



INSTALLATION QUALIFICATION

PROTOCOL CUM REPORT

FOR

OCTAGONAL BLENDER

(CAPACITY- 1250 LITERS)

EQUIPMENT ID. No.	
LOCATION	
DATE OF QUALIFICATION	
UPERSEDE PROTOCOL No.	NIL



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INSTALLATION QUALIFICATION PROTOCOL CUM REPORT FOR OCTAGONAL BLENDER 1.0 PROTOCOL PRE-APPROVAL:

INITIATED BY:

DESIGNATION	NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
OFFICER/EXECUTIVE (QUALITY ASSURANCE)			

REVIEWED BY:

DESIGNATION	NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
HEAD (PRODUCTION)			
HEAD (ENGINEERING)			

APPROVED BY:

DESIGNATION	NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
HEAD (QUALITY ASSURANCE)			



2.0 OBJECTIVE:

- To carry out the Installation Qualification of Octagonal Blender to be used for mixing of powder or blends and granulating the materials in formulation Plant.
- To confirm that the equipment and its components are as per the Specifications and Installed as per the Approved Design and complies with cGMP practices.
- To ensure that there is sufficient information available to operate and maintain the equipment Safely, Effectively and Consistently.

3.0 SCOPE:

- The scope of this installation qualification protocol cum report is limited to installation qualification of **Octagonal Blender (Make-Elicon Pharma, Capacity- 1250 liter)** to be installed in the Granulation.
- This document provides all the relevant information related to specification, installation checks and acceptance criteria to be required for installation qualification activity.



4.0 **RESPONSIBILITY:**

The Validation Group, comprising of a representative from each of the following departments, shall be responsible for the overall compliance of this Protocol cum Report:

DEPARTMENTS	RESPONSIBILITIES	
	Initiation, Review, Approval and Compilation of the Installation	
	Qualification Protocol cum Report.	
Quality Assurance	Co-ordination with Production and Engineering to carryout Installation	
Quality Assurance	Qualification.	
	Monitoring of Installation Qualification Activity.	
	• Post Approval of Qualification Protocol cum Report after Execution.	
	Review & Pre Approval of Protocol cum Report.	
Production	• To Co-ordinate and support for Execution of Qualification study as per	
Production	Protocol.	
	• Post Approval of Qualification Protocol cum Report after Execution.	
	Review & Pre Approval of Protocol cum Report.	
	Co-ordination, Execution and technical support in Octagonal Blender	
Fucinessine	Installation Qualification Activity.	
Engineering	Calibration of Process Instruments.	
	• Responsible for Trouble Shooting (if occurs during execution).	
	• Post Approval of Qualification Protocol cum Report after Execution.	



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5.0 EQUIPMENT DETAILS:

Equipment Name	Octagonal Blender
Equipment	
Manufacturer's Name	Elicon Pharma
Model	GMP Model
Serial No.	EP/PCHPL/OGB-1250/SEPT/2015
Supplier's Name	Elicon Pharma
Location of Installation	Granulation

6.0 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION:

Octagonal blender is a single drive mixing unit. It consists of SS central portion with a baffle arrangement, top frustum is provided with rectangular opening for cleaning, bottom conical frustum is provided with rectangular opening for cleaning, bottom conical frustum is provided with a circular opening provided for discharge. Complete body is supported with the hollow driving shaft with sprocket and chain drive mechanism which are supported on Plummer blocks at both ends. Octagonal blender units are stand-alone and modular. The discharge of the blender is through pneumatically actuated butterfly valve. Mounting on tabular frame works covered with S.S. panels. Motor and gear box is mounted on platform fixed to a structure.

The major components of the octagonal blender are:

- Blender Body
- Main Hole for Charging
- Discharge with Pneumatic Actuated Valve
- Drive Mechanism
- Machine Base
- Main Control Panel
- Operating Panel
- Guard Rail

Blender body:

Octagonal blender is a single drive, mixing unit. It consist of SS central portion with a baffle arrangement, top frustum is provided with rectangular opening with a lid and a gasket which is tighten with no. of wings nuts bottom conical frustum is provided with a circular flanged opening to mount



manual valve for cleaning/discharge. Shaft rest on Plummer blocks with self aligning or ball bearing mounted on adapter sleeves. Lock nut with sleeves ensures proper bearing loading onto the shaft.

Main Hole for Charging:

Suitable rectangular opening with SS lid and gasket is provided for charging the material in blender. Lid is lockable with wing nut and bolts to avoid spillage during the blending.

Discharge with Pneumatic Actuated Valve:

The discharge of the blended material is through pneumatically actuated butterfly valve.

Drive Mechanism:

The drive mechanism is provided with motor directly coupled with gear box. Output from the gear reducer engages the sprocket fitted on driving shaft on the blender body through chain drive. Shaft runs through a self – aligning pillow type-bearing block. Shaft either directly welded to the body of the blender or offered at a flange connection for ease of alignment. Drive shafts on opposite end are similarly supported on pillow units, thereby giving smooth rotary motion. A hand wheel is provided on the fan end of the motor to facilitate the discharge by indexing in a position for removing the material without much effort, when it has to be brought to rest in the discharge position.

Machine Base:

Tubular support frame, 'A 'profiled at both ends of the body. Support designed to achieve wide base for distribution of the turning mass load and moment. Two section tied together with a cross member at the rear. Top of the stand truncated with pad plate for mounting the pillow blocks. Guardrails fixed at the front and the rear of the stand.

Main Panel:

It consist of the entire master electrical control pre- wired with suitable interlocks/overload protectors, fuses, MCBs, isolator switches etc. the main electrical phase supply is connected into this panel.

Operating Panel:

An operating panel is mounted on the frame of the blender. It consists of all the necessary push buttons for the various operational features of the blender.

Guard Rail:

Mechanical rail provided on the unit. Gate footprint to suit the turning radius of the blender body front set of railing in two sections open able, with limit switch/safety switch interlock rear set fixed, to prevent accidental intrusion into the blender rotational area.



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7.0 PRE-QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:

7.1 Verification of Documents :

- Executed and approved design qualification document.
- GA Drawing.
- Electrical Circuits Diagram.
- Technical Specification of Equipment.
- Certificate of Material of Construction of Components.

7.1.1 Procedure:

- Verify the above mentioned documents for availability, completeness and approval status.
- If any deviation is observed the same has to be recorded giving reasons for deviation and approved. Deviation should be approved by Authorized person.
- Approved Drawings and supporting documents would form a part of the IQ Protocol cum report.

7.1.2 Acceptance Criteria:

• All the documents should be available, complete and approved by respective authorities.



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8.0 CRITICAL VARIABLES TO BE MET:

8.1 Mechanical Installation Checklist:

S.No.	INSTALLATION CHECK	OBSERVATION	OBSERVED BY (ENGINEERING) SIGN/DATE
1.	The machine has been		
	positioned as per the room		
	layout drawing.		
2.	The machine has been levelled.		
3.	The machine has been cleaned.		
4.	Utilities has been properly		
	connected.		
5.	Visually check the machine for		
	damage due to transportation.		

Checked By (Production) Sign/Date:	Verified By (Quality Assurance) Sign/Date:
Inference:	
	Reviewed By
	(Manager QA) Sign/Date:



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8.2 Electrical Installation Checklist:

S.No.	INSTALLATION CHECK	OBSERVATION	OBSERVED BY (ENGINEERING) SIGN/DATE
1.	Electrical connection have		
	been provided and secured.		
2.	All components in the panel		
	are properly secured.		
3.	All terminals are tightened.		
4.	Check incoming voltage/		
	frequency.		
5.	Earthing connection to control		
	panel & equipment.		

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	Reviewed By (Manager QA) Sign/Date:



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8.3 General Checks and Location Suitability:

S.No.	INSTALLATION CHECKS	ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA	OBSERVATION	OBSERVED BY (ENGINEERING) SIGN/DATE
1.	Grouting and Mounting	Should be grouted and mounted properly.		
2.	Edges of Parts.	Metal edges should be properly Rounded off without any sharp edges.		
3.	Welding of Joints	Welding of joints should be without any welding burrs.		
4.	Place of Installation	Granulation area		
5.	Room Condition	General working condition As per GMP and production requirement.		
6.	Illumination in area	NLT 300 Lux.		
7.	Working space around the equipment	Should be sufficient for easy operation, cleaning, sanitation and maintenance.		

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8.4 Equipment Verification:

INSTALLATION CHECKS	SPECIFIC	ATION	OBSERVATION	OBSERVED BY (ENGINEERING (SIGN/DATE)
Equipment	Octagonal blend	ler.		
Model No.	GMP Model.			
Capacity	1250 Liters.			
ELECTRICAL I	NSTALLATION:			
Electricity	Voltage	415 V		
	Phases	3 Phase		
	Frequency	50 ± 5%		
Proximity switch	Protecting the op machine while ru	erator from		
Baffle	For proper mixin materials.			
Rectangular man	Tightened the wi	ng nut		
hole	properly after the material has been added.			
Butterfly valve	For discharging of			
<u> </u>	product by openi			
Conical cover	For clamping the unlading drum.	loading/		
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8.5 MOC Verification List:

S.No.	COMPONENT	мос	OBSERVATION	OBSERVED BY (ENGINEERING) SIGN/DATE
1.	Octagonal shell	AISI316		
2.	Baffles	AISI316		
3.	Rectangular Manhole	AISI316		
4.	Butterfly Valve (6")	AISI316		
5.	S.S Square pipe railing	AISI304		
6.	Pipe for Motor and Gear Box mounting	AISI304		
7.	Plummer Block	STD		
8.	Gasket	White Silicon Food Grade		
9.	Motor	STD		
10.	Gear box	STD		
11.	VFD	STD		
12.	Process timer	STD		
13.	RPM indicator	STD		
14.	Control panel	AISI304		
15.	Proximity switch	STD		
16.	Handel for butterfly valve	AISI304		
17.	PLC	STD		
18.	HMI (TS1070)	STD		
19.	Amp Meter (MA-12)	STD		
Checked By Verified By (Production) (Quality Assurance) Sign/Date: Sign/Date: Inference:				Assurance)
			Reviewed (Manage Sign/Dat	•



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8.6 Equipment Verification:

8.5.1 Technical Specifications:

S. No.	CRITICAL VARIABLES	ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA	OBSERVATION	OBSERVED BY (ENGINEERING) SIGN/DATE
1.	Equipment	Octagonal blender		
2.	Model No.	GMP Model.		
3.	Sr. No.	EP/PCHPL/OGB-		
		1250/SEPT/2015		
4.	Overall	Length : 2600		
	Dimension	Width : 2150		
	(in mm)	Height : 2300		
5.	Capacity	1250 Liters.		
6.	Net Weight	900 Kg		
7.	Blender RPM	6 to 12 RPM		
8.	Motor	Make : "REMI"		
		HP : 5 HP		
		Volt : 415		
		RPM : 1435		
		AMP : 7.1		
9.	Gear Box	Make : "Premium"		
		Type : U 500		
		Ratio : 50/1 L		
		Sr. No. : 7 B 34434		
10.	VFD	MAKE : "ABB"		
		Type : ACS-550-01-		
		08A8-4		
		Hp : 5 HP		
		Sr. No. : 9140801116		
11.	Proximity	Make : "HI-TECH"		
	Switch	Model : NO		
		Vol : 90V-250VAC		



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S. No.	CRITICAL VARIABLES	ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA	OBSERVATION	OBSERVED BY (ENGINEERING) SIGN/DATE
12.	Process timer	Make : "SELEC"		
		Size : 50 x 50 mm		
13.	PLC	Make : "MITSUBISHI"		
		Type : FX3S-14M		
14.	HMI	Make : "Monitouch -		
		Hakko		
		Electronics co.ltd.		
		Input : 24 VDC		
		Current : 0.8A		
		Size : 190 x 135		
		Sr. No. : 131000485		
15.	RPM Meter	Make : "SELEC"		
		Model : PIC-101		
		Size : 96 x 48		
16.	AMP Meter	Make : "SELEC"		
		Model : MA-12		
		Size : 96 x 48		
17.	Discharge	Butterfly valve		
	Valve	Inner dia. : 250 mm		
		ID		

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8.7 Safety:

CHECKS	ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA	OBSERVATION	OBSERVED BY ENGINEERING SIGN/DATE
Well embedded	For octagonal blender		
equipment	machine		
Electrical wiring and	Electrical wiring should be		
Earthing	as per approved drawings.		
	Double external earthing to		
	control machine panel and		
	motors should be provided.		
Guards	Guards for all moving parts		
Safety	Should be provided For		
	Motor safety		
Start On/Off switch: To	Should be provided For		
stop the process	equipment and operator		
immediately	safety		
Alarm/automatic system	Should have alarm and		
	automatic system		

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	Reviewed By (Manager QA) Sign/Date:



9.0 **REFERENCES:**

The Principle Reference is the following:

- Validation Master Plan
- Schedule-M "Good Manufacturing Practices and Requirements of Premises, Plant and Equipment for Pharmaceutical Products."
- WHO Essential Drugs and Medicines Policy, QA of Pharmaceuticals, Vol-2 Good Manufacturing Practices and Inspection.

10.0 DOCUMENTS TO BE ATTACHED:

- Technical details for Equipment Requirement with Engineering Drawings.
- Certificate of MOC.

11.0 DEVIATION FROM PRE-DEFINED SPECIFICATION, IF ANY:

12.0 CHANGE CONTROL, IF ANY:



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14.0 CONCLUSION:

15.0 RECOMMENDATION:



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16.0 ABBREVIATIONS:

Amp	:	Ampere
cGMP	:	Current Good Manufacturing Practices
DQ	:	Design Qualification
GB	:	General Block
IQ	:	Installation Qualification
MCB	:	Miniature Circuit Break
mm	:	Millimetre
MOC	:	Material of construction
No.	:	Number
OBL	:	Octagonal Blender
RPM	:	Revolutions per Minute
Sr.	:	Senior
SS	:	Stainless Steel
STD	:	Standard
WHO	:	World Health Organization



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17.0 PROTOCOL POST- APPROVAL:

INITIATED BY:

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HEAD (ENGINEERING)			

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