

COMMISSION REPORT OF ROSAVA JV JSC, 2004

K-250 turbocompressor: lower power draw and vibration with no shutdown for repair

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Bila Tserkva, Kyiv region, Ukraine · treatment 08.12.2003 – 02.02.2004 · control measurements after 960 h of running time

PRODUCT

XADO revitalizants
Treatment by XADO technology
during normal operation,
without disassembling the unit

TREATED OBJECT

K-250 turbocompressor
No. 6
Synchronous drive motor · 8
bearing supports

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ASSEMBLY**RUNNING TIME AFTER
TREATMENT****WHAT WAS MEASURED**

Synchronous drive motor

960 h

Power consumption, stator current, rotor
current

Turbocompressor bearing
supports, 8 pcs.

960 h

Vibration displacement in two directions at
each support

The treatment was carried out without stopping or disassembling the unit; the before and after measurements were taken at the same time of day at a similar air temperature.

Key results

↓ **5.3 %**

power consumed by the motor at no load, 743.04 →
703.4 kW

↓ **27-56 %**

vibration displacement of the bearing supports, 0.5-1.9
→ 0.05-1.6 μm

Synchronous drive motor — no-load run, air pressure 1.2 atm, capacity 7100 m³/h

PARAMETER	BEFORE, 08.12.2003	AFTER, 02.02.2004	CHANGE
Power consumption	743.04 kW	703.4 kW	-5.3 %
Stator current	85 A	85 A	No change
Rotor current (excitation)	250 A	250 A	No change

Power — from the MODB52as electricity meter with transformation ratios $K_i = 60$ and $K_u = 60$; currents — from the station's standard instruments.

Turbocompressor bearing supports — vibration displacement, μm

SUPPORT	VERTICAL, BEFORE → AFTER	TRANSVERSE, BEFORE → AFTER
Support No. 1	0.75 → 0.5	0.75 → 0.55
Support No. 2	1.6 → 1.5	1.9 → 1.6
Support No. 3	1.3 → 0.5	1.4 → 0.6
Support No. 4	0.8 → 0.35	0.7 → 0.05
Support No. 5	0.7 → 0.43	1.1 → 1.0
Support No. 6	0.5 → 0.5	0.5 → 0.3
Support No. 7	0.7 → 0.45	1.0 → 0.5
Support No. 8	0.7 → 0.35	0.7 → 0.45

Measured with a VIP-2 instrument in two directions at each of the eight supports: vibration displacement decreased at 15 points out of 16.

Commission's conclusion

The commission of Rosava JV JSC — the deputy chief power engineer, the head of the compressor section and the engineers of the company's electrical testing laboratory — recorded: «As a result of treating the turbocompressor by XADO technology, the power consumed by the motor at no load decreased by **5.3 %**, and the vibration level fell by **35 %** on average». The treatment was performed with XADO revitalizants directly in service: the unit was neither stopped nor disassembled, and the control measurements were taken after **960 hours** of total running time with the same standard instruments of the station. A reduction in vibration displacement was recorded at all eight bearing supports — that means service life for the bearing line and fewer reasons to open the machine outside the schedule.



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The results refer to the K-250 turbocompressor with a synchronous drive motor at the compressor station of Rosava JV JSC; on other units and operating modes the figures may differ. The original report with the commission's signatures and stamps is published in full and available for download.