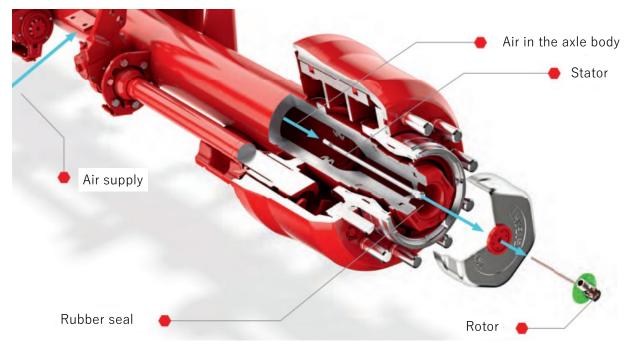


# **GIGANT STEADY PRESSURE (GSP)**

Installation, maintenance and repair instructions

#### **General aspects**

GIGANT has expanded its product portfolio with the GSP (GIGANT Steady Pressure) tyre filling system. The system is pre-installed with the air connection on the axle body and stator at the factory. The rotors are supplied separately.



The customer then has to take care of the air supply, attaching the control box, installing the rotors and the warning lamp in the driver's field of vision (e.g. on the rear-view mirror), and connecting the tyre hoses from the rotor to the tyre valve.



This technical bulletin is a supplement to the ALL IN ONE maintenance and repair manual (Issue 4 I 01.2021 I 703018009). The listed instructions regarding safety, preparatory tasks: etc. must be applied to this document.

The GSP must be installed by trained specialist personnel. Smooth function and optimum service life can only be guaranteed when the installation, maintenance and repair instructions listed here are observed.

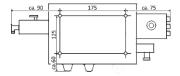


Observe the safety information and instructions to prevent material damage and personal injury!

- When removing and installing the tyres, it is mandatory to observe the prescribed steps in the repair instructions.
- . An initial pressure of min. 5.5 bar to max. 9.8 bar is required for proper functioning of the system.
- During the pumping process, excess air is released from the control box through the rubber outlets.
- · At worst, incorrectly set pressure can cause tyre failure.
- Unless otherwise specified, the pressure of 9.2 bar is pre-set on the control box.

### Installation instructions for pre-installed axle on the vehicle

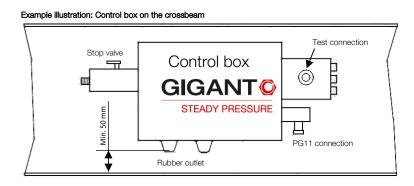
- 1. The system must be depressurised.
- 2. Fasten the control box at a protected location on the chassis that is easily accessible.
  - Drill fastening holes with a diameter of 9 mm, deburr and apply corrosion protection



• The fastening material (locknut/washer) is included in the scope of delivery

- ! There must be a minimum distance of 50 mm between the rubber outlet at the bottom of the control box and the chassis.
- ! The rubber air outlet may not be pressed in.
- ! When positioning the control box on the chassis, ensure that there is enough space for routing the air lines without damaging them and for opening the lid.

#### ATTENTION: Close the stop valve on the control box!

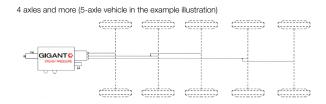


- 3. Route the air lines (8x1 mm PA hose) from the supply tank to the control box and from the control box to the axles.
  - Before installation, the transport lock for the air connection must be removed from the axle body.
  - ! The air lines with a diameter of 8x1 (not included in the scope of delivery) must be routed such that there is no risk of bending, chafing points or other damage.
  - ! At the interface between the chassis and the axle, the driving height range (max. deflection) must be observed when routing the lines.
  - **Note:** There are three air connections going out of the control box for the axles. If there are more than 3 axles on the vehicle, the other axles must be individually detached from the three lines.
    - Air connections that are not used must be closed with blind plugs.



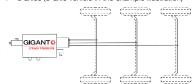
#### Rigid axle connection diagram:

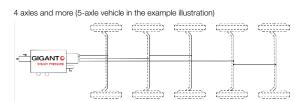
1 – 3 axles (3-axle vehicle in the example illustration)



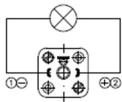
#### Self-steering axle connection diagram:

1 - 3 axles (3-axle vehicle in the example illustration)





- 4. Install the warning light on the front area of the chassis in the driver's field of vision (e.g., rear-view mirror).
  - Fastening material (tapping screw 2.9 x16) for the warning light is included in the scope of delivery.
  - The connection cable with a diameter of 6 mm and the fastening material from the control box to the warning light are not included in the scope of delivery. The warning light has a 2-wire connection cable that is approx. 500 mm long.
  - If necessary, drill fastening holes and a through hole with a diameter of 11 mm for the power line according to the carrier material for the warning light.
  - Connect the warning light to the PG11 connection on the control box according to the circuit diagram.



**Note:** A generator driven with compressed air in the control box supplies current to the warning light .

- 5. Remove the sticker from the hub cap adapter, clean the surface.
- 6. Install the rotor.
  - Carefully insert the connector tube with the rotor into the hub cap adapter and tighten by hand.
  - Align the tyre hose connection of the rotor towards the valve.

Recommended torque: 5 Nm

#### Attention: Do not turn back the rotor

- 7. Install the tyre hoses from the rotor to the tyre valve.
  - Remove the protective cap from the air connection on the rotor
  - · Align the rotor air connection and valve flush with each other

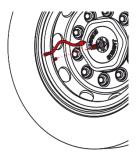
**ATTENTION:** When installing the tyre, ensure that,

the valve is aligned towards the

air connection. Slightly readjust the rotor if necessary!

Do not turn back the rotor  $(\circlearrowleft = \otimes)!$ 

- First, the tyre hose is installed on the rotor and tightened by hand.
- Connect the tyre hose to the valve and tighten by hand, then use a tool to tighten it further by **max. half a turn**.



Note: Install the tyre hose such that it does not bend, chafe and cover the wheel nuts!



8. Installation of the GSP is complete, and before putting it into operation, a leak test must be performed and the set pressure must be checked and adjusted if necessary. The functioning of the warning light must also be checked!

### **GSP** leak test

- All air connections as well as other connections and the rotor must be checked for leaks using a soapy water test.
- 2. After performing the leak test, the set pressure must be checked and adjusted.

### Checking and adjusting the set pressure

- To check the pre-set air pressure of 9.2 bar and to set the desired tyre pressure, close the stop valve on the control box.
- 2. Unscrew the lid from the test connection (keep in a safe place).
- 3. Venting the system via the test connection.
- 4. Disconnect the outgoing air lines from the control box.
- 5. Close or bypass the connections on the distributor.
- 6. Connect the measurement device to the test connection.

Thread: 8V1

#### Note: Only use calibrated measurement devices!

- 7. Open the stop valve.
- 8. After the pumping process, read the pressure from the measurement device.
  - Pressure OK, continue with step 13.
  - Adjust the pressure: Open the lid of the control box.

Note: The set pressure must be 0.2 bar higher than the tyre pressure to be set to compensate for the opening pressure of the pressure valve.

- Reducing the pressure: Pull out the adjustment button of the pressure safety valve and turn to
  - the left in small increments.
- Increasing the pressure: Pull out the adjustment button of the pressure safety valve and turn to

the right in small increments.

- 9. Release air through the test connection (remove the measurement device beforehand, then install it).
- 10. Repeat the procedure 2 x.
- 11. Lock the pressure safety valve by pressing in the adjustment button.
- 12. Carefully close the lid and secure with the locking latches.
- 13. Check the air pressure once more. Air pressure OK, then continue with step 15, otherwise repeat the steps starting at step 8.
- 14. Repeat the procedure 2 x.
- 15. Remove the measurement device and screw the lid onto the test valve.
- 16. Install the air lines on the control box and perform a leak test.
- 17. Checking and adjusting of the set pressure is completed, and now the function of the warning light must be checked!

## Functional check of the warning light

- 1. Apply air pressure to the GPS.
- 2. Remove a tyre hose from the valve.
- 3. Release the air at the removed end of the tyre hose!
- 4. If the warning light flashes when the pump starts building up air pressure, the warning light is ready for operation.

# General information on using the GSP

1. The GSP system is active as soon as enough air pressure (min. 5.5 bar to max. 9.8 bar) builds up in the system.



2. During the pumping process, excess air is released from the control box through the rubber outlets.

3. Warning light

• Flashing warning light: The GSP is active and air losses are compensated.

• Illuminated warning light: If the warning light is continuously illuminated, stop the

vehicle immediately! The cause for air loss must be

fixed before continuing the journey!

4. Tyre change

• Remove and install the tyre as described in the Repairs chapter.

#### **Maintenance instructions**

1. The maintenance intervals can be found in the following table or in the supplemental documentation from the vehicle manufacturer.

2. The safety information must be observed!

	Visual/functional check	Maintenance interval	
Rotor	Visual check	Before departure	
Tyre hose	Visual check	Before departure	
Stop valve	Visual check	Before departure	
Check the set pressure	Functional check	Annually	
Check the warning light	Functional check	Annually	
Check the air connections, wheel hub cover (green) etc. fro leaks (soapy water test)	Functional check	Annually	
Check the electrical lines and air lines for damage	Visual check	Annually	

3. Functional checks are described in the Installation chapter.

# Repair instructions

- Safety information must be observed!
- Interrupt the air supply to the GSP system on the stop valve of the control box!

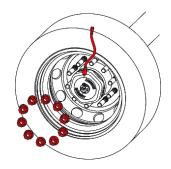
### Removing/installing the tyres

#### Removing the tyre

- 1. Disconnect the tyre hose from the rotor and valve and keep in a safe place.
- 2. Remove the tyre.

#### Installing the tyre

- 1. Install the tyre.
- 2. Install the tyre hose -> See Tyre hose installation.





# Removing/installing the tyre hose

#### Removing the tyre hose

1. Remove the tyre hose from the rotor and the tyre valve.

#### Installing the tyre hose

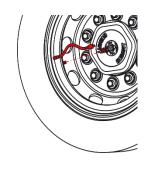
1. Check that the air connection from the rotor to the tyre valve is aligned flush, correct if necessary.

Note: Do not turn back the rotor  $(\circlearrowleft = \otimes)!$ 

- 2. Clean the threaded connections on the rotor, tyre valve and tyre hose.
- 3. Install and tighten the tyre hose on the rotor by hand only.
- 4. Install the tyre hose on the valve.

Note: Route the tyre hose along beside the wheel nut, avoid chafing and do not let it protrude beyond the tyre!

5. After the tyre hose is correctly positioned, first tighten it by hand and then use a tool to tighten it further by half a turn.





### Removing/installing the hub cap

#### Removing the hub cap

- 1. Unscrew the tyre hose from the rotor.
- 2. Remove the hub cap.

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Attention: After loosening the hub cap, unscrew it by hand with an impact wrench and pull it off with a straight motion, without bending the connector tube of the rotor!

3. Take the O-ring off of the hub unit and discard it.

### Installing the hub cap

- 1. Slightly grease the new O-ring and place it on the hub unit.
- 2. Insert the connector tube of the rotor into the opening of the stator without bending it.
- 3. Slide the hub cap forwards until it can be unscrewed by hand To be able to put the hub cap on easily, first turn the hub cap slightly counterclockwise until the thread catches, and then tighten by hand.
- 4. Tighten the hub cap according to the tightening torque.

**%** 750 Nm ± 50 Nm

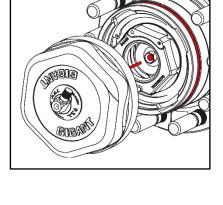
Attention: O-ring must not be squeezed out after tightening!

# Removing/installing the rotor

#### Removing the rotor

- 1. Unscrew the tyre hose from the rotor.
- 2. Unscrew the rotor from the hub cap adapter and carefully pull it out.

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#### Installing the rotor

- 1. Clean the hub cap adapter.
- 2. Carefully insert the connector tube with the rotor into the hub cap adapter and tighten by hand. Attention: With pre-installed hub caps with stator, it is essential to ensure that the connector tube is inserted in the opening of the stator! In doing so, it is important to feel a slight resistance when the connector tube hits the O-ring in the stator.
- 3. Align the tyre hose connection of the rotor towards the valve.

Attention: Do not turn back the rotor!

4. Check for correct installation!

# Removing/installing the stator

#### Removing the stator

- 1. Remove the tyre hose and hub cap with the rotor.
- 2. Remove the stator.

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#### Installing the stator

- 1. Clean the screw-in opening in the axle stub.
- 2. Check the stator for soiling and damage to the filter.
- 3. Screw in the stator by hand until the micro-encapsulation catches the thread.
- 4. Tighten the stator with the prescribed tightening torque.

% SW 16 70 Nm ± 5 Nm

# Removing/installing the hub cap adaptor

#### Removing the hub cap adapter

- 1. Remove the tyre hose and hub cap with the rotor.
- 2. Remove the rotor.
- 3. Loosen the nut inside the hub cap.

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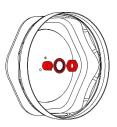
4. Remove the nut and lock washers and take out the hub cap adapter.

#### Installing the hub cap adaptor

- 1. Clean the contact surface of the hub cap adapter.
- 2. Insert the hub cap adapter and install the locking washer and nut inside the hub cap.
- 3. Tighten the nut with the prescribed tightening torque.

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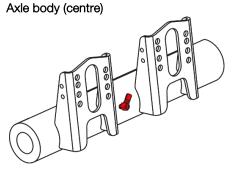




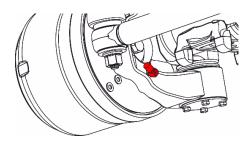
# Removing/installing the axle body air connection

Position of the air connection:

Rigid axle:



Self-steering axle: Steering arm (lower steering arm)



#### Removing/installing the air connection

1. Remove the air connection.

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- 2. Clean the area of the air connection.
- 3. Insert the air connection by hand and, if necessary, wrap the thread of the air connection with sealing material (e.g. PTFE sealing tape)!
- 4. Align the air connection and tighten it.

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The GIGANT team is happy to answer any questions you may have and wishes you a safe journey.

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