# Washdown Electro-Packs EP-250-W, EP-400-W Foot Mounted Clutch/Brakes

P-1510 819-0475 Installation Instructions





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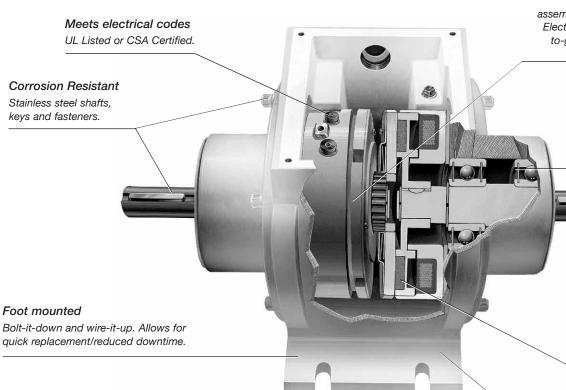
AWARNING Failure to follow these instructions may result in product damage, equipment damage, and serious or fatal injury to personnel.

#### **Product Description**

The Washdown Electro-Pack (EP-W) is a pre-assembled foot mounted clutch/brake package complete with input and output shafts. EP-Ws are specifically designed for applications that require washing with high-pressure spray systems. Their smooth exterior reduces the accumulation of food particles or other contaminants, which can cause bacteria growth. They are coated with a USDA approved nontoxic white paint that is extremely resistant to chipping and corrosion. All fasteners, shafts, and keys are made from stainless steel to prevent corrosion, and the bearings are sealed and shielded to prevent contamination during washdown.

EP-Ws are ready to be installed in all standard power transmission systems using V-belts and pulleys, chains and sprockets, in-line couplings, timing belt drives, or gear trains.

## Base Mounted Clutch/Brake Combinations in a Rugged Washdown Housing



Pre-packaged

Over 20 major components have been pre-engineered and preassembled in a typical Electro Pack. Readyto-go, straight from the box.

#### Heavy duty bearings

Sealed and shielded to resist contamination. Properly aligned for maximum performance.

#### Maintenance free

Never needs lubrication. Self-adjusting for wear of clutch-brake friction faces. Consistent performance.

#### **BISSC Certified**

Smooth exterior with USDA approved white coating.

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#### **Installation Instructions**

- Review the selection procedure on page 5 to determine if the selected Washdown Electro-Pack (EP-W) is the appropriate size and voltage for the intended application.
- 2. Identify the input end of the EP-W by locating the word "INPUT" cast into the side of the housing.
- Mount the EP-W to a rigid surface that is flat within the following tolerances. Position the input end toward the intended drive system input.

Electro-Pack	Mounting Surface
Size	Flatness
250	.004"
400	.004"

4. Attach the drive system hardware to the input and output shafts of the EP-W. Be sure to connect the power input to the input shaft of the unit. Serious system damage may occur if the power input is connected to the EP-W output shaft. See page 5 for shaft dimensions.

#### **Electrical Connection**

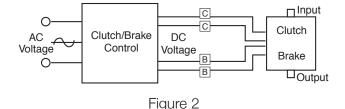
AWARNING All electrical current must be off when making electrical connections to prevent injury or death which can result from contact with live wires.



Figure 1

- Remove the four screws and cover from the top of the EP-W to gain access to the electrical terminals on the clutch field and brake magnet. (Figure 1)
- 2. Feed lead wires through one of the two 1/2" conduit holes in the side of the EP-W housing.
- Using the provided wire terminals, make the proper electrical connections between the EP-W and a suitable DC power supply. Refer to Figure 2 for typical EP-W connections. Polarity is not important when wiring Electro-Pack units.

Warner Electric offers a full line of AC input, DC output controls to meet the needs of most clutch/brake applications. The service and installation instructions included with each control show the proper connections.



4. Replace the cover and four screws.

#### **Burnishing**

To obtain optimum Electro-Pack performance, a wear-in process called burnishing is required between the clutch and brake friction faces within the unit. Warner Electric Electro-Packs are burnished at the factory, eliminating the need to burnish the unit upon installation.

#### **Maintenance**

Properly applied and installed Electro-Packs do not require service, lubrication, or maintenance. The Washdown EP is designed to withstand limited exposure to high ambient temperatures and high-pressure wash systems, however optimum appearance and wear life will be obtained if this type of exposure is minimized.

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#### **Servicing Worn Components**

The normal wearing components of an Electro-Pack are the brake magnet/armature, and the clutch rotor/armature. Since special tools are required to service these components, Warner Electric does not recommend user service of the

units. For more information contact your Warner Electric distributor, or call Warner Electric at 1-800-234-3369.

#### **Troubleshooting**

Problem	Possible Cause	Correction
	No or insufficient DC power supplied to clutch or brake coils.	Remove the EP-W cover, turn on the electrical power to the terminals, and check the voltage across each pair of terminals. The voltage at the terminals should be within 5% of the units rated voltage. If not, adjust or change the power supply to obtain the rated voltage.
Clutch or brake fails to engage.	Incorrect coil resistance.	Remove the EP-W cover, disconnect the lead wires from the terminals on the clutch and brake coils, and measure the resistance of each coil with an appropriate ohmmeter. Both resistance measurements should be within 10% of the values listed in the Electrical Specifications of this instruction sheet. If not, replace the EP-W with a new unit.
	Clutch or brake air gap out of adjustment.	Remove the EP-W cover, and inspect the gaps between the clutch rotor and armature, and the brake magnet and armature. The gaps should be no larger than .023" for EP-W-250's, and .037" for EP-W-400's. Adjust the gaps by axially moving the appropriate armature until the gap is correct. Once set, turn the clutch and brake power on and off to confirm that they engage, and rotate the input and output shafts to confirm that the friction surfaces do not drag when disengaged. Readjust if necessary.
	EP-W not properly sized for intended application	Review the Selection Information page of this instruction sheet to determine if the EP-W is properly sized for the application. For additional assistance, contact your Warner Electric distributor or Warner Electric Technical Support at 1-800-825-9050.
	Insufficient DC power supplied to clutch or brake coils.	Remove the EP-W cover, turn on the electrical power to the terminals, and check the voltage across each pair of terminals. The voltage at the terminals should be within 5% of the units rated voltage. If not, adjust or change the power supply to obtain the rated voltage.
Clutch or brake slips.	Incorrect coil resistance.	Remove the EP-W cover, disconnect the lead wires from the terminals on the clutch and brake coils, and measure the resistance of each coil with an appropriate ohmmeter. Both resistance measurements should be within 10% of the values listed in the Electrical Specifications of this instruction sheet. If not, replace the EP-W with a new unit.
	Clutch or brake friction faces contaminated.	Remove the EP-W cover and inspect the clutch and brake friction faces for contaminants. The friction surfaces should have a dry, polished appearance with some dust present. If they are wet or oily they can be carefully cleaned with a solvent, but optimum performance may never be achieved once the faces are contaminated. If slipping persists after cleaning, replace the EP-W with a new unit.

#### Clutch/Brake Selection Information

Horsepower vs. Shaft Speed

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НР		SHAFT SPEED AT CLUTCH (IN RPM) 00   200   300   400   500   600   700   800   900   1000   1100   1200   1500   1500   2000   2400   3000   3600   4000   4500   5000																			
▼	100	200	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000	1100	1200	1500	1800	2000	2400	3000	3600	4000	4500	5000
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1/20																					
1/12																					
1/8																					
1/6										FD.	-250										
1/4											230										
1/3																					
1/2										ED	400										
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2																					
3																					

#### **Selection Procedure**

Determine the shaft speed at the Electro Pack location. The number listed at the intersection of horsepower and speed is the size Electro Pack you require.

#### **Part Numbers**

Model No.	Voltage DC	Part No.
EP-250	24 90	5130-273-060 5130-273-061
EP-400	24 90	5131-273-030 5131-273-031

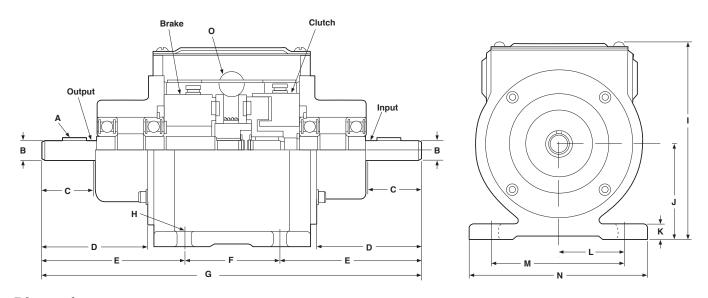
**Mechanical Specifications** 

	Voltage	Horsepower @	Static Torque	_Inertia=W	/R² (lb-in²)	Max.	Weight	
Model Size	DC	1800 RPM	lb. in.	Output	Input	RPM	lbs.	
EP-250	24	1/2	70	.331	.293	7.500	7 1	
	90	1/2	70	.001	.290	7,500	7.1	
EP-400	24		070	0.500	0.000	4.500	10.7	
	90	1	270	2.566	2.222	4,500	19.7	

#### **Electrical Coil Data**

	EP-2	250-W	EP-4	00-W		
	Clutch	/Brake	Clutch/Brake			
Voltage – DC	24	90	24	90		
Resistance @ 20° C - Ohms	76.4	1079	73	1087		
Current - Amperes	.314	.084	.332	.083		
Watts	7.5	7.51	8.04	7.45		
Coil Build up - milliseconds	48	44	154	154		
Coil Decay - milliseconds	15	13	60	55		

Build-up time equals current to approximately 90% of steady state value and flux to 90%. Decay time equals current to approximately 10% of steady state value and flux to 10%. Values are approximate because current changes lead or lag flux changes by a small amount.



#### **Dimensions** All dimensions are nominal, unless otherwise noted.

Size	Α	В	C Min.	D	Е	F	G Max.	Н	I	J	K	L	М	N	0
250-W	/ 1/8 x 1/8 x 7/8	<u>.4995</u> .4985 Dia.	1.250	2.468	3.312	2.250	8.968	.312 Wide (4 slots)	5.281	<u>2.318</u> 2.308	.375	1.625	3.250	4.250	1/2 - 14 NPT conduit x 2
400-W	/3/16 x 3/16 x 1-3/8	<u>.7495</u> .7485 Dia.	1.875	3.515	4.593	2.500	11.781	.312 Wide (4 slots)	6.937	<u>3.474</u> 3.464	.500	2.578	5.156	6.000	1/2 - 14 NPT conduit x 2

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