

Flaked and Nugget Ice Machines

Technical Training

Presentation Topics

- Section 1: 1/10 HP Flakers
 - AFE325, AFE400, MFE400
- Section 2: 1/4 HP Flakers
 - NME, FME, NSE

Presentation Topics

- Flaker Nugget Topics
 - Component Location
 - Installation
 - Construction
 - Maintenance
 - Service Diagnosis
 - Refrigeration Service

Small Flakers

- AFE400
- AFE325
- MFE400







Small Flakers

Flaked Ice Only

- AFE325 and AFE400 are Self Contained
- MFE400 is Modular
- AFE400 and MFE400 available in air cooled or water cooled configurations
- AFE325 is only available as an air cooled model

Small Flakers

Air Flow



In and Out the Front



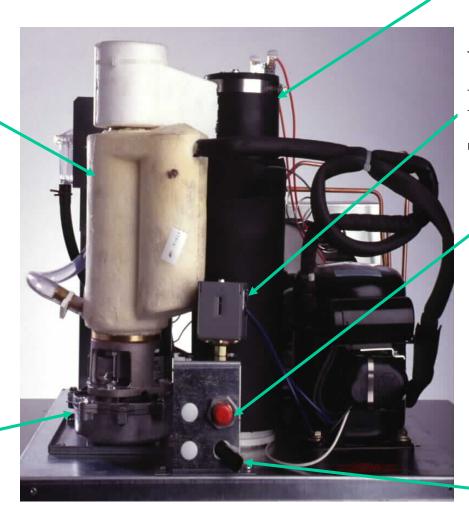
In the Front, Out the Left Side and Back



In the Front, Out the Sides and Back

MFE400 Back View

Evaporator



Ice Chute

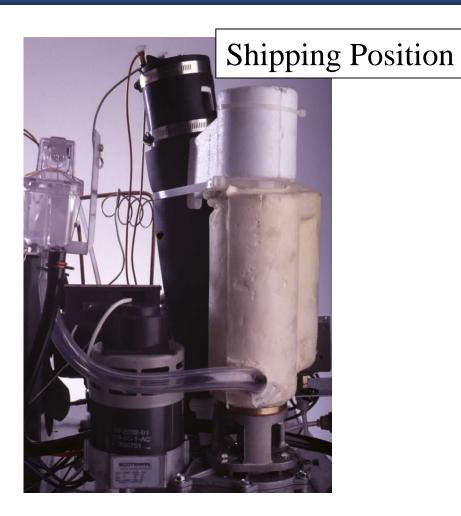
Water Pressure Switch

Water Inlet

Gear Box

Overflow Drain Hose

MFE400 Installation





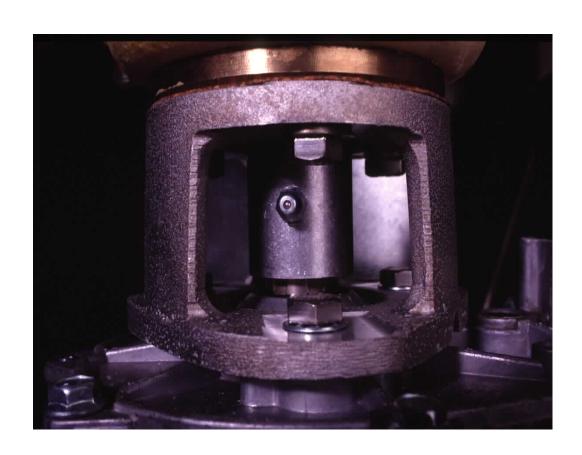
Assemble Ice Chute with pre-mounted Thermostat

Scotsman Small Flaker Refrigeration

- Brass Evaporators
- R-134a
- Cap Tube
 - AFE325, MFE400
- Expansion Valve
 - AFE400

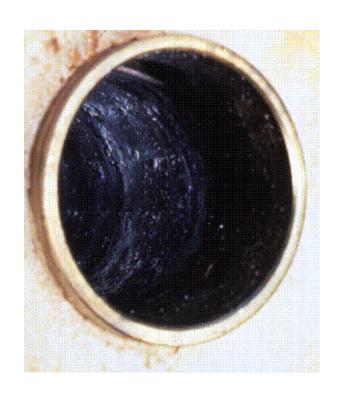
Scotsman[®] Small Flaker Maintenance

- Cleaning
 - Condenser
 - Water System
- Lubrication
 - Grease Coupling



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Water System Cleaning

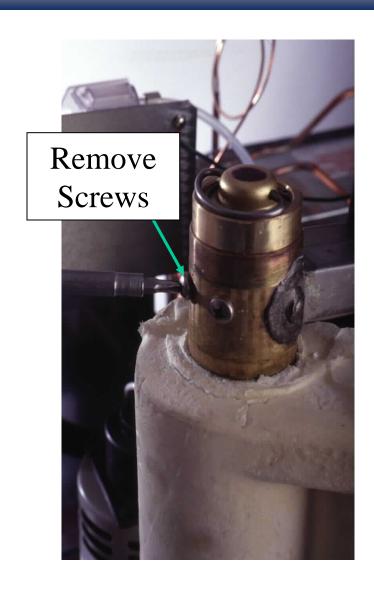




Water System Must Be Cleaned to Remove Mineral Scale

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MFE400 Auger Removal



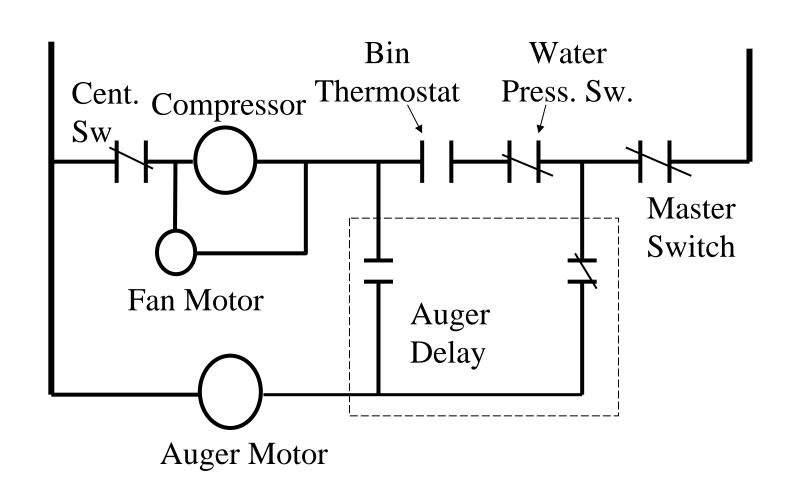


Small Flaker Controls

- Electro-Mechanical
 - Bin Thermostat
 - Auger Delay Pressure Control
 - Water Pressure Switch
 - Centrifugal Switch on Auger Motor

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Typical Wiring Schematic



Small Flakers

- What could be wrong if the machine has power but will not start?
 - Open bin thermostat
 - No water pressure
 - Open auger motor windings
 - Any of the above

Refrigeration

- Typical Low Side Operating Pressure:
 - 7 10 PSIG (AFE325)
 - 12 PSIG (AFE400)
 - 13 14 PSIG (MFE400)



Refrigeration Service



Evacuate to 300 microns





Weigh In Charge



HFC Leak Detectors



Use Nitrogen Purge

Small Flaker Summary

- One Modular
- Two Self Contained
- R-134a
- Small Auger Drive Motor (1/10 HP)
- Electro-Mechanical Controls

Scotsman NME Nugget or FME Flake

- Condensing Types:
 - Air Cooled
 - Water Cooled
 - Remote Air Cooled
 - Remote Low Side



Large Modular Flakers

- 21" Wide
- 30" Wide
- 42" Wide



21" and 42" Wide

- Right Side View
 - Service PanelRemoved
 - Right Side Panel May
 Also Be Removed

Auger Motor



Service Panels

- Left Side View
 - Service panel removed
 - Side panel may also be removed



Compressor

Air Flow

- Two screws & two snaps hold the front panel on
- Cleanable Air Filter
- System access ports at the front

Benefit: Easier Cleaning





Front View

Bail Clamp

Evap. Drain

Control Box

Ice Chute



Evaporator

Reservoir

Bin Control

Installation

Benefit: Easier Installation

- Standard Plumbing Fittings
 - 3/8" male flare
 - 3/4" drain
- Electrical Junction Box
- Options
 - Water Filters or
 - Water Treatment



Utility Connections

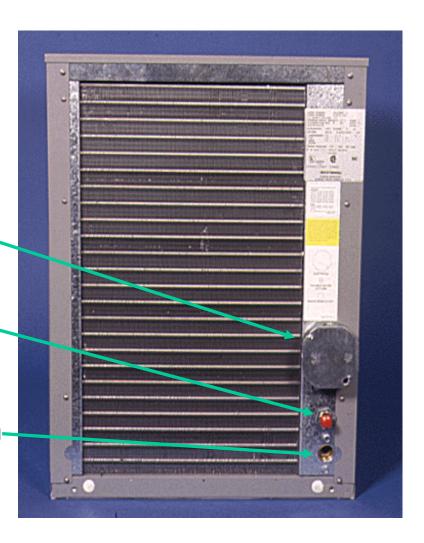
- Air Cooled:
 - Air out the back

Electrical Junction Box -

Water Inlet

Water Drain-

Benefit: Easier Installation



Initial Start Up

Remotes

Benefit: Easier Installation

- 4 hour wait after electrical connection for crankcase heater soak out
- All others, switch Mode switch to ON
 - No bin control to install

Side View



Drain Hose

Water Reservoir

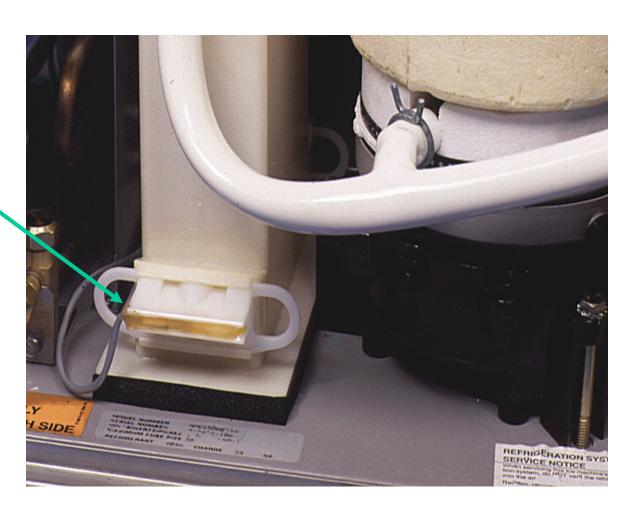
- Float Controlled Water Level
- Water Sensor
 - Shuts unit down when water is gone



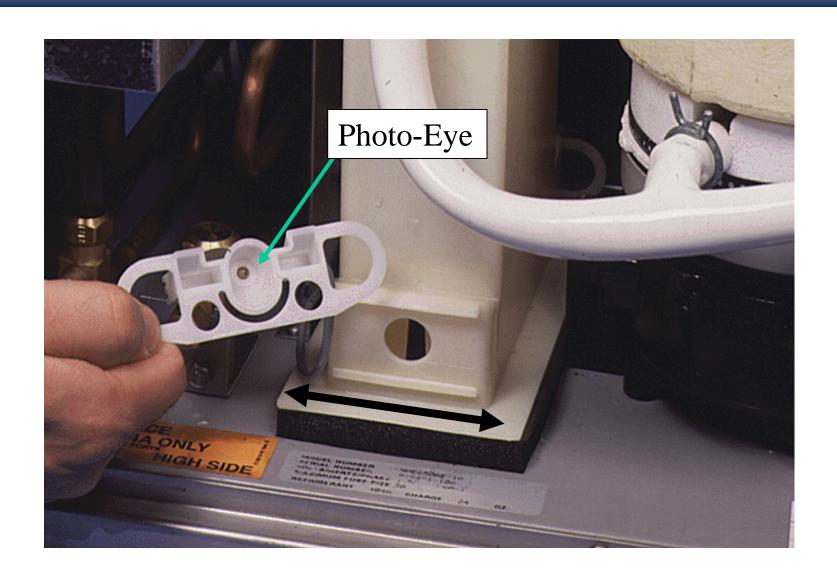
Ice Sensors

Electric Eyes at the base of the Ice Chute

Ice Sensor Position



Slide to Remove



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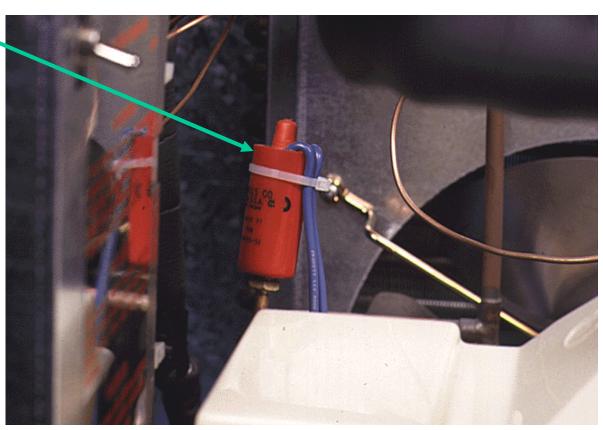
Pressure Cut Outs: Prior

Push to Reset.

Prior Manual Reset HPC

Prior Manual Reset LPC in the Control





Scotsman* Pressure Cut Outs: Current

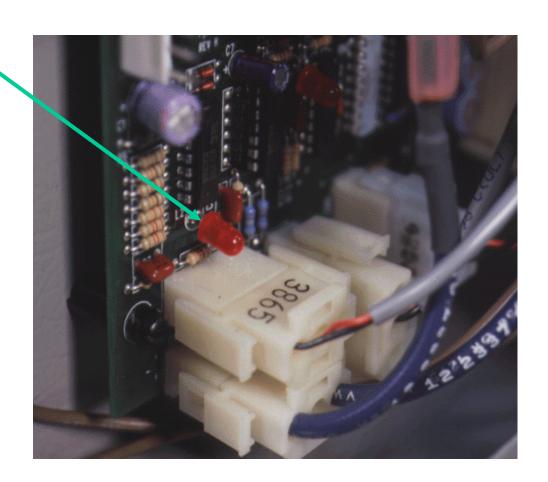
- Automatic Reset
 - LPC
 - Cut Out: 15 PSIG
 - Cut In: 30 PSIG
 - HPC
 - Cut Out: 450 PSIG
 - Cut In: 350 PSIG





Prior Control System

Bin Empty Light is ON When Ice Level, is Low

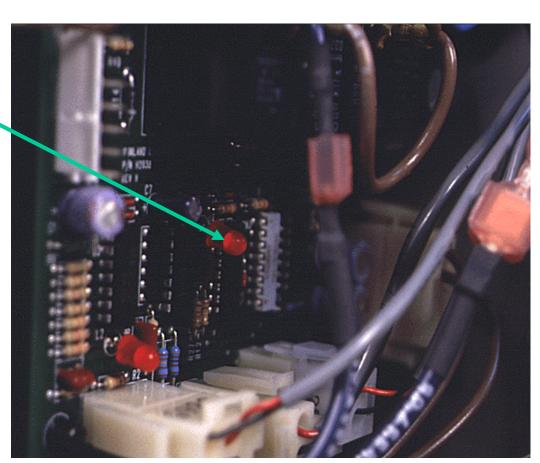




Prior Control System

 The No Water Light is ON when the Water Level in the Reservoir is Low.

No Water Light





Prior Control System

 A Tester is Available to Determine if a Sensor or Board Has a Problem.

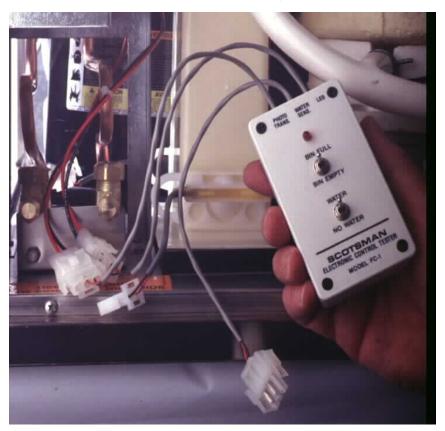
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Control System - All

- Use Tester for Ice Sensor Check
 - Prior connect at circuit board
 - AutoSentry connect tester at ice sensor connections

Benefit: Useable on ALL Electronic Flaker Systems



Current Control System

AutoSentry

Water OK

Power OK

Service

Freeze

Bin Full

LED1

Compressor Relay



LED3

Auger Relay

AutoSentry Control

- Indicator Lights
 - Blinking Light Indicates a Pending Change
 - Starting
 - Shutting Down
 - LED1 and LED3 Lights
 - Indicate Control Has Powered that Relay's Coil
 - Example: LED3 is ON, Auger Motor Should Have Power To It

AutoSentry Timings

- No ice sensed for 10 seconds
 - Result: Start Up
- Ice sensed for 6 consecutive seconds
 - Result: Shut Down
- Unit Shuts Down
 - Auger Motor Delay runs 1 more minute
 - Compressor will not restart until 2 minutes have passed since shut down

Lights On - Making Ice

AutoSentry

Water OK

Power OK

Freeze

LED1

Freeze light blinks during 2 minute Restart Delay.



LED3

Lights On - No Water

AutoSentry

Water OK

Power OK

Water OK
Blinks Until
Auger Motor
Shuts Off, Then
Then it and
LED3 Are OFF



LED3

Supply Interruptions

- Water
 - Automatic Restart
 - After 2 Minute Restart Delay
 - 2 Minute Timer Starts After Shut Down
- Power
 - Automatic Restart
 - After 2 Minute Restart Delay
 - 2 Minute Timer Starts After Power Restoration

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Lights On - Auger Motor Stalled

AutoSentry

Water OK

Power OK

Service

Service Light Blinks During the Restart Period

Glows Continuously When Board Must be Manually Reset.



Lights On - Bin Full

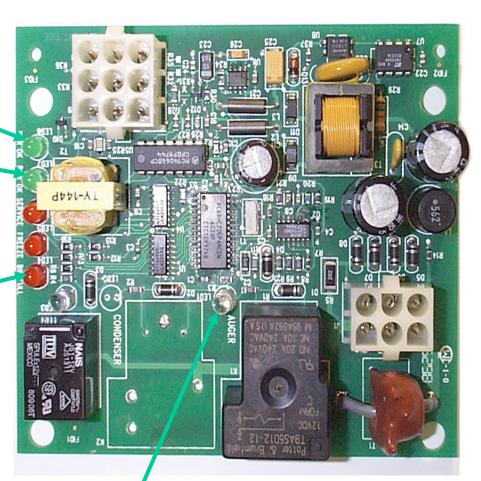
AutoSentry

Water OK

Power OK

Bin Full

Bin Full Blinks Until the Auger Motor Shuts OFF. Then Bin Full is ON and LED 3 is OFF



LED3



AutoSentry Control

	Water OK	Power	Service	Freeze	Bin Full	LED1	LED3
Normal – making ice	ON	ON	Off	ON	Off	ON	ON
Normal - off	ON	ON	Off	Off	ON	Off	Off
Auger Motor Problem	ON	ON	Blinking	ON	Off	Off	Off
Cut Out Open	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off

Prior Control System

Water Sensor

- Thermistor Probe
- Diagnose with Tester
- Cannot be used with AutoSentry Board

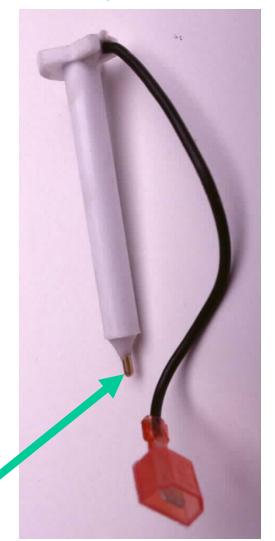


Tip Must Be Clean

Current Control System

Benefit: Easy to Test

- Water Sensor
 - Conductivity Probe
 - Cannot be used with prior control board
 - Located in Reservoir
 - No tester needed
 - Use ohmmeter or
 - By-pass to ground



Tip Must Be Clean

Conductivity Probe

- Probe's Circuit
 - From Control Board
 - To Probe
 - To Tip
 - Through Water
 - To Evaporator
 - To Chassis (Ground)
 - Back to Control Board

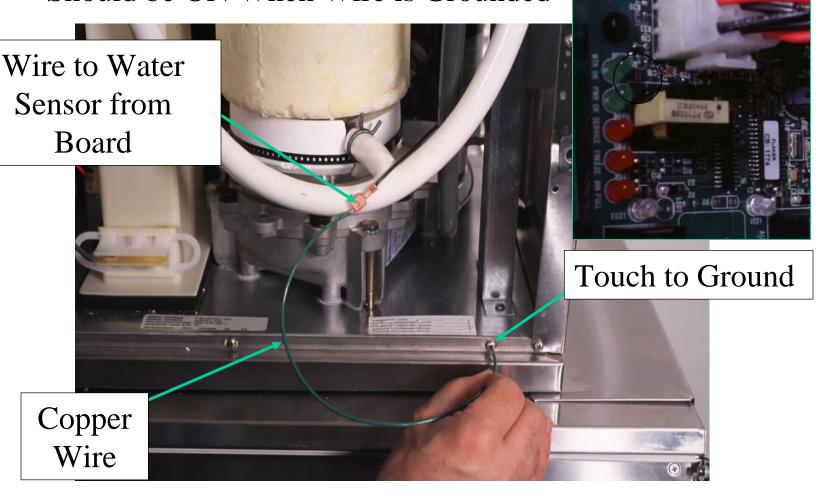


Water Level Probe Tip

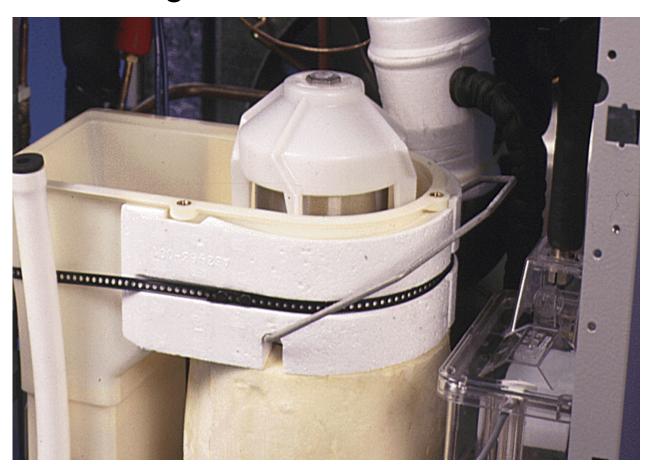
Evaporator Inlet

Testing Water Sensor

Water OK Light on AutoSentry Board Should be ON When Wire is Grounded



Begin by Removing the Chute Cover





Changes

Chute Insulation
Changed to Foam
Type





Under-Chute Insulation Changed to Foam Type

Remove Ice Sweep



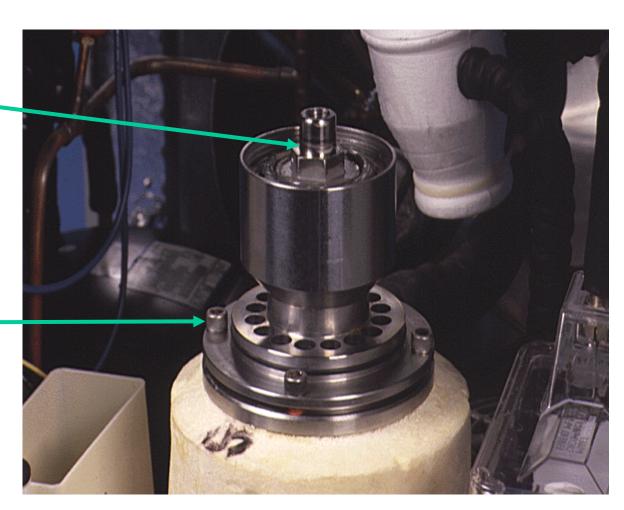
Remove Breaker Cover (Left Hand Threads).



Lower Chute and Breaker Cover Removed

Auger Stud

Breaker to
Evaporator
Cap Screws



- Remove the 4 allenhead screws.
- Lift up on the breaker and pull the auger out.



 Or, Remove the Auger Stud and then Lift the Breaker Off the Auger.

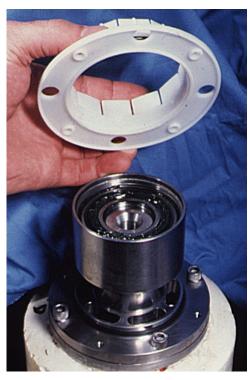


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Breakers: Nugget & Flaker

- This is a "Flaker" Breaker
 - Extra "Slotted Collar"
 - 6 slots for ice





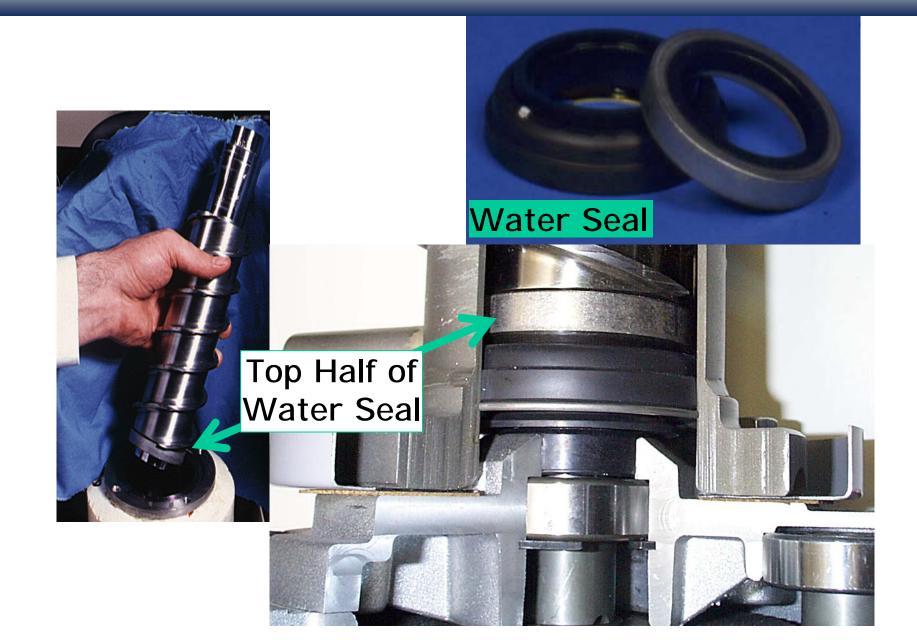


Nugget Breaker



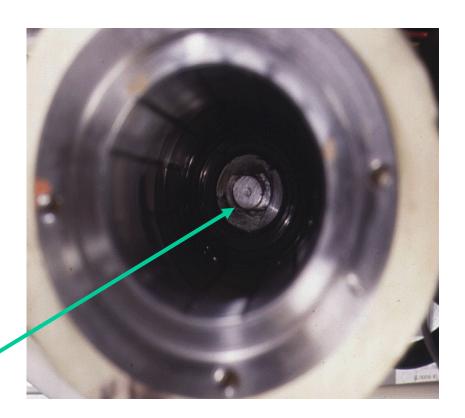


Water Seal



Components

 With the Auger Removed, the Output Shaft and Bottom Part of the Water Seal Are Visible.

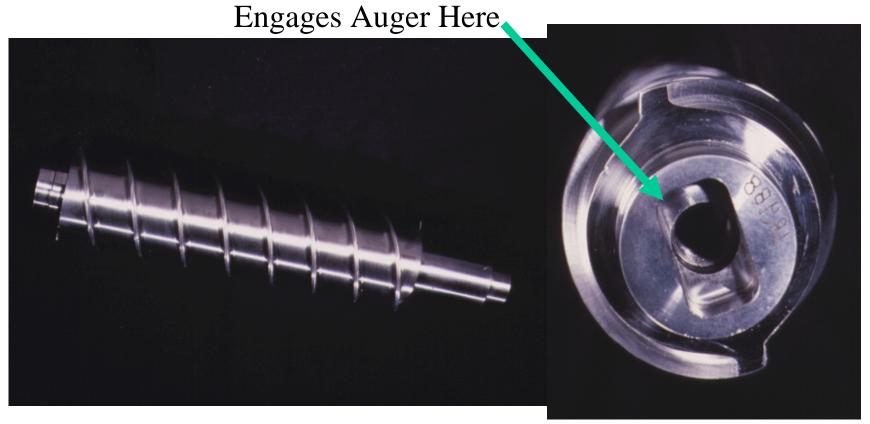


Output Shaft



Auger

Drive End, Output Shaft

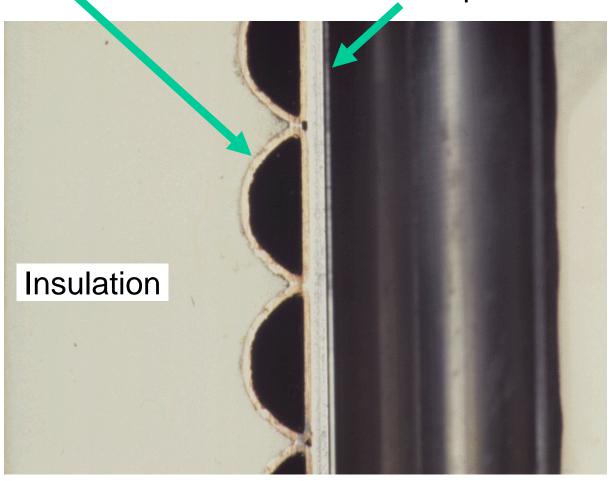




Construction

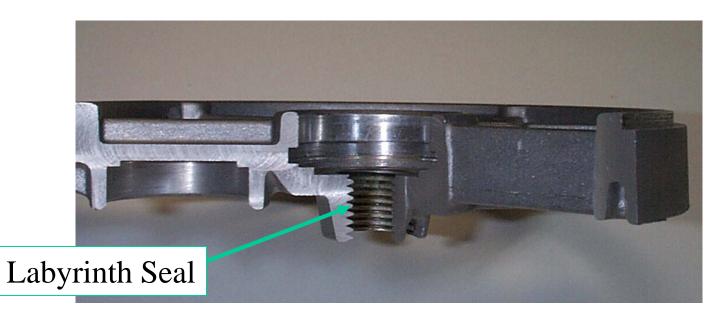
Refrigerant Tube

Evaporator Wall



Construction

- Gear Case Input Shaft
 - Change from lip seal to
 - a Labyrinth type



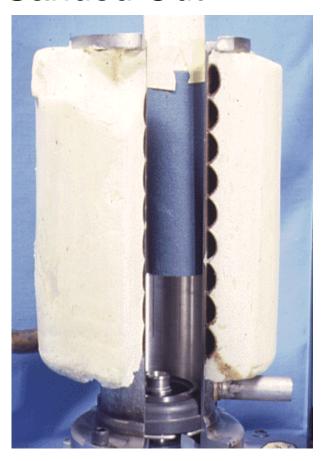
Cleaning

- NEVER Pour Ice Machine Cleaner Directly into the Reservoir!
 - Mix it: 8 ounces to 3 quarts
- Drain Reservoir & Evaporator
 - Unit OFF, pour cleaning mixture in reservoir
 - Soak for 15 minutes
- Start machine & pour balance of cleaning mixture in the reservoir



Maintenance

- Stubborn Stains Must Be Sanded Out
 - Sand Vertically



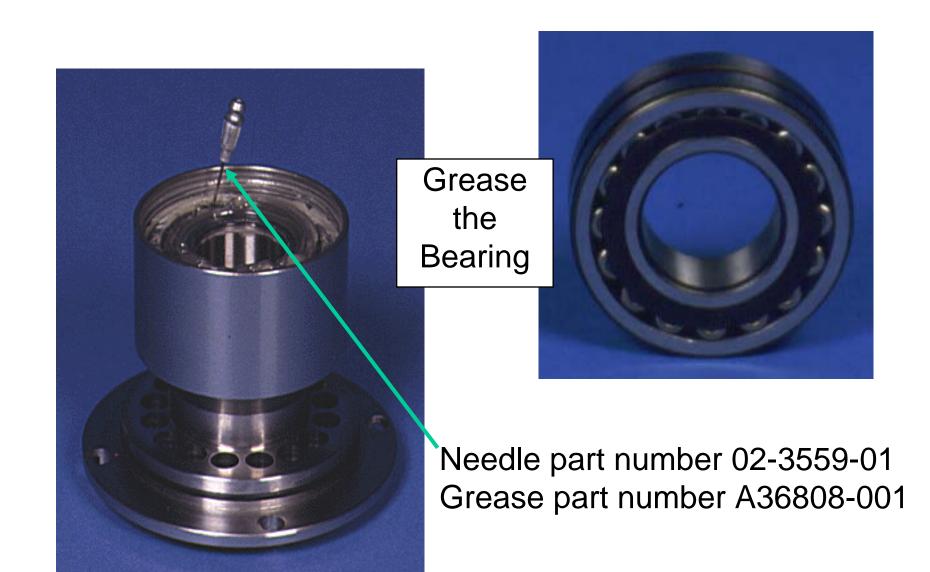
Cleaning

- The Auger Must Be Free of Scale
 - Wet Auger Might Appear OK
 - Let it Dry to See Scale





Breaker & Bearing





Service Diagnosis - All

Symptom	Probable Cause	Possible Solution
Does Not Start	No Water	Check Board for Lights and Reservoir for Water, Restore Water
	No Power	Check Board for Lights
	Prior No Lights	Check Transformer
	Current No Lights	Check Hi and Low Pressure Cut Outs



Service Diagnosis - All

Symptom	Probable Cause	Possible Solution
Does Not Start	Bin Controls Dirty	Check Board for Bin Full or Empty Light
	Current: Bin Full Light is OFF	Clean Bin Controls
	Prior: Bin Empty Light is ON	



Service Diagnosis

Symptom	Probable Cause	Possible Solution	
No Ice	Auger Motor Will Not Start	Check Service Light on AutoSentry Board	
	Service Light Blinking or Steady	Check Auger for Binding	
	No Power to Auger Motor	Check relay	



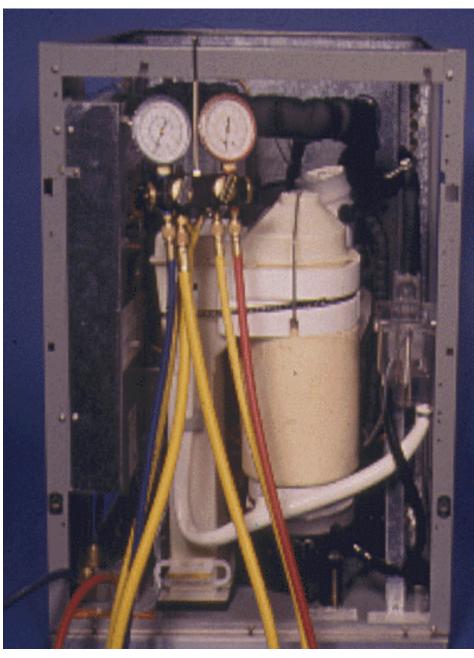
Service Diagnosis

Symptom	Probable Cause	Possible Solution
Auger Motor ON, No Ice	Compressor OFF	Check for Power to Contactor Coil
		Check Compressor
		Prior models, check motor switch
	Compressor ON	Check if auger is turning

Service

Motor and Gear Reducer Kits

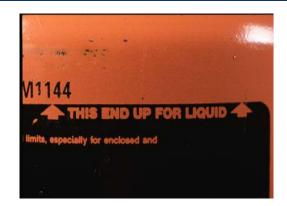
- Motor Only
- or Gear Case with Gears & Oil
- or Complete Case & Motor
- or Individual Gears
- or Case Cover with output shaft
- or Case Bottom



FME/NME R-404A Machines Refrigeration System Pressures Discharge: 240 - 300 PSIG (Water Cooled set at 245 PSIG) Suction: 32 - 35 PSIG)



Refrigeration Service



Liquid Charge



R-404A



Weigh In Charge



HFC Leak Detectors



Evacuate to 300 microns

Use Nitrogen Purge

Summary

- Stainless steel augers, evaporators and bearing retainers
- Photo-electric eye bin controls
- Water level sensor
- Double flight auger
- Self-aligning top bearing
 - R-404A refrigerant