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1. SAFETY REGULATIONS AND NOTES

Please read these operating instructions carefully before starting to work with the device. Observe the following warnings to prevent malfunctions or physical damage to both property and people.

These operating instructions are to be regarded as part of this device. If the device is sold or transferred, the operating instructions must accompany it.

These operating instructions may be duplicated and forwarded for information about potential dangers and their prevention.

1.1 Levels of hazard warnings

These operating instructions use the following hazard levels to indicate potentially hazardous situations and important safety regulations:



DANGER

Indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury. Compliance with the measures is mandatory.

WARNING

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury. Exercise extreme caution while working.

CAUTION

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury or damage of property.

NOTE

A potentially harmful situation can occur and, if not avoided, can lead to property damage.

1.2 Staff qualification

Only specialised electrical personnel may install the device, perform the test run and work on the electrical system. Only trained and authorised specialist personnel are permitted to transport, unpack, assemble, operate or maintain the device, or to use it in any other manner.

1.3 Basic safety rules

Any safety hazards stemming from the device must be re-evaluated once it is installed in the end device.

Observe the following when working on the unit:

⇒ Do not make any modifications, additions or conversions to the device without the approval of ebm-papst.

1.4 Electrical voltage

- ⇒ Check the electrical equipment of the device at regular intervals, refer to chapter 6.2 Safety test.
- ⇒ Replace loose connections and defective cables immediately.



DANGER

Electrical load on the device

- Risk of electric shock
- → Stand on a rubber mat if you are working on an electrically charged device.

WARNING

Terminals and connections have voltage even with a unit that is shut off

Electric shock

 \rightarrow Wait five minutes after disconnecting the voltage at all poles before opening the device.



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Franslation of the original operating instructions

CAUTION

In the event of failure, there is electric voltage at the rotor and impeller

The rotor and impeller are base insulated.

 \rightarrow Do not touch the rotor and impeller once they are installed.

CAUTION

If control voltage is applied or a speed setpoint is stored, the motor automatically restarts, e.g. after a power failure. Danger of injury

 \rightarrow Keep out of the danger zone of the device.

- → When working on the device, switch off the mains supply voltage and secure the latter from being switched on again.
- \rightarrow Wait until the device stops.
- → After working on the device, remove any used tools or other objects from the device.

1.5 Safety and protective functions



DANGER

Missing safety device and non-functioning safety device If there is no safety device, you could be seriously injured, for example by reaching into the running device with your hands.

- → Operate the device only with a fixed and isolating safety protection and a fixed guard grille. The guard must withstand the kinetic energy of a fan blade detaching at maximum speed.
- → The device is a built-in component. You, the owner/ operator, are responsible for providing adequate protection for the device.
- → Shut down the device immediately if you detect a missing or ineffective protective feature.

1.6 Electromagnetic radiation

Interference from electromagnetic radiation is possible, e.g. in conjunction with open and closed-loop control devices.

If unacceptable emission intensities occur when the fan is installed, appropriate shielding measures have to be taken by the user.

NOTE

Electrical or electromagnetic interferences after integrating the device in installations on the customer's side.

 \rightarrow Verify that the entire setup is EMC compliant.

1.7 Mechanical movement



Franslation of the original operating instructions

DANGER Rotating device

Body parts that come into contact with the rotor and impeller can be injured.

- \rightarrow Secure the device against accidental contact.
- → Before working on the system/machine, wait until all parts have come to a standstill.

WARNING

Rotating device

Long hair, loose items of clothing and jewellery could become entangled and pulled into the device. You could be injured.

- → Do not wear any loose clothing or jewellery while working on rotating parts.
- \rightarrow Protect long hair by wearing a cap.

1.8 Emission

WARNING

Depending on the installation and operating conditions, a sound pressure level greater than 70 dB(A) may arise. Danger of noise-induced hearing loss

- → Take appropriate technical safety measures.
- → Protect operating personnel with appropriate safety equipment, e.g. hearing protection.
- \rightarrow Also observe the requirements of local agencies.

1.9 Hot surface



CAUTION

High temperature at the electronics enclosure Danger of burn injuries

→ Ensure that sufficient protection against accidental contact is provided.

1.10 Storage

- Store the device, partially or fully assembled, in a dry and weatherproof manner in the original packing in a clean environment.
- ⇒ Protect the device from environmental impacts and dirt until the final installation.
- ⇒ We recommend storing the device for a maximum up to one year to guarantee proper operation and longest possible service life.
- ⇒ Even devices explicitly suited for outdoor use are to be stored as described prior to being commissioned.
- ⇒ Maintain the storage temperature, see chapter 3.6 Transport and storage conditions.

1.11 Disposal

When disposing of the device, please comply with all relevant requirements and regulations applicable in your country.



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2. PROPER USE

The device is exclusively designed as a built-in device for moving air according to its technical data.

Any other or secondary use is deemed improper and constitutes a misuse of the device.

Installations on the customer's side must meet the mechanical, thermal and service life-related stresses that can occur.

Proper use also includes:

- Moving air with a density of 1.2 kg/m³.
- Using the device in accordance with the permitted ambient temperature, see chapter 3.6 Transport and storage conditions and chapter 3.2 Nominal data.
- Operating the device with all protective features in place.
- Minding the operating instructions.

Improper use

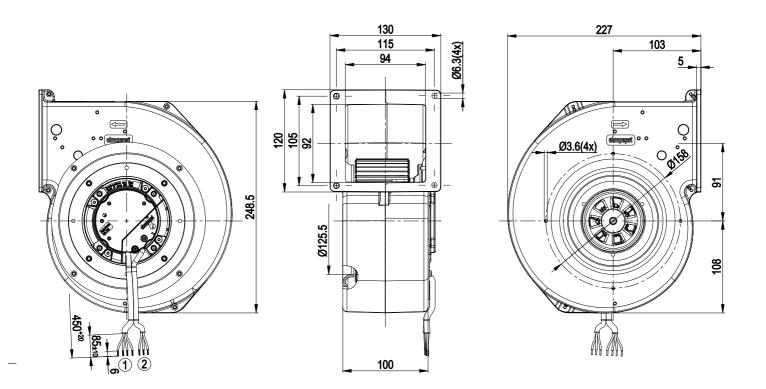
Using the device in the following ways is particularly prohibited and may cause hazards:

- Operating the device with an imbalance, e.g. caused by dirt deposits or icing.
- Moving air that contains abrasive particles.
- Moving highly corrosive air, e.g. salt spray mist. Exceptions are devices that are intended for salt spray mist and protected accordingly.
- Moving air that contains dust pollution, e.g. suctioning off saw dust.
- Operating the device close to flammable materials or components.
- Operating the device in an explosive atmosphere.
- Using the device as a safety component or for taking on safetyrelated functions.
- Operation with completely or partially disassembled or modified protective features.
- In addition, all application options that are not listed under proper use.



3. TECHNICAL DATA

3.1 Product drawing



All measures have the unit mm

1	Connection line PVC 4X AWG22, 4x brass lead tips crimped
2	Connection line PVC 3X AWG20, 3x brass lead tips crimped



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3.2 Nominal data

Motor	M3G055-DF
Phase	1~
Nominal voltage / VAC	230
Nominal voltage	200 240
range / VAC	
Frequency / Hz	50/60
Type of data definition	ml
Speed / min ⁻¹	2320
Power input / W	166
Current draw / A	1.3
Min. ambient	-25
temperature / °C	
Max. ambient	+60
temperature / °C	

ml = max. load \cdot me = max. efficiency \cdot fa = running at free air cs = customer specs \cdot cu = customer unit

Subject to alterations

3.3 Data according to ErP directive

Installation category	A
Efficiency category	Static
Variable speed drive	Yes
Specific ratio*	1.01

* Specific ratio = 1 + pfs / 100 000 Pa

	Actual	Request	Request
		2013	2015
Overall efficiency η _{es}	47.2	25.1	32.1
Efficiency grade N	59.1	37	44
Power input Ped / kW	0.13		
Air flow q _v / m³/h	350		
Pressure increase total psf / Pa	569		
Speed n / min ⁻¹	3065		

Data established at point of optimum efficiency

3.4 Technical features

Size	146 mm	
Material of impeller	Sheet steel, galvanised	
Housing material	Die-cast aluminium	
Direction of rotation	Clockwise, seen on rotor	
Type of protection	IP 54; Depending on installation and	
	position	
Insulation class	"B"	
Mounting position	Any	
Condensate discharge	None, open rotor	
holes		
Operation mode	S1	
Motor bearing	Ball bearing	
Technical features	- Output 10 VDC, max. 1.1 mA	
	- Tach output	
	- Motor current limit	
	- Soft start	
	- Control input 0-10 VDC / PWM	
	- Over-temperature protected	
	electronics / motor	
	- Line undervoltage detection	

Touch current acc. IEC 60990 (measuring network Fig. 4, TN system)	<= 3.5 mA
Motor protection	Locked-rotor protection
Cable exit	Variable
Protection class	I (if protective earth is connected by customer)
Product conforming to standard	EN 60335-1



For cyclic speed loads, note that the rotating parts of the device are designed for maximum one million load cycles. If you have specific questions, contact ebm-papst for support.

3.5 Mounting data

For depth of screw, see chapter 3.1 Product drawing

⇒ Secure the mounting screws against accidentally coming loose (e.g. by using self-locking screws).

Strength class for	8.8
mounting screws	

You can obtain additional mounting data from the product drawing if necessary.

3.6 Transport and storage conditions

⇒ Use the device in accordance with its protection type.

Max. permissible	+ 80 °C
ambient motor temp.	
(transp./ storage)	
Min. permissible	- 40 °C
ambient motor temp.	
(transp./storage)	



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4. CONNECTION AND START-UP

4.1 Connecting the mechanical system



CAUTION

Cutting and crushing hazard when removing the blower from the packaging

- → Carefully remove the blower from its packaging, only touching the housing. Make sure to avoid any shock.
- \rightarrow Wear safety shoes and cut-resistant safety gloves.
- Check the device for transport damage. Damaged devices must no longer be installed.
- ⇒ Install the undamaged device according to your application.

4.2 Connecting the electrical system



DANGER Electric voltage on the device

Electric shock

- \rightarrow Always install a protective earth first.
- \rightarrow Check the protective earth.



Incorrect insulation Risk of fatal injury from electric shock

 \rightarrow Use only cables that meet the specified installation

- requirements for voltage, current, insulation material, load etc.
- → Route cables such that they cannot be touched by any rotating parts.



DANGER

DANGER

Electrical load (>50 µC) between mains wire and protective earth connection after switching of the supply when switching multiple devices in parallel. Electric shock, risk of injury

- → Make sure that sufficient protection against accidental contact is provided.
 - Before working on the electrical connection, the connections to the mains supply and PE must be shorted.

CAUTION

Electrical voltage

The device is a built-in component and features no electrically isolating switch.

- → Connect the device only to circuits that can be switched off using an all-pole disconnecting switch.
- → When working on the device, you must switch off the system/machine in which the device is installed and secure it from being switched on again.

NOTE

Water penetration into leads or wires

Water enters at the cable end on the customers side and can damage the device.

→ Make sure that the cable end is connected in a dry environment.



Connect the device only to circuits that can be switched off using an all-pole disconnecting switch.

4.2.1 Prerequisites

- ⇒ Check whether the data on the type plate agree with the connection data.
- ⇒ Before connecting the device, ensure that the supply voltage matches the operating voltage of the device.
- ⇒ Only use cables designed for current according to the type plate. For determining the cross-section, follow the basic principles in accordance with EN 61800-5-1. The protective earth must have a cross-section equal to or greater than the outer conductor crosssection.

We recommend the use of 105°C cables. Ensure that the minimum cable cross-section is at least AWG26/0.13 mm².

4.2.2 Idle current



Because of the EMC filter integrated for compliance with EMC limits (interference emission and interference immunity), idle currents in the mains cable can be measured even when the motor is at a standstill and the mains voltage is switched on.

- The values lie in a range of typical < 50 mA.
- The effective power in this operating state (readiness for operation) is simultaneously at typical < 2 W.

4.2.3 Residual current operated device



Only pulse-current sensitive and/or universal RCD protective devices (Type A or B) are permitted. Like frequency inverters, RCD protective devices cannot provide personal safety while operating the device. When switching on the power supply of the device, pulsed charge currents from the capacitors in the integrated EMC filter can lead to the RCD protective devices triggering without delay. We recommend residual current devices with a trigger threshold of 300 mA and delayed triggering (super-resistant, characteristic K).

4.2.4 Locked-rotor protection



Due to the locked-rotor protection, the start-up current (LRA) is equal to or less than the nominal current (FLA).

4.3 Connection of the cables

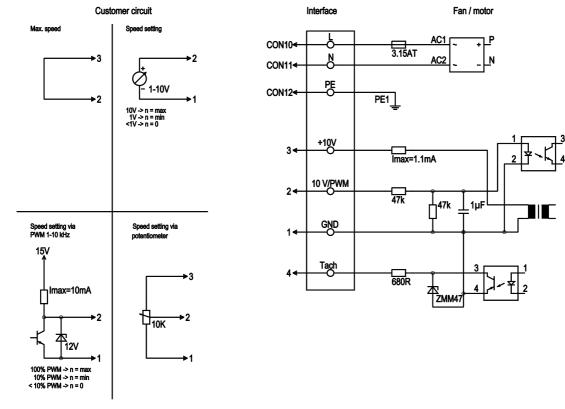
External leads are brought out of device.

- ⇒ First connect the "PE" (protective earth) connection.
- Connect the lines according to your application. When doing so, observe chapter 4.4 Connection screen.



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4.4 Connection screen



Line	No.	Signal	Colour	Function / assignment	
	CON10	L	black	Power supply 230 VAC, 50-60 Hz, see type plate for voltage range	
	CON11	Ν	blue	Neutral conductor	
	CON12	PE	green/	Protective earth	
			yellow		
	1	GND	blue	GND - Connection for control interface	
	2	0- 10V PWM	yellow	Control input 0 - 10 V or PWM, electrically isolated	
	3	10V/ max 1.1mA	red	Voltage output 10V/ 1.1mA, electrically isolated, not short-circuit-proof.	
	4	Tach	white	Tach output: open collector, 1 pulse per revolution, electrically isolated	



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4.5 Checking the connections

- ⇒ Make sure that the power is off (all phases).
- ⇒ Secure it from being switched on again.
- ⇒ Check the correct fit of the connection lines.

4.6 Switch on device



WARNING Hot motor housing

Fire hazard

- → Ensure that no combustible or flammable materials are located close to the blower.
- Inspect the device for visible external damage and the proper function of the protective features before switching it on.
- Check the air flow paths of the fan for foreign objects and remove any that are found.
- ⇒ Apply the nominal voltage to the voltage supply.
- ⇒ Start the device by changing the input signal.

4.7 Switching off the device

Switching off the device during operation:

- \Rightarrow Switch on the device via the control input.
- ⇒ Do not switch the motor (e.g. in cyclic operation) on and off via power supply.

Switching off the device for maintenance work:

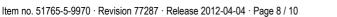
- ⇒ Switch on the device via the control input.
- ⇒ Do not switch the motor (e.g. in cyclic operation) on and off via power supply.
- ⇒ Disconnect the device from the supply voltage.
- ⇒ When disconnecting, be sure to disconnect the earth wire connection last.

5. INTEGRATED PROTECTIVE FUNCTIONS

The integrated protective functions cause the motor to switch off automatically in case of faults described in the table.

Malfunctions	Description / Function of safety feature
Rotor position detection error	An automatic restart occurs.
Locked rotor	⇒ After the blockage is
	removed, the motor restarts
	automatically.

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6. MAINTENANCE, MALFUNCTIONS, POSSIBLE CAUSES AND REMEDIES

Do not perform any repairs on your device. Return the device to ebmpapst for repair or replacement.

WARNING

Terminals and connections have voltage even with a unit that is shut off

- Electric shock
- \rightarrow Wait five minutes after disconnecting the voltage at all poles before opening the device.

CAUTION

If control voltage is applied or a speed setpoint is stored, the motor automatically restarts, e.g. after a power failure. Danger of injury

- \rightarrow Keep out of the danger zone of the device.
- → When working on the device, switch off the mains supply voltage and secure the latter from being switched on again.
- \rightarrow Wait until the device stops.
- → After working on the device, remove any used tools or other objects from the device.



If the device remains out of use for some time, e.g. when in storage, we recommend switching the device on for at least two hours to allow any condensate to evaporate and to move the bearings.

Malfunction/error	Possible cause	Possible remedy
Impeller running	Imbalance in rotating	Clean the device; if
roughly	parts	imbalance is still
		evident after
		cleaning, replace the
		device.
		If you have
		attached any weight
		clips during cleaning,
		make sure to
		remove them
		afterwards.
Motor does not turn	Mechanical blockage	Switch off, de-
		energise, and
		remove mechanical
		blockage.
	Mains supply	Check mains supply
	voltage faulty	voltage,
		restore power
		supply,
		apply control signal.
	Faulty connection	De-energise, correct
		connection, see
		connection diagram.

Overtemperature of electronics/motor	Insufficient cooling	Improve cooling. Let the device cool
		down.
		To reset the error
		message, switch off
		the mains supply
		voltage for a min. of
		25 s and switch it on
		again.
	Ambient temperature	Reduce the ambient
	too high	temperature.
		Reset by reducing
		control input to 0.
	Unacceptable	Correct the operating
	operating point	point. Let the device cool down.



If you have any other problems, contact ebm-papst.

6.1 Cleaning

NOTE

Damage to the device during cleaning.

- Malfunction possible
- → Do not clean the device using a water jet or high-pressure washer.
- \rightarrow Do not use any cleaners containing acids, bases or solvents.
- \rightarrow Do not use any pointed or sharp-edged objects to clean.

6.2 Safety test

NOTE

High-voltage test

The integrated EMC filter contains Y capacitors. Therefore, the trigger current is exceeded when AC testing voltage is applied.

→ Test the device with DC voltage when you carry out the high-voltage test required by law. The voltage to be used corresponds to the peak value of the AC voltage required by the standard.

What has to	How to test?	Frequency	Which
be tested?			measure?
Check the protective casing against accidental contact for damage and to ensure that it is intact	Visual inspection	At least every 6 months	Repair or replacement of the device
Check the device for damage to blades and housing	Visual inspection	At least every 6 months	Replacement of the device
Mounting the connection lines	Visual inspection	At least every 6 months	Fasten



Mounting of protective earth connection	Visual inspection	At least every 6 months	Fasten
Check the insulation of the wires for damage	Visual inspection	At least every 6 months	Replace wires
Check the ball bearings to ensure they are quiet, can move easily and are free of play	Manual check by turning the rotor in shut-off state	At least every 6 months	Replace device in case of noise, difficulty of movement or clearance of the bearings



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