HYDRAULIC DRIVE MOUNTING KIT
FOR VARIABLE RATE OR MANUAL
CONTROL SYSTEMS

PARTS AND
INSTALLATION MANUAL

Bar-Mount Bracket
VRH-JD-10/15 Kit Shown

Direct-Drive Bracket
116123-91 Kit Shown

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- Equipment should be operated only by responsible people.
- Hydraulic installation should only be performed by an individual with a complete understanding of hydraulic systems and their requirements – see warning below.
- A careful operator is the best insurance against an accident.
- Fill system with WATER first and check output.
- Check all valves, fittings, hose clamps, etc. for wear / leaks before admitting process fluid to the system.
- Replace hoses when worn, cracked, or if leaking.

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To The Owner

This manual has been prepared and illustrated to assist you in the maintenance of your CDS – JOHN BLUE pump and drive. Enter your serial number and the date of the purchase in the space provided below for future reference in service information or for ordering parts. Because our engineering department is constantly improving products, we reserve the right to make design and specification changes without notice.

Model Number: _______________ Serial Number: _______________ Purchase Date: _______________
The CDS-John Blue hydraulic drive kits provide the necessary hardware and brackets to drive a CDS-John Blue piston pump with a hydraulic motor. There are two different types of mounting brackets and several options related to control valves available. See below for a list of available drive kits and their descriptions:

**Bar Mount Kits:**
- **VRH-JD-10/15**  
  Motor has manifold with PWM valve and bypass valve for Deere® kits (includes custom wiring harnesses)
- **VRH-PWM-10**  
  Motor has manifold with PWM valve and Raven® type plug
- **VRH-MAN-10**  
  Motor has ½” Female pipe ports, comes with in-line manual flow control valve and tachometer
- **116045-91**  
  Motor has ½” Female pipe ports, no flow control valve
- **116133-91**  
  Bracket only (no motor); includes: bracket, chain/sprockets, and hardware

**Direct Drive Kits:**
- **VRH-PWM-15**  
  Motor has manifold with PWM valve and Raven® type plug, bracket fits 6055/8055
- **VRH-PWM-17**  
  Same as above with bracket to fit 7055/9055
- **VRH-MAN-15**  
  Motor has ½” Female pipe ports, bracket fits 6055/8055, comes with in-line manual flow control valve and tachometer
- **VRH-MAN-17**  
  Same as above with bracket to fit 7055/9055
- **116123-91**  
  Motor has ½” Female pipe ports, bracket fits 6055/8055, no flow control valve
- **116124-91**  
  Same as above with bracket to fit 7055/9055
- **116131-91**  
  Bracket only (no motor); includes: bracket for 6055/8055, chain/sprockets, and hardware
- **116132-91**  
  Same as above with bracket to fit 7055/9055

*(Note: The 6055/8055 bracket will not fit NGP-8055-AR – you must use a bar mount kit.)*
BAR-MOUNT BRACKET ASSEMBLY

Mounting Bracket Installation:
The drive mounting bracket may be installed in one of two ways. CDS-John Blue has 3/4” diameter u-bolts available for purchase that will allow the bracket to be mounted to the side or top of a bar using the provided holes on the back or bottom sides. Four u-bolt sizes are available – see the parts listing in this manual for part numbers. The u-bolt holes are spaced to fit 4”, 6”, and 7” bars, and optional adapter plates are available to mount the bracket on a 9” bar using the back surface. 1/2” diameter bolts (not included) may be used to attach the bracket to a flat surface using the holes provided in either the back and bottom sides.

Component Assembly:
A.) Attach the hydraulic motor (with the ports facing out) to the mounting bracket using the ½” x 1-1/2” long bolts, lock washers, and nuts.
B.) Install the idler sprocket in the slot using the ½” x 3” long bolt, tube spacer, two flat washers, nut, and jam nut as shown - but do not fully tighten the nuts yet.
C.) Install the 18 tooth sprocket on to the motor shaft, align it with the idler sprocket, and tighten its two set screws.
D.) Install the pump with the bolts and washers supplied with it. Note that there are two different bolt patterns in the top plate for small and large pumps. Adjust the position of the pump sprocket as necessary to align it with the other sprockets.

- Use outer bolt pattern for large pumps
- Use inner bolt pattern for small pumps

E.) Install the chain. Note that for NGP-7055 and NGP-9055 pumps it will be necessary to install two more links (supplied in the kit) onto the chain.

(Note that if you have an older CDS-John Blue Pump (e.g. LM-2455/4955) or a smaller size sprocket on your pump, it may be necessary to remove links from the chain.)

F.) Slide the idler sprocket over in the slot to tighten the chain, and then tighten the nut and jam nut to lock in place.
The direct-drive bracket can only be assembled to standard NGP pumps. Two different brackets are available for 6055/8055 series and 7055/9055 series pumps. The bracket mounts both under and to the side of the pump. All other components remain the same as what is shown on page 8, and the hydraulic connections remain the same with the exception that the manifold has been rotated 180 degrees.

A.) Remove three 5/16” side cover bolts that will be used to attach bracket.
B.) Remove and reverse sprocket on pump shaft.
C.) Place bracket and pump in position, install pump foot mounting bolts (loosely tighten), and install three side cover bolts with included flat and lock washers. Use the spacer bar if installing on a double pump (8055 or 9055). **Tighten side cover bolts before tightening pump foot mounting bolts**, and use sealant on side cover bolt threads.
D.) Install motor, sprocket, and chain. Install motor on bracket by installing ½” bolts (loosely tighten), and then place chain on sprockets before sliding motor sprocket onto shaft. Position sprocket on motor shaft to align with the pump sprocket. Rotate motor assembly to take the slack out of the chain and then tighten the ½” bolts.

6055/8055 kit chains have 36 links total, and 7055/9055 kits have 38 links.

**(PWM valve shown with no bypass)**

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HYDRAULIC SYSTEM ASSEMBLY

Warning: High Pressure Oil
Escaping oil under pressure can cause serious injury. Relieve pressure before servicing lines, and inspect hoses and connections frequently for damage or leakage, but do not use hands to check for pinholes. Only use hoses with a working pressure rated at or higher than your tractor’s system pressure.

Hydraulic System Notes

To reach full pump rpm, the hydraulic system must supply at least 9.5 gpm to the manifold inlet port, and be capable of developing at least 1600 psi. The maximum gpm and pressure should not exceed 10 gpm and 2750 psi.

Adjust your maximum flow output to 10 gpm, or use an in-line bypass valve, or install a flow limiting device. A 1/8” orifice plate, #116377-01, is available that slips in the inlet port before the inlet fitting is installed. The orifice plate may be drilled if the resulting flow is too low. 10 gpm should not be exceeded to keep from spinning the pump above its maximum rpm.

As supplied, the system is compatible with a closed center load sensing hydraulic system, which compensates for flow and pressure. If you have a closed center pressure compensating system, you may have to put an orifice (1/8” diameter #116377-01 is available) in the inlet port of the manifold to make the variable stroke pump build pressure. Both of the systems above have a flow control valve to limit flow.

An open center hydraulic system will require the use of a flow bypass valve or limiter if the flow is too high, since this system uses a constant flow pump. Note that care must be taken to avoid overheating the oil when bypassing a large volume of it for long periods of time.

If you do not want the manifold to allow pass-thru flow, cavity plug #116378-01 may be used to replace the logic valve located near the Tank port of the manifold (see figure on page 8).

For Power Beyond™ systems, some manifolds are equipped with a plugged “LS” port that you may unplug and connect to the sensing circuit. You must install a check valve (such as Vonberg #1104R or 1904R) in the port, and then run a hose to the sensing circuit. The port is #4 SAE o-ring.

IMPORTANT NOTE ON MOTOR ROTATION:

If your hydraulic system is configured such that the flow direction could accidentally be reversed and pressurized fluid could enter the outlet port of the manifold, note the following:

- The motor and pump are bi-rotational, and the internal manifold components will not be damaged, however…
- The motor will start running and the flow control valve will not be effective in controlling it. You will get errors from the control system that pump is not responding correctly.
- Viewing from the sprocket side, the sprockets should be turning clockwise.
- Also note that hydraulic remote return ports (SCV’s) can be pressurized up to 150psi and cause backwards pump rotation when it should be idle.

Therefore, if this reverse flow condition is possible with your system you may consider changing your hydraulic circuit by adding an in-line check valve (Vonberg Valve #1108R, 1908R, or equivalent) in the outlet line of the manifold to prevent backwards flow.

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**Assembly for units with the Variable Rate Manifold:**

A.) Install the hydraulic manifold by first removing the four bolts that retain the port shipping cover plate on the hydraulic motor.

B.) Ensure that the o-rings are in place in each port.

C.) Then install the manifold by using the four 5/16” x 2” Lg. socket head cap screws.

D.) Install the 90 degree elbow fittings (provided with the kit) into the inlet and outlet ports (the ports are marked on the manifold). Note that the taller fitting installs in the outlet.

   (The fittings adapt from #8 SAE o-ring ports on the manifold to #8 JIC male 37 degree.)

E.) Have hose assemblies made (using hydraulic hose with a working pressure rated at or above your system pressure) to fit your specific installation.

F.) It is recommended that a hydraulic filter be used in the inlet line for the motor.

G.) **Finishing the Installation:**

   Please refer to the specific installation manual for your control for instructions on how to connect the flow control valve and bypass valve harnesses, and how to configure the control to work with these components.

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Assembly for Manual Speed Control units (which do not have a manifold):

A.) Connect your hydraulic hoses to the ½” female NPT ports on the motor (the lower port is the inlet). The hoses should be rated as specified in the previous section, and the hydraulic supply requirements are also the same as previously stated.

B.) Install the supplied flow control valve in the inlet line.

C.) It is recommended that a hydraulic filter be used in the inlet line for the motor.

D.) Use the supplied optical tachometer to determine the speed of the pump by placing a piece of the reflective tape on the pump sprocket. Pump output in GPM can be calculated with the following formula: \[ \text{GPM} = \text{RPM} \times (\text{pump displacement}) \times (\text{scale wheel setting})/10 \]

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Alternatively, pump output can be monitored with a flowmeter and a digital readout. An example of this setup would be Micro-Trak’s® FM270 and Flo-Pro™ control/readout.

E.) Adjust the pump speed with the hydraulic flow control valve.

* Use hydraulic hose with a working pressure rated at or above your system pressure.
### Parts List: Bar Mount Bracket

**Description:**

1. **Item 1**: Mounting bracket - 116029-91 (VR Kit: 1, Manual Kit: 1)
2. **Item 2**: Hydraulic motor – manifold mount - 116039-01 (VR Kit: 1)
3. **Item 2a**: Hydraulic motor – pipe thread ports - 116042-01 (VR Kit: 1, Manual Kit: -1)
4. **Item 3**: Idler sprocket - 116036-01 (VR Kit: 1)
5. **Item 4**: \( \frac{1}{2}-13 \) NC x 3" lg hex head bolt – plated - 90698 (VR Kit: 1, Manual Kit: 1)
6. **Item 5**: Spacer tube - 116036-01 (VR Kit: 1)
7. **Item 6**: Flat washer - 93012 (VR Kit: 2)
8. **Item 7**: \( \frac{1}{2} " \) Hex nut - plated - 92029 (VR Kit: 3)
9. **Item 8**: \( \frac{1}{2} " \) Jam nut - plated - 92031 (VR Kit: 1)
10. **Item 9**: \( \frac{1}{2}-13 \) NC x 1-1/2" lg hex head bolt, plated (in bracket-only kits) - 90689 (VR Kit: 2)
11. **Item 9a**: \( \frac{1}{2}-13 \) NC x 2-1/4" lg hex head bolt, plated (in bracket-only kits) - 90695 (VR Kit: 2)
12. **Item 10**: \( \frac{1}{2} " \) Lockwasher - 93004 (VR Kit: 2)
13. **Item 11**: Manifold with PWM flow control with bypass valve - 116041-01 (VR Kit: -)
14. **Item 11a**: Manifold with PWM flow control - NO bypass valve - 116115-01 (VR Kit: -)
15. **Item 11b**: Manifold with Servo Motor type flow control with bypass valve - 116040-01 (VR Kit: -)
16. **Item 11c**: PWM valve stem (for parts replacement only) - 116189-01 (VR Kit: -)
17. **Item 11d**: PWM coil (for parts replacement only) - 116189-02 (VR Kit: -)
18. **Item 12**: \( \frac{5}{16}-18 \) NC x 2” lg socket head cap screw - 90994 (VR Kit: 4)
19. **Item 13**: Fitting – #8 SAE to #8 JIC adjustable elbow - 116047-01 (VR Kit: 1)
20. **Item 14**: Fitting – #8 SAE to #8 JIC Long adjustable elbow - 116097-01 (VR Kit: 1)
21. **Item 15**: Chain – 55 links of RC50 - 116037-01 (VR Kit: 1)
22. **Item 16**: Offset Link (used for NGP-705x and NGP-905x pumps) - A-415 (VR Kit: 2)
23. **Item 17**: Sprocket assembly – RC50-18 - 106352-01 (VR Kit: 1)
24. **Item 18**: (Not shown) Manually adjusted flow control valve - 14-9021 (VR Kit: -)
25. **Item 19**: (Not shown) Optical tachometer for manual system - 116081-01 (VR Kit: -)
26. **Item 20**: (Optional item) 1/8” Orifice plate - 116377-01 (VR Kit: -)
27. **Item 21**: (Optional item) 10-3s Cavity plug - 116378-01 (VR Kit: -)
28. **Item 22**: OPTIONAL – \( \frac{3}{4} " \) U-bolt, 7x7 Bar (2 required per unit) - 115907-01A (VR Kit: 1)
29. **Item 23**: OPTIONAL - \( \frac{3}{4} " \) U-bolt, 4x4 Bar (2 required per unit) - 115907-01B (VR Kit: 1)
30. **Item 24**: OPTIONAL - \( \frac{3}{4} " \) U-bolt, 4x6 Bar (2 required per unit) - 115907-01C (VR Kit: 1)
31. **Item 25**: OPTIONAL - \( \frac{3}{4} " \) U-bolt, 6x6 Bar (2 required per unit) - 115907-01D (VR Kit: 1)
32. **Item 26**: OPTIONAL - 9” u-bolt mounting strap (2 required per unit) - 116035-01 (VR Kit: -)

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NOTES ON BRACKET-ONLY KITS

The bracket-only kits are meant for use with any SAE “A” 2-bolt flange hydraulic motor. This includes motors from Dickey-john®, Micro-trak®, and Precision Planting. SAE “A” dimensions are given below:

Special notes on the Precision Planting drive (#727052):

- You only need to use two of the mounting holes in the flange to secure the motor to the bracket.
- There are four ½” bolts included in the kit, and you will need to use the longer 2-1/4” lg bolts to secure the motor to the bracket.

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