-clockwise				
Max allowed bending moment in flywheel housing	Nm lbf ft	7000 5163				
Max. rear main bearing load	N lbf	3000 674,4				