

# Directions for use

LPKB / LPFB / LPKB Silent



This directions for use contains the products LPKB, LPFB and LPKB Silent. Scan the QR code on the product label or visit [www.ostberg.com](http://www.ostberg.com) for further information about the product.



## DESCRIPTION

LPKB, LPFB and LPKB Silent is a low profile duct fan with backward curved impellers and swing-out design. The fan housing is manufactured from galvanised steel sheet.

The fans are equipped with an AC or EC external rotor induction motor with maintenance-free sealed ball bearings.

LPKB is available with one or two connections on the inlet side.

LPFB is the same fan as LPKB but without rubber seals on the duct connections.

LPKB Silent is equipped with a built in silencer on the inlet side.

## APPLICATION

- The fan is accessible for the user, according to IEC 60335-2-40, to by themselves do the service and maintenance, according to this Directions for use. But before this work the unit must be currentless. With reservation according to IEC 60335-2-7.12 "This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or metal capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety." "Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance."

- The fan is used for transportation of "clean" air, meaning not intended for fire-dangerous substances, explosives, grinding dust, soot, etc.
- To achieve maximum life time for installations in damp or cold environments, the fan should be operating continuously.
- The fan can be installed outside or in damp environments. Make sure that the fan house is equipped with drainage.
- The fan is intended to be used at the highest voltage and frequency that's stated on the label on the fan.
- The fan can be installed in any position.

## HOW TO HANDLE

- The fan must be transported in its packing until installation. This prevents transport damages, scratches and the fan from getting dirty.
- Avoid extreme heat or cold (temperature range for storage and transport).

- Avoid prolonged storage; we recommend a maximum of one year (consult the manufacturer before starting if stored for longer).

## INSTALLATION

- The fan must be installed according to the air direction label on the fan.
- The fan must be connected to duct or equipped with a safety grille.
- The fan should be installed in a safe way and make sure that no foreign objects are left behind.
- The fan should be installed in a way that makes service and maintenance easy. N.B.! Consider the weight and size of the fan.
- The fan should be installed in a way that vibrations not can be transferred to duct or building. To provide this, use for example a flange.
- Electrical installations must be made by an authorized electrician.
- See Wiring diagram at the lid of the junction box.
- Electrical installation must be connected to a locally situated isolator switch or by a lockable main switch.
- Control that the fan is installed and connected electrically in the right way, grounded and with motor protection.
- For single phase fans a residual current device is used (type A).

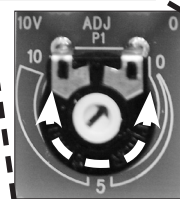
### AC-MOTOR

- For speed regulation of AC motor a transformer or thyristor can be connected.
- The AC motor has a built-in thermal contact.
- The capacitor (only for AC motor) has finite lifetime and should be exchanged after 45.000 operation hours (about 5 years of operation) to secure maximum function. Defective capacitor can cause damage.



### EC-MOTOR

- Speed regulating of EC motor can be done with the built-in potentiometer, 0-10 V. An external potentiometer can be connected to the terminal if necessary. The internal potentiometer should then be disconnected.



- The EC motor has tachometer output one pulse per revolution.

- **EMC-COMPATIBLE INSTALLATION OF EXTERNAL CONTROL LINES:** The control cable may not be longer than 30 m. Screened control cables must be used when the cable length is longer than 20 m. When using a shielded cable connect the shielding to one side only, i.e. only to the device with the protective ground (keep cable short and with as little inductance as possible!). Pay attention to sufficient distance from power lines and motor wires to prevent interferences.

**Attention!** Ensure correct polarity! Never apply line voltage to analog inputs!

- The EC motor has electronically thermal-/over-voltage protection.

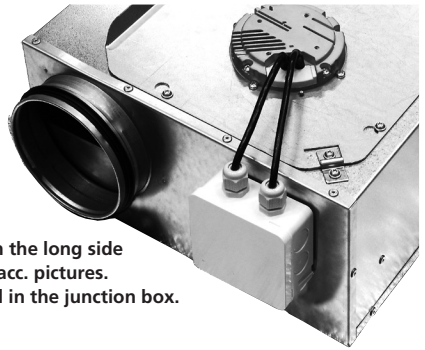
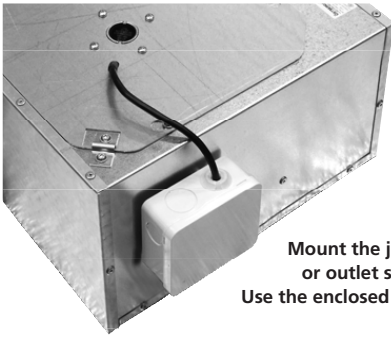
## OPERATION

For technical data please see the product label. Before starting, make sure that:

- the current does not exceed more than +5% of what is stated on the label.

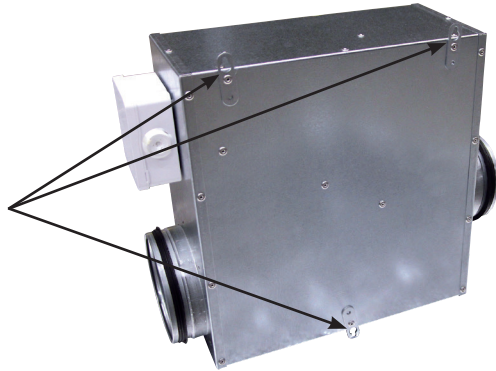
- the supplied voltage is within +6% to -10% of the rated voltage.
- no noise appears when starting the fan.

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

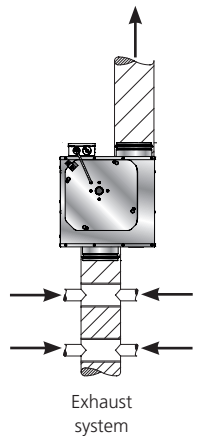
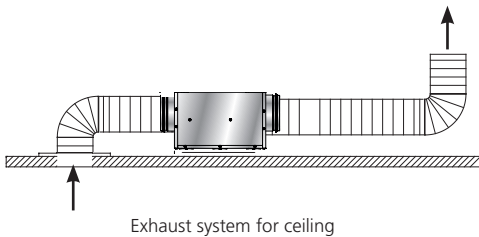
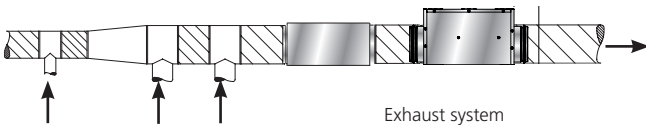


Mount the junction box on the long side or outlet side of the fan acc. pictures.  
Use the enclosed screws located in the junction box.

The fan can easily be mounted in any position using the three brackets.

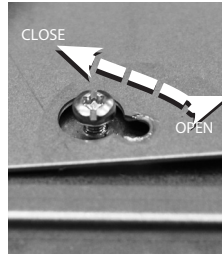


Installation instructions of exhaust systems.



## MAINTENANCE

- Before service, maintenance or repair, disconnect power and wait until the impeller has stopped.
- Consider the weight of the fan when removing or opening larger fans to avoid injury and damage.
- Attention, look out for sharp edges.
- **Attention!** Temperatures up to 85°C can be present on the controller housing (only for EC motor).
- **Waiting period of at least 3 minutes!** (only for EC motor) Because of internal capacitors, danger of death exists even after switching off the device through directly touching the energized parts or due to parts that have become energized due to faults. The controller housing may only be removed or opened when the power line has been switched off and a period of three minutes has elapsed since switching it off.
- The fan must be cleaned regularly, at least once per year to maintain the capacity and to avoid unbalance which may cause unnecessary damage of the bearings.
- The fan bearings are maintenance-free and should be replaced only when necessary.
- When cleaning the fan, pressure wash or strong dissolvent must not be used. Cleaning should be done without displacing or damaging the impeller.
- Make sure that there is no noise from the fan.

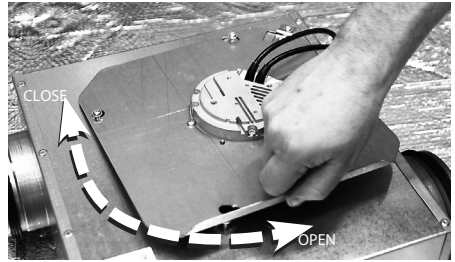


The fan is easy to open for cleaning and service with the swing-out design.

Loosen the screws a few turns, without removing them.

Turn the motor bracket to the right so the screws can go through the key holes. Open the motor bracket.

When closing, turn the motor bracket to the left so the screws go into the smaller part of the keyholes. Tighten the screws.



## WARRANTY

The warranty is only valid under condition that the fan is used according to this “Directions for use” and a regular maintenance has been made and record. The warrantor is responsible only for the operation if app-

proved accessories are used. The warranty does not cover product failures caused by accessories/equipment from other manufacturers.

## FAULT DETECTION

1. Make sure that the power is connected to the fan.
2. Disconnect the power and verify that the impeller is not blocked.
3. Check the thermal contact (for AC). If it is triggered the cause of overheating must be investigated and taken care of. To restore the manual thermo-protector the power must be disconnected for a couple of minutes. Larger motors than 1,6 A may have manual reset of the motor. In case of automatic thermo-protector the resetting will be done automatically when the motor has cooled down.
4. Make sure that the capacitor is connected according to the wiring diagram (for AC).
5. If the fan still does not work, the first thing to do is to replace the capacitor (for AC).
6. If the previous steps doesn't solve the problem, contact your fan supplier.
7. If the fan is returned to the supplier, it must be cleaned, the motor cable must be undamaged and a detailed fault description must be enclosed.



## EU DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY

We hereby confirm that our products comply with the requirements in the following EU-directives and harmonised standards and regulations.

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Wall fans: CV, KV, RS  
Roof fans: TKK, TKS, TKC, TKV, TKH  
Exhaust fans: IFK, IFA, CAU  
Supply air units: SAU

This EU declaration is applicable for products including our accessories for mounting and installation only if the installation is made in accordance with the enclosed installation instructions and that the product has not been modified.

### Low Voltage Directive (LVD) 2014/35/EU

#### Harmonised standards:

- EN 60335-1:2012, AC 1, A 13 RI, A 11, A 12, A 13, A 1, A 14, A2, Household and similar electrical appliances - Part 1: General requirements
- EN 60335-2-80:2003, A 1, A 2, Household and similar electrical appliances - safety- Part 2: Particular requirements for fans\*
- EN 62233:2008 Measurement methods for electromagnetic fields of household appliances and similar apparatus with regard to human exposure

\* Deviations regarding section 24.101 occur. Automatic reset of thermal cut-outs can lead to a sudden start comparable to that of demand-controlled ventilation. These risks are reduced by fixed guards and warnings.

### Directive for Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) 2014/30/EU

#### Harmonised standards:

- SS-EN IEC 61000-6-1:2019 Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Generic standards - Immunity for residential, commercial and light-industrial environments
- SS-EN IEC 61000-6-2:2019 Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Generic standards - Immunity for industrial environments
- SS-EN 61000-6-3:2007, A1, Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Generic standards - Emission standard for residential, commercial and light-industrial environments
- SS-EN IEC 61000-6-4:2019 Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Generic standards - Emission standard for industrial environments

### Machinery Directive (MD) 2006/42/EC

#### Harmonised standards:

- EN ISO 12100:2010 Safety of machinery - General principles for design – Risk assessment and risk reduction
- EN ISO 13857:2019 Safety of machinery - Safety distances to prevent hazard zones being reached by upper and lower limbs.
- EN 60204-1:2018 Safety of machinery – Electrical equipment of machines – Part 1: General requirements

### Ecodesign Directive 2009/125/EC

#### Harmonised regulation:

- 1253/2014 Ecodesign requirements for ventilation units
- 1254/2014 Energy labeling of residential ventilation units (Where applicable)

#### Standards:

- SS-EN 13141-4, SS-EN 13141-8, SS-EN 13141-11 or EN 13053

### RoHS 2011/65/EU, 2015/863/EU

#### Harmonised standards:

- EN IEC 63000:2018

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