



## OPA 242RKTB-P (c/w EC Plug fan)

# Packaged Reverse Cycle R410A Air Cooled Air Conditioner

# Installation & Maintenance

### GENERAL

This OPA 242RKTB-P unit must be installed in accordance with all national and local safety codes.

### CONFIGURATIONS

The OPA 242RKTB-P is supplied in one of two standard configurations :

1. Horizontal supply/return air with box mounting channel (RKTBH-P), or
2. Downward supply air with box mounting channel (RKTBU-P).

### REFRIGERATION SYSTEM

#### General

The OPA 242 has two independent refrigeration circuits and two compressors to provide the flexibility and economy of two stage operation, i.e. utilising one or two circuits as conditions vary, plus the advantage of staggered starting.

The refrigeration system has been charged with HFC-410A (R410A) refrigerant; refer wiring diagram specification table for amount. Tapping points are provided to measure discharge and suction operating pressures.

#### Compressors

The compressor is directional scroll type. The compressor lubricant is polyol ester oil (POE). Note, this oil absorbs moisture quickly if exposed to open air. On commissioning, the compressor must be checked for correct rotation (refer Start Up Procedure).

#### ECONOMISER (Option)

If the outdoor air heat content or temperature is below that of the return air, the fresh air damper opens and the return air damper closes to provide the first stage of cooling. The compressor will then operate to provide more cooling if required.

### INSTALLATION

#### Unpacking

Units configured with Downward supply air and mounting rails, have their spigots shipped loose inside the return air cavity.

#### Positioning

Refer to dimension diagrams for minimum clearances. If multiple units are to be placed side-by-side then allow at least 2 m between coil faces.

#### Mounting

The unit should be fastened to a firm flat horizontal base using the holes supplied in the box mounting channel.

When the unit is being installed on a roof it is recommended that the unit is installed on a substantial structure with vibration isolating mounts or pads beneath the unit.

Flexible duct connections are recommended between the supply and return ducts and the unit.

#### Condensate Drain

The condensate drain should be 'U' trapped outside the unit. The trap should have a Downward height of at least 100 mm. The drain should have a slope of at least 1 in 50 and must not be piped to a level above the unit drain pipe (see figure 3).

#### Electrical Requirements

Electrical work must be done by a qualified electrician. The outdoor unit must be wired directly from a distribution board by means of a circuit breaker or H.R.C. fuse, and a mains isolator provided - preferably close to the unit.

**Note:** DO NOT USE REWIRABLE FUSES.

The OPA 242 is provided with a 24V AC control circuit for a thermostat, on/off switch and/or time clock.

The control transformer 240V primary voltage is used for countries with 230-240V power supply. For countries with supply voltages 200-220V, change the primary voltage on the transformer to 208V.

Standard units are suitable for use with thermostats with either manual Heat/Cool selection or automatic changeover subject to the contact ratings of the thermostats.

#### INDOOR FAN SPEED

The fan speed is continuously variable via the 0-10V DC control signal applied between terminals 'FAN GND' and '0-10V'.

Once the maximum design air flow has been determined, the fan speed can be controlled as follows:

1. **ON/OFF**
  - a.) Connect 24V a.c. control signal to either 'LOW 24V', 'MED 24V' or 'HIGH 24V', and 'COM 24V',  
or
  - b.) Wire a N/O control relay contact (or switch) between 'FAN 10V' and '0-10V'.
2. **Variable Speed**

Apply an external variable 0-10V DC control voltage to '0-10V' terminal.  
Connect 0V reference to 'FAN GND'.

### CHECK TESTS

1. Leave the remote switch in the off position and close the mains isolating switch. A four hour delay period is required to allow the crankcase heater to drive any liquid refrigerant out of the compressor oil. Bypass the crankcase heater thermostat (CCHT) for this period only.
2. Check that the shipping block beneath the compressors have been removed and that the compressors are secure on their mounts.
3. Check that the thermostat is correctly wired to the unit and is set at the desired temperature.
4. Indoor Air fan: Link terminals 'FAN 10V' to '0-10V'. Adjust the 'POT' to deliver your maximum design air flow. Remove link 'FAN 10V' to '0-10V' when fan speed has been set.
5. Check that all fan motors are free running.
6. Check condensate drain for free drainage.
7. Check that the air filters (if fitted) have been correctly installed and are clean.
8. Check air diffuser dampers are open if appropriate.

### START UP PROCEDURE

Use the supplied Commissioning Sheet to help you complete the following procedure:

1. Switch on the unit after the four hour delay period for the crankcase heater has expired. Ensure the crankcase heater thermostat has been reconnected.
2. The compressor fitted is directional. Check for correct rotation. If rotation is incorrect the compressor will not pump, be noisy, and will draw minimal current. To correct motor rotation, change the phasing at the main power terminal. If changing the phasing, check the indoor air fan then runs in the correct direction also.
3. Check the supply voltage between each phase and neutral.
4. Measure the current draw on each phase to the compressor motor and measure the current draw of each fan motor. Check all readings against the specified values in the wiring diagram.
5. Fit gauges and measure the suction and discharge pressures of both refrigeration circuits.
6. Check that the outdoor air fan motors are running smoothly.
7. Test the operation of the reversing valve by running the unit in both the heating and cooling mode.
8. Check the supply air flow at each outlet.
9. Check the tightness of all electrical connections and sign the check label.

10. Touch up any outdoor unit paintwork damage to prevent corrosion.

**SETTING SUPPLY AIR FLOW**

Consult OPA 242 Technical Data pamphlet for details of airflow/duct static pressure, if required.

If the indoor air returning to the unit is regularly expected to be above 50%RH, then the coil face velocity should be limited to be 2.5 m/s or less (refer Air Handling graph in Technical Data pamphlet).

High humidity levels can occur in tropical or subtropical conditions, and/or when heavily moisture laden fresh air is introduced. Select a fan speed that avoids water carry-over problems.

**OUTDOOR UNIT CONTROLLER (OUC)**

The Outdoor Unit Controller (OUC) includes a temperature sensing head pressure control which enables the system to compensate for outdoor ambient temperatures below 20°C on cooling cycle, and above 15°C on heating cycle. The OUC also has features which protect against icing or overheating of coils, rapid cycling of the compressor and loss of refrigerant charge.

If the outdoor air fans take some time to begin rotating when the system is powered on, or they don't appear to be rotating appropriately while the compressor is running, consult the OUC label on the electrical box. If necessary, refer to **temperzone** for further diagnostic information.

**MAINTENANCE**

**Monthly**

1. Check air filters, if fitted, and vacuum or wash clean as necessary.
2. Check condensate drain for free drainage.
3. Check compressor compartment for oil stains indicating refrigerant leaks.

**Six Monthly**

1. Check the tightness of electrical connections.
2. Check the tightness of fans and motor mountings.
3. Check suction and discharge operating pressures.
4. Replace indoor air filters (if fitted).
5. Check condensate drain for free drainage.

**Yearly**

1. Check all refrigerant piping for chafing and vibration.
2. Check the operation of electric heaters, if fitted.
3. Check air supply at all diffusers.
4. Check for excessive noise and vibration and correct as necessary.
5. Check for insulation and duct damage and repair as necessary.
6. Check and remove as necessary any lint and dust accumulation from outdoor coil fins. In corrosive environments, the checking and cleaning frequency should be increased.
7. Touch up any paintwork damage to prevent corrosion.

**NOTE**

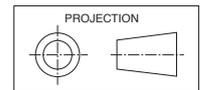
The manufacturer reserves the right to make changes in specifications at any time without notice or obligation. Certified data is available on request.

This pamphlet replaces the previous issue no. 3738 dated 04/18. Dimension added betw. spigots. Wiring revision E.

**DIMENSIONS (mm)**

**Fig. 1 OPA 242RKTBH-P – Horizontal Supply & Return Air**

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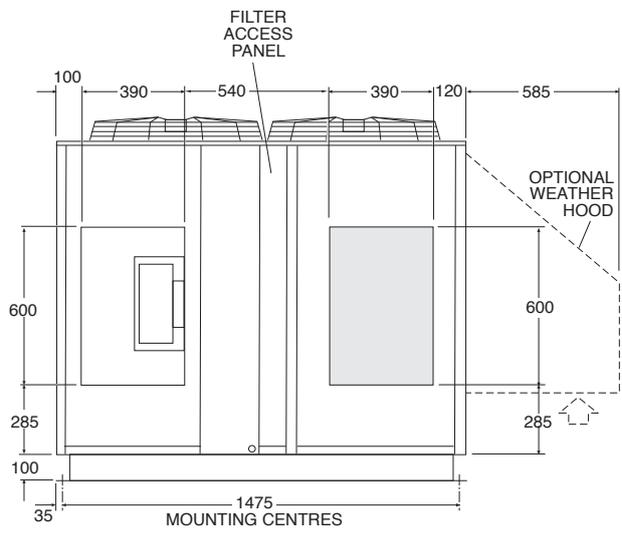
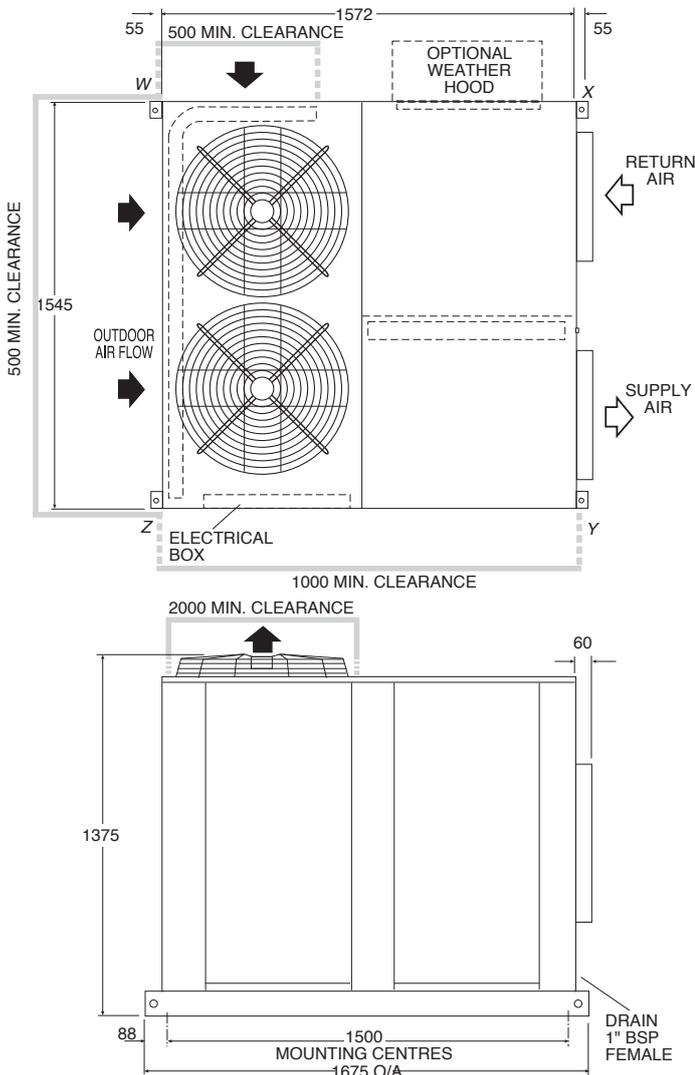


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POINT LOADS (kg)			
W	X	Y	Z
89	98	107	149

Net Weight 443 kg

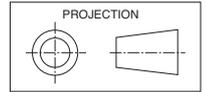
**Note :** A 2 m clearance is required above the exhaust air fans



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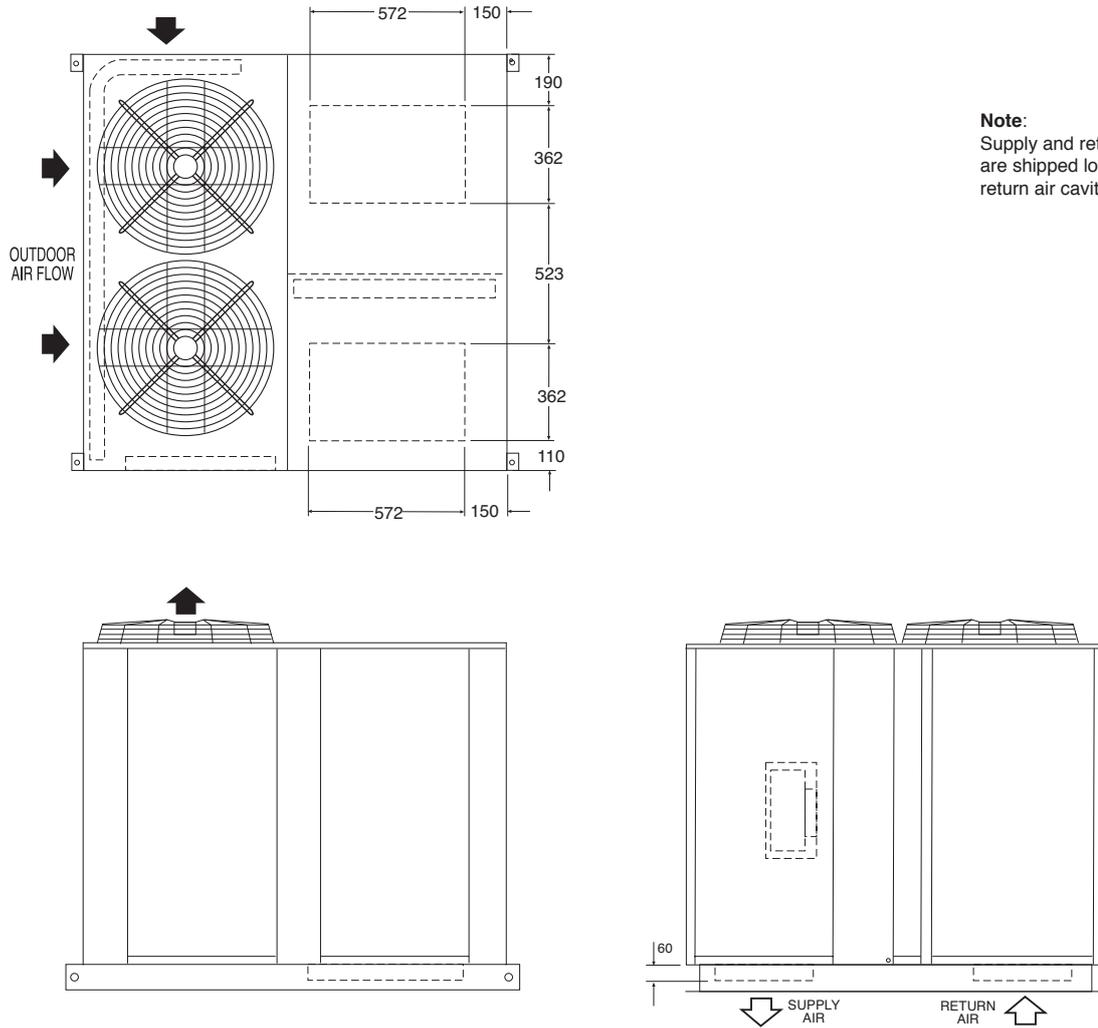
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**Fig. 2 OPA 242RKTBU-P – Downward Supply & Return Air**

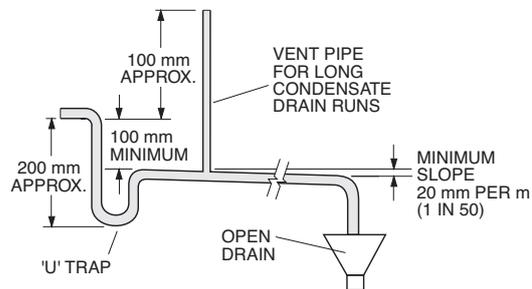


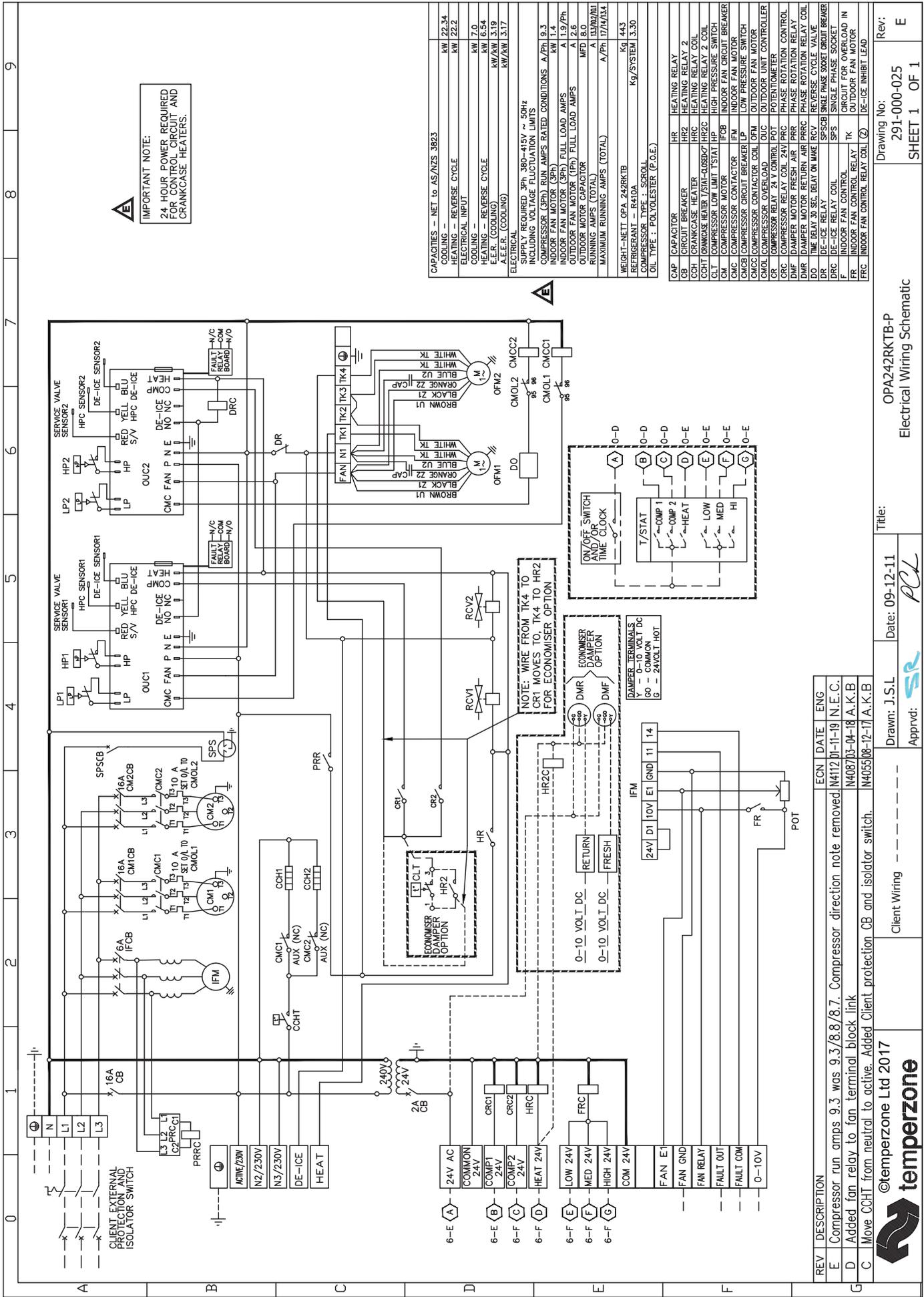
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**Note:**  
Supply and return air spigots are shipped loose inside the return air cavity.



**Fig. 3 Condensate Drain**





**IMPORTANT NOTE:**  
24 HOUR POWER REQUIRED FOR CONTROL CIRCUIT AND CRANKCASE HEATERS.

CAPACITIES - NET to AS/NZS 3823	
COOLING - REVERSE CYCLE	kW 22.34
ELECTRICAL INPUT	kW 22.2
COOLING -	kW 7.0
HEATING - REVERSE CYCLE	kW 6.54
F.E.R. (COOLING)	kW/kW 3.19
A.E.E.R. (COOLING)	kW/kW 3.17
ELECTRICAL	
SUPPLY REQUIRED 3Ph 380-415V ~ 50Hz	
INCLUDING VOLTAGE FLUCTUATION LIMITS	
COMPRESSOR (3Ph) RUN AMPS RATED CONDITIONS A/Ph 9.3	
INDOOR FAN MOTOR (3Ph) FULL LOAD AMPS	kW 11.5/Ph
INDOOR FAN MOTOR (1Ph) FULL LOAD AMPS	A 2.6
RUNNING AMPS (TOTAL)	A 13.1/Ph
MAXIMUM RUNNING AMPS (TOTAL)	A/Ph 17.1/Ph
WEIGHT-NETT OFA 242RKT-B	Kg 44.3
REFRIGERANT - R410A	Kg/SYSTEM 3.30
COMPRESSOR TYPE : SCROLL	
OIL TYPE : POLYESTER (P.O.E.)	
CAP CAPACITOR	HR HEATING RELAY
CB CIRCUIT BREAKER	HR2 HEATING RELAY 2
CHT CRANKCASE HEATER	HR3 HEATING RELAY COIL
CCH1 COMPRESSOR HIGH/STAT-0085C7	HR2C HEATING RELAY 2 COIL
CLT COMPRESSOR LOW LIMIT T/STAT	HR2C HIGH PRESSURE SWITCH
CMC1 COMPRESSOR CONTACTOR	IFM1 INDOOR FAN MOTOR
CMC2 COMPRESSOR CONTACTOR	IFM2 INDOOR FAN MOTOR
CMCB COMPRESSOR CIRCUIT BREAKER	LP LOW PRESSURE SWITCH
CMCL COMPRESSOR CONTACTOR COIL	OFM1 OUTDOOR FAN MOTOR
CMCR COMPRESSOR RELAY 24V CONTROL	POT POTENTIOMETER
CR COMPRESSOR RELAY COIL 24V	PRC PHASE ROTATION CONTROL
DMR DAMPER MOTOR FRESH AIR	PRR PHASE ROTATION RELAY
DMF DAMPER MOTOR RETURN AIR	RCV REVERSE CYCLE VALVE
DO TIME DELAY 30 SEC. DELAY ON MAKE	RCV REVERSE CYCLE SOCKET
DR DE-ICE RELAY	SFS SINGLE PHASE SOCKET
DRC DE-ICE RELAY COIL	TK CIRCUIT FOR OVERLOAD IN
FR INDOOR FAN CONTROL RELAY	TK OUTDOOR FAN MOTOR
IFC INDOOR FAN CONTROL RELAY COIL	TK DE-ICE INHIBIT LEAD

REV	DESCRIPTION	ENCL	DATE	ENG
E	Compressor run amps 9.3 was 9.3/8.8/8.7. Compressor direction note removed.	N4112	10-11-19	N.E.C.
D	Added fan relay to fan terminal block link	N4087	03-04-18	A.K.B
C	Move CCHT from neutral to active. Added Client protection CB and isolator switch.	N4055	08-12-17	A.K.B

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Client Wiring  
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Apprvd: *SR*

Date: 09-12-11

Title: OPA242RKT-B-P  
Electrical Wiring Schematic

Drawing No: 291-000-025  
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