

# **SC STAINLESS STEEL**



# **Operator's Manual**



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### INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing USC, LLC for your equipment needs. We appreciate your business and will work diligently to ensure that you are satisfied with your choice.

### **OVERVIEW**

The purpose of this manual is to provide you with the basic information needed to operate and maintain the SC Stainless Steel Unit. It does not hold USC, LLC liable for any accidents or injuries that may occur.

### **OPERATOR RESPONSIBILITIES**

As the purchaser/owner/operator of this equipment and control system, you have an obligation to install, operate, and maintain the equipment in a manner that minimizes the exposure of people in your care to any potential hazards inherent in using this equipment. It is critical that the owner of this equipment:

- Has a clear and documented understanding of the process this machine is being used in and of any resulting hazards or special requirements arising from this specific application.
- Allow only properly trained and instructed personnel to install, operate, or service this equipment.
- Maintain a comprehensive safety program involving all who work with this machine and other associated process equipment.
- Establish clear areas of staff responsibility (e.g. operation, setup, sanitation, maintenance, and repairs).
- Provide all personnel with necessary safety equipment.
- Periodically inspect the equipment to insure that the doors, covers, guards, and safety devices are in place and functioning, that all safety instructions and warning labels are intact and legible, and that the equipment is in good working order.
- In addition to the operating instructions, observe and enforce the applicable legal and other binding regulations, national and local codes.

As the person with the most to gain or loose from working safely, it is important that you work responsibly and stay alert. By following a few simple rules, you can prevent an accident that could injure or kill you or a co-worker.

- Do not operate, clean, or service this equipment until you have read and understood the contents of this manual. If you do not understand the information in this manual, bring it to the attention of your supervisor, or call your local USC dealer for assistance.
- Any operator who is known or suspected to be under the influence of alcohol or drugs should not be allowed to operate the equipment.
- Understand and follow the safety practices required by your employer and this manual.
- **PAY ATTENTION** to what you and other personnel are doing and how these activities may affect your safety.
- Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious personal injury or death.

### **RECEIVING YOUR EQUIPMENT**

As soon as the equipment is received, it should be carefully inspected to make certain that it has sustained no damage during shipment and that all items listed on the packing list are accounted for. If there is any damage or shortages, the purchaser must immediately notify your USC dealer. Ownership passes to purchaser when the unit leaves the USC, LLC. premises. The purchaser is responsible for unloading and mounting all components of the equipment.

Document the serial number of the machine for future reference. The serial number is located under the control panel.



SERIAL NUMBER:\_



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### SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS A

Every year accidents in the work place maim, kill, and injure people. Although it may be impossible to prevent all accidents, with the right combination of training, operating practices, safety devices, and operator vigilance, the number of accidents can be significantly reduced. The purpose of this section is to educate equipment users about hazards, unsafe practices, and recommended hazard avoidance techniques.

### SAFETY WORDS AND SYMBOLS

It is very important that operators and maintenance personnel understand the words and symbols that are used to communicate safety information. Safety words, their meaning and format, have been standardized for U.S. manufacturers and published by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). The European Community (E.C.) has adopted a different format based on the International Standards Organization (I.S.O.) and applicable machinery directives. Both formats are presented below. Graphic symbols are not standardized, but most manufacturers will use some variation of the ones seen in this manual.



Indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **will** result in death or serious injury.



Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **could** result in death or serious injury.



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



Provides additional information that the operator needs to be aware of to avoid a potentially hazardous situation.





**Mandatory Lockout Power Symbol.** Disconnect, lockout, and tagout electrical and other energy sources before inspecting, cleaning, or performing maintenance on this panel.



**International Safety Alert Symbol.** The exclamation point (!) surrounded by a yellow triangle indicates that an injury hazard exists. However, it does not indicate the seriousness of potential injury. The exclamation point (!) is also used with the DANGER, WARNING, and CAUTION symbols so the potential injury is indicated.



**Electrocution Hazard Symbol.** This symbol indicates that an electrocution hazard exists. Serious injury or death could result from contacting high voltage.



**International Electrocution Hazard.** This symbol indicates that an electrocution hazard exists. Serious injury or death could result from contacting high voltage.



**Mandatory Read Manual Action Symbol.** (I.S.O. format) This symbol instructs personnel to read the Operators Manual before servicing or operating the equipment.



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Notice is used to notify people of important installation, operation, or maintenance information which is not hazard related.



### LOCKOUT / TAGOUT PROCEDURES

Lockout/Tagout is the placement of a lock/tag on an energy isolating device in accordance with an established procedure. When taking equipment out of service to perform maintenance or repair work, always follow the lockout/tagout procedures as outlined in ANSI Z344.1 and/or OSHA Standard 1910.147. This standard "requires employers to establish a program and utilize procedures for affixing appropriate lockout devices or tagout devices to energy isolating devices and to otherwise disable machines or equipment to prevent unexpected energizing, start-up, or release of stored energy in order to prevent injury to employees."

### CONTROLLED STOP

This is the stopping of machine motion by reducing the electrical command signal to 0 (zero) once the stop signal has been recognized.

### HAZARD REVIEW



### **Electrocution Hazard**

Electrocution accidents are most likely to occur during maintenance of the electrical system or when working on or near exposed high voltage wiring. This hazard does not exist when the electrical power has been disconnected, properly locked, and tagged out.



### Automatic Start Hazard

This seed treating system is usually controlled by an automated system and may start without warning. Failure to properly disconnect, lockout, and tagout all energy sources of remotely controlled equipment creates a very **WARNING** hazardous situation and could cause injury or even death. PLEASE STAY CLEAR AND BE ALERT.



**YOU** are responsible for the **SAFE** operation and maintenance of your USC, LLC Seed Treating System. **YOU** must ensure that you and anyone else who is going to operate, maintain, or work around the Seed Treating System be familiar with the operating and maintenance procedures and related **SAFETY** information contained in this manual. This manual will take you step-by-step through your working day and alert you to good safety practices that should be adhered to while operating the Seed Treating System.

Remember, **YOU** are the key to safety. Good safety practices not only protect you, but also the people around you. Make these practices a working part of your safety program. Be certain that **EVERYONE** operating this equipment is familiar with the recommended operating and maintenance procedures and follows all the safety precautions. Most accidents can be prevented. Do not risk injury or death by ignoring good safety practices.

- SC Stainless Steel Unit owners must give operating instructions to operators or employees before allowing them to operate the machine, and at least annually thereafter per OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration) regulation 1928.57.
- The most important safety device on this equipment is a **SAFE** operator. It is the operator's responsibility to read and understand **ALL** Safety and Operating instructions in the manual and to follow them. All accidents can be avoided.
- A person who has not read and understood all operating and safety instructions is not qualified to operate the machine. An untrained operator exposes himself and bystanders to possible serious injury or death.
- Do not modify the equipment in any way. Unauthorized modification may impair the function and/or safety and could affect the life of the equipment.
- Think SAFETY! Work SAFELY!

### **GENERAL SAFETY**

- Read and understand the Operator's Manual and all safety signs before operating, maintaining, adjusting or unplugging the SC Stainless Steel Unit.
- 2. Only trained persons shall operate the seed treater. An untrained operator is not qualified to operate the machine.
- 3. Have a first-aid kit available for use should the need arise, and know how to use it.







- 4. Provide a fire extinguisher for use in case of an accident. Store in a highly visible place.
- 5. Do not allow children, spectators or bystanders within hazard area of machine.
- 6. Wear appropriate protective gear. This includes but is not limited to:
  - A hard hat
  - · Protective shoes with slip resistant soles
  - Protective goggles
  - Heavy gloves
  - Hearing protection
  - Respirator or filter mask
- 7. Place all controls in neutral or off, stop motor, and wait for all moving parts to stop. Then disable power source before servicing, adjusting, repairing, or unplugging.
- 8. Review safety related items annually with all personnel who will be operating or maintaining the SC Stainless Steel Unit.

### **OPERATING SAFETY:**

- 1. Read and understand the Operator's Manual and all safety signs before using.
- 2. Disconnect and disable electrical supply completely and wait for all moving parts to stop before servicing, adjusting, repairing or unplugging.
- 3. Clear the area of bystanders, especially children, before starting.
- 4. Be familiar with the machine hazard area. If anyone enters hazard area, shut down machine immediately. Clear the area before restarting.
- 5. Keep hands, feet, hair and clothing away from all moving and/or rotating parts.
- 6. Stay away from overhead obstructions and power lines during operation and transporting. Electrocution can occur without direct contact.
- 7. Do not operate machine when any guards are removed.
- 8. Inspect welds and repair if needed.









### PLACEMENT SAFETY

- 1. Move only with the appropriate equipment
- 2. Be familiar with machine hazard area. If anyone enters hazard areas, shut down machine immediately. Clear the area before restarting.
- 3. Operate the SC Stainless Steel Unit on level ground free of debris.



Before placement of the SC Stainless Steel Unit, be sure the ground is reasonably level. The machine may topple or work improperly if the ground is too uneven, damaging the equipment and/or causing personal injury.

### **MAINTENANCE SAFETY**

- 1. Review the Operator's Manual and all safety items before working with, maintaining or operating the Seed Treating System.
- 2. Place all controls in neutral or off, stop motors, disable power source, and wait for all moving parts to stop before servicing, adjusting, repairing or unplugging.
- 3. Follow good shop practices:

Keep service area clean and dry. Be sure electrical outlets and tools are properly grounded. Use adequate light for the job at hand.

4. Keep hands, feet, hair and clothing away from all moving and/ or rotating parts.



- 6. Before resuming work, install and secure all guards when maintenance work is completed.
- 7. Keep safety signs clean. Replace any sign that is damaged or not clearly visible.



### **SAFETY SIGNS**

- 1. Keep safety signs clean and legible at all times.
- 2. Replace safety signs that are missing or have become illegible.
- 3. Replaced parts that displayed a safety sign should also display the current sign.
- 4. Safety signs are available from your Authorized Dealer.

### How to Install Safety Signs:

- Be sure that the installation area is clean and dry.
- Be sure temperature is above 50°F (10°C).
- Decide on the exact position before you remove the backing paper.
- Remove the smallest portion of the split backing paper.
- Align the sign over the specified area and carefully press the small portion with the exposed sticky backing in place.
- Slowly peel back the remaining paper and carefully smooth the remaining portion of the sign in place.
- Small air pockets can be pierced with a pin and smoothed out using the piece of sign backing paper.

### A WARNING

Located on the USC equipment you will find safety labels. Always be sure to read and follow all directions on the labels.







### B INSTALLATION



**HIGH VOLTAGE** ~ Always disconnect the power source before working on or near the control panel or lead wires.



**HIGH VOLTAGE** ~ Use insulated tools when making adjustments while the controls are under power.



Permanent installation may require additional electrical cords, liquid hose, and air lines, since each installation is unique.

### <u>SET-UP</u>

The following steps outline the initial set-up of the SC Stainless Steel Unit:

- 1. Clear the area of bystanders, especially small children, before moving.
- 2. Place the SC Stainless Steel Unit in the desired position on a level surface.



USC highly recommends that the equipment be set up inside a building or any covered structure to protect the machine from weathering.

- 3. The control panel must be connected to a 120-volt single phase source.
- 4. The SC Stainless Steel Unit can be installed in conjunction with a seed treater. This will allow the atomizer and rotating drum to mix the seed treatment being applied to the seed.
- 5. Attach the plumbing to the treater. The plumbing can either be ran through the atomizer or the port on the back side of the atomizer chamber. (See page 13)
- 6. Using the U-Bolts supplied, mount the long length of tubing with the two shut-off valves to the seed treater. Additional holes may need to be drilled on older model seed treaters. Remove the plumbing to the atomizer chamber and attach the hosing from the valve assembly to the atomizer chamber. Re-attach the line to the atomizer to the valve assembly. This will allow the pump on the SC Stainless Steel Unit and pump #1 on the seed treater to both go through the atomizer. Turn one of the valves off, depending on which pump is used (see pictures top right next page).



Valves hooked up to Atomizer with the SC Stainless Steel Unit pump shut off.



Valves hooked up to Atomizer with Pump 1 on seed treater shut off.

5. Connect the 2-wire cord coming from the SC Stainless Steel Unit control panel to the auxiliary receptacle located on the bottom of the seed treater control panel. This will allow the operator to control the SC Stainless Steel Unit with the "Hand/ Off/Auto" switch, located on the seed treater control panel.



**NOTICE** Some seed treaters may not be pre-wired with the auxiliary receptacle. Contact your local dealer for a kit to mount this receptacle in the seed treater control panel.

> Auxiliary Receptacle on Seed Treater Main Control Panel



2-wire cord





### SYSTEM OVERVIEW



### LIQUID SYSTEM

The USC Self Contained Stainless Steel Unit is equipped with a 27- or 50-gallon mix tank with an electric drive liquid agitator to keep chemicals mixed and in suspension. The agitator should be running at all times when chemical is present. The tank is

equipped with a shut-off valve, drain valve, and filter located on the bottom.

The liquid system utilizes a variable speed peristaltic pump for chemical metering. The liquid being used only comes into contact with the inside diameter of the tubing and not the pump. This allows for easy cleanup and maintenance without disassembling the pump.

To open the pump head, turn the lever to the left. Place the pump tubing in pump head so it fits inside the notches and above the rollers. Turn the lever back to the right to close the pump head, clamping the hose inside the head. Wear or fatigue of the tubing within the pump head due to compression is normal. When tubing becomes worn or chemical rates begin to slow down, open the pump head and move the hose to a different position. If the entire hose becomes worn, replace it with a new section of tubing. When storing the seed treater, open the pump head and remove the tubing to prevent extra compression during the off-season.



Pump Head Open



Pump Head Closed

The liquid system is also equipped with a calibration tube, which is used to determine the liquid flow rate. The calibration tube measures in ounces on a 0-340 ounce scale.



Proper calibration of the liquid system is critical to achieve a proper granular/ chemical mixture. The liquid pump is controlled by a variable speed motor. Controls on the main panel include a counting dial which controls the pump speed, a forward/brake/reverse switch which controls the pump direction, and a voltmeter that displays the amount of volts being sent to the pump. Use the calibration tube to determine the amount of chemical flow for different dial settings. Rates should be determined in QTY/TIME. This will allow for proper liquid/granular mixtures.

Emptying the remaining chemical can be done by reversing the pump back into the mix tank and then draining the liquid into a suitable container. Clean water should be pumped through the calibration tube and mix tank when finished.



Always dispose of chemical or diluted chemical according to your local, state and federal regulations.



Only you, the operator, can determine the length of time required to completely rinse all chemical residue from the tank and plumbing system.



### <u>NOTES</u>



### **ELECTRICAL OPERATION**

### MAIN CONTROL PANEL



**HIGH VOLTAGE** ~ Always disconnect the power source before working on or near the control panel or lead wires.



**HIGH VOLTAGE** ~ Use insulated tools when making adjustments while the controls are under power.



AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL only shall work on the control panel. Never allow anyone who has not read and familiarized themselves with the owner's manual to open or work on the control panel.

The control panel requires a <u>120V single-phase power supply with neutral</u>. All green switches are spring return to center. The control panel controls the following functions:





### **Controls Explained**

**<u>1. Pump Voltmeter</u>**: Displays the DC voltage for the pump. As the pump speed is increased or decreased, this number will also increase or decrease.

<u>2. Application Pump Direction</u>: This switch allows the operator to change the pump direction between forward and reverse. It has a safety feature that will not allow the operator to switch from forward to reverse or vice-versa without momentarily stopping and releasing the switch in the center position.

<u>3. Liquid Adjustment Dial</u>: This dial allows the operator to adjust the speed of the pump. The setting should be chosen in relation to the application rate for the treatment being applied to the seed.

<u>4. Mix Tank / Agitation Pump</u>: This switch allows the operator to turn the chemical agitator pump on or off to allow for recirculation of the chemical in the mix tank.



# E CALIBRATION

Calibration of both the seed flow and liquid portions of the equipment is necessary for accurate treatment of material (rates should be taken on at least 40 units or 2000 lbs.). Calibrate the seed flow on the seed treater before calibrating the pump on the Self Contained Stainless Steel Unit.

### PUMP CALIBRATION WITH CALIBRATION TUBE

- 1. Premix enough chemical for the amount of seed you are treating. It's always a good practice to mix up 20% extra slurry to help fill all the lines.
- 2. Turn the "Hand/Off/Auto" switch on seed treater control panel to the "Hand" position.
- 3. Turn the "SEED TREATMENT SOURCE" valve to the "MIX TANK" position, and the "SEED TREATMENT" valve to the "CALIBRATE" position. Make sure the valve on top of the mix tank is positioned so liquid will flow into the mix tank.
- 4. Lock down the pump tubing in the pump head.
- 5. Turn Application Pump Direction switch (2) to the "Forward" position (chemical should be circulating from the bottom of the mix tank, through the pump, and back into the top of the mix tank).
- 6. Let chemical flow for at least 15 minutes to get all the air out of the lines and to help break in the pump tubing. After you have allowed the pump to circulate, you are ready to calibrate the liquid flow.
- 7. Determine the number of ounces needed in one minute.

EXAMPLE: Seed Flow Rate = 8.76 cwt/min. x 4 oz. slurry/cwt. = 35 oz./min. 35 oz. is the rate the pump should be flowing in one minute.



8. Set the Liquid Adjustment Dial . You can use the chart on page 22 or 23 to find a starting point.

EXAMPLE: The ounces needed in one minute = 35 oz/min. Assume we are using a 6-600 Masterflex Pump. A good starting point is approximately 41.7 volts.

9. Use a stop watch to determine the pump flow rate. Position the valve on top of the mix tank so that chemical starts filling up the calibration tube. When the chemical reaches 0 (zero) or an even number, start timing for one minute. (see drawing 1, page 21).

10. As soon as one minute is up, position the valve on top of the mix tank so that chemical will flow back into the tank. Read the level on the side of the calibration tube (see drawing 2 below). This number should equal the ounces per minute needed to flow through the pump. If the ounces needed per minute haven't been met, adjust the pump speed up or down accordingly and repeat steps 9 & 10 until the chemical rate as been matched.



Drawing 1 Chemical at 0 oz.



Drawing 2 Chemical at 35 oz. after 1 minute



Below are three charts that show the potential volts and oz./min of three different pumps at different settings.

# **NOTICE** All calibrations were done using water. Numbers are not exact; only use these numbers as a starting point or for troubleshooting.

<u>Volts</u>	OZ./Min.
10.5	7.4
14.6	11.1
18.8	14.8
22.9	18.4
27.0	22.1
31.2	25.8
35.3	29.5
39.4	33.1
43.6	36.8
47.7	40.5
51.8	44.2
55.9	47.8
60.1	51.5
64.2	55.2
68.3	58.9
72.5	62.6
76.6	66.2
80.7	69.9
84.9	73.6
89.0	77.3

### <u>6-600 Masterflex Pump</u> <u>Masterflex L/S 35 Pump Tubing</u>

<u>Volts</u>	OZ./Min.
10.0	12.7
14.1	19.3
18.2	25.8
22.3	32.4
26.3	39.0
30.4	45.5
34.5	52.1
38.6	58.7
42.7	65.2
46.8	71.8
50.8	78.4
54.9	84.9
59.0	91.5
63.1	98.1
67.2	104.7
71.3	111.2
75.3	117.8
79.4	124.4
83.5	130.9
87.6	137.5

2-200 Masterflex Pump

Masterflex I/P 82 Pump Tubing



Below are three charts that show the potential volts and oz./min of three different pumps at different settings.

## **NOTICE** All calibrations were done using water. Numbers are not exact; only use these numbers as a starting point or for troubleshooting.

<u>Volts</u>	<u>OZ./Min.</u>
9.2	22.6
13.3	36.3
17.5	50.0
21.6	63.7
25.8	77.4
29.9	91.1
34.1	104.8
38.2	118.5
42.3	132.2
46.5	145.9
50.6	159.7
54.8	173.4
58.9	187.1
63.0	200.8
67.2	214.5
71.3	228.2
75.5	241.9
79.6	255.6
83.8	269.3
87.9	283.0

### Leeson Pump with 4.8:1 Reducer Masterflex I/P 82 Pump Tubing



### TREATING SEED

- 1. Turn the "SEED TREATMENT" valve to "PROCESS" position and the "Hand/Off/Auto" switch to "Hand" to prime the line up to the atomizer. After the line has been primed, turn the "Hand/Off/Auto" switch on the seed treater panel to "Auto". Additional liquid can be pumped up to the atomizer and into the drum to guarantee coverage of the first seed that passes through the machine.
- 2. Position all conveyors, hoppers, wagons, and/or boxes in place.
- 3. Turn any conveyor or seed treater switches to "ON".
- 4. With all motors turned to the "ON" position, you are ready for seed.
- 5. Begin feeding seed into the seed treater. If you are using the "Auto" function, the proximity switch in the seed treater will start the pump automatically. If you are not using the "Auto" function, you will need to start the treatment as soon as seed lands in the seed treater.
- 6. When all seed has passed through the proximity switch, the pump will automatically shut off if using the "Auto" function. If you're using the "Hand" function, manually shut off the pump when finished.

### Conversion Chart

- 1 ounce = 29.58 milliliters
- 1 gallon = 3.79 liters
- 1 kilogram = 2.2 pounds
- 1 unit = 50 lbs or 22.73 kg
- 1 bushel = approx. 60 lbs or 27.27 kg
- 1 cwt = 100 lbs or 45.45 kg

### **SECTION** TROUBLESHOOTING

Below is a table describing the most frequent problems and solutions with the USC SC Stainless Steel Unit. For further assistance, contact your local USC dealer.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Pump will not turn off in "AUTO" when seed runs out.	<ol> <li>Proximity switch is dirty.</li> <li>Proximity switch is too sensitive.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Clean proximity switch.</li> <li>Adjust proximity switch sensitivity by turning counter-clockwise.</li> </ol>
Pump will not turn on in "AUTO"	<ol> <li>Proximity switch is not covered.</li> <li>Atomizer is not on.</li> <li>Proximity switch is not sensitive enough.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Cover proximity switch.</li> <li>Turn on atomizer.</li> <li>Adjust proximity switch clockwise to make more sensitive</li> </ol>
Pump is Fluctuating	<ol> <li>Restriction in tubing.</li> <li>Tubing was not broken in properly before calibrating.</li> <li>DC Pump circuit board is going bad.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Flush tubing and check filter for any restrictions.</li> <li>Allow pump to recirculate for 15 minutes before checking calibration.</li> <li>Watch pump voltmeter for any fluctuations.</li> </ol>
Pump will not turn on	<ol> <li>Blown Fuse.</li> <li>Bad HP Resistor.</li> <li>Bad DC Pump Board.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Check fuses.</li> <li>Check HP Resistor.</li> <li>Change the DC Pump Board Part #: (03-01-0007).</li> </ol>
No Liquid is going to my treater	<ol> <li>Restriction in tubing.</li> <li>Seed Treatment valve is in Calibrate.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Flush tubing and check filter for any restrictions.</li> <li>Turn Seed Treatment valve to Process.</li> </ol>



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### **PROXIMITY SWITCH ADJUSTMENT GUIDE**

The proximity switch located in the cone of the seed treater detects when seed is present. This will automatically shut off the SC Stainless Steel Unit when all seed has left the supply hopper.

Sometimes the proximity switch does not properly work. This can be caused from wear, dust, or even moisture. The first step is to clean the lens of the proximity switch. If this does not solve the problem, the next step would be to adjust the sensitivity of the proximity switch.



Sensitivity Adjustment Screw

Using the small screwdriver provided inside the control panel, you can adjust the proximity switch by turning the adjusting screw on the back of the proximity switch.

- Turn Clockwise to make the proximity switch more sensitive.
- Turn Counterclockwise to make the proximity switch less sensitive.



Proximity Switch Screwdriver



### MAINTENANCE G

Proper maintenance of the USC SC Stainless Steel Unit is critical for peak performance, reliability and accuracy of this system. The following is a guideline for the type of maintenance and servicing that should be performed on this unit. Your environment and uses may require additional maintenance and service beyond this list to assure a reliable and safe unit. The operator of this unit has ultimate responsibility to identify areas of concern and rectify them before they become a hazard or safety issue. There is no substitute for a trained, alert operator.



Do not put this unit into operation with any questionably maintained parts. Poor performance or a hazard may occur.

### MIX TANK

- Check agitation pump.
- Flush agitation pump with water and drain thoroughly.
- Check valves, fittings and plug on bottom of tank.

### PUMP AND PLUMBING

- Check pump in forward and reverse.
- Check pump voltage and inspect brushes in motors.
- Make sure pump head opens and closes smoothly.
- Inspect tubing and valves.
- Tighten hose clamps and check filter. Clean filter regularly to avoid build-up.

### CONTROL PANEL

- Check and tighten wire connections.
- Check starters and overloads.
- Check timers and relays.
- Check the front of the panel: switches, voltmeter, potentiometer, etc.
- Inspect fuses and breakers.
- Check and set the proximity switches.



# H STORAGE

When storing the USC SC Stainless Steel Unit for long periods of time, the following procedure must be followed to lessen the chance of rust, corrosion and fatigue.



Protective rubber gloves and protective eye wear shall be used when cleaning the machine

- 1. Make certain the inside of the tank is completely drained of chemical residue.
- 2. Thoroughly flush the inside of the tank with clean water.
- 3. Pump clean water through all areas of the plumbing including the mix tank, pumps, metering valve, and calibration valve.
- 4. Open all drain points and valves, and let as much of the liquid drain as possible.
- 5. If the unit will be exposed to possible freezing temperatures, the final flush of the system should be made with an anti-freeze liquid.
- 6. If the unit is supplied with a peristaltic pump, release the pump head and remove tubing to prevent any unnecessary wear.
- 7. Storing the machine inside a building is best to keep it from being exposed to the weather.
- 8. Disconnect power to the machine.



### MECHANICAL DRAWINGS

The following pages show the parts of your Self Contained Stainless Steel Unit. Please have the part number ready when ordering parts.

An electrical wiring diagram is located in the control panel of the self-contained unit at the time of shipment. The diagram located in the panel shows the exact electrical schematic for that model of self-contained unit. If you have any questions about the diagram, please call your local USC dealer.





<u>ltem #</u>	<u>Part Number</u>	Rev	Title	<u>Qty</u>
1	01-01-0011	А	MTR .1HP 2-200RPM 90VDC	1
2	01-01-0080	Α	MTR .33HP 1725RPM 56C 1PH TEFC	1
3	02-01-0004	Α	PUMP HEAD PRST MF IP 200RPM	1
4	02-02-0006	Α	VLV BALL .500 NPT 2WAY BRSS	2
5	02-02-0007	Α	VLV BALL .500 NPT 3WAY BRSS	2
6	02-03-0005	Α	DRAIN	1
7	02-03-0005	Α	HOSE RNT .500 CLEAR	1
8	02-03-0005	Α	CAL TUBE SUPPLY	1
9	02-03-0005	Α	CAL TUBE RETURN	1
10	02-03-0005	Α	PUMP INLET	1
11	02-03-0005	Α	100943 HOSE RNT .500 CLEAR	1
12	02-05-0003	Α	FTTG CPLG .500 HB NYL	2
13	02-06-0010	Α	FTTG 90 DEG .500HB X .500NPT ML NYL	7
14	02-07-0007	Α	FTTG NIP .500 NPT X 1.125 TBE SS	3
15	02-08-0007	Α	FTTG STGHT .500HB X .500NPT ML NYL	6
16	02-09-0003	Α	FTTG TEE .500 NPT FM SS	1
17	02-12-0002	Α	FLTR TEE PPE .500 NPT 40 MESH LRG	1
18	03-12-0015	D	SC MIX TANK CONTROL PANEL	1
19	04-03-0099	Α	50 GAL CHEM TNK 3 INLET	1
20	05-03-0114	С	WDMT,27&50GAL SC MNT BASE	1
21	05-03-0115	D	WDMT, 50GAL SC PUMP-CONTOL PNL MNT	1
22	05-10-0295	В	SEED PROCESS LABEL	1
23	05-10-1038	Α	TREATMENT LABEL CC	1
24	06-01-0012	Α	BOLT .313-18 X 1.00 ZP GR5	2
25	06-01-0015	А	BOLT .375-16 X 0.75 ZP GR5	3
26	06-01-0016	Α	BOLT .375-16 X 1.00 ZP GR5	4
27	06-01-0215	Α	SCRW MACH #14 X .750 SS PLASTITE	4
28	06-03-0010	Α	NUT,LOCK,.312-18 NYLON INSERT 18-8 SS	2
29	06-04-0003	Α	WSHR LOCK SPLT .375 ZP	8
30	06-06-0029	Α	SCRW MACH 10-24 X .375 PHLP PHD ZP	4
31	06-07-0006	Α	CLMP HOSE .500 TO .906 X .313W ZP	19
32	13-04-0005	А	ASSY,CALIBRATION TUBE, 10,000 ML	1
33	13-05-0023	Α	HOSE .500 YEL MF 20IN	1
34	13-05-0025	А	HOSE RNT .500 CLEAR	1
35	13-05-0025	Α	TANK RETURN	1
36	13-05-0027	Α	100942	1

### <u>NOTES</u>



# SECTION LIMITED WARRANTY

USC, LLC, (Manufacturer) warrants its seed treating equipment as follows:

1. <u>Limited Warranty</u>: Manufacturer warrants that the Products sold hereunder will be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of 12 months from date of shipment. If the Products do not conform to this Limited Warranty during the warranty period, Buyer shall notify Manufacturer in writing of the claimed defects and demonstrate to Manufacturer satisfaction that said defects are covered by this Limited Warranty. If the defects are properly reported to Manufacturer within the warranty period, and the defects are of such type and nature as to be covered by this warranty, Manufacturer shall, at its expense, furnish replacement Products or, at Manufacturer's option, replacement parts for the defective products. Shipping and installation of the replacement Products or replacement parts shall be at the Buyer's expense.

2. **Other Limits:** THE FOREGOING IS IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EX-PRESSED OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. Manufacturer does not warrant against damages or defects arising from improper installation (where installation is by persons other than Manufacturer), against defects in products or components not manufactured by Manufacturer, or against damages resulting from such non-Manufacturer made products or components. Manufacturer passes on to the Buyer the warranty it received (if any) from the maker of such non-Manufacturer made products or components. This warranty also does not apply to Products upon which repairs and/or modifications have been effected or attempted by persons other than pursuant to written authorization by Manufacturer. Manufacturer does not warrant against casualties or damages resulting from misuse and/or abuse of product(s), acts of nature, effects of weather, including effects of weather due to outside storage, accidents, or damages incurred during transportation by common carrier.

3. <u>Exclusive Obligation</u>: THIS WARRANTY IS EXCLUSIVE. The sole and exclusive obligation of Manufacturer shall be to repair or replace the defective Products in the manner and for the period provided above. Manufacturer shall not have any other obligation with respect to the Products or any part thereof, whether based on contract, tort, strict liability or otherwise. Under no circumstances, whether based on this Limited Warranty or otherwise, shall Manufacturer be liable for incidental, special, or consequential damages.

4. <u>Other Statements:</u> Manufacturer's employees or representatives' oral or other written statements do not constitute warranties, shall not be relied upon by Buyer, and are not a part of the contract for sale or this limited warranty.

5. <u>Return Policy:</u> Approval is required prior to returning goods to USC, LLC. A restocking fee will apply.

6. <u>Entire Obligation</u>: This Limited Warranty states the entire obligation of Manufacturer with respect to the Products. If any part of this Limited Warranty is determined to be void or illegal, the remainder shall remain in full force and effect.





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