

Boosters, Intensifiers, Reservoirs, & Tanks

Boosters, intensifiers, reservoirs, and tanks all help manage and sometimes improve the air movement inside your pneumatic systems.





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Series: Auto Reciprocating Air Booster - Model Numbers: AB121 & AB221

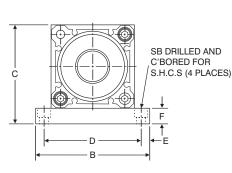
This 2:1 ratio air-to-air booster is compact and self-contained. Unit incorporates integral valve components to perform auto-reciprocating function.

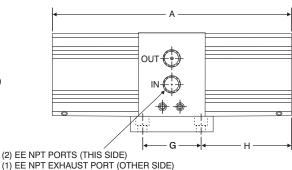
Can amplify inadequate air pressure in the following situations:

Cylinders or Grippers: When space isn't available, a smaller bore or model size can be used with higher input PSI to achieve the desired output or grip force.

Problem Solver: Sometimes a cylinder or gripper was sized for an application, but in use, does not perform up to the production requirements. Increasing the input PSI can provide a quick and cost effective solution.







	Auto Reciprocating Air Booster Dimensions													
Part No.	art No. A B C D E F G H EE NPT SB Diameter													
AB121	7.33	3.50	3.04	2.98	0.26	0.48	1.79	2.77	1/4 NPT	1/4				
AB221	14.20	7.00	6.00	5.95	0.53	1.00	3.58	5.31	1/2 NPT	1/2				

Engineering Specifications Maximum Input Pressure: 125 PSI

Operating Temperature: 15° to 160°F **Lubrication:** HT-99 oil; Pre-lubricated

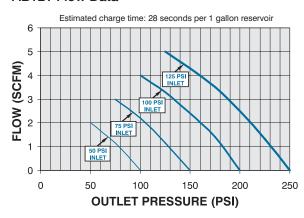
Bodies and Center Section: Aluminum; Hard Coat with PTFE

Mounting Plate: Anodized Aluminum

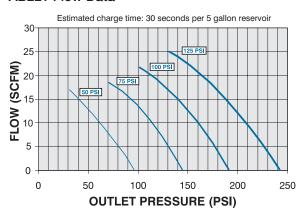
NOTE: Bimba Air Boosters are designed for intermittent duty usage such as maintaining pressure in an air reservoir. Continuous cycling decreases seal life. Max boosted pressure will be 10% to 20% less than 2x input pressure due to system pressure drops.

OUTPUT

AB121 Flow Data



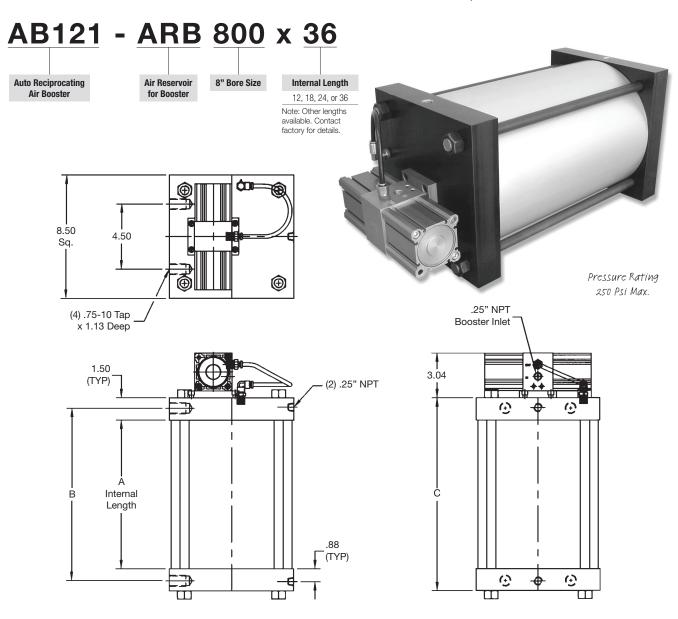
AB221 Flow Data



How to Order

Series: AB121 With Air Reservoir

Model AB121 Air Booster furnished with Air Reservoir. Anodized Aluminum Tube and End Cap construction.



Series AB121-ARB800 X __ - Air Booster Model AB121 Mounted And Piped To ARB800 Air Reservoir

	Part Nu	mber & Volume			Internal Length (Inches)	Dimer	nsions
Part No.	Tank Bore	Area	Gal. Per In. Of Tank	Total Cu. Ft. Per Tank *	Α	В	C
AB121-ARB800 X 12	8	50.26	.2175	.349	12	13.63	15
AB121-ARB800 X 18	8	50.26	.2175	.523	18	19.63	21
AB121-ARB800 X 24	8	50.26	.2175	.698	24	25.63	27
AB121-ARB800 X 36	8	50.26	.2175	1.047	36	37.63	39

*Internal Volume of reservoir.

Series: Air To Air Intensifier/Air To Hydraulic Intensifiers

Air-to-Air or Air-to-Hydraulic intensifiers are single-shot, one output per stroke design.

Benefits of Air to Air Intensifiers:

- > Quick Response
- > High Volume Outputs Available
- > Simple Design
- > Heavy-Duty Construction

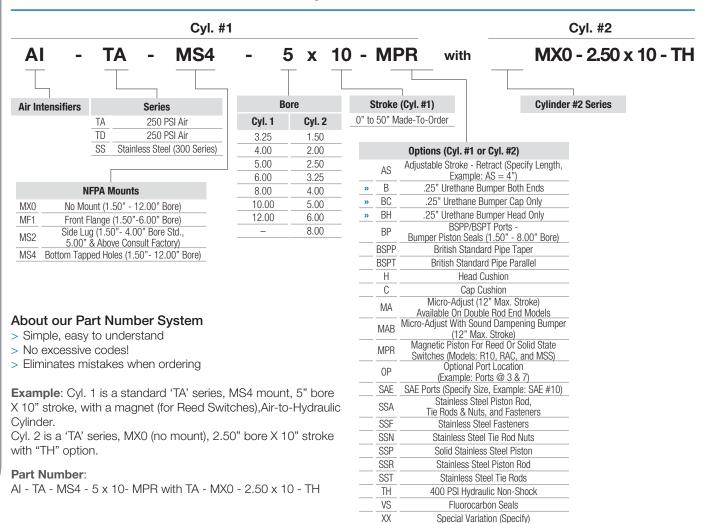
Benefits of Air to Hydraulic Intensifiers:

- > Quick Response
- > High Volume Outputs Available
- > Intensified Material Can Be Oil or Other Media
- > Can Be Used For Measuring and Dispensing



How to Order

Series: Air To Air Intensifier and Air To Hydraulic Intensifiers



Note: Refer to Options for specifications.

**Bumpers add .25" per end to cylinder length.

» Adds Length To Cylinder - See "Option Length Adder" Chart Below.

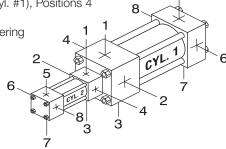
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Standard Port and Cushion Adjustment Positions

> Ports - Positions 1 and 5 (both cylinders)

> Cushion Adjustment - Positions 2 and 6 (Cyl. #1), Positions 4 and 8 (Cyl. #2)

> Specify Non-Standard Positions When Ordering



How To Specify

Air To Air and Air To Hydraulic Intensifier Cylinders

Two (2) strokes must be the same, rods are connected.

Air To Air Intensifiers - Standard Combinations

Cyl	. #1	Cyl	. #2	Intensifier	Cvl.#		(PSI) of ut Pressu	re Of:
Bore	Area	Bore	Area	Ratio	50	80	100	120
3.25	8.296	1.50	1.767	4.69	235			
3.23		2.00	3.142	2.64	132	211	264	
4.00	12.566	2.00	3.142	4	200			
4.00		2.50	4.909	2.56	128	205	256	
5.00	19.635	2.50	4.909	4	200			
5.00		3.25	8.296	2.37	119	190	237	
6.00	28.274	3.25	8.296	3.41	171			
0.00		4.00	12.566	2.25	113	180	225	
	50.265	4.00	12.566	4	200			
8.00		5.00	19.635	2.56	128	205	256	
		6.00	28.274	1.78	89	143	178	214
10.00	78.54	5.00	19.635	4	200			
10.00		6.00	28.274	2.78	139	223		
12.00	113.10	6.00	28.274	4	200			
12.00		8.00	50.265	2.25	113	180	225	

Note: Cyl. #2 Output Not To Exceed 250 PSI

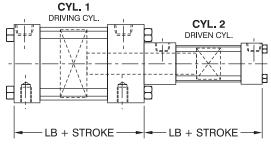
Intensifier Ratio = Cyl. #1 Area Cyl. #2 Area

Output Pressure = Input Pressure X Intensifier Ratio

Note: Usable volume of air-to-air output will not match cylinder #2 volume due to compressibility of air.

For complete dimensions, refer to 'TA' section of catalog.

Air To Air Intensifiers - Basic Dimensions



Bore	LB	Bore	LB	Bore	LB
1.50	3.625	4.00	4.250	10.00	6.375
2.00	3.625	5.00	4.500	12.00	6.875
2.50	3.750	6.00	5.000		
3 25	4 250	8.00	5 125		

Cylinder Volumes (Per Inch Of Cylinder Stroke)

Bore	Area	Gal. Per In. Of Stroke	Bore	Area	Gal. Per In. Of Stroke	Bore	Area	Gal. Per In. Of Stroke
1.50	1.767	.0076	4.00	12.566	.0054	10.00	78.54	.340
2.00	3.142	.0136	5.00	19.635	.085	12.00	113.10	.4896
2.50	4.909	.0213	6.00	28.274	.122			
3.25	8.296	.0359	8.00	50.265	.2175			

Notes: (To Figure Volumes) Cubic Inches = Area X Stroke Gallons = (Area X Stroke)

Example: 3.25" Bore X 16" Stroke Cylinder = 8.296 X 16 = 132.736 Cu. In. Or .575 Gallons

Air To Hydraulic Intensifiers - Standard **Combinations**

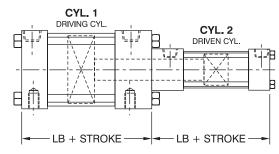
Cyl	. #1	Су	l. #2	Intensifier	CvI.	Output #2 @ Inpu	(PSI) Of it Pressure	e Of:
Bore	Area	Bore	Area	Ratio	50	80	100	120
3.25	8.296	1.50	1.767	4.69	235	375		
3.23		2.00	3.142	2.64	132	211	264	317
	12.566	1.50	1.767	7.11	356			
4.00		2.00	3.142	4	200	320	400	
		2.50	4.909	2.56	128	205	256	307
	19.635	2.00	3.142	6.25	313			
5.00		2.50	4.909	4	200	320	400	
		3.25	8.296	2.37	119	190	237	284
	28.274	2.50	4.909	5.76	288			
6.00		3.25	8.296	3.41	171	273	341	
		4.00	12.566	2.25	113	180	225	270
	50.265	3.25	8.296	6.06	303			
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8.00		5.00	19.635	2.56	128	205	256	307
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10.00		5.00	19.635	4	200	320	400	
		6.00	28.274	2.78	139	223	278	334
	113.10	5.00	19.635	5.76	288			
12.00		6.00	28.274	4	200	320	400	
		8.00	50.265	2.25	113	180	225	270

Note: Cyl. #2 Output Not To Exceed 400 PSI Non-Shock

Intensifier Ratio = Cyl. #1 Area Cyl. #2 Area

Output Pressure = Input Pressure X Intensifier Ratio

Air To Hydraulic Intensifiers - Basic Dimensions



Bore	LB	Bore	LB	Bore	LB
1.50	3.625	4.00	4.250	10.00	6.375
2.00	3.625	5.00	4.500	12.00	6.875
2.50	3.750	6.00	5.000		
3.25	4.250	8.00	5.125		

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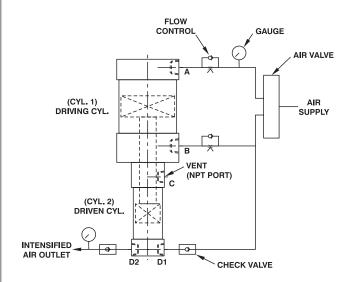
How To Specify

Air to Air Intensifiers - Schematics

- > Same Stroke In Each Cylinder
- > Rods Are Connected

Actuation Sequence:

- > Pressure To Ports 'A' Extends Cylinder
- > Pressure To Ports 'B' Retracts Cylinder



Example:

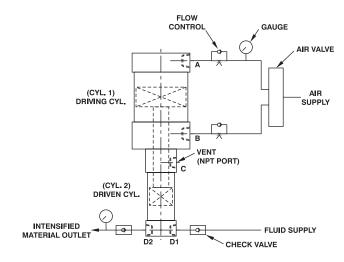
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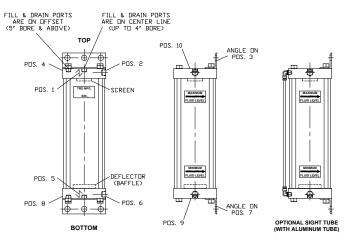
AT - Air/Oil Tanks

Features:

- > 250 PSI operating pressure
- > Aluminum end caps
- > Internal baffles to reduce aeration and foaming
- > Fiber wound translucent tube
- > Optional aluminum tube with sight glass
- > Side lug mount (MS2) optional
- > Fill port located in top, drain port in bottom cap
- > Optional oversized ports for high flow applications or SAE and BSP ports

The Bimba air/oil system gives you the smooth operation typically associated with hydraulic systems but without the expense. Uses shop air, two air/oil tanks and a cylinder equipped with "TH" (hydraulic seals). Low initial investment and low maintenance to operate.

Tanks need to be mounted above the cylinder but not necessarily by the cylinder. This will create a self-purging oil circuit. It is advisable to size tanks 30-50% larger than cylinder volume in order to prevent the tanks from running dry and to allow for heat expansion.



Plus Internal Length

Sizing Your Air/Oil Tank:

- Determine the cylinder volume by multiplying the square inches of piston area by the inches of stroke (see Table B). Add 30-50% to determine actual tank size.
- Find the volume closest to your tank volume requirement in Table C. Note: Tanks of smaller diameters with greater lengths are generally less expensive than larger diameter, short tanks of equal volume.

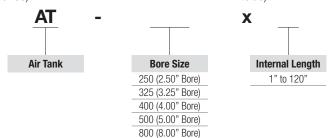
How To Order:

Specify bore and internal length required.

Example 1: AT250 x 14

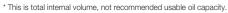
(2.50" bore, 14" internal tank length with a usable volume of 52 cubic inches)

Example 2: AT250 x 14 - Aluminum tube and sight glass (Example 1 with optional sight glass and aluminum tube)



AT - Air/Oil Tanks

Pari	t Numbe	er & Volu	ıme	Plus Internal Length			Tank	Dimens	ions		
Part No.	Bore	Area	Gals Per Inch Tank*	В	АН	C	D	E	F	G	Н
AT250	2.50	4.91	.0213	4.000	1.625	3.000	2.250	1.125	0.438	0.375	0.375
AT325	3.25	8.29	.0359	5.000	1.938	3.750	2.750	1.375	0.563	0.500	0.375
AT400	4.00	12.56	.0544	5.000	2.250	4.500	3.500	1.750	0.563	0.500	0.375
AT500	5.00	19.64	.085	5.250	2.750	5.500	4.250	2.125	0.688	0.500	0.375
AT800	8.00	50.26	.2175	6.625	4.250	8.500	7.125	3.563	0.688	0.750	0.750



^{**} Fill and drain ports located at top & bottom of air oil tank.

Note: When torquing Air/Oil Tank tie rods, refer to page 280 for specifications.

Table B - Cylinder Piston Area Cylinder Bore (in.) Piston Area (sq. in.) 1.50 1.77 2.00 3.14 2.50 4.91 3.25 8.30 4.00 12.57 5.00 19.64 6.00 28.37									
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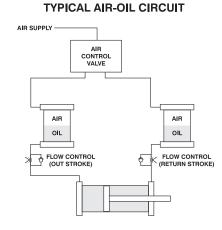


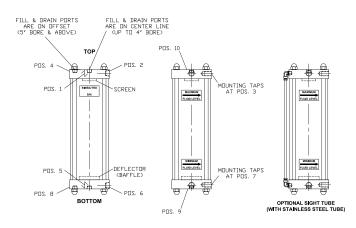
	Table C - Recommended Usable Tank Volume (Cubic Inches) With 30% Safety Factor																
Doro	Aroo		Actual Internal Length Of Tank														
Bore	Area	5	6	7	8	9	10	12	14	16	18	20	25	30	35	40	45
2.50	4.91	17	20	24	27	31	34	41	48	55	61	68	86	103	120	137	154
3.25	8.30	29	34	40	46	52	58	69	81	93	104	116	145	174	203	232	261
4.00	12.57	44	52	61	70	79	88	105	123	140	158	176	220	264	308	352	396
5.00	19.64	68	82	96	110	123	137	165	192	220	247	275	343	412	481	550	618
8.00	50.27	176	211	246	281	317	352	422	493	563	633	704	880	1056	1232	1408	1584

[!] On the AT500 & AT800 the fill & drain ports are not on centerline.

SS-AT - Air/Oil Tanks

Features:

- > 300 series stainless steel hardware
- > 250 PSI operating pressure
- > Internal steel baffles to reduce aeration and foaming
- > Fiber wound translucent tube (non-FDA material)
- > Optional stainless steel tube with sight glass (FDA approved materials)
- > Standard mount (MS4; four-tapped mounting holes back side)
- > Side lug mount (MS2) optional
- > Fill port located in top, drain port in bottom cap
- > Optional oversized ports for high flow applications or SAE and BSP ports



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Tanks need to be mounted above the cylinder but not necessarily by the cylinder. This will create a self-purging oil circuit. It is advisable to size tanks 30-50% larger than cylinder volume in order to prevent the tanks from running dry and to allow for heat expansion.

Sizing Your Air/Oil Tank:

- Determine the cylinder volume by multiplying the square inches of piston area by the inches of stroke (see Table B). Add 30-50% to determine actual tank size.
- Find the volume closest to your tank volume requirement in Table C. Note: Tanks of smaller diameters with greater lengths are generally less expensive than larger diameter, short tanks of equal volume.
- 3. To order, specify bore and internal length required. Example: SS-AT250 x 14 (2.50" bore, 14" internal tank length, with a usable volume of 52 cubic inches).

How To Order:

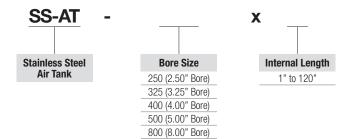
Specify bore and internal length required.

Example 1: SS-AT250 x 10

(2.50" bore, 10" internal tank length with a usable volume of 52 cubic inches)

Example 2: SS-AT800 x 25

(8" bore, 25" internal tank length with a usable volume of 92 cubic inches)



SS-AT - Air/Oil Tanks

SS-	AT Mod	el	Plus Internal Length		Tank Dimensions							
Part No.	Bore	Gals Per Inch Tank*	В	С	D	F	G	EE	EE1			
SS-AT250	2.50	0.0213	2.000	3.000	1.250	0.438	3/8-16 x 0.625 DEEP	0.375	0.375			
SS-AT325	3.25	0.0359	2.500	3.750	1.500	0.563	1/2-13 x 0.750 DEEP	0.500	0.375			
SS-AT400	4.00	0.0544	2.500	4.500	2.063	0.563	1/2-13 x 0.750 DEEP	0.500	0.375			
SS-AT500	5.00	0.0850	2.500	5.500	2.688	0.688	5/8-11 x 1.000 DEEP	0.500	0.375			
SS-AT800	8.00	0.2175	3.000	8.500	4.500	0.688	3/4-10 x 1.125 DEEP	0.750	0.750			

* This is total internal volume, not recommended usable oil capacity.

** Fill and drain ports located at top & bottom of air oil tank.

A On the SS-AT500 & SS-AT800 the fill & drain ports are not on centerline.

Note: When torquing Air/Oil Tank tie rods, refer to page 280 for specifications.

AIR SUPPLY	
AIR CONTROL VALVE	
AIR	AIR
OIL	OIL
FLOW CONTROL (OUT STROKE)	FLOW CONTROL (RETURN STROKE)

TYPICAL AIR-OIL CIRCUIT

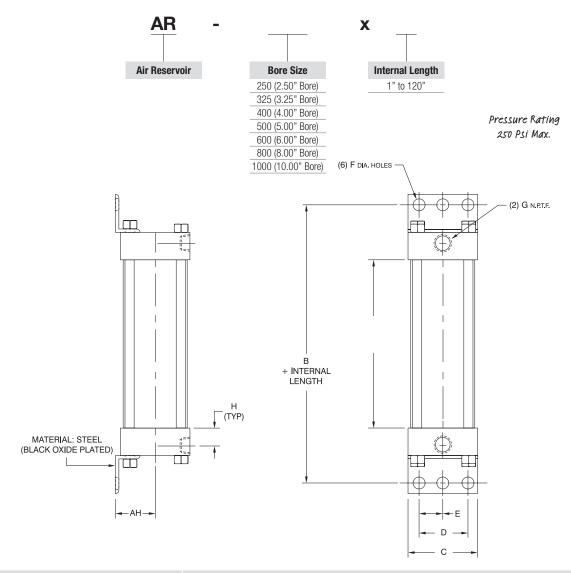
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Bore	Area	Actual Internal Length Of Tank															
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2.50	4.91	17	20	24	27	31	34	41	48	55	61	68	86	103	120	137	154
3.25	8.30	29	34	40	46	52	58	69	81	93	104	116	145	174	203	232	261
4.00	12.57	44	52	61	70	79	88	105	123	140	158	176	220	264	308	352	396
5.00	19.64	68	82	96	110	123	137	165	192	220	247	275	343	412	481	550	618
8.00	50.27	176	211	246	281	317	352	422	493	563	633	704	880	1056	1232	1408	1584

AR Series Air Reservoir

Stand-alone Air Reservoir from 2.50" to 10.00" bore size. Anodized Aluminum Tube and End Cap, Steel Mounting Bracket construction.

Note: Air reservoir is supplemental to existing air only. It is not a long-term storage vessel.



	Part Nu	mber & Vo	olume	Dimensions								
Part Number	Bore	Area	Gallon Per Inch of Reservoir*	Plus Internal Length	АН	С	D	E	F	G	н	
			neservon	В								
AR-250	2.50	4.909	.0213	4.000	1.625	3.000	2.250	1.125	0.438	0.375	0.625	
AR-325	3.25	8.29	.0359	5.000	1.938	3.750	2.750	1.375	0.563	0.500	0.625	
AR-400	4.00	12.56	.0544	5.000	2.250	4.500	3.500	1.750	0.563	0.500	0.750	
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AR-800	8.00	50.26	.2175	6.625	4.250	8.500	7.125	3.563	0.813	0.750	0.875	
AR-1000	10.00	78.54	.340	7.625	5.313	10.625	8.625	4.313	0.813	1.000	1.125	

^{*}Internal Volume of reservoir.