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Overview of this manual

About this manual

This manual contains instructions for:

- mechanical and electrical installation of the IRB 360
- maintenance of the IRB 360
- mechanical and electrical repair of the IRB 360

The robot described in this manual has the following protection types:

- *Standard*
- *Clean Room*
- *Wash*

This manual describes the manipulator using either the IRC5 or the OmniCore controller.

Usage

This manual shall be used during:

- installation and commissioning, from lifting the product to its work site and securing it to the foundation, to making it ready for operation
- maintenance work
- repair work
- decommissioning work



Note

It is the responsibility of the integrator to conduct a risk assessment of the final application.

It is the responsibility of the integrator to provide safety and user guides for the robot system.

Who should read this manual?

This manual is intended for:

- installation personnel
- maintenance personnel
- repair personnel.

Prerequisites

A maintenance/repair/installation craftsman working with an ABB robot shall:

- be trained by ABB and have the required knowledge of mechanical and electrical installation/repair/maintenance work.
- be trained to respond to emergencies or abnormal situations.

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Product manual scope

The manual covers all variants and designs of the IRB 360. Some variants and designs may have been removed from the business offer and are no longer available for purchase.

References



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All documents can be found via ABB Robotics One, <https://one.robots.abb.com/en/knowledge-hub>.

IRC5

Reference	Document ID
<i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i>	3HAC049101-001
<i>Circuit diagram - IRB 360</i>	3HAC028647-009
<i>Product specification - IRB 360</i>	3HAC029963-001
<i>Safety manual for robot - Manipulator and IRC5 or OmniCore controllerⁱ</i>	3HAC031045-001
<i>Product manual - IRC5</i> IRC5 with main computer DSQC 639.	3HAC021313-001
<i>Product manual - IRC5</i> IRC5 with main computer DSQC1000.	3HAC047136-001
<i>Circuit diagram - IRC5</i>	3HAC024480-011
<i>Product manual - IRC5 Compact</i> IRC5 with main computer DSQC 639.	3HAC035738-001
<i>Product manual - IRC5 Compact</i> IRC5 with main computer DSQC1000.	3HAC047138-001
<i>Circuit diagram - IRC5 Compact</i>	3HAC049406-003
<i>Product manual - IRC5 Panel Mounted Controller</i> IRC5 with main computer DSQC 639.	3HAC027707-001
<i>Product manual - IRC5 Panel Mounted Controller</i> IRC5 with main computer DSQC1000.	3HAC047137-001
<i>Circuit diagram - IRC5 Panel Mounted Controller</i>	3HAC026871-020
<i>Circuit diagram - Euromap 67, design 14</i>	3HAC024120-005
<i>Operating manual - IRC5 with FlexPendant</i>	3HAC050941-001
<i>Operating manual - Calibration Pendulum</i>	3HAC16578-1
<i>Operating manual - Service Information System</i>	3HAC050944-001

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Reference	Document ID
<i>Application manual - Additional axes and standalone controller</i>	3HAC051016-001
<i>Application manual - Controller software IRC5</i>	3HAC050798-001
<i>Technical reference manual - Lubrication in gearboxes</i>	3HAC042927-001
<i>Technical reference manual - System parameters</i>	3HAC050948-001
<i>Application manual - Electronic Position Switches</i>	3HAC050996-001

ⁱ This manual contains all safety instructions from the product manuals for the manipulators and the controllers.

OmniCore

Reference	Document ID
<i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i>	3HAC049101-001
<i>Circuit diagram - IRB 360</i>	3HAC028647-009
<i>Product specification - IRB 360</i>	3HAC029963-001
<i>Safety manual for robot - Manipulator and IRC5 or OmniCore controller ⁱ</i>	3HAC031045-001
<i>Product manual - OmniCore C30</i>	3HAC060860-001
<i>Product manual - OmniCore C30 Type B</i>	3HAC097281-001
<i>Operating manual - OmniCore (RobotWare 7)</i>	3HAC065036-001
<i>Operating manual - OmniCore (RobotWare 8)</i>	3HAC098383-001
<i>Application manual - Controller software OmniCore RobotWare 7 (RobotWare 7)</i>	3HAC066554-001
<i>Application manual - Controller software OmniCore RobotWare 8 (RobotWare 8)</i>	
<i>Technical reference manual - Lubrication in gearboxes</i>	3HAC042927-001
<i>Technical reference manual - System parameters (RobotWare 7)</i>	3HAC065041-001
<i>Technical reference manual - System parameters (RobotWare 8)</i>	3HAC098390-001

ⁱ This manual contains all safety instructions from the product manuals for the manipulators and the controllers.

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J	This revision includes the following updates: • Variant IRB 360 - 6/1600 is added to the manual. • Corrected the protection class for protection typ Standard, see Protection classes on page 46. • Changed the tightening torque, see Replacement of motor axis 4 on page 208. • Added information about visual difference between bearing ring versions, see Different versions of bearing rings require different maintenance procedures on page 107. • Universal joint 3HAC028132-001 is replaced with 3HAC046664-001, see <i>Spare parts - telescopic shafts</i>.
K	This revision includes the following updates: • Illustrations of placement of labels updated. • Added information about risks when scrapping a decommissioned robot, see Scrapping of robot on page 264. • <i>Spare parts and exploded views</i> are not included in this document but delivered as a separate document. See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i>. • Mechanical interface of IRB 360 - 8/1130 and IRB 360 - 6/1600 updated.
L	This revision includes the following updates: • Added information in calibration chapter, see Using the jogging window on the FlexPendant on page 254. • Clarification made about when to choose standard calibration vs. ring calibration, see Types of calibration on page 236. • Clarification made about measured distance between bearing holders, regarding wear on bearing rings, see Distance between bearing holders on page 109. • Minor corrections
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AF	Published in release R25.3. The following updates are done in this revision: • Updated the information regarding extra loads on lower arms. • Updated the torque for calibration marks, see Replacing of calibration marks on page 215. • Company name updated to reflect current legal entities. • Updated portal name from myABB to ABB Robotics One.
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Product documentation

Categories for user documentation from ABB Robotics

The user documentation from ABB Robotics is divided into a number of categories. This listing is based on the type of information in the documents, regardless of whether the products are standard or optional.



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Product manuals

Manipulators, controllers, DressPack, and most other hardware is delivered with a **Product manual** that generally contains:

- Safety information.
- Installation and commissioning (descriptions of mechanical installation or electrical connections).
- Maintenance (descriptions of all required preventive maintenance procedures including intervals and expected life time of parts).
- Repair (descriptions of all recommended repair procedures including spare parts).
- Calibration.
- Troubleshooting.
- Decommissioning.
- Reference information (safety standards, unit conversions, screw joints, lists of tools).
- Spare parts list with corresponding figures (or references to separate spare parts lists).
- References to circuit diagrams.

Technical reference manuals

The technical reference manuals describe reference information for robotics products, for example lubrication, the RAPID language, and system parameters.

Application manuals

Specific applications (for example software or hardware options) are described in **Application manuals**. An application manual can describe one or several applications.

An application manual generally contains information about:

- The purpose of the application (what it does and when it is useful).
- What is included (for example cables, I/O boards, RAPID instructions, system parameters, software).
- How to install included or required hardware.

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- How to use the application.
- Examples of how to use the application.

Operating manuals

The operating manuals describe hands-on handling of the products. The manuals are aimed at those having first-hand operational contact with the product, that is production cell operators, programmers, and troubleshooters.

How to read the product manual

Reading the procedures

The procedures contain references to figures, tools, material, and so on. The references are read as described below.

References to figures

The procedures often include references to components or attachment points located on the manipulator/controller. The components or attachment points are marked with *italic text* in the procedures and completed with a reference to the figure where the current component or attachment point is shown.

The denomination in the procedure for the component or attachment point corresponds to the denomination in the referenced figure.

The table below shows an example of a reference to a figure from a step in a procedure.

	Action	Note/Illustration
8.	Remove the <i>rear attachment screws, gearbox</i> .	Shown in the figure Location of gearbox on page xx .

References to required equipment

The procedures often include references to equipment (spare parts, tools, etc.) required for the different actions in the procedure. The equipment is marked with *italic text* in the procedures and completed with a reference to the section where the equipment is listed with further information, that is article number and dimensions.

The designation in the procedure for the component or attachment point corresponds to the designation in the referenced list.

The table below shows an example of a reference to a list of required equipment from a step in a procedure.

	Action	Note/Illustration
3.	Fit a new <i>sealing, axis 2</i> to the gearbox.	Art. no. is specified in Required equipment on page xx .

Safety information

The manual includes a separate safety chapter that must be read through before proceeding with any service or installation procedures. All procedures also include specific safety information when dangerous steps are to be performed.

Read more in the chapter [Safety on page 19](#).

Illustrations

The robot is illustrated with general figures that does not take painting or protection type in consideration.

Likewise, certain work methods or general information that is valid for several robot models, can be illustrated with illustrations that show a different robot model than the one that is described in the current manual.

1 Safety

1.1 Safety information

1.1.1 Limitation of liability

Limitation of liability

Any information given in this manual regarding safety must not be construed as a warranty by ABB that the industrial robot will not cause injury or damage even if all safety instructions are complied with.

The information does not cover how to design, install and operate a robot system, nor does it cover all peripheral equipment that can influence the safety of the robot system.

In particular, liability cannot be accepted if injury or damage has been caused for any of the following reasons:

- Use of the robot in other ways than intended.
- Incorrect operation or maintenance.
- Operation of the robot when the safety devices are defective, not in their intended location or in any other way not working.
- When instructions for operation and maintenance are not followed as intended.
- Non-authorized design modifications of the robot.
- Repairs on the robot and its spare parts carried out by in-experienced or non-qualified personnel.
- Foreign objects.
- Force majeure.

Spare parts and equipment

ABB supplies original spare parts and equipment which have been tested and approved for their intended use. The installation and/or use of non-original spare parts and equipment can negatively affect the safety, function, performance, and structural properties of the robot. ABB is not liable for damages caused by the use of non-original spare parts and equipment.

1 Safety

1.1.2 Requirements on personnel

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General

Only personnel with appropriate training are allowed to install, maintain, service, repair, and use the robot. This includes electrical, mechanical, hydraulics, pneumatics, and other hazards identified in the risk assessment.

Persons who are under the influence of alcohol, drugs or any other intoxicating substances are not allowed to install, maintain, service, repair, or use the robot.

The plant liable must make sure that the personnel is trained on the robot, and on responding to emergency or abnormal situations.

Personal protective equipment

Use personal protective equipment, as stated in the instructions.

1.2 Safety signals and symbols

1.2.1 Safety signals in the manual

Introduction to safety signals

This section specifies all safety signals used in the user manuals. Each signal consists of:

- A caption specifying the hazard level (DANGER, WARNING, or CAUTION) and the type of hazard.
- Instruction about how to reduce the hazard to an acceptable level.
- A brief description of remaining hazards, if not adequately reduced.

Hazard levels

The table below defines the captions specifying the hazard levels used throughout this manual.

Symbol	Designation	Significance
	DANGER	Signal word used to indicate an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in serious injury.
	WARNING	Signal word used to indicate a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in serious injury.
	ELECTRICAL SHOCK	Signal word used to indicate a potentially hazardous situation related to electrical hazards which, if not avoided, could result in serious injury.
	CAUTION	Signal word used to indicate a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in slight injury.
	ELECTROSTATIC DISCHARGE (ESD)	Signal word used to indicate a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in severe damage to the product.
	NOTE	Signal word used to indicate important facts and conditions.

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1 Safety

1.2.1 Safety signals in the manual

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Symbol	Designation	Significance
	TIP	Signal word used to indicate where to find additional information or how to do an operation in an easier way.

1.2.2 Safety symbols on manipulator labels

Introduction to symbols

This section describes safety symbols used on labels (stickers) on the manipulator. Symbols are used in combinations on the labels, describing each specific warning. The descriptions in this section are generic, the labels can contain additional information such as values.



Note

The symbols on the labels on the product must be observed. Additional symbols added by the integrator must also be observed.

Types of symbols

Both the manipulator and the controller are marked with symbols, containing important information about the product. This is important for all personnel handling the robot, for example during installation, service, or operation.

The safety labels are language independent, they only use graphics. See [Symbols on safety labels on page 23](#).

The information labels can contain information in text.

Symbols on safety labels

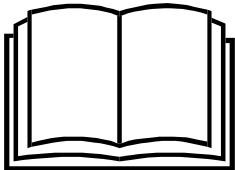
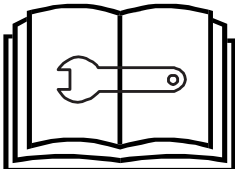
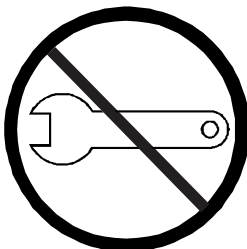
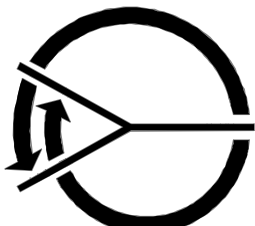
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 xx0900000812	Warning! Warns that an accident <i>may</i> occur if the instructions are not followed that can lead to serious injury, possibly fatal, and/or great damage to the product. It applies to warnings that apply to danger with, for example, contact with high voltage electrical units, explosion or fire risk, risk of poisonous gases, risk of crushing, impact, fall from height, etc.
 xx0900000811	Caution! Warns that an accident may occur if the instructions are not followed that can result in injury and/or damage to the product. It also applies to warnings of risks that include burns, eye injury, skin injury, hearing damage, crushing or slipping, tripping, impact, fall from height, etc. Furthermore, it applies to warnings that include function requirements when fitting and removing equipment where there is a risk of damaging the product or causing a breakdown.
 xx0900000839	Prohibition Used in combinations with other symbols.

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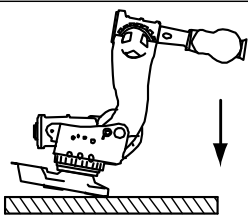
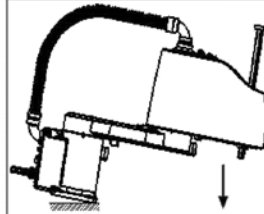
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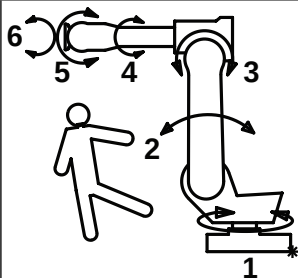
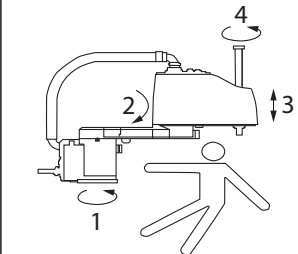
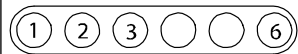
Symbol	Description
 xx1400001152	Read the user manual before use.
 xx0900000813	See user documentation Read user documentation for details. Which manual to read is defined by the symbol: • No text: <i>Product manual</i>. • EPS: <i>Application manual - Electronic Position Switches</i>.
 xx0900000816	Before disassembly, see product manual
 xx0900000815	Do not disassemble Disassembling this part can cause injury.
 xx0900000814	Extended rotation This axis has extended rotation (working area) compared to standard.
 xx0900000808	Brake release Pressing this button will release the brakes. This means that the robot arm can fall down.

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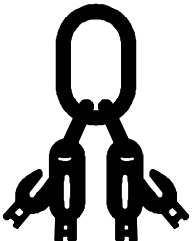
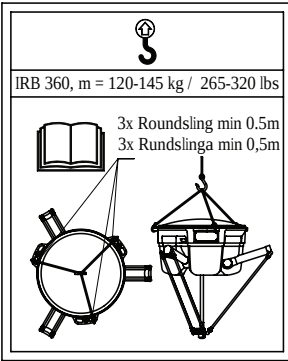
Symbol	Description
 xx0900000810   3HAC 057068-001 xx1500002402	Tip risk when loosening bolts The robot can tip over if the bolts are not securely fastened.
  xx0900000817	Crush Risk of crush injuries.
 xx1400001151	Electrical shock

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1.2.2 Safety symbols on manipulator labels
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Symbol	Description
 xx0900000818  xx1300001087	Heat Risk of heat that can cause burns. (Both signs are used)
 xx2400000736  xx1500002616	Moving robot The robot can move unexpectedly.
 xx0900000820  xx1000001140	Brake release buttons

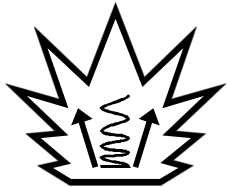
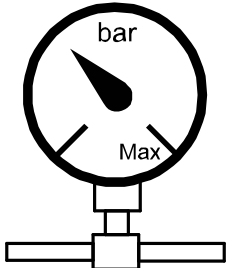
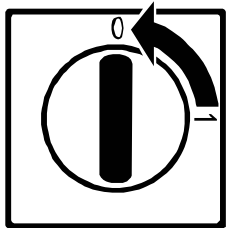
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Symbol	Description
 xx0900000821	Lifting bolt
 xx1000001242	Adjustable chain sling with shortener
 xx0900000822	Lifting of robot
 xx2100001435	Lifting instruction
 xx0900000823	Oil Can be used in combination with prohibition if oil is not allowed.
 xx0900000824	Mechanical stop

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Symbol	Description
 xx1000001144	No mechanical stop
 xx0900000825	Stored energy Warns that this part contains stored energy. Used in combination with <i>Do not disassemble</i> symbol.
 xx0900000826	Pressure Warns that this part is pressurized. Usually contains additional text with the pressure level.
 xx0900000827	Shut off with handle Use the power switch on the controller.
 xx1400002648	Do not step Warns that stepping on these parts can cause damage to the parts.

1.3 Robot stopping functions

Protective stop and emergency stop

The protective stops and emergency stops are described in the product manual for the controller.

For more information see:

- *Product manual - OmniCore C30*
- *Product manual - OmniCore C30 Type B*
- *Product manual - IRC5*
- *Product manual - IRC5 Compact*
- *Product manual - IRC5 Panel Mounted Controller*

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1.4 Safety during installation and commissioning

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National or regional regulations

The integrator of the robot system is responsible for the safety of the robot system.

The integrator is responsible that the robot system is designed and installed in accordance with the safety requirements set forth in the applicable national and regional standards and regulations.

The integrator of the robot system is required to perform a risk assessment.

Layout

The robot integrated to a robot system shall be designed to allow safe access to all spaces during installation, operation, maintenance, and repair.

If robot movement can be initiated from an external control panel then an emergency stop must also be available.

If the manipulator is delivered with mechanical stops (limiting devices), these can be used for reducing the working space. For OmniCore robots, safe supervision can be configured for the working space through software-based limiting.

A perimeter safeguarding, for example a fence, shall be dimensioned to withstand the following:

- The force of the manipulator.
- The force of the load handled by the robot if dropped or released at maximum speed.
- The maximum possible impact caused by a breaking or malfunctioning rotating tool or other device fitted to the robot.

The maximum TCP speed and the maximum velocity of the robot axes are detailed in the section *Robot motion* in the product specification for the respective manipulator.

Consider exposure to hazards, such as slipping, tripping, and falling.

Hazards due to the working position and posture for a person working with or near the robot shall be considered.

Hazards due to noise emission from the robot needs to be considered.

Consider hazards from other equipment in the robot system, for example, that guards remain active until identified hazards are reduced to an acceptable level.

Allergenic material

See [Environmental information on page 262](#) for specification of allergenic materials in the product, if any.

Securing the robot to the foundation

The robot must be properly fixed to its foundation/support, as described in the respective product manual.

When the robot is installed at a height, hanging, or other than mounted directly on the floor, there will be additional hazards.

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Using lifting accessories and other external equipment

Ensure that all equipment used during installation, service and all handling of the robot are in correct condition for the intended use.

Electrical safety

Incoming mains must be installed to fulfil national regulations.

The power supply wiring to the robot must be sufficiently fused and if necessary, it must be possible to disconnect it manually from the mains power.

The power to the robot must be turned off with the main switch and the mains power disconnected when performing work inside the controller cabinet. Lock and tag shall be considered.

Harnesses between controller and manipulator shall be fixed and protected to avoid tripping and wear.

Wherever possible, power on/off or rebooting the robot controller shall be performed with all persons outside the safeguarded space.

**Note**

Use a CARBON DIOXIDE (CO₂) extinguisher in the event of a fire in the robot.

**ELECTRICAL SHOCK**

The controller mains power switch shall be disabled before connecting or disconnecting the controller power cable from the mains supply.

Safety devices

The integrator is responsible for that the safety devices necessary to protect people working with the robot system are designed and installed correctly.

When integrating the robot with external devices to a robot system:

- The integrator of the robot system must ensure that emergency stop functions are interlocked in accordance with applicable standards.
- The integrator of the robot system must ensure that safety functions are interlocked in accordance with applicable standards.

Other hazards

A robot may perform unexpected limited movement.

**WARNING**

Manipulator movements can cause serious injuries on users and may damage equipment.

The risk assessment should also consider other hazards arising from the application, such as, but not limited to:

- Water
- Compressed air

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- Hydraulics

End-effector hazards require particular attention for applications which involve close human collaboration with the robot.

Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards



Note

The pressure in the complete pneumatic or hydraulic systems must be released before service and maintenance.

All components in the robot system that remain pressurized after switching off the power to the robot must be marked with clearly visible drain facilities and a warning sign that indicates the hazard of stored energy.

Loss of pressure in the robot system may cause parts or objects to drop.

Dump valves should be used in case of emergency.

Shot bolts should be used to prevent tools, etc., from falling due to gravity.

All pipes, hoses, and connections have to be inspected regularly for leaks and damage. Damage must be repaired immediately.

Verify the safety functions

Before the robot system is put into operation, verify that the safety functions are working as intended and that any remaining hazards identified in the risk assessment are mitigated to an acceptable level.

1.5 Safety during operation

Automatic operation

Verify the application in the operating mode manual reduced speed, before changing mode to automatic and initiating automatic operation.

Unexpected movement of robot arm



WARNING

Hazards due to the use of brake release devices and/or gravity beneath the manipulator shall be considered.

A robot may perform unexpected limited movement.



WARNING

Manipulator movements can cause serious injuries on users and may damage equipment.

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1.6.1 Safety during maintenance and repair

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General



ELECTRICAL SHOCK

The controller mains power switch shall be disabled before connecting or disconnecting the controller power cable from the mains supply.

Corrective maintenance must only be carried out by personnel trained on the robot. Maintenance or repair must be done with all electrical, pneumatic, and hydraulic power switched off, that is, no remaining hazards.

Hazards due to stored mechanical energy in the manipulator for the purpose of counterbalancing axes must be considered before maintenance or repair.

Never use the robot as a ladder, which means, do not climb on the controller, manipulator, including motors, or other parts. There are hazards of slipping and falling. The robot might be damaged.

Make sure that there are no tools, loose screws, turnings, or other unexpected parts remaining after maintenance or repair work.

When the work is completed, verify that the safety functions are working as intended.

Hot surfaces

Surfaces can be hot after running the robot, and touching these may result in burns. Allow the surfaces to cool down before maintenance or repair.

Allergic reaction

Warning	Description	Elimination/Action
 Allergic reaction	When working with lubricants there is a risk of an allergic reaction.	Make sure that protective gear like goggles and gloves are always worn.

Gearbox lubricants (oil or grease)

When handling oil, grease, or other chemical substances the safety information of the respective manufacturer must be observed.



Note

Take special care when handling hot lubricants.

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Warning	Description	Elimination/Action
 Hot oil or grease	Changing and draining gearbox oil or grease may require handling hot lubricant heated up to 90 °C.	Make sure that protective gear like goggles and gloves are always worn during this activity.
 Allergic reaction	When working with lubricants there is a risk of an allergic reaction.	Make sure that protective gear like goggles and gloves are always worn.
 Possible pressure build-up in gearbox	When opening the oil or grease plug, there may be pressure present in the gearbox, causing hot lubricant to spray from the opening.	Open the plug carefully and keep away from the opening. Do not overfill the gearbox when filling. Put oil absorbent cloth, bags or paper at appropriate locations to catch any oil residues. Use appropriate protective gear such as heat-resistant gloves, goggles/protective visor, or a body suit if necessary.
 Do not overfill	Overfilling of gearbox lubricant can lead to internal over-pressure inside the gearbox which in turn may: • damage seals and gaskets • completely press out seals and gaskets • prevent the robot from moving freely.	Make sure not to overfill the gearbox when filling it with oil or grease. After filling, verify that the level is correct.
 Do not mix types of oil	Mixing types of oil may cause severe damage to the gearbox.	When filling gearbox oil, do not mix different types of oil unless specified in the instructions. Always use the type of oil specified for the product.
 Oil residues	Oil residues might be present in a drained gearbox and spilled when separating a motor and gearbox during repair.	Make sure that protective gear like goggles/protective visor, gloves and arm protection are always worn during this activity. Put oil absorbent cloth, bags or paper at appropriate locations to catch any oil residues.
 Heat up the oil	Warm oil drains quicker than cold oil.	Run the robot before changing the gearbox oil, if possible.
 Specified amount depends on drained volume	The specified amount of oil or grease is based on the total volume of the gearbox. When changing the lubricant, the amount refilled may differ from the specified amount, depending on how much has previously been drained from the gearbox.	After filling, verify that the level is correct.

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Warning	Description	Elimination/Action
 Contaminated oil in gearboxes	For lifetime reasons always drain as much oil as possible from the gearbox. The magnetic oil plugs will gather residual metal chips.	

Hazards related to batteries

Under rated conditions, the electrode materials and liquid electrolyte in the batteries are sealed and not exposed to the outside.

There is a hazard in case of abuse (mechanical, thermal, electrical) which leads to the activation of safety valves and/or the rupture of the battery container. As a result under certain circumstances, electrolyte leakage, electrode materials reaction with moisture/water or battery vent/explosion/fire may follow.

Do not short circuit, recharge, puncture, incinerate, crush, immerse, force discharge or expose to temperatures above the declared operating temperature range of the product. Risk of fire or explosion.

Operating temperatures are listed in [Operating conditions on page 46](#).

See safety instructions for the batteries in *Material/product safety data sheet - Battery pack (3HAC043118-001)*.

Unexpected movement of robot arm



WARNING

Hazards due to the use of brake release devices and/or gravity beneath the manipulator shall be considered.

A robot may perform unexpected limited movement.



WARNING

Manipulator movements can cause serious injuries on users and may damage equipment.

Related information

See also the safety information related to installation and operation.

1.6.2 Emergency release of the robot axes

Description

In an emergency situation, the brakes on a robot axis can be released manually by pushing a brake release button.

How to release the brakes is described in the section:

- [Manually releasing the brakes on page 64.](#)

The robot may be moved manually on smaller robot models, but larger models may require using an overhead crane or similar equipment.

Increased injury

Before releasing the brakes, make sure that the weight of the manipulator does not result in additional hazards, for example, even more severe injuries on a trapped person.

**DANGER**

When releasing the holding brakes, the robot axes may move very quickly and sometimes in unexpected ways.

Make sure no personnel is near or beneath the robot.

Prerequisites for access to brake release buttons

Make sure that the brake release buttons on the manipulator are within reach and quickly accessible in case of emergency situations, even when the manipulator is installed on a height, on a wall, or suspended.

1.6.3 Brake testing

When to test

During operation, the holding brake of each axis normally wears down. A test can be performed to determine whether the brake can still perform its function.

How to test

The function of the holding brake of each axis motor may be verified as described below:

- 1 Run each axis to a position where the combined weight of the manipulator and any load is maximized (maximum static load).
- 2 Switch the motor to the MOTORS OFF.
- 3 Inspect and verify that the axis maintains its position.

If the manipulator does not change position as the motors are switched off, then the brake function is adequate.



Note

It is recommended to run the service routine *BrakeCheck* as part of the regular maintenance, see the operating manual for the robot controller.

For robots with the option SafeMove, the *Cyclic Brake Check* routine is recommended. See the operating manual for the robot controller.

1.7 Safety during troubleshooting

General

When troubleshooting requires work with power switched on, special considerations must be taken:

- Safety circuits might be muted or disconnected.
- Electrical parts must be considered as *live*.
- The manipulator can move unexpectedly at any time.



DANGER

Troubleshooting on the controller while powered on must be performed by personnel trained by ABB or by ABB field engineers.



ELECTRICAL SHOCK

The controller mains power switch shall be disabled before connecting or disconnecting the controller power cable from the mains supply.

A risk assessment must be done to address both robot and robot system specific hazards.



WARNING

Hazards due to the use of brake release devices and/or gravity beneath the manipulator shall be considered.

A robot may perform unexpected limited movement.



WARNING

Manipulator movements can cause serious injuries on users and may damage equipment.

Related information

See also the safety information related to installation, operation, maintenance, and repair.

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1.8 Safety during decommissioning

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General

See section [Decommissioning on page 261](#).

If the robot is decommissioned for storage, take extra precaution to reset safety devices to delivery status.

Unexpected movement of robot arm



WARNING

Hazards due to the use of brake release devices and/or gravity beneath the manipulator shall be considered.

A robot may perform unexpected limited movement.



WARNING

Manipulator movements can cause serious injuries on users and may damage equipment.

2 Installation and commissioning

2.1 Introduction to installation and commissioning

General

This chapter contains assembly instructions and information for installing the IRB 360 at the working site.

See also the product manual for the robot controller.

The installation must be done by qualified installation personnel in accordance with the safety requirements set forth in the applicable national and regional standards and regulations.

The technical data is detailed in section [Technical data on page 43](#).

Safety information

Before any installation work is commenced, all safety information must be observed. There are general safety aspects that must be read through, as well as more specific safety information that describes the danger and safety risks when performing the procedures. Read the chapter [Safety on page 19](#) before performing any installation work.



WARNING

Always connect the controller and the IRB 360 to protective earth and residual current device (RCD) before connecting to power and starting any installation work.

For more information see:

- *Product manual - OmniCore C30*
- *Product manual - OmniCore C30 Type B*
- *Product manual - IRC5*
- *Product manual - IRC5 Compact*
- *Product manual - IRC5 Panel Mounted Controller*

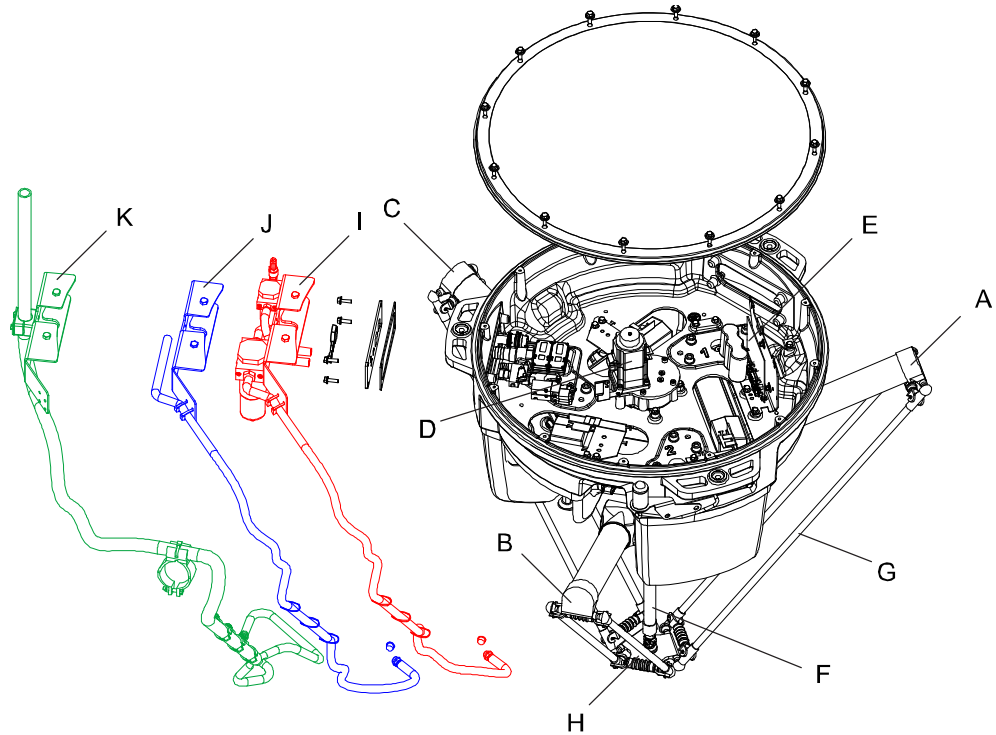
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2.2 Structure manipulator

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Manipulator structure

The figure shows the manipulator structure and components.



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A	Upper arm axis 1
B	Upper arm axis 2
C	Upper arm axis 3
D	Axis-4 motor
E	SMB unit
F	Telescopic shaft axis 4
G	Parallel arm
H	Movable plate
I	Vacuum kit (optional)
J	Medium house set (optional)
K	Large house set (optional)

2.3 Unpacking

2.3.1 Pre-installation procedure

General

This instruction is primarily intended for use when unpacking and installing the robot for the first time. It also contains information useful during later re-installation of the robot.

Checking the pre-requisites for installation

The check-list below details what must be observed before proceeding with the actual installation of the robot:



Note

Read and follow these instructions before installation of the robot.

	Action	Detailed in section:
1	Make sure only qualified installation personnel conforming to all national and local codes are allowed to perform the installation.	
2	Make sure the robot has not been damaged, by visually inspecting its exterior.	Check especially following items: • Composite arms (upper arms and bar system); no hacks • Joint balls; no scratches • Ventilation hose; no holes
3	Make sure the lifting accessory to be used is dimensioned to handle the weight of the robot.	.
4	If the robot is not to be installed directly, it must be stored.	
5	Make sure the appointed operating environment of the robot conforms to the specifications.	
6	Before taking the robot to its installation site, make sure the site conforms to applicable requirements.	
7	Before moving the robot, make sure it does not tip over!	
8	When these prerequisites have been met, the robot may be taken to its installation site.	For assemble of the robot, see section Assembling the robot IRB 360 on page 49

Technical data

Weight

The following table shows the weight of the robot model.

Robot model	Weight
Standard	120 kg (264.5 pounds)

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Robot model	Weight
Wash-Down (WD)	120 kg (264.5 pounds)
Wash-Down Stainless (WDS)	145 kg (319.6 pounds)

Loads on foundation

The following tables show the various forces and torques working on the robot during different kinds of operation.

See figure below the tables.

Robot version IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/1600

Force N	Max. load in operation
F _x	±330 N
F _y	±260 N
F _z	-1500 ±170 N

Torque Nm	Max. load in operation
M _x	±200 Nm
M _y	±230 Nm
M _z	±100 Nm

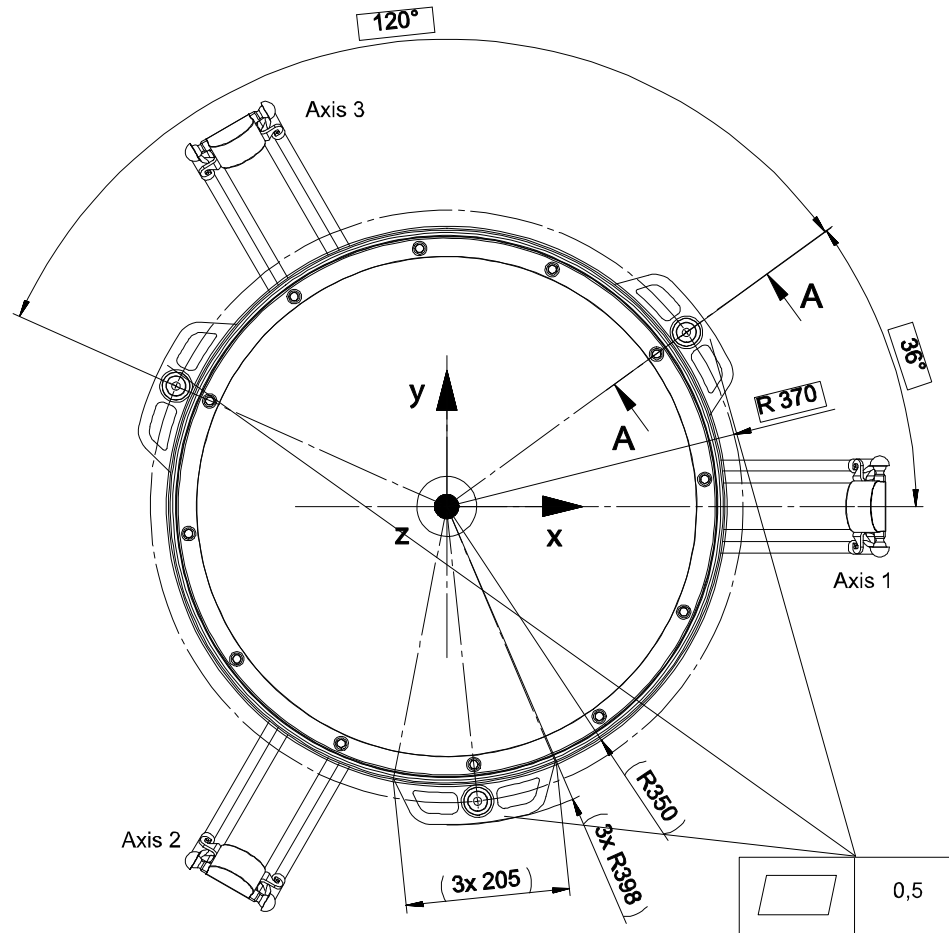
Robot version IRB 360 - 8/1130, IRB 360 - 6/1600

Force N	Max. load in operation
F _x	±550 N
F _y	±500 N
F _z	-1500 ±460 N

Torque Nm	Max. load in operation
M _x	±380 Nm
M _y	±440 Nm
M _z	±180 Nm

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Illustration



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The three support points of the manipulator base box shall be mounted against three flat surfaces within the specification above. Shims is used if necessary.

Requirements, foundation

The following subsections show the requirements for the foundation regarding stiffness and forces.

Stiffness of robot frame

The stiffness of the robot frame must be designed to minimize the influence on the dynamic behavior of the robot. It is recommended that a frame with a lowest natural frequency (with the robot mounted in the frame) higher than 17 Hz is used for robot versions IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600 and a frame with a lowest natural frequency higher than 40 Hz is used for robot version IRB 360 - 8/1130, IRB 360 - 6/1600. TuneServo can be used for adapting the robot tuning to a non-optimal foundation.

Forces

Maximum force in each fixing point are 500 N referring to the z-direction in the base coordinate system, regarding coordinate system see *Product specification - IRB 360*. A robot frame is not included in the delivery.

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Storage conditions

The following table shows the allowed storage conditions for the robot.

Parameter	Value
If the equipment is not going to be installed straight away, it must be stored in a dry area at an ambient temperature between.	-25 °C to +55 °C

Operating conditions

The following table shows the allowed operating conditions for the robot.

Parameter	Value
Ambient temperature	0 °C to +45 °C.
Relative humidity	Max. 95% at constant temperature

Protection classes

The following table shows the protection class of the robot.

Equipment	Protection class
Standard (Std.)	IP54
Wash-Down (WD)	IP67
Wash-Down Stainless (WDS)	IP69K
Clean Room, Stainless Clean Room	IP54

2.3.2 Transport

General

This section describes how to transport the manipulator.



Note

The transport shall be made by qualified personnel and should conform to all national and local codes.

Transport position

Whenever the manipulator is transported, it must be in mounting position. It is not allowed to turn the manipulator up side down.

When air transport is used, the robot must be located in a pressure-equalized area.



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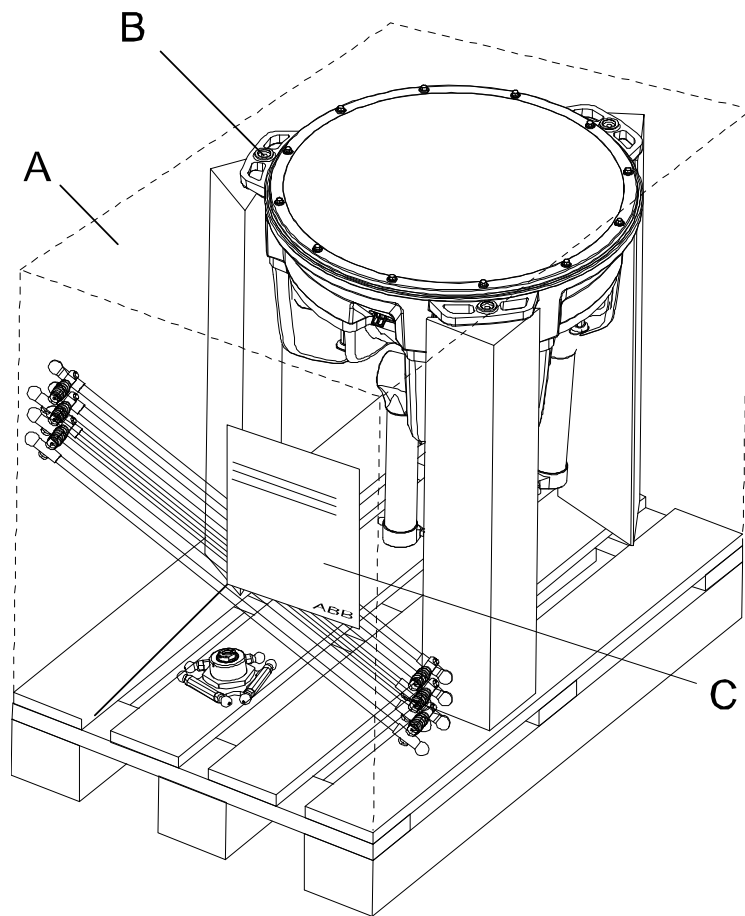
The center of gravity for IRB 360 during transport is very high, 804-810 mm from the bottom. It might tilt and fall when carried on a forklift.

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2.3.2 Transport

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A	Robot delivery box
B	Securing point x3
C	Robot delivery note

2.3.3 Assembling the robot IRB 360

Overview

Follow these steps to assemble the robot after unpacking.

Assembling the robot

	Action	Note
1	Prepare the working site according to sections:	Amount of required space on page 57 Orienting and securing the robot frame on page 58.
2	Lift the robot according to instructions in sections:	Lifting the robot with fork lift on page 53. Lifting the robot with roundslings on page 55. Pre-installation procedure on page 43
3	Secure the robot according to section:	Orienting and securing the robot on page 60.
4	Assemble the parallel arms according to section:	Replacement of parallel arms on page 173.
5	Assemble the telescopic shaft according to section:	Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188.
6	Assemble the movable plate according to section:	Replacement of movable plate on page 184.
7	Connect the controller and the manipulator.	Robot cabling and connection points on page 87.

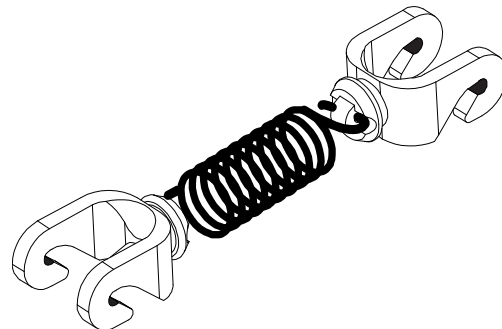


CAUTION

Before mounting external equipment on the robot, first read the section [Fitting equipment on robot on page 66.](#)

Assembly options

To facilitate cleaning, it is possible to use the spring units without the rubber bellows, if that is preferred due to hygienic or other reasons.



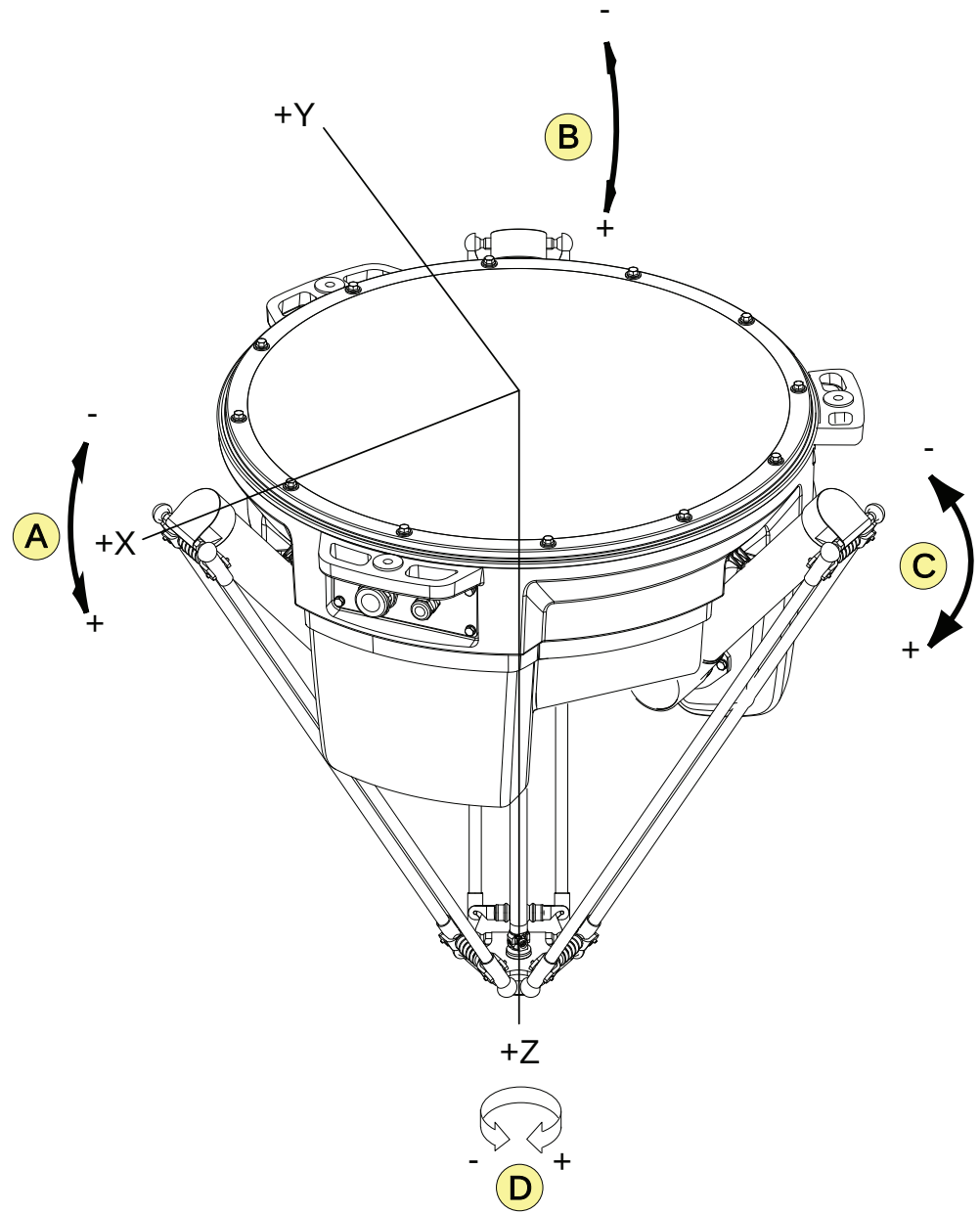
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2.3.4 Working range and type of motion

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Motion pattern

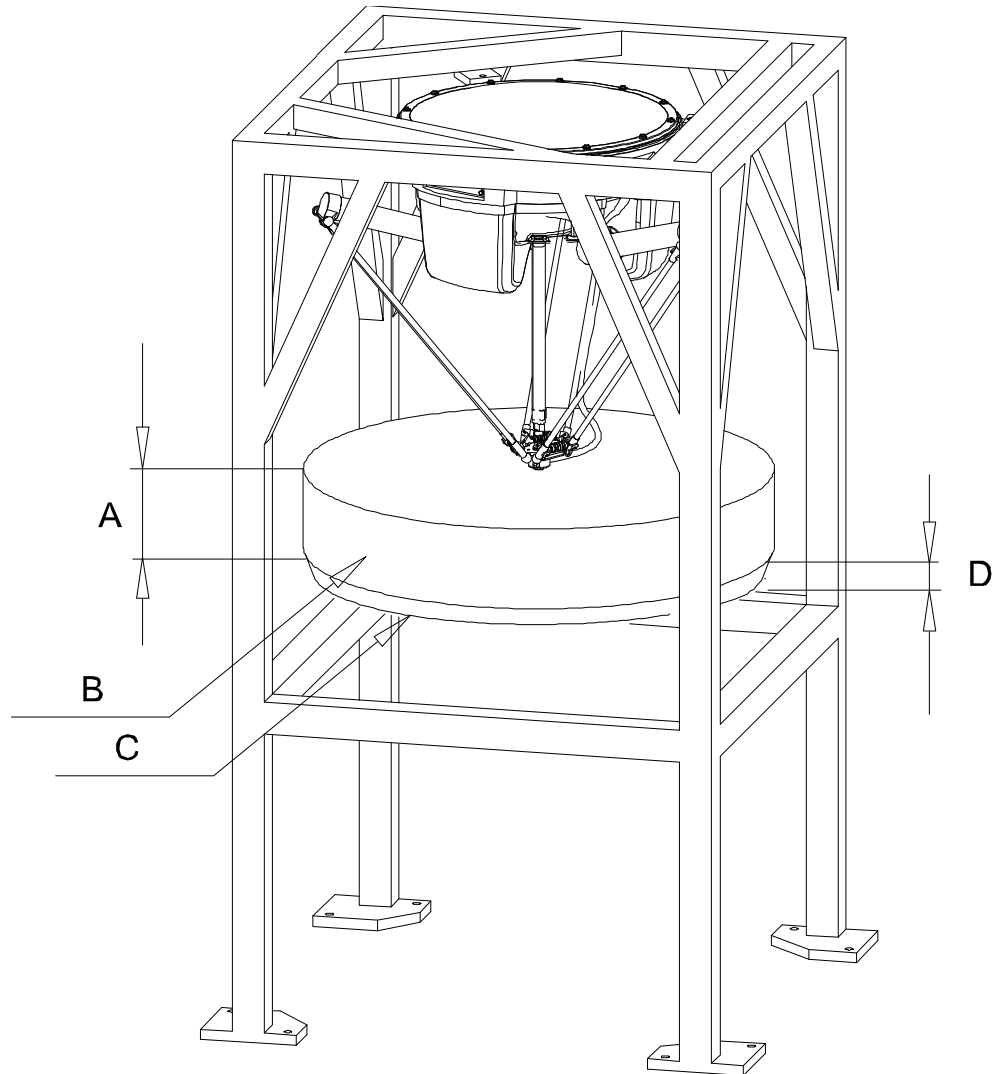


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A	Axis 1
B	Axis 2
C	Axis 3
D	Axis 4

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Working range



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Robot variant	Measurement A	Diameter B	Diameter C	Measurement D
IRB 360 - 1/1130	250 mm	1130 mm	967 mm	50 mm
IRB 360 - 3/1130	250 mm	1130 mm	967 mm	50 mm
IRB 360 - 1/800	200 mm	800 mm	-	-
IRB 360 - 1/1600	300 mm	1600 mm	1440 mm	50 mm
IRB 360 - 6/1600	305 mm	1600 mm	1200 mm	155 mm
IRB 360 - 8/1130	250 mm	1130 mm	750 mm	100 mm

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2.3.5 The unit is sensitive to ESD

2.3.5 The unit is sensitive to ESD

Description

ESD (electrostatic discharge) is the transfer of electrical static charge between two bodies at different potentials, either through direct contact or through an induced electrical field. When handling parts or their containers, personnel not grounded may potentially transfer high static charges. This discharge may destroy sensitive electronics.

Safe handling

Use one of the following alternatives:

- Use a wrist strap.

Wrist straps must be tested frequently to ensure that they are not damaged and are operating correctly.

- Use an ESD protective floor mat.

The mat must be grounded through a current-limiting resistor.

- Use a dissipative table mat.

The mat should provide a controlled discharge of static voltages and must be grounded.

2.4 On-site installation

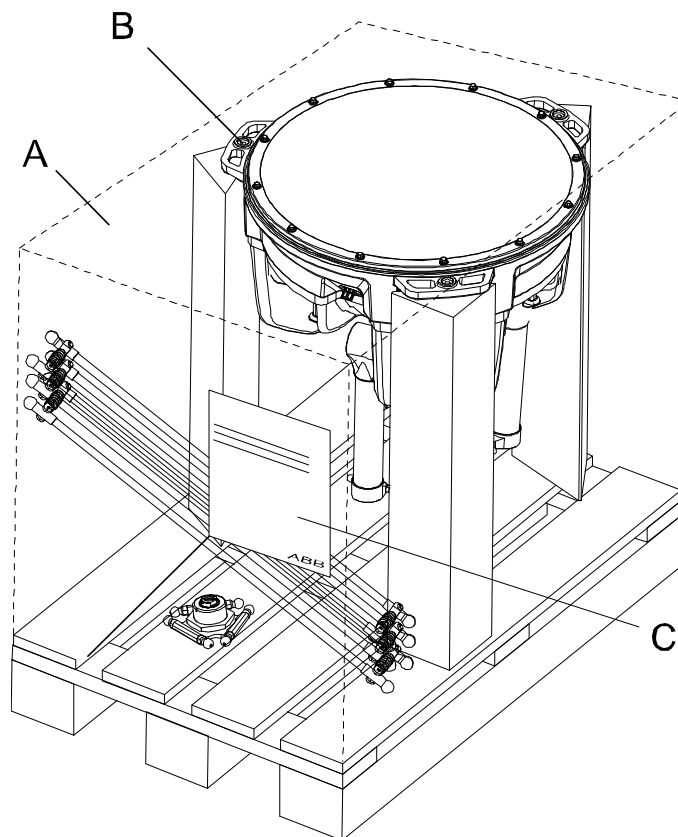
2.4.1 Lifting the robot with fork lift



WARNING

Never walk under a suspended load!

Lifting position



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A	Robot package top
B	Robot package securing point x3
C	Delivery note

Recommended equipment

Equipment	Art.no.	Note
Fork lift		

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2.4.1 Lifting the robot with fork lift

Continued

Lifting the robot

	Action	Note
1	 CAUTION The delivery package weighs 200 kg! All lifting accessories used must be sized accordingly.	
2	Lift the robot package to the installation site.	

2.4.2 Lifting the robot with roundslings

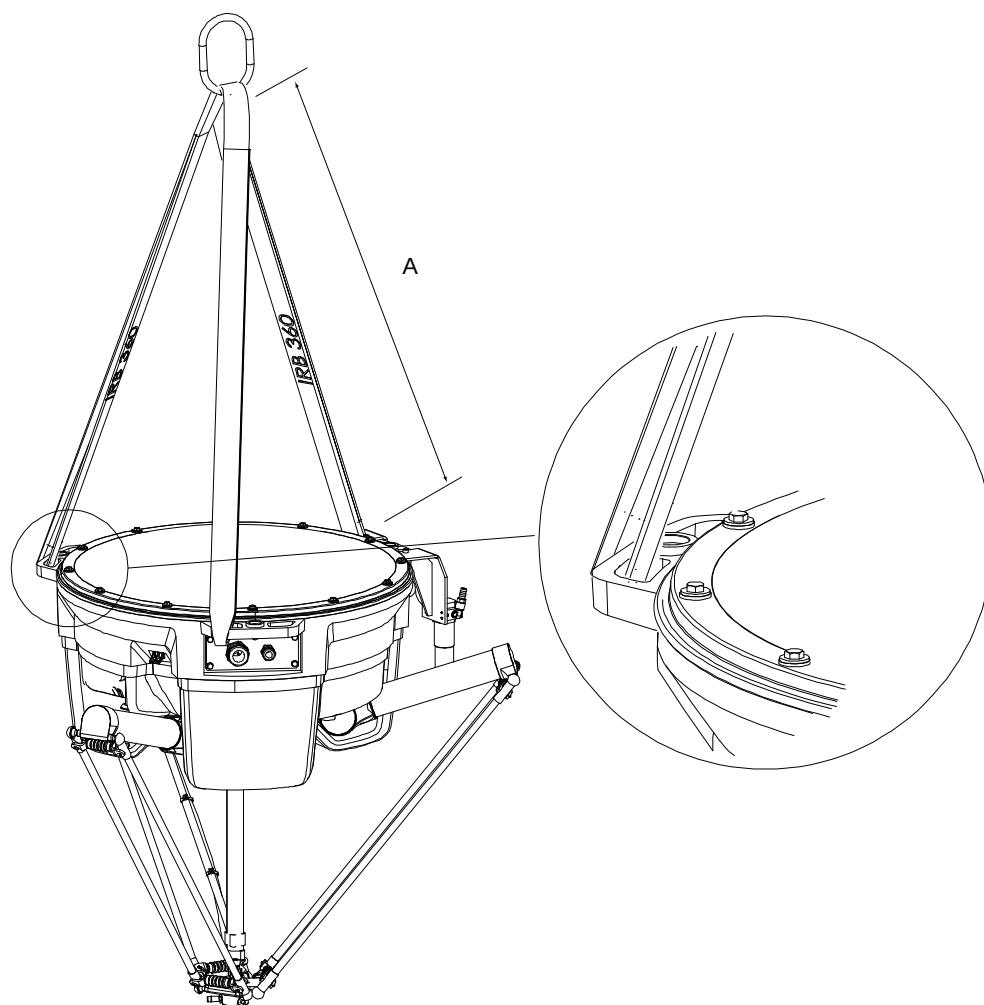


WARNING

Never walk under a suspended load!

The best way to lift the manipulator is to use lifting straps and a traverse crane. The lifting strap dimensions must comply with the applicable standards for lifting.

Lifting position



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A	L= 500 mm (20 inch)
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Recommended equipment

Equipment	Art.no.	Note
Roundslings		

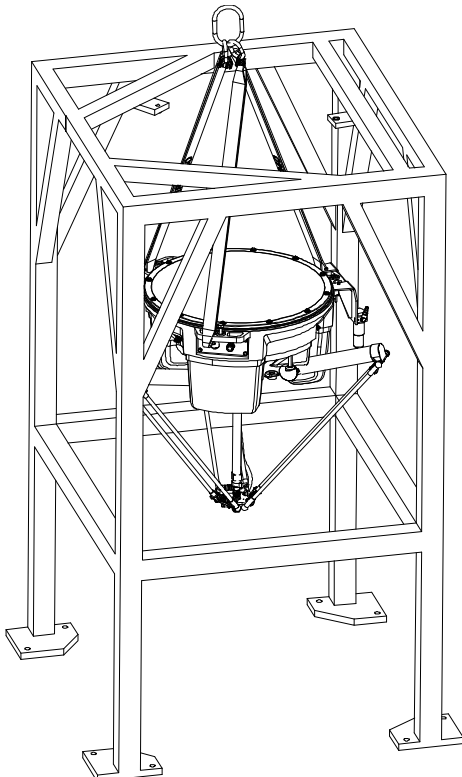
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2.4.2 Lifting the robot with roundslings

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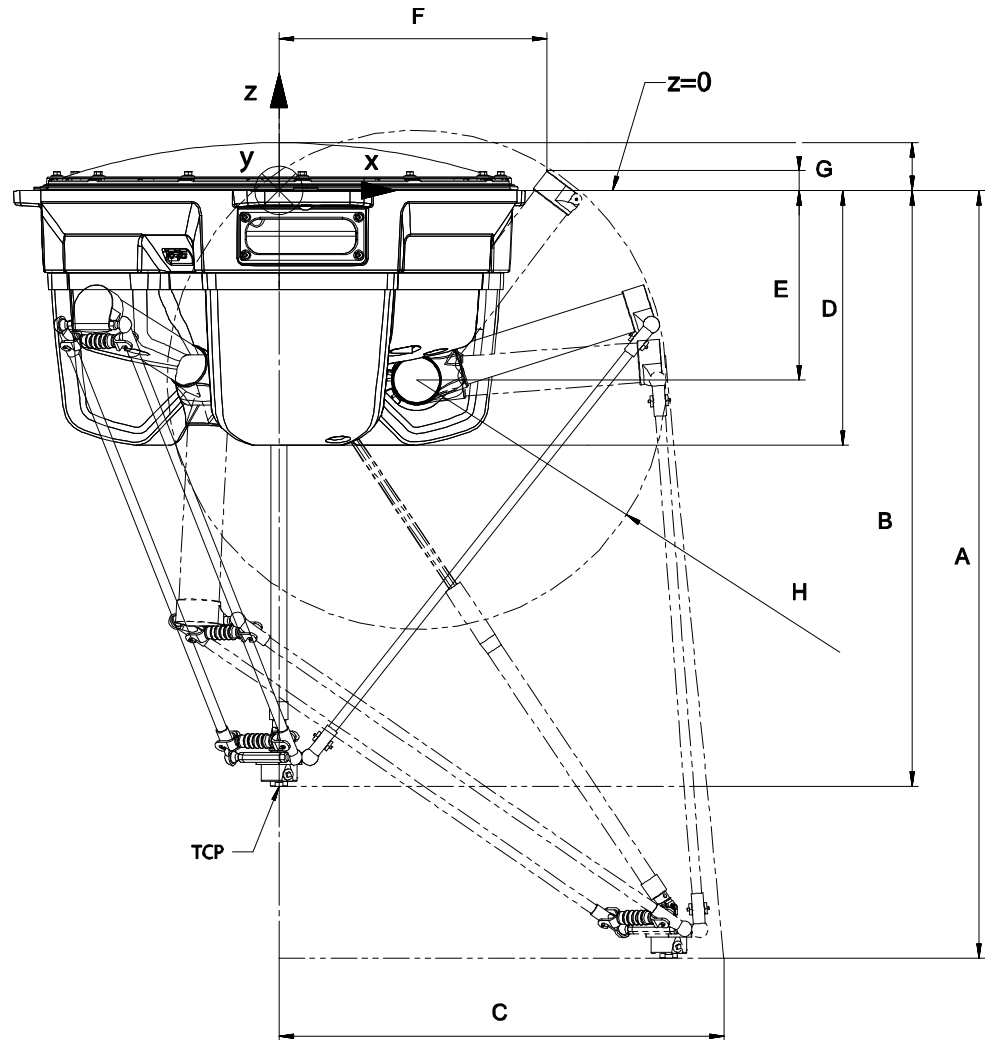
Lifting the robot with roundslings

	Action	Note
1	Attach the roundslings to the robot base box, see figure Lifting position on page 55.  CAUTION The IRB 360 weighs 120 kg (Std) and 145 kg (WDS). All lifting accessories used must be sized accordingly.	 xx0700000466

2.4.3 Amount of required space

Required space

The following figure shows the required amount of space to operate the manipulator.



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Dimensions

Variant	A (mm)	B (mm)	C (mm)	D (mm)	E (mm)	F (mm)	G (mm)	H (mm)
IRB 360 - 1/1130 IRB 360 - 3/1130	1115	865	647	370	275	389.5	28.50	R366
IRB 360 - 8/1130	1142	892	650	370	275	389.5	28.50	R366
IRB 360 - 1/800	1160	960	481	370	275			R251
IRB 360 - 1/1600	1412	1112	880	370	275	438	95	R447
IRB 360 - 6/1600	1412.5	1107.5	883	370	275	478.9	148.3	R515

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2.4.4 Orienting and securing the robot frame

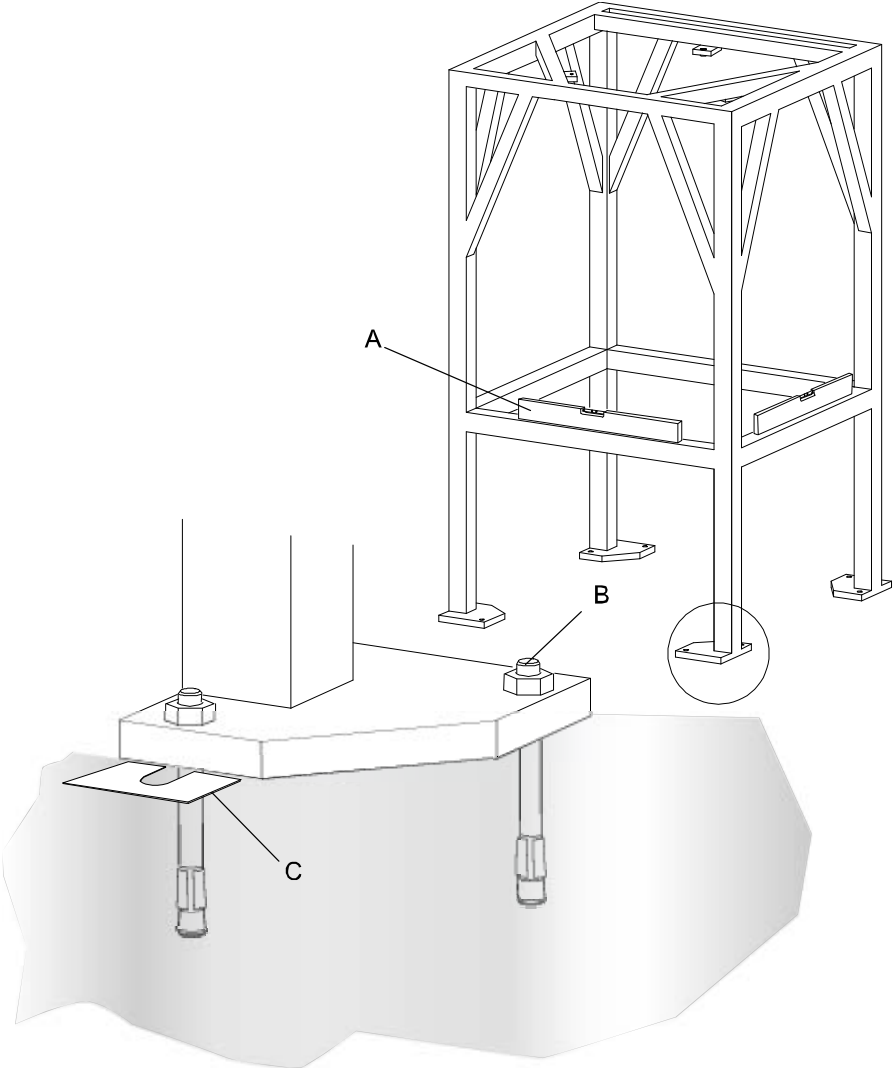
2.4.4 Orienting and securing the robot frame

General

This section details how to orient and secure the robot frame at a horizontal level at the installation site in order to run the robot safely.

**WARNING**
Make sure that the robot frame is secured before mounting the robot.

Illustration



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A	Spirit level
B	Chemical or mechanical expander bolts
C	Shim

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2 Installation and commissioning

2.4.4 Orienting and securing the robot frame

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Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Spirit level		
Shim		Shim drawing on page 59
Chemical bolts or mechanical expanding bolts.		
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269

References

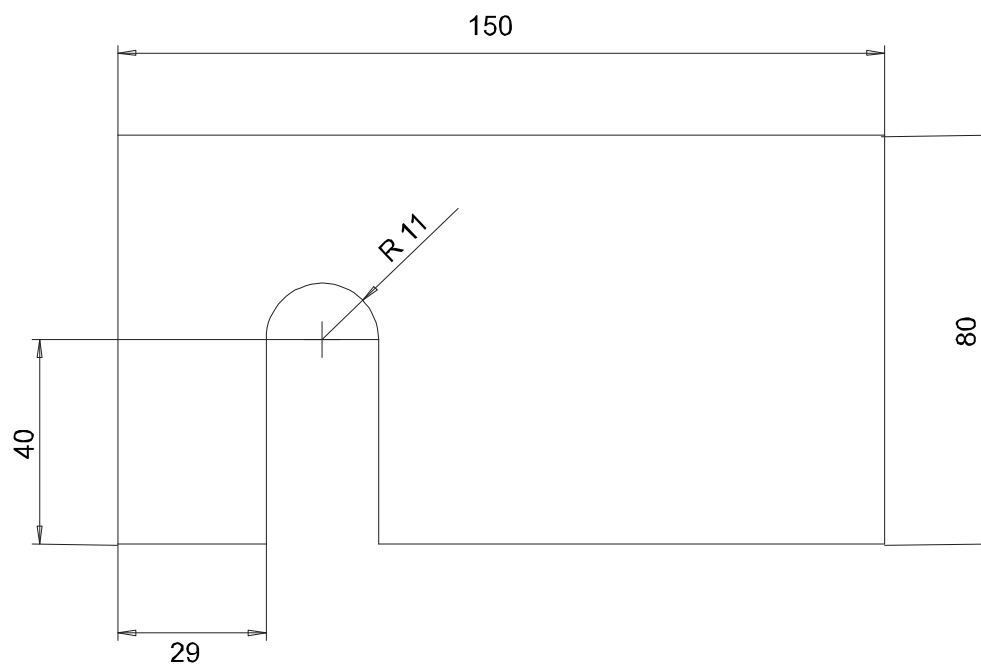
[Pre-installation procedure on page 43](#)

Orienting and securing

	Action	Note
1	Make sure the installation site for the robot conforms to the specifications in section Pre-installation procedure on page 43 .	
2	Prepare the installation site.	
3	Use a water level to level the robot frame.	Use shim for leveling. Example of shim shown in Shim drawing on page 59
4	Secure the robot frame to the floor.	Use chemical or mechanical expander bolts.

Shim drawing

Example of shim.



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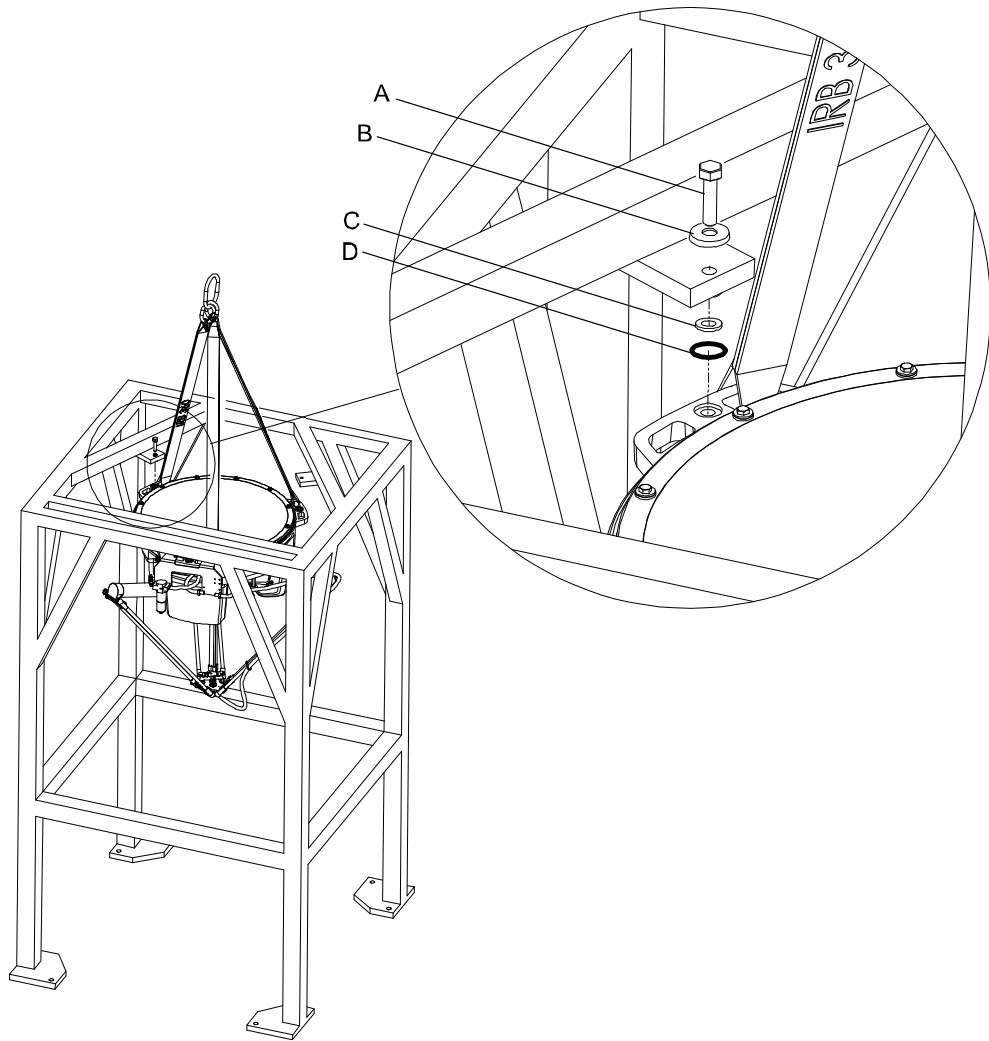
2.4.5 Orienting and securing the robot

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General

This section describes how to orient and secure the robot at a horizontal level at the installation site.

Illustration



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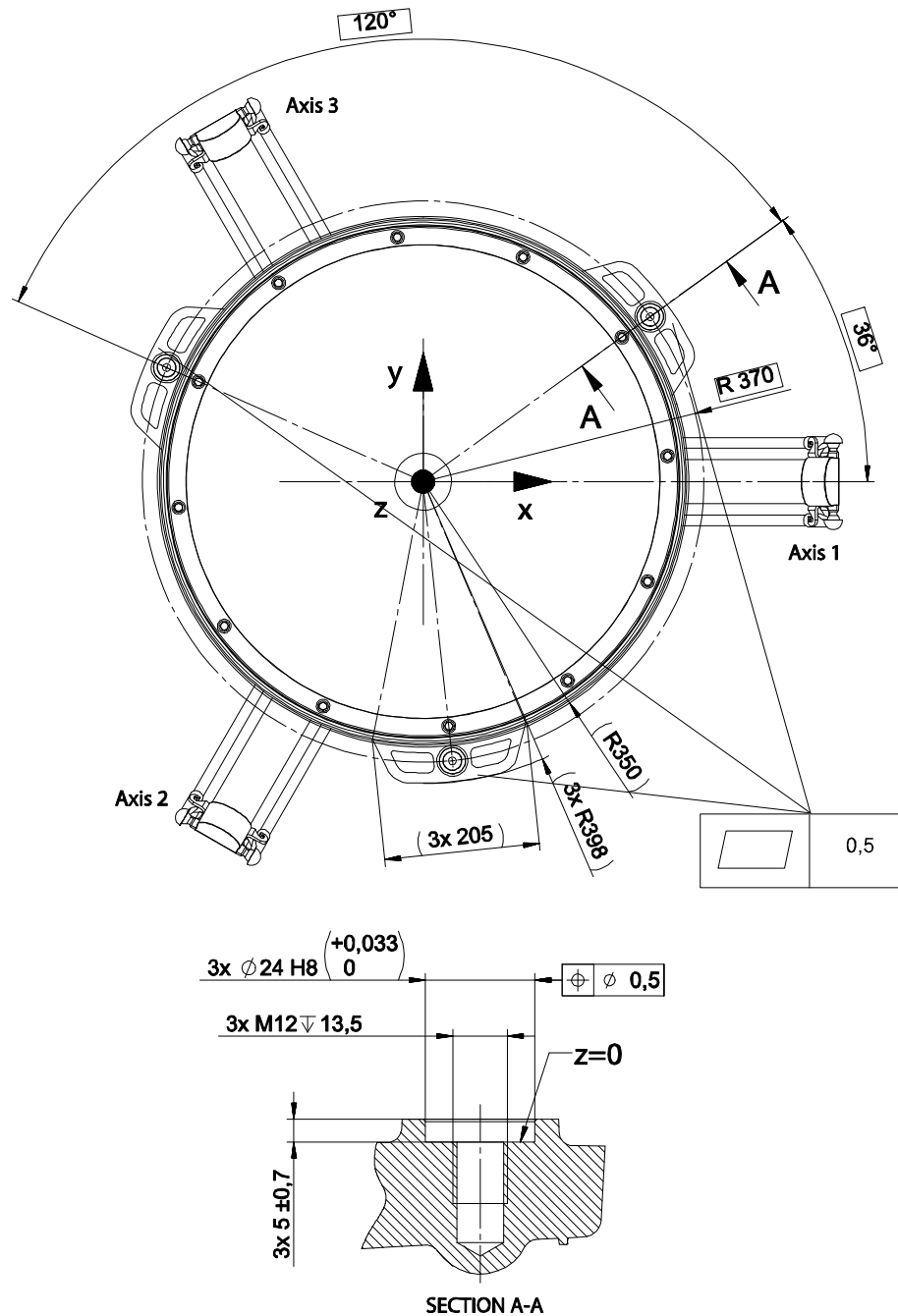
A	Attachment bolts M12x50
B	Bonded seal washer, rubber/metal
C	Mounting washer
D	Sealing ring

Required equipment

Equipment, etc.	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools	Standard toolkit on page 269	

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Hole configuration, base



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The three support points of the manipulator base box shall be mounted against three flat surfaces with a flatness within the specification. Use shims if necessary.

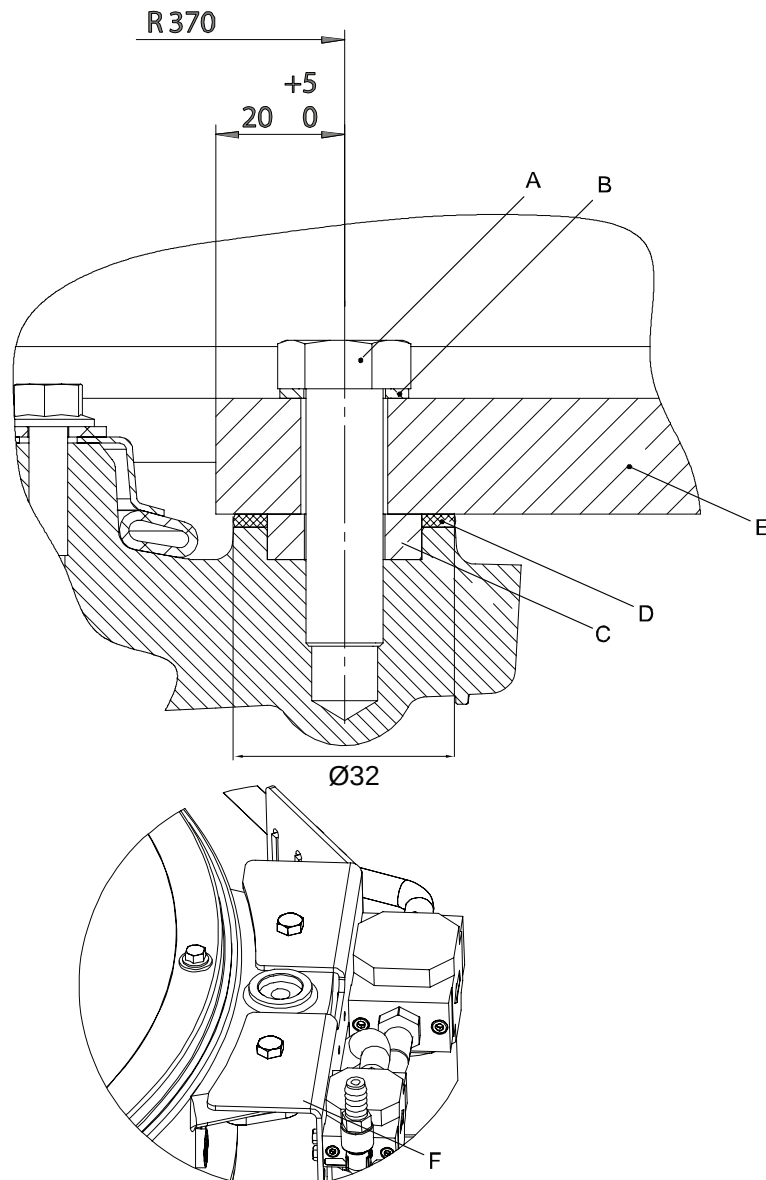
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2.4.5 Orienting and securing the robot

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Attachment bolts and washers, specification



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A	Screw M12
B	Bonded seal washer, rubber/metal.
C	Mounting washer
D	Sealing ring
E	Robot frame
F	Bracket

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The table below specifies the type of securing screws and washers to be used for securing the robot to the base foundation.

Attachments	Dimensions
Attachment bolts	M12x70 stainless steel The length of the screws depend on the design of the robot frame
Quantity	3 pcs
Quality	Standard and Wash-Down (WD): 8.8 with yield strength 640 N/mm ² Wash-Down stainless (WDS): A2-70 with yield strength 450 N/mm ²
Tightening torque	70 Nm
Bonded seal washer, rubber/metal	3 pcs M12 hygienic
Assembly kit with: - Sealing ring, 3 pcs - Distance washer, 3 pcs.	- 24.4x35x3 EPDM Rubber 12.5x24x6.5 Steel,

Orienting and securing

	Action	Note
1	Make sure the installation site for the robot conforms to the specifications in section Pre-installation procedure on page 43 .	
2	Prepare the installation site.	Detailed in section Orienting and securing the robot frame on page 58
3	Lift the robot to the installation site.	Detailed in section Lifting the robot with fork lift on page 53 and in section Lifting the robot with roundslings on page 55
4	 Note If use of ABB's vacuum system is intended, make sure there is a space left for the bracket (F).	
5	Fit the sealing rings and distance washers to the three mounting points.	Sealing ring: 24.4x35x3 EPDM Rubber Distance washer: 12.5x24x6.5 Steel,
6	Fit and tighten the bolts and washers in the base attachment holes.	The screw joint must be able to withstand the stress loads defined in section Pre-installation procedure on page 43 .

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2.4.6 Manually releasing the brakes

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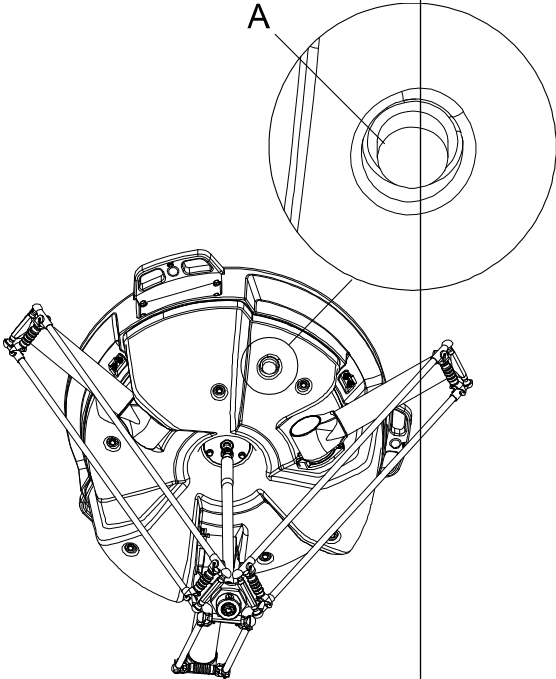
Releasing the brakes is a hazardous action that may cause injury and damage property. It must be done with great care and only when absolutely necessary.

General

This section describes how to release the holding brakes.
The brake release button is located on the base of the robot, close to the center.

Using the brake release unit when the robot is connected to the robot controller

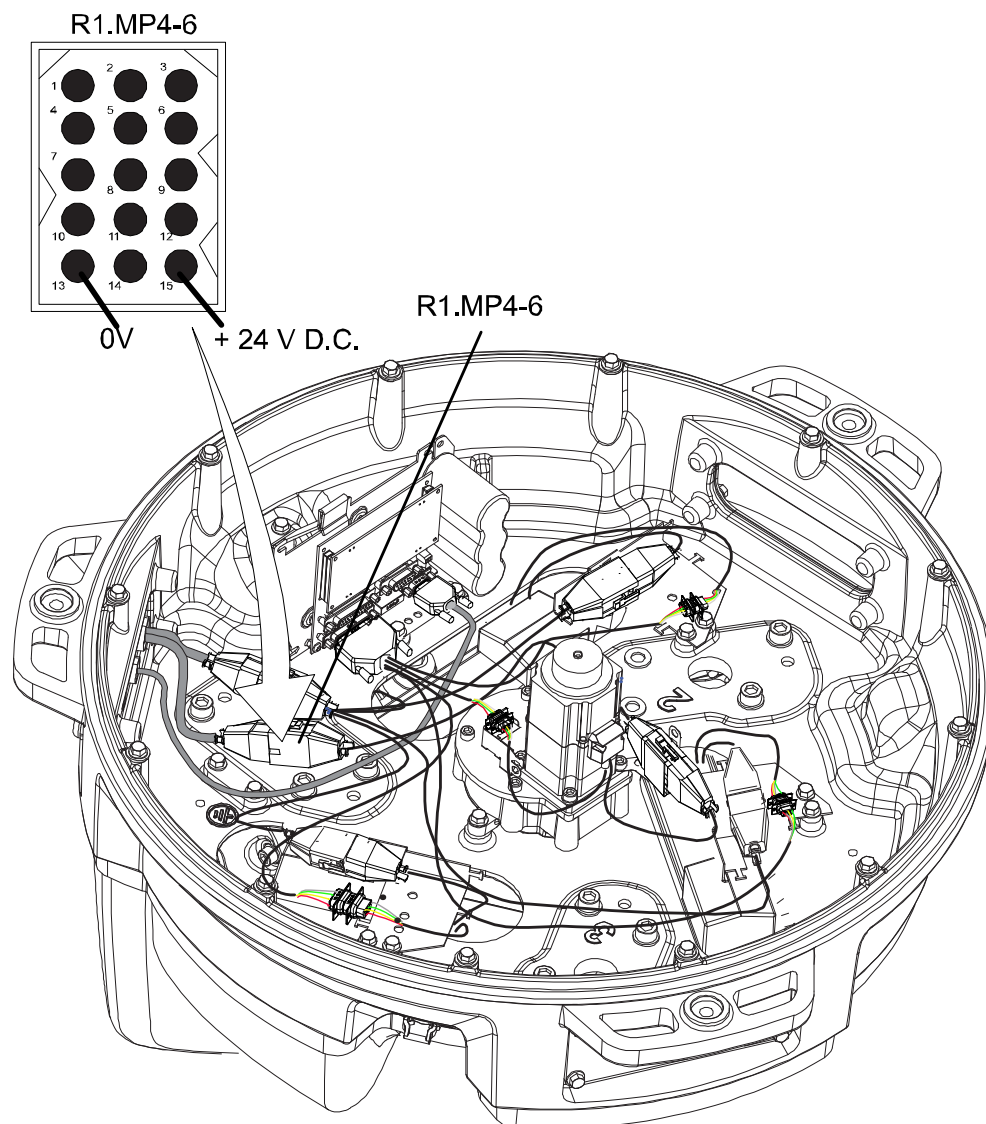
This procedure details how to release the holding brakes with push-buttons, when the robot is connected to the controller.

	Action	Note
1	The internal brake release unit is located at the base of the robot.	 xx0700000435 A Brake release button
2	Press and hold the brake release button (keep it pressed in). The brake will function again as soon as the button is released.	

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Using the brake release unit with an external power supply

This section describes how to release the holding brakes with the internal brake release unit, using an external voltage supply. This is done if the robot is not connected to the controller.



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Note

Be careful not to interchange the 24 V and 0 V pins. If they are mixed-up, electrical components can be damaged.

	Action	Note
1	Connect an external power +24V supply to the FCI connector (pin 13 to 0V and pin 15 to +24V).	See cable harness in <i>Spare parts - cable harness</i> .
2	Press and hold the brake release button (keep it pressed in). The brake will function again as soon as the button is released.	

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2.4.7 Fitting equipment on robot

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Overview

This section describes how to fit equipment on the IRB 360.



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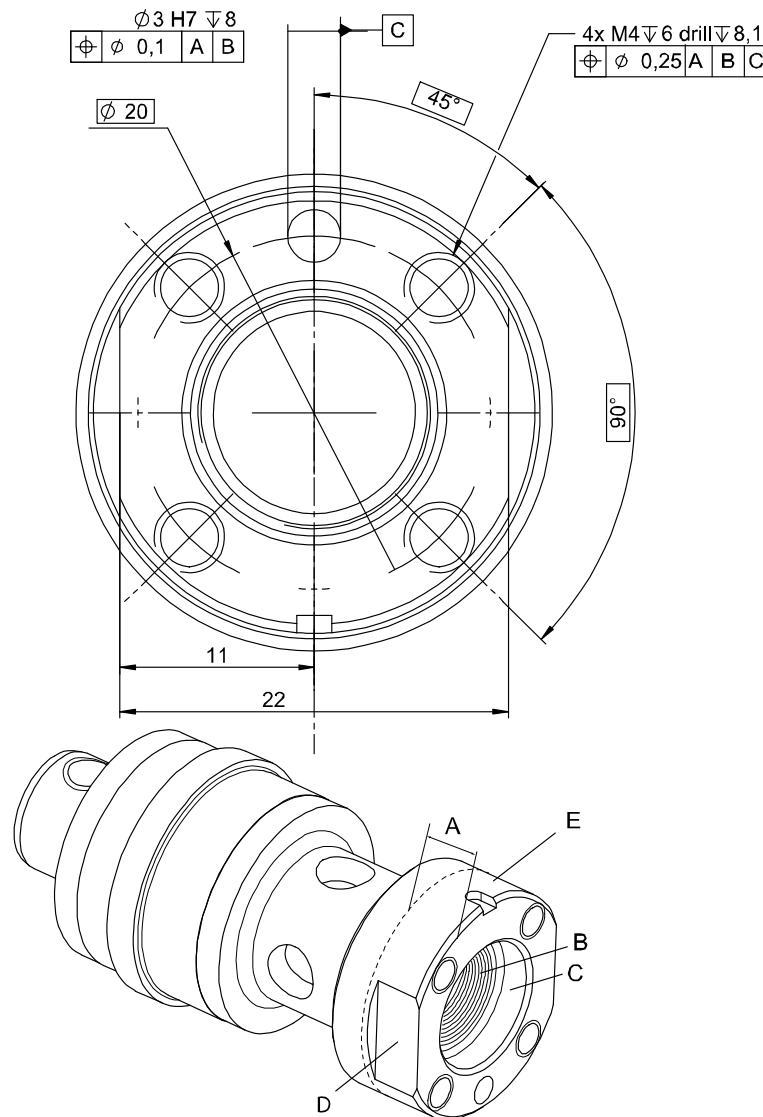
All equipment and cables used on the robot, must be designed and fitted not to damage the robot and/or its parts.

Extra loads on the arms must be configured in the load data to not affect the performance of the robot. See [Loads on page 73](#).

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Mechanical interface

STD - IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600



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A	Free space, depth 6 mm
B	R1/4"
C	Ø14 H8 depth 4 mm
D	Key grip = width 22 mm height 5.5 mm
E	Ø25 h8 depth 6 mm

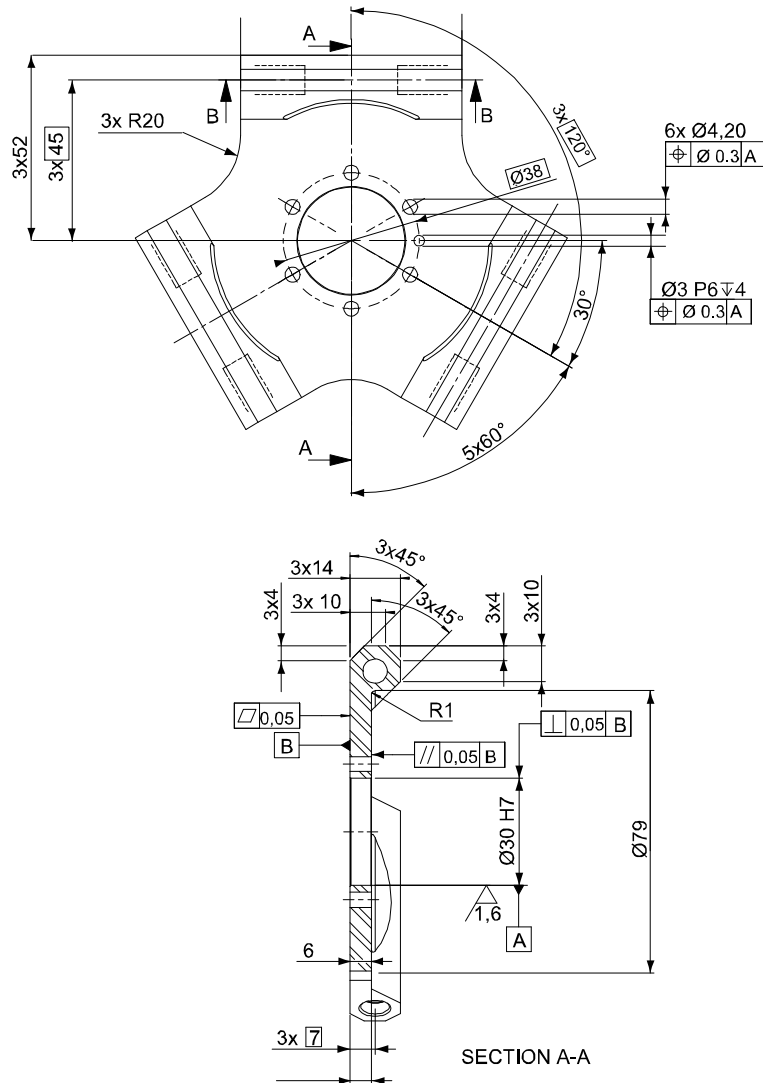
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2.4.7 Fitting equipment on robot

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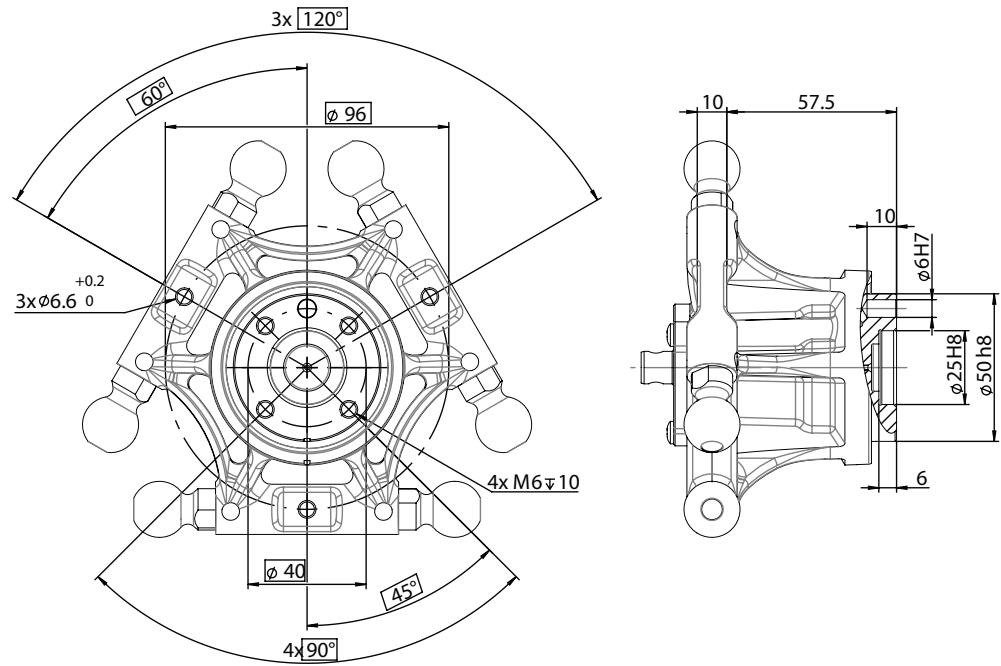
3D - IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600



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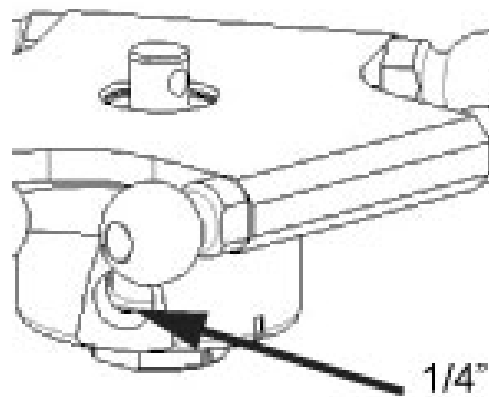
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IRB 360 - 8/1130, IRB 360 - 6/1600



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Air swivel



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1/4" threaded holes

Required equipment

Equipment	Article number	Note
Standard tools	-	Standard toolkit on page 269
Open end spanner	-	22 mm

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2.4.7 Fitting equipment on robot
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Mounting equipment R1/4" on movable plate with swivel



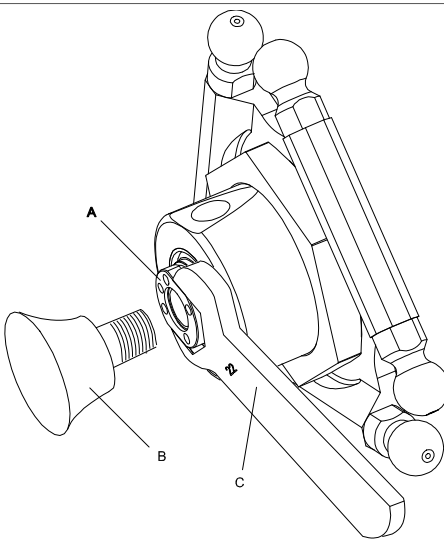
CAUTION

Never drill a hole in the manipulator without first consulting maintenance/repair personnel or the design department at ABB.



CAUTION

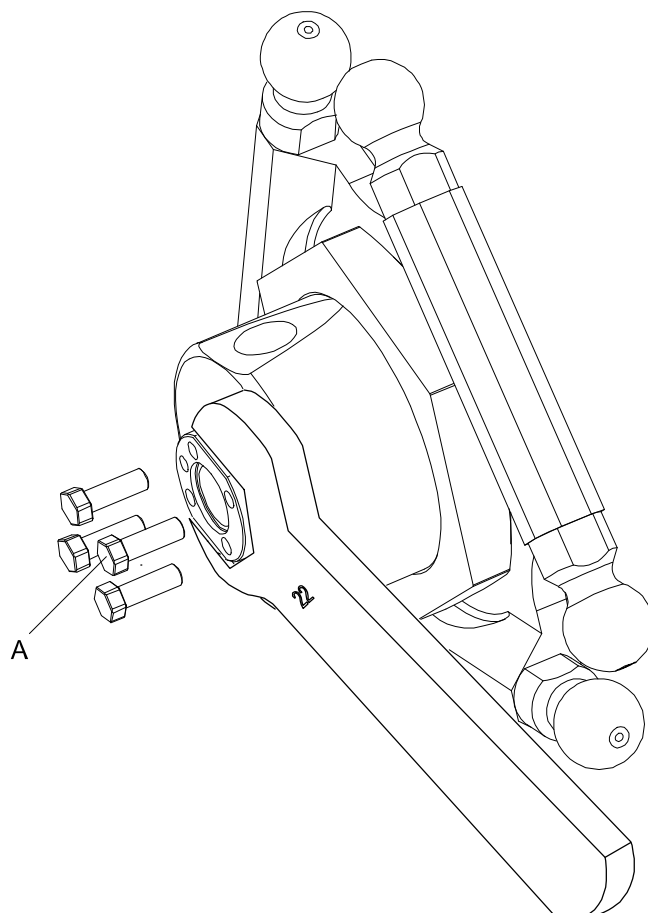
Never remove the swivel cup. The cup protects the bearings.

	Action	Note						
1	Attach the tool to the mounting flange.	Fitting R1/4"						
2	 CAUTION If the movable plate is equipped with a swivel: Always use an open-end spanner 22 mm or similar on the mounting flange, when tightening.	 xx0700000490 <table><tr><td>A</td><td>Mounting flange</td></tr><tr><td>B</td><td>Tool (fitting R1/4")</td></tr><tr><td>C</td><td>Open-end spanner 22 mm</td></tr></table>	A	Mounting flange	B	Tool (fitting R1/4")	C	Open-end spanner 22 mm
A	Mounting flange							
B	Tool (fitting R1/4")							
C	Open-end spanner 22 mm							
3	 Note If axial tool movement using axis 4 is intended, use a locking liquid or a lock screw to prevent rotation of tool. If a high frequent use of linear tool movement is intended, use a tool with mounting flange.							

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Mounting equipment to flange on movable plate with swivel

IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600



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A	4 pcs Screws M4	
	Action	Note
1	Attach the tool to the mounting flange.	
2	 CAUTION Always use an open-end spanner 22 mm or similar on the mounting flange, when tightening.	

Attachment screws

Attachments	Note
Suitable screws, lightly lubricated:	M4 (Length depending on tool)
Suitable washer.	
Tightening torque.	See section Screw joints on page 161 .

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2.4.7 Fitting equipment on robot

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Fastener quality

When fitting tools on the tool flange, only use screws with quality 12.9. For other equipment use suitable screws and tightening torque for your application.

Attachments on the lower arms

Equipment can only be attached to one lower arm. The loads must be calculated and configured, see [Extra equipment attached to the manipulator arms on page 73](#).

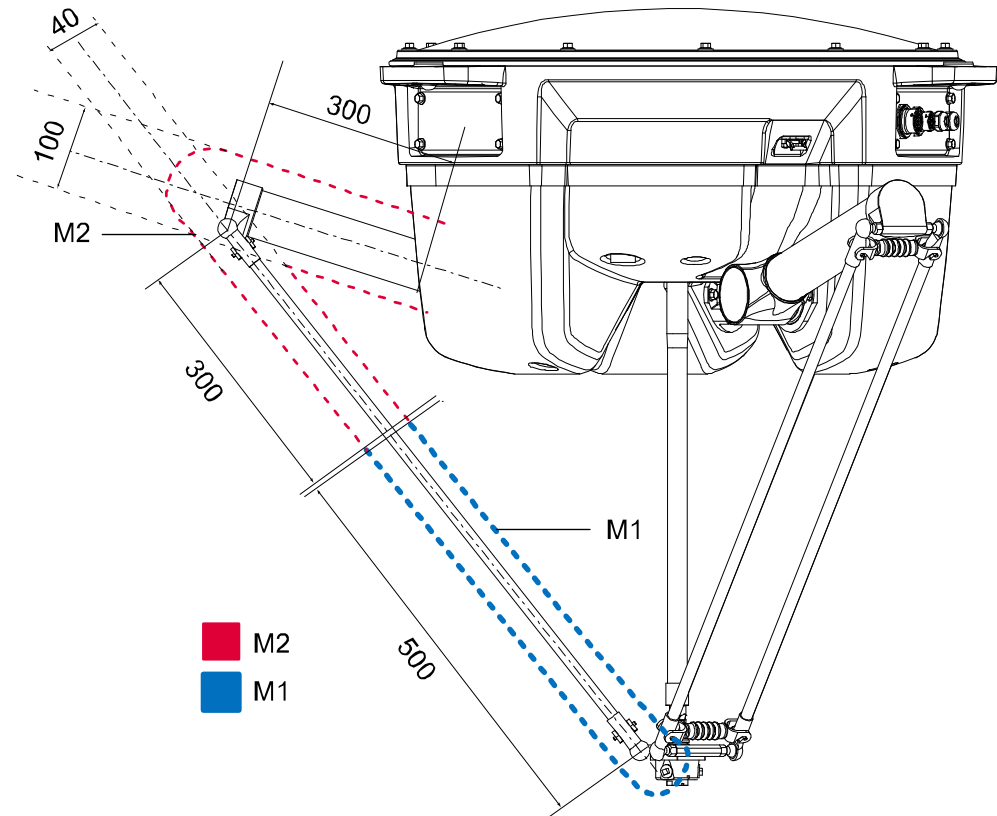
No holes for fitting extra equipment are available on the upper and lower arms. If attaching extra equipment to the arms, use shaped clamping blocks. Plastic cable ties can be used but risk of damaging surfaces. Do not use metal directly on the lower arms. Maximum extra load: 0.35 kg to either M1 or M2.

2.4.8 Loads

General

This section describes loads from external equipment. For information about general loads and diagrams see the product specification, listed in [References on page 10](#).

Extra equipment attached to the manipulator arms



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M1	Limitation lines for center of gravity for M1
M2	Limitation lines for center of gravity for M2

The robot is tuned for handling the weight of a vacuum system or a medium-sized hose. Other equipment attached to M1 and/or M2 should be calculated as a point load located in the same position as TCP 0. This point load needs to be added to the calculation of the tool load and declared in the tool data, see [Extra load mass to be calculated on page 74](#).

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2.4.8 Loads

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Extra load mass to be calculated

Part on arm system	Weight	Description
M1	0-175 g	Allowed. Do not calculate the extra load mass.
	175-350 g	Calculate the extra load mass by subtracting the weight with 175 g. ⁱ
	>350 g	Not allowed.
M2	0-175 g	Allowed. Do not calculate the extra load mass.
	175-350 g	Calculate the extra load mass by subtracting the weight with 175 g. ⁱ
	>350 g	Not allowed.

ⁱ Combine the extra load mass weight of M1 and M2 together and add the weight as a point mass in the center of the customer interface (TCP 0). This addition can be done in the tool definition or the payload definition. If only one of M1 or M2 needs to be calculated, add only that extra load mass subtracted with 175g in TCP 0.

Extra arm load can be calculated using the service routine *Load Identification* (*LoadId*). Because *LoadId* is only available on arm 3, then even if the equipment should be on another arm, then use arm 3 for the calculation.

Use the results to update the load.



Tip

LoadId is described in the operating manual for the controller.

Example of calculating the extra load mass

If the extra equipment (excluding option equipments) attached to M1 has the load mass of 210 g and the extra equipment attached on M2 has the load mass of 240 g, then the calculated extra load mass for M1 is (210 g - 175 g = 35 g) and for M2 (240 g - 175 g = 65 g). Adding together the calculated load mass for M1 and M2 (35 g + 65 g = 100 g) gives the correct amount of 100 g located at the same position as TCP0. This point load needs to be added to the calculation of the users tool load and declared in used tooldata.

2.5 Installation of options

2.5.1 Installation of safety lamp (option 213-1)

General

This section describes installation of safety lamp.



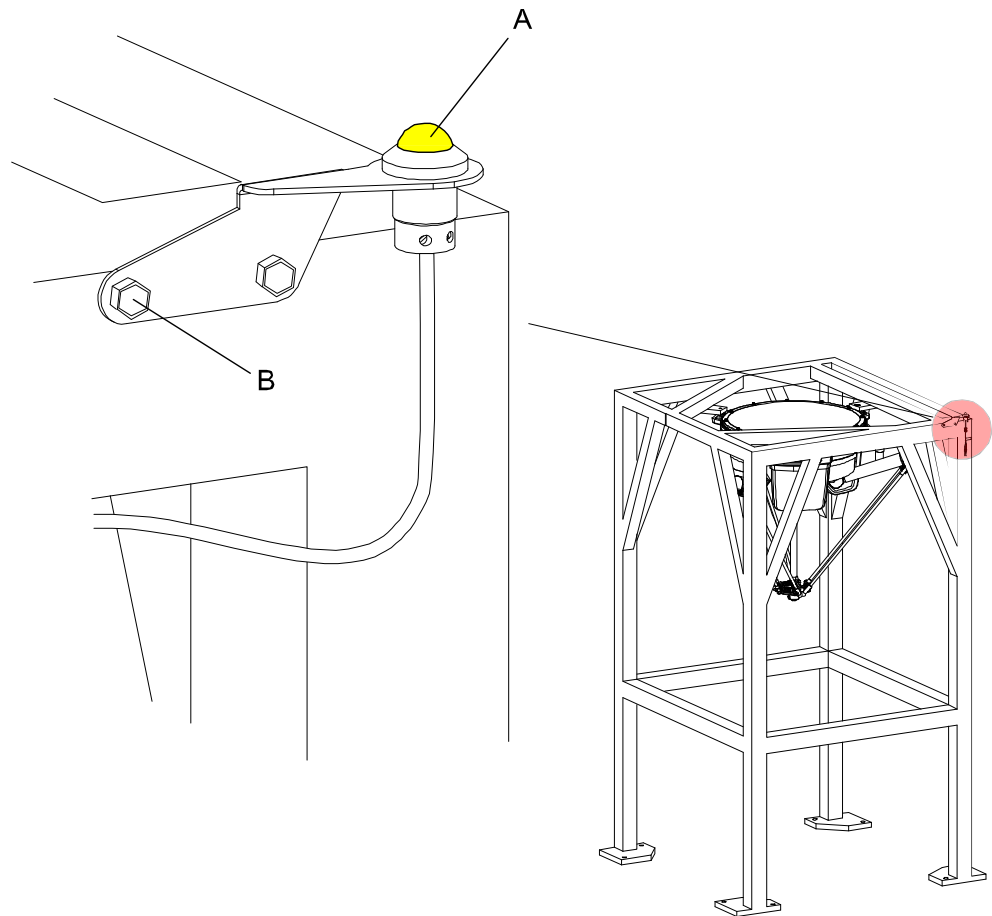
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Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

Location



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A	Warning lamp.
B	Screw M8 of suitable length.

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2.5.1 Installation of safety lamp (option 213-1)

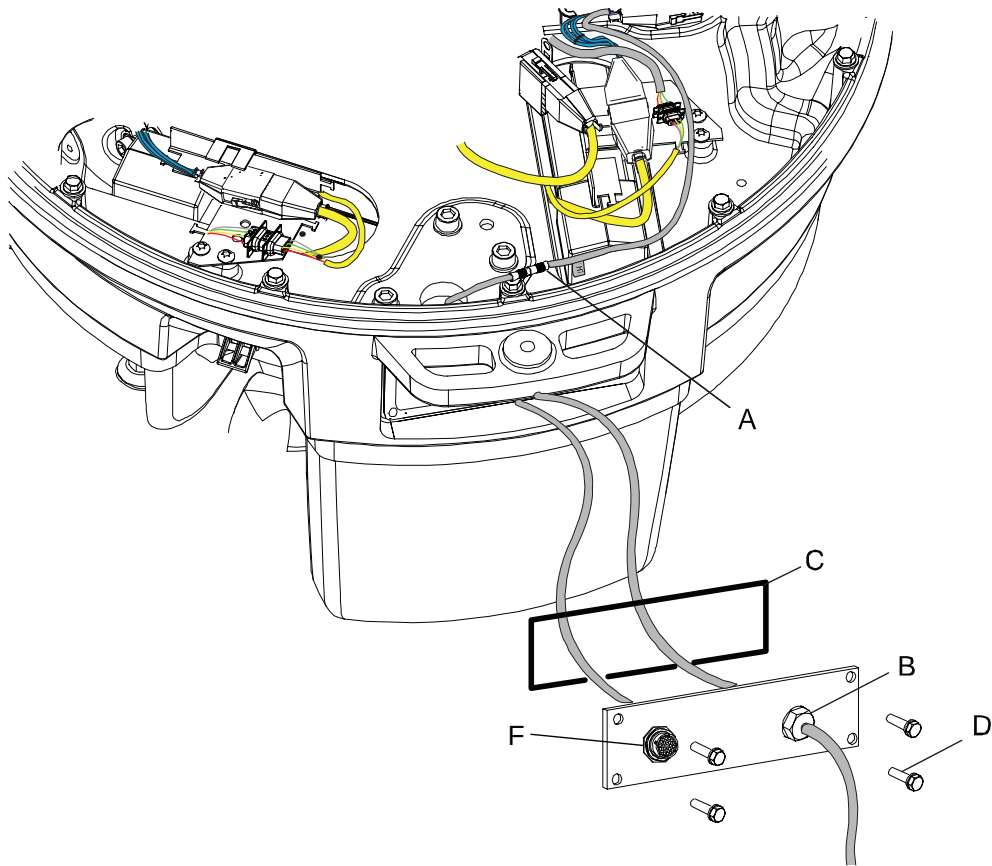
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Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare Part No.	Note
Standard tools.		Standard toolkit on page 269
Safety lamp (option).	<i>Spare parts - customer options signal lamp IRB 360.</i>	
Cover	3HAC028966-006	
Cover gasket	3HAC028972-001	

References
Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166
Standard toolkit on page 269

Installation



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A	Safety lamp connectors R3.H1and R3.H2
B	Lead-through in cover plate for the optional safety lamp.
C	Cover gasket 3HAC028972-001
D	4pcs Screw M6x20
F	FB7 connector for resolver signals for axis 7 (Option 864-1)

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2.5.1 Installation of safety lamp (option 213-1)

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	Action	Note
1	Remove the base cover	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166
2	Replace the cover plate with the optional safety lamp cover plate with gasket.	Tightening torque 4 Nm
3	Locate the connectors R3.H1 - R3.H2 and connect the safety lamp harness to it.	
4	Mount the safety lamp.	Placement is optional.

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2.5.2 Installation of (optional) customer connections IRB 360

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General

This section describes installation of customer connections.



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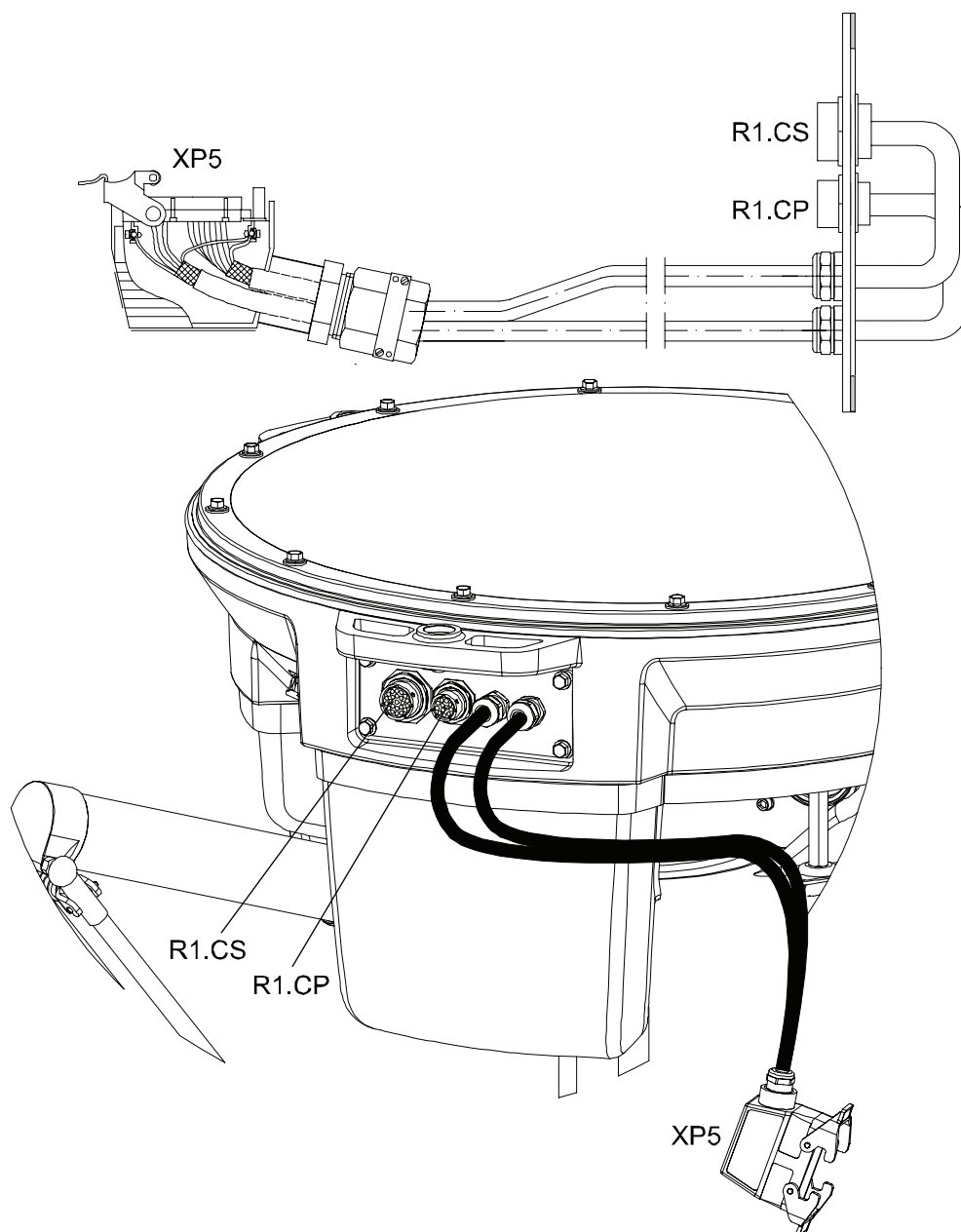
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- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

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Location



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Connections in customer cable

Wire	Spec.	Connection point A			Connection point B			Note
		Designation	Term	Type	Designation	Term	Type	
Power								
1	RD	XP5	A1	2	R1.CP	1	13	
2	BU	XP5	B1	2	R1.CP	2	13	
3	GN	XP5	C1	2	R1.CP	3	13	

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2.5.2 Installation of (optional) customer connections IRB 360

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Wire	Spec.	Connection point A			Connection point B			Note
		Designation	Term	Type	Designation	Term	Type	
4	YE	XP5	D1	2	R1.CP	4	13	
5	WH	XP5	A2	2	R1.CP	5	13	
6	BK	XP5	B2	2	R1.CP	6	13	
7	BN	XP5	C2	2	R1.CP	8	13	
8	VT	XP5	D2	2	R1.CP	9	13	
9	OG	XP5	A3	2	R1.CP	10	13	
10	PK	XP5	B3	2	R1.CP	11	13	
11	TQ							Conductor to cut off.
12	GY	XP5	Earth	19	R1.CP	12	13	i
SHIELD		XP5	Earth Ref. (DP shield)	20		Earth (shield)		0V (ground) ii
Signals								
	Pair							
1.1	1 WH	XP5	B5	4	R1.CS	1	15	
1.2	1 BU	XP5	C5	4	R1.CS	2	15	
2.1	2 WH	XP5	D5	4	R1.CS	3	15	
2.2	2 OG	XP5	A6	4	R1.CS	4	15	
3.1	3 WH	XP5	B6	4	R1.CS	5	15	
3.2	3 GN	XP5	C6	4	R1.CS	6	15	
4.1	4 WH	XP5	D6	4	R1.CS	7	15	
4.2	4 BN	XP5	A7	4	R1.CS	8	15	
5.1	5 WH	XP5	B7	4	R1.CS	9	15	
5.2	5 GY	XP5	C7	4	R1.CS	10	15	
6.1	6 RD	XP5	D7	4	R1.CS	11	15	
6.2	6 BU	XP5	A8	4	R1.CS	12	15	
7.1	7 RD	XP5	B8	4	R1.CS	13	15	
7.2	7 OG	XP5	C8	4	R1.CS	14	15	
8.1	8 RD	XP5	D8	4	R1.CS	15	15	
8.2	8 GN	XP5	A9	4	R1.CS	16	15	
9.1	9 RD	XP5	B9	4	R1.CS	17	15	
9.2	9 BN	XP5	C9	4	R1.CS	18	15	
10.1	10 RD	XP5	D9	4	R1.CS	19	15	
10.2	10 GY	XP5	A10	4	R1.CS	20	15	
11.1	11 BK	XP5	B10	4	R1.CS	21	15	
11.2	11 BU	XP5	C10	4	R1.CS	22	15	

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2.5.2 Installation of (optional) customer connections IRB 360

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Wire	Spec.	Connection point A			Connection point B			Note
		Designation	Term	Type	Designation	Term	Type	
12.1	12 BK	XP5	D10	4	R1.CS	23	15	
12.2	12 OG							Conductor to cut off.
13.1	13 BK							Conductor to cut off.
13.2	13 GN							Conductor to cut off.
14.1								Conductor to cut off.
14.2								Conductor to cut off.
15.1								Conductor to cut off.
15.2								Conductor to cut off.
16.1								Conductor to cut off.
16.2								Conductor to cut off.
Shield		XP5	Earth Ref. (DP shield)	20				0V (Ground) ⁱⁱ

i Use green/yellow shrinking hose on free conductors, in both ends.

ii Dual press both shields, and connect them to earth.

Installation

	Action	Note
1	Remove the standard cover plate.	
2	Fit the self-adhesive gasket on the customer cover plate.	
3	Install the customer cable harness.	Use standard tools.
4	Assemble the customer cover plate using the four attachment screws.	Tightening torque 4 Nm

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2.5.3 Installation of vacuum system (option 218-9)

2.5.3 Installation of vacuum system (option 218-9)

General

This section describes installation of (optional) vacuum system on an IRB 360.



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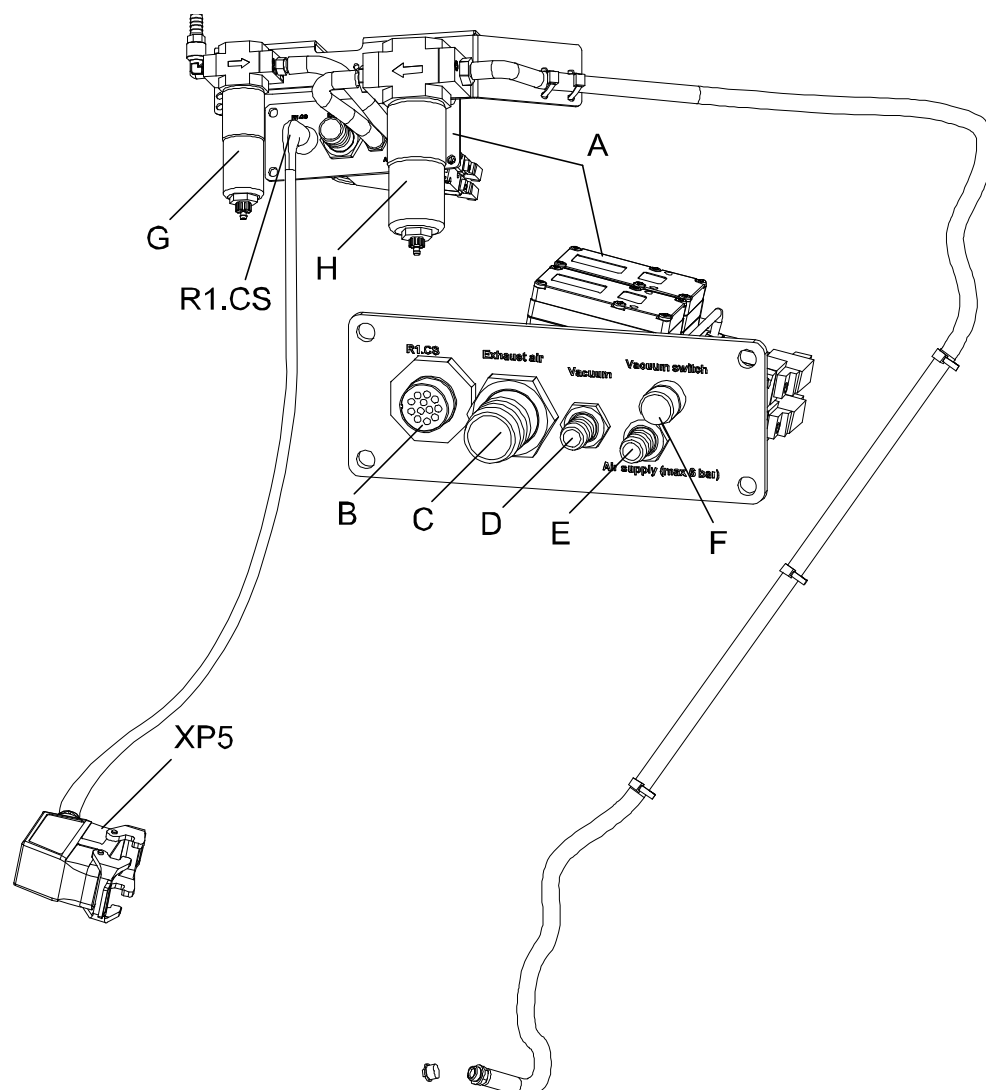
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- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
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Locations



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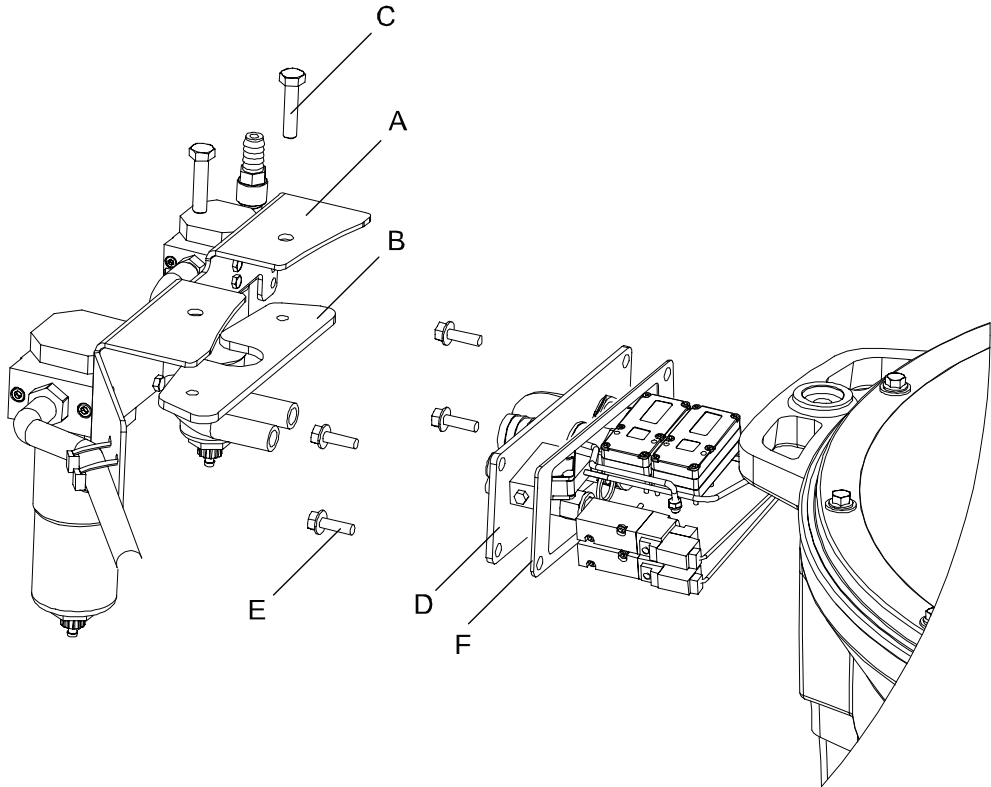
A	Ejector unit
B	R1.CS
C	Exhaust air
D	Vacuum In
E	Compressed air in (max. 6 bar)
F	Vacuum switch
G	Air filter (compressed air side)
H	Air filter (vacuum side)

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2.5.3 Installation of vacuum system (option 218-9)
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Mechanical installation ejector



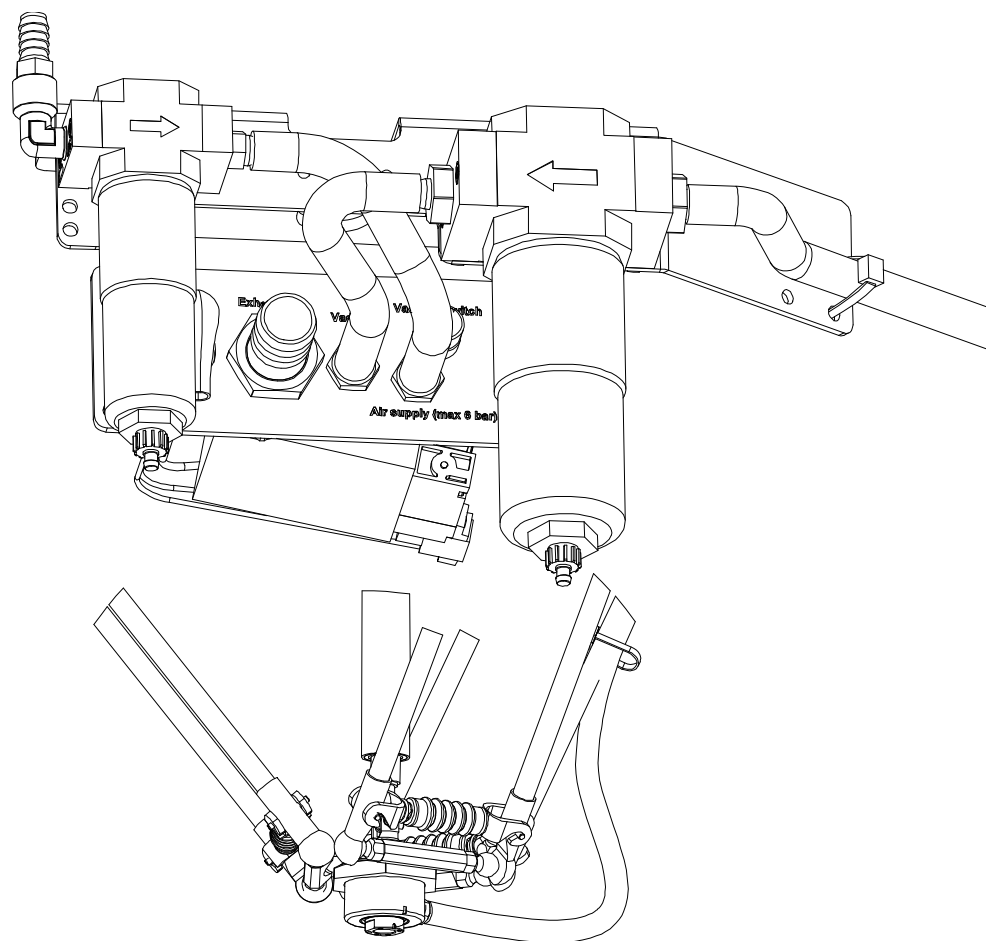
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A	Attachment	
B	Bracket	
C	Hexagon head screw, M8x35 (Steel 8.8-A2F)	
D	Ejector unit	
E	Hexagon bolt with flange, M6 x 20 (A2 DIN6921)	
F	Gasket	

	Action	Note
1	Follow the refitting instructions in section Replacement of ejector unit on page 223	

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Installation of hoses



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	Action	Note
1	Follow the refitting instructions in section Replacement of vacuum hoses on page 218 .	

Electrical installation

When connecting to IRC5 controller

	Action	Note
1	Assemble the customer cable 3HAC14860-X.	X = Depending on length, see section Robot cabling and connection points on page 87
2	Use connection R1.CS on the front of the ejector unit, and the other end to the XP5 socket on the controller.	

When connecting to OmniCore controller

	Action	Note
1	Assemble the customer cable 3HAC14860-X.	X = Depending on length, see section Robot cabling and connection points on page 87

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2.5.3 Installation of vacuum system (option 218-9)

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	Action	Note
2	Use connection R1.CS on the front of the ejector unit.	
3	Cut open the XP5 connector into several open ends.	
4	Assemble the open ends to the local I/O on the controller.	

2.6 Electrical connections

2.6.1 Robot cabling and connection points

General

Connect the robot and controller to each other after securing them to the foundation. The following lists specify which cables to use for each respective application.

Cable categories

Cable category	Description
Robot power cables	Handles power supply to the robot's motors.
Robot signal cables	Handles signals from the controller to the robot's motors, as well as feedback from the serial measurement board.
Customer cables (option)	Handles communication with equipment fitted on the robot by the customer, low voltage signals and high voltage power supply + protective ground.

Robot control cable

These cables are included in the standard delivery. They are completely pre-manufactured and ready to plug in.

Cable sub-category	Description	Connection point, cabinet	Connection point, robot
Robot cable (power)	Transfers drive power from the drive units in the control cabinet to the robot motors.	XS1 (IRC5) XP1 (OmniCore)	R1.MP1-3 R1.MP4-6
Robot cable, (signals)	Transfers resolver data from and power supply to the serial measurement board.	S (IRC5) XP2 (OmniCore)	X1(SMB)

Robot control cable (power and signal) for IRC5

These cables are sold in pair, including both one robot cable power, and one robot cable signal.

Cable	Art. no.
Robot control cable 3 m	3HAC029903-001
Robot control cable 7 m	3HAC029903-002
Robot control cable 15 m	3HAC029903-003
Robot control cable 22 m	3HAC029903-004
Robot control cable 30 m	3HAC029903-005

Robot control cable (power and signal) for Panel Mounted Controller

These cables are included in the standard delivery for the Panel Mounted Controller. The cable needs to be cut off and prepared to fit the controller's connection points, as described in the product manual for the controller.

Cable	Art. no.
Robot control cable 7 m	3HAC029903-002

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2.6.1 Robot cabling and connection points

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Robot control cable (power and signal) for OmniCore

These cables are sold in pair, including both one robot cable power, and one robot cable signal.

Cable	Art. no.
Robot control cable 3 m	3HAC062959-003
Robot control cable 7 m	3HAC062959-004
Robot control cable 15 m	3HAC062959-005
Robot control cable 22 m	3HAC062959-006
Robot control cable 30 m	3HAC062959-007

Customer connections

Customer connection (optional)

These cables including both power and signals are optional and **can not be combined with customer vacuum connections.**

Cable	Art. no.
Customer control cable 3 m	3HAC030198-001
Customer control cable 7 m	3HAC030198-002
Customer control cable 15 m	3HAC030198-003
Customer control cable 22 m	3HAC030198-004
Customer control cable 30 m	3HAC030198-005

Customer vacuum connection (optional)

Signal cables for vacuum are optional and **can not be combined with customer connections.**

Cable	Art. no.
Customer control cable 3 m	3HAC14860-7
Customer control cable 7 m	3HAC14860-1
Customer control cable 15 m	3HAC14860-2
Customer control cable 22 m	3HAC14860-3
Customer control cable 30 m	3HAC14860-4

2.7 Start of robot in cold environments

Introduction

This section describes how to start the robot in a cold environment if it is not starting the normal way.

Problems with starting the robot

Event message from Motion Supervision

Use this procedure if an event message indicates a problem with Motion supervision at start-up. More information about Motion Supervision is found in *Technical reference manual - System parameters*.

	Action	Note
1	Turn off Motion Supervision.	
2	Start the robot.	
3	When the robot has reached normal working temperature, the Motion Supervision can be turned on again.	

Robot stopping with other event message

Use this procedure if the robot is not starting.

	Action	Note
1	Start the robot with its normal program but with reduced speed.	The speed can be regulated with the RAPID instruction VelSet.

Adjusting the speed and acceleration during warm-up

Depending on how cold the environment is and what program is being used, the speed might need to be ramped up until reached maximum. The table shows examples of how to adjust the speed:

Work cycles	AccSet	Speed/velocity
3 Work cycles	20, 20	v100 (100 mm/s)
5 Work cycles	40, 40	v400 (400 mm/s)
5 Work cycles	60, 60	v600 (600 mm/s)
5 Work cycles	100, 100	v1000 (1000 mm/s)
More than 5 Work cycles	100, 100	Max.

If the program consists of large wrist movements, it is possible that the reorientation velocity, which is always high in predefined velocities, needs to be included in the ramping up.

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2.8 Test run after installation, maintenance, or repair

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Safe handling

Use the following procedure after installation, maintenance, or repair, before initiating motion.



DANGER

Initiating motion without fulfilling the following aspects, may increase the risk for injury or cause damage to the robot.

	Action
1	Remove all tools and foreign objects from the robot and its working area.
2	Verify that the robot is properly secured to its position by all screws, before it is powered up.
3	Verify that any safety equipment installed to secure the position or restrict the robot motion during service activity is removed.
4	Verify that the fixture and work piece are well secured, if applicable.
5	Verify that all safety equipment is installed, as designed for the application.
6	Verify that no personnel are inside the safeguarded space.
7	If maintenance or repair has been done, verify the function of the part that was maintained.
8	Verify the application in the operating mode manual reduced speed.
9	Clearly label the manipulator and its matching controller. Verify that the manipulator is properly connected to its controller, then perform a jog test to confirm it is the intended manipulator to be moved.

Collision risks



CAUTION

When programming the movements of the robot, always identify potential collision risks before initiating motion.



CAUTION

Special care must be taken when restarting a robot that is stopped due to a collision. The robot might make a limited movement when restarted.

The revolution counters might need to be updated after a collision to ensure path accuracy.

3 Maintenance

3.1 Introduction

Structure of this chapter

This chapter describes all the maintenance activities recommended for the IRB 360.

It is based on the maintenance schedule found at the beginning of the chapter. The schedule contains information about required maintenance activities including intervals, and refers to procedures for the activities.

Each procedure contains all the information required to perform the activity, including required tools and materials.

The procedures are gathered in different sections and divided according to the maintenance activity.

Safety information

Observe all safety information before conducting any maintenance work.

There are general safety aspects that must be read through, as well as more specific safety information that describes the danger and safety risks when performing the procedures. Read the chapter [Safety on page 19](#) before performing any maintenance work.

The maintenance must be done by qualified personnel in accordance with the safety requirements set forth in the applicable national and regional standards and regulations.

**WARNING**

If the IRB 360 is connected to power, always make sure that the controller and IRB 360 are connected to protective earth and a residual current device (RCD) before starting any maintenance work.

For more information see:

- *Product manual - OmniCore C30*
- *Product manual - OmniCore C30 Type B*
- *Product manual - IRC5*
- *Product manual - IRC5 Compact*
- *Product manual - IRC5 Panel Mounted Controller*
- [Robot cabling and connection points on page 87.](#)

Moving the robot out of Clean Room working spaces before service activities

The robots must be moved out of the Clean Room working spaces before proceeding with the maintenance and repair works.

During the working space layout planning, reserve sufficient space to ensure that the robot can be moved in and out of the Clean Room working spaces smoothly.

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3.1 Introduction

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The minimum space required for the equipment or device that are used to move or lift the robot should also be considered.

3.2 Maintenance schedule

3.2.1 Specification of maintenance intervals

Introduction

The intervals are specified in different ways depending on the type of maintenance activity to be carried out and the working conditions of the IRB 360:

- Calendar time: specified in months regardless of whether the system is running or not.
- Operating time: specified in operating hours. More frequent running means more frequent maintenance activities.
- SIS: specified by the robot's SIS (Service Information System). A typical value is given for a typical work cycle, but the value will differ depending on how hard each part is run.

The SIS used in M2004 is further described in the *Operating manual - Service Information System (IRC5)* or *Operating manual - OmniCore*.

The SIS used in OmniCore is further described in the *Operating manual - OmniCore*.

Robots with the functionality *Service Information System* activated can show active counters in the device browser in RobotStudio, or on the FlexPendant.

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3.2.2 Regular maintenance

3.2.2 Regular maintenance

Recommendation

The robot is designed to be able to work under very demanding conditions with a minimum of maintenance. Time between services can vary depending on the influence of the environment the robot is exposed for. We strongly recommend that at every stop in production, especially after collisions and after every wash down, the robot is inspected concerning the following parts.

Inspect regularly

- Telescopic shaft
- Spring units
- Bars
- Universal joints

Preventive maintenance

Nevertheless, certain routine checks and preventive maintenance must be carried out at specified periodic intervals, as shown in the following table.

Preventive maintenance	Note
Clean the robot.	As described in section Cleaning activities on page 140 .
Lubricate sealings: • At regular intervals • When needed.	Recommended lubrication, see section: • Mounting instructions for bearings on page 155

3.2.3 Maintenance schedule IRB 360

Maintenance schedule

Maintenance activity	Equipment	Daily	400h	500h	4,000h 2 year	30,000h 5 year
Inspection	Clean Room robot	x ⁱ				
Inspection	Telescopic shaft			x		
Inspection	Vacuum system			x ⁱⁱ	x	
Inspection	Bar system			x	x	
Inspection	Upper arms				x	
Inspection	Spring unit			x ⁱⁱⁱ		
Inspection	Movable plate				x	
Inspection	Sealing ring (V-ring)			x ⁱ		
Inspection	Information labels					
Grease	Telescopic shaft (WDS)			x ^{iv}		
Grease	Bearing rings 3HAC2091-1 ^v		x			
Changing	Telescopic shaft including universal joints				x	
Changing	Gearboxes oil, axes 1-3					x ^{vi}
Changing	Gearbox oil, axis 4					x ^{vi}
Replacement	Battery pack, measurement system of type RMU101 or RMU102 (3-pole battery contact)					36 months or battery low alert ^{vii}
Replacement	Battery pack, measurement system with 2-pole battery contact, e.g. DSQC633A				24 months or battery low alert ^{viii}	

ⁱ Check for abnormal wear or contamination.

ⁱⁱ Only if option is chosen. Change interval is dependant on the material in picked objects. Porous objects may cause shorter cleaning intervals.

ⁱⁱⁱ Grease if the spring units make a grinding sound.

^{iv} Check for abnormal wear or contamination

^v There are two different types of bearing rings, 3HAC028087-001 is maintenance-free, 3HAC2091-1 must be lubricated according to maintenance schedule. See [Different versions of bearing rings require different maintenance procedures on page 107](#).

^{vi} Oil should only be changed once after the first 30,000 h.

^{vii} The battery low alert (38213 **Battery charge low**) is displayed when the battery needs to be replaced. The recommendation to avoid an unsynchronized robot is to keep the power to the controller turned on until the battery is to be replaced.

See the replacement instruction for more details.

^{viii} The battery low alert (38213 **Battery charge low**) is displayed when remaining backup capacity (robot powered off) is less than 2 months. The typical lifetime of a new battery is 36 months if the robot is powered off 2 days/week or 18 months if the robot is powered off 16 h/day. The lifetime can be extended with a battery shutdown service routine. See *Operating manual - IRC5 with FlexPendant* or *Operating manual - OmniCore* for instructions.

Check regularly

Check regularly:

- Wear of bearing ring in joints of the arm system.

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3.2.3 Maintenance schedule IRB 360

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- For any oil leaks. If a major oil leak is discovered, call for service personnel.
- For excessive play in gears. If play develops, call for service personnel.
- That the cabling between the control cabinet and robot is not damaged.
- Wear of plain bearings in telescopic shaft (wash-down protection).

Cleaning

Cleaning:

- Clean the robot exterior with a cloth when necessary. Do not use aggressive solvents which may damage paint or cabling. See section [Cleaning activities on page 140](#).
- Cleaning instructions for wash down version, see section [Cleaning activities on page 140](#).

3.3 Inspection activities

3.3.1 Telescopic shaft, axis 4, standard

General

This section describes maintenance on the telescopic shaft, axis 4, with the interval 500 hours.



DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

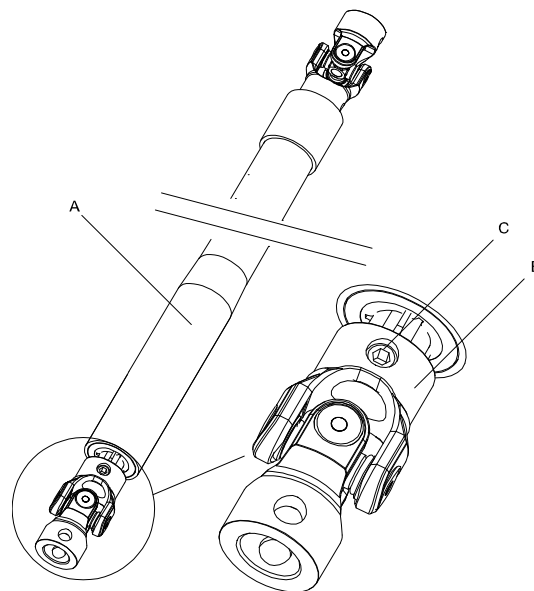
- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)



Note

The wear on the bearings depends on the payload, cycle, environment, and lubrication.

Telescopic shaft



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A	Telescopic shaft (STD)
B	Universal joint
C	Set screw, dog point

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3.3.1 Telescopic shaft, axis 4, standard

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Required equipment and references

	Required equipment	Note
	Standard tools	Standard toolkit on page 269.

References
Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188
<i>Spare parts, telescopic shaft.</i>

Interval 500 h

	Action	Note
1	Check and retighten the set screws in the universal joints.	Described in section Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188.

Interval 4000 h

	Action	Note
1	Change the telescopic shaft and the universal joint.	<i>Spare parts, telescopic shaft</i>

After a collision and/or if arms have fallen off

	Action	Note
1	Remove any remaining parts of the bar system from the <i>movable plate</i> .	 CAUTION Be careful when pulling out the <i>telescope</i> to full length.
2	Check for damages on the <i>universal joint</i> .	How to replace the universal joint, see section: • Replacement of universal joint on page 191
3	Move the <i>movable plate</i> in different directions in order to check if there are any indications of reduced moving ability of the <i>universal joint</i> .	How to replace the universal joint, see section: • Replacement of universal joint on page 191

3.3.2 Telescopic shaft, wash down, axis 4

General

This section describes maintenance on the telescopic shaft (wash down), axis 4 interval 500 and 4000 h



DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

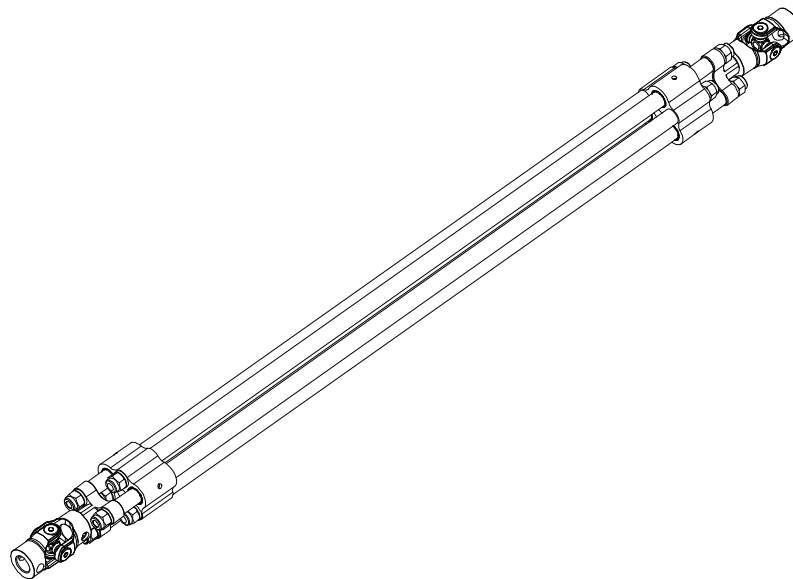
- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
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- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)



Note

The wear on the bearings depends on the payload, cycle, environment, and lubrication.

Telescopic shaft



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Required equipment and references

References

[Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188](#)

Spare parts, telescopic shaft.

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3.3.2 Telescopic shaft, wash down, axis 4

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Interval 500 h

	Action	Note
1	Check and retighten set screws.	
2	If the linear bushings are worn out or if the backlash is excessive, change the telescopic shaft and the universal joint.	Described in section Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188 .

Interval 4000 h

	Action	Note
1	Change the telescopic shaft and the universal joint.	<i>Spare parts, telescopic shaft</i>

After a collision and/or if arms have fallen off

	Action	Note
1	Remove any remaining parts of the <i>bar system</i> from the <i>movable plate</i> .	 CAUTION Be careful when pulling out the <i>telescope</i> to full length.
2	Check for damages on the <i>universal joint</i> .	How to replace the universal joint, see section: • Replacement of universal joint on page 191
3	Move the <i>movable plate</i> in different directions in order to check if there are any indications of reduced moving ability of the <i>universal joint</i> .	How to replace the universal joint, see section: • Replacement of universal joint on page 191

3.3.3 Telescopic shaft, stainless, axis 4

General

This section describes maintenance on the telescopic shaft (stainless), axis 4 interval 500 and 4000 h



DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)



Note

The wear on the bearings depends on the payload, cycle, environment, and lubrication.



Note

The stainless version is not available for the IRB 360 used with OmniCore controllers.

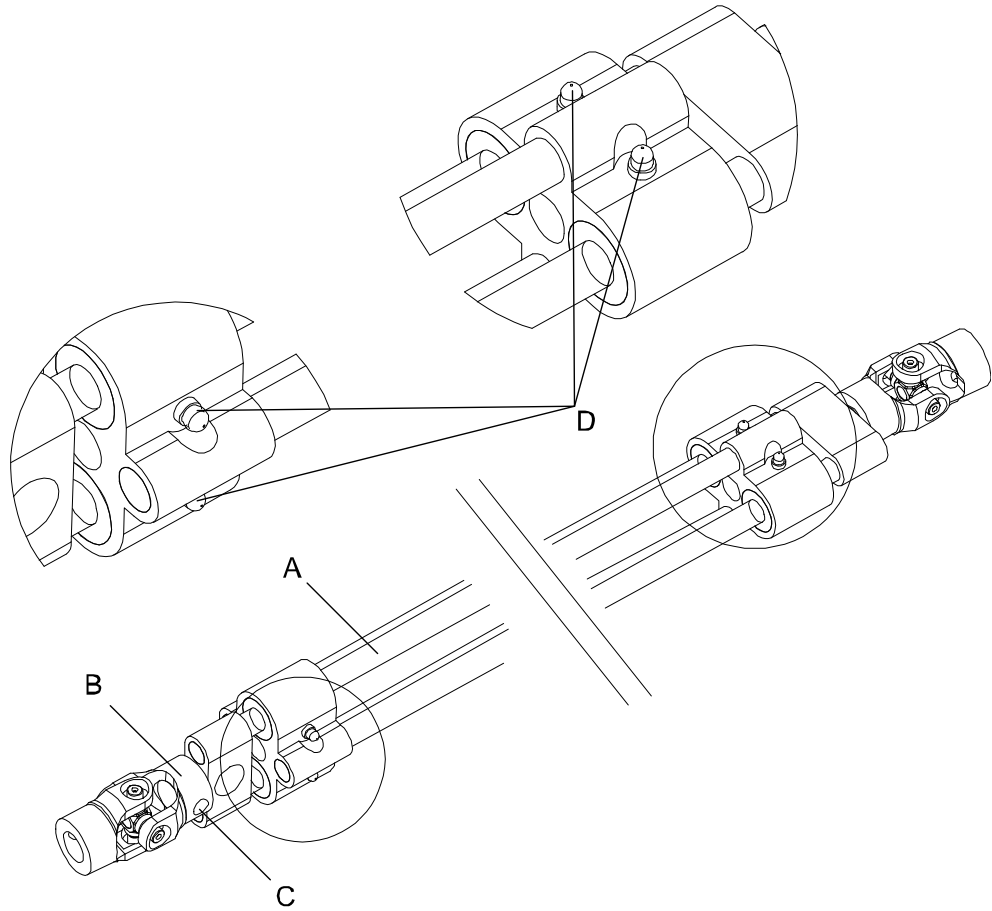
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3.3.3 Telescopic shaft, stainless, axis 4

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Telescopic shaft



A	Telescopic shaft (WDS)
B	Universal joint
C	Set screw, dog point
D	Grease nipple (ball-type, DIN 3402)

Required equipment and references

Required equipment	Spare part No.	Note
Grease gun		For ball-type nipples (DIN 3402)
Grease	Grease specification on page 272.	
Telescopic shaft	Spare parts, telescopic shaft	
Standard tools	Standard toolkit on page 269.	

References
Spare parts, telescopic shaft
Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188

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Interval 500 h

	Action	Note
1	Check and retighten the set screws in the universal joints.	
2	Lubricate the linear bushing, using a shot lubricator.	
3	If the linear bushing are worn out or if the backlash is excessive, replace the telescopic shaft.	Described in section Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188

Interval 4000 h

	Action	Note
1	Change the telescopic shaft and the universal joints.	<i>Spare parts, telescopic shaft</i>

After a collision and/or if arms have fallen off

	Action	Note
1	Remove any remaining parts of the <i>bar system</i> from the <i>movable plate</i> .	 CAUTION Be careful when pulling out the <i>telescope</i> to full length.
2	Check for damages on the <i>universal joint</i> .	How to replace the universal joint, see section: • Replacement of universal joint on page 191
3	Move the <i>movable plate</i> in different directions in order to check if there are any indications of reduced moving ability of the <i>universal joint</i> .	How to replace the universal joint, see section: • Replacement of universal joint on page 191

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3.3.4 Vacuum system (optional)

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General

This section describes maintenance on the vacuum system, with the intervals 500 and 4000 hours.



Note

Only use in lubricated air.



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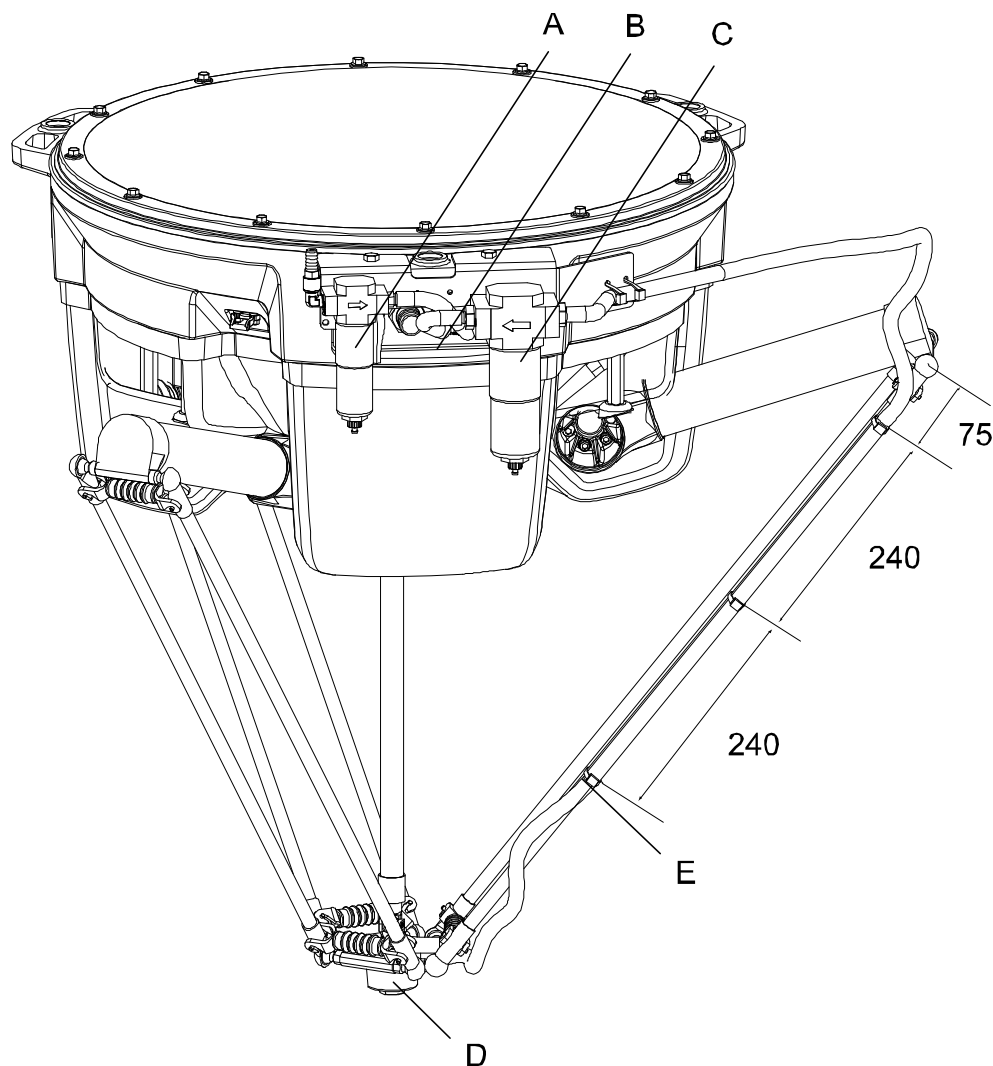
Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

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Vacuum system



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A	Air filter inlet
B	Ejector unit
C	Air filter inlet vacuum
D	Swivel cup
E	Hose clamp

Required equipment and references

Required equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Pneumatic valve unit	<i>Spare parts, ejector unit.</i>	
References		
Replacement of ejector unit on page 223		
Draining of water separation filter on page 221		

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3.3.4 Vacuum system (optional)

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Interval 500 h

	Action	Note
1	Empty air filter and check the position of the clamps for the hose.	Described in section Draining of water separation filter on page 221 .
2	Correct the positions on the outer clamps.	Positions shown in figure.
3	Check that the air supply is dry and clean.	Particle size must not exceed 5 µm

Interval 4,000 h or 2 Years

	Action	Note
1	Replace pneumatic valves.	The service life of the valves is 4×10^7 cycles. Described in section Replacement of ejector unit on page 223

3.3.5 Bar system

General

This section describes maintenance on the bar system, with the intervals 500 and 4000 hours.



DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)



Note

The wear on the bearing rings depends on the payload, number of cycles, and environment. Collisions can damage the bearing rings!



CAUTION

The spring units must be removed according to the description in section [Replacement of parallel arms on page 173](#) or they will be damaged.



Note

Never use grease on the bar system.

Different versions of bearing rings require different maintenance procedures

Valid for robot versions: IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600.

At delivery the robot is equipped with bearing rings 3HAC028087-001. These are maintenance free.

In specific environments the bearing rings 3HAC028087-001 might have been changed to bearing rings 3HAC2091-1 after delivery. These must be lubricated regularly.

The bearing rings 3HAC028087-001 are white. The bearing rings 3HAC2091-1 are grey.

Required equipment and references

Required equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Bearing rings	For article number see: • <i>Spare parts - parallel arm system, IRB 360.</i>	

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3.3.5 Bar system

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Required equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Grease	-	Required for non-maintenance free bearing rings. • Mobilgrease FM 102 • Optimol Obeen UF 2 See Different versions of bearing rings require different maintenance procedures on page 107 .

References

[Replacement of bearing rings on page 181](#)

After a collision and/or if arms have fallen off

	Action	Note
1	Check for damages on <i>bearing rings</i> . If needed, replace.	How to change bearing rings, see section: • Replacement of bearing rings on page 181
2	Check for contamination and/or residues of grease.	If needed clean the bearing rings with ethanol.
3	Lubricate bearing rings that are not maintenance-free (see Different versions of bearing rings require different maintenance procedures on page 107).	Type of grease, see Required equipment and references on page 107 .

Maintenance activity with interval 500 hours or 1 year

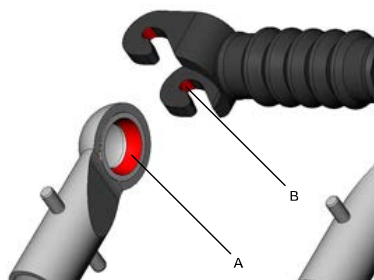
	Action	Note
1	Check for wear on <i>bearing rings</i> , listen for screeching. Replace if needed.	How to replace bearing rings, see section: • Replacement of bearing rings on page 181
2	Lubricate bearing rings that are not maintenance free (see Different versions of bearing rings require different maintenance procedures on page 107).	Type of grease, see Required equipment and references on page 107 .

Maintenance activity with interval 4,000 hours or 2 years

	Action	Note
1	Check surface of tube for cracks or damages.	Replace if damaged.
2	Check the distance between the bearing holders.	See Distance between bearing holders on page 109 .
3	If needed, replace damaged parts as described in the repair chapter.	

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Bar system wear



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A	Wear on bearing rings
B	Wear on spring unit forks

Distance between bearing holders



Note

The bearing will normally wear a lot during the first hours of operation (0.1-0.5 mm). It may also show wear in the form of dust and small particles. After this initial run-in, wear will reduce significantly.

	Action	Note
1	Measure the distance A between the bearing holders, according to the figure. Refer to the table below to see what distance requires replacement of the bearing ring. Replace the bearing ring, if required, according to section Replacement of bearing rings on page 181.	IRB 360 Std: xx1000000018 IRB 360 WDS: xx2000002385

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Robot variant	Distance A		
	Initial value	Value that requires replacement of the bearing ring	Worn out value ⁱ
IRB 360 - 1/1130	126 mm (Std)	<125 mm (Std)	124 mm (Std)
IRB 360 - 3/1130	130 mm (WDS)	<129 mm (WDS)	128 mm (WDS)
IRB 360 - 1/800			
IRB 360 - 1/1600			
IRB 360 - 8/1130	130 mm	<129 mm	128 mm
IRB 360 - 6/1600			

ⁱ The bearing ring is worn out and requires immediate replacement. Operating the robot beyond this value will cause permanent damage to the arm system components.

3.3.6 Joint balls

General

This section describes maintenance on the joint balls, with the interval 4000 hours.



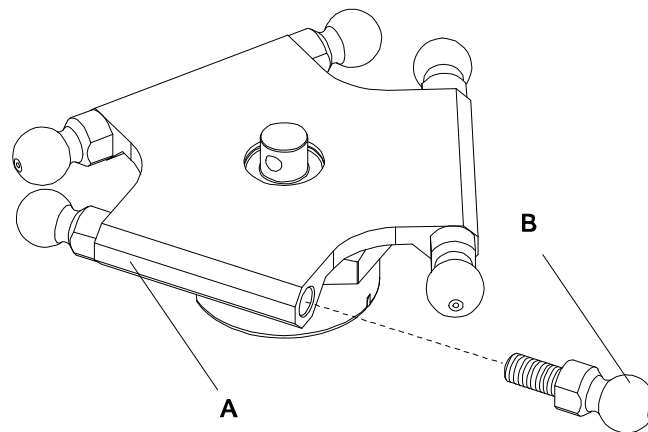
DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

Check joint balls



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A	Movable plate
B	Joint balls

Required equipment and references

Required equipment	Spare part No.	Note
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269
Pliers for parallel arms	3HAC6194-1	

References
Replacement of joint balls on page 193

Interval 4,000 hours or 2 years

	Action	Note
1	Check surface of joint balls for cracks or burrs.	If necessary replace the part as described in Replacement of joint balls on page 193

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3.3.7 Upper arms

3.3.7 Upper arms

General

This section describes maintenance on the upper arms, with the interval 4000 hours.



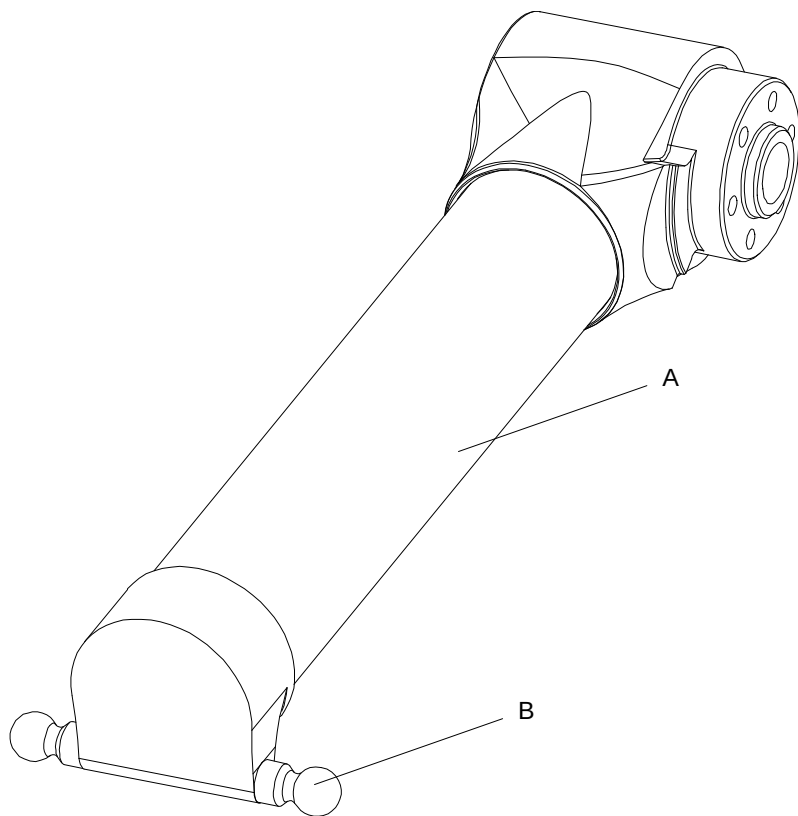
DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

Check upper arm



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A	Upper arm tube
B	Joint balls

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Required equipment and references

Required equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269
References		
Replacement of joint balls on page 193		
Replacement of upper arm on page 178		

Interval 4,000 hours or 2 years

	Action	Note
1	Check the surface of the tube for cracks.	If necessary replace the part as described in section Replacement of upper arm on page 178
2	Check surface of joint balls for cracks or burrs.	If necessary replace the part as described in Replacement of joint balls on page 193

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3.3.8 Hoses

3.3.8 Hoses

General

This section describes maintenance on the hoses with the interval 500 hours.



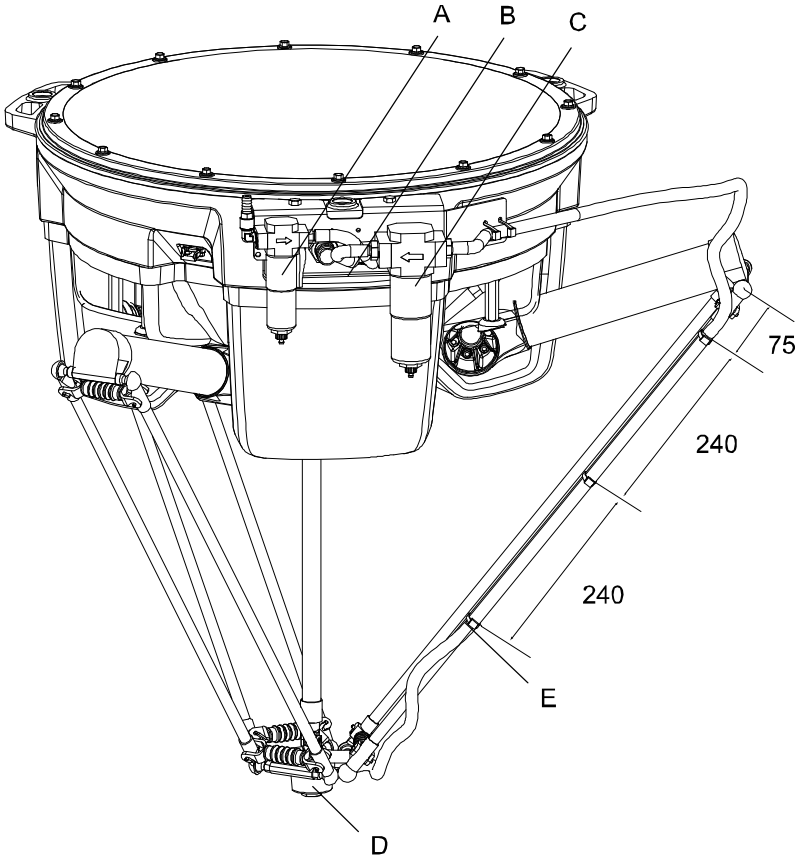
DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

Check hoses



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A	Air filter inlet.
B	Ejector unit
C	Air filter inlet vacuum.
D	Swivel cup
E	Hose clamp

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Required equipment and references

Required equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269
References		
Replacement of vacuum hoses on page 218		

Interval 500 hours

	Action	Note
1	Check the entire hose and make sure there are no folds or surface damage.	If necessary, exchange the part as described in Replacement of vacuum hoses on page 218

3 Maintenance

3.3.9 Spring units

3.3.9 Spring units

General

This section describes maintenance on the spring units with the interval 500 hours.



DANGER

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Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

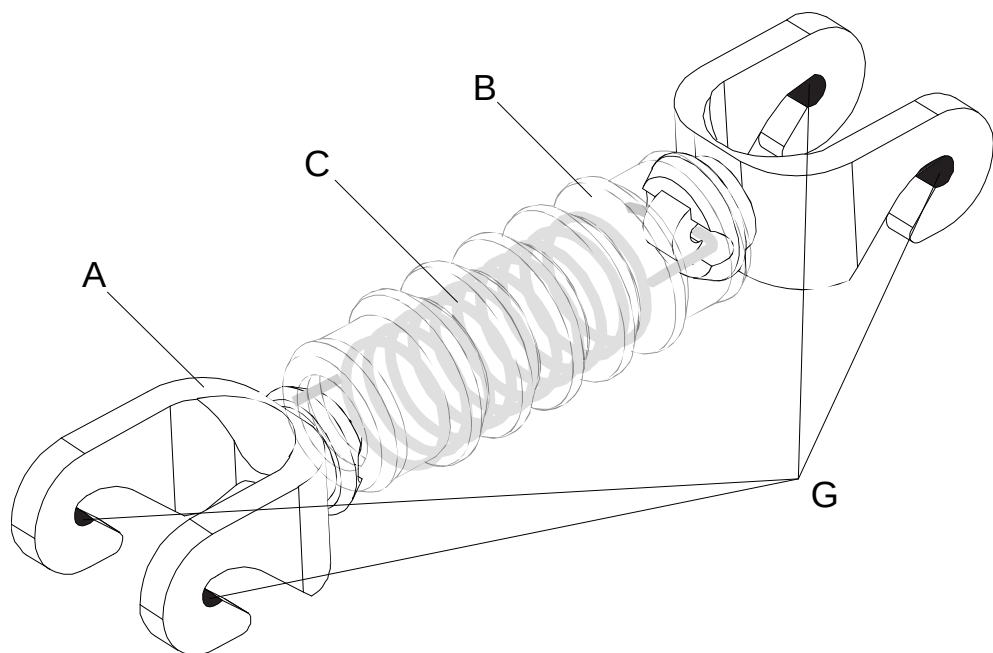


CAUTION

The spring units must be removed according to the description in section [Replacement of parallel arms on page 173](#) or they will be damaged.

Check spring units

IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600

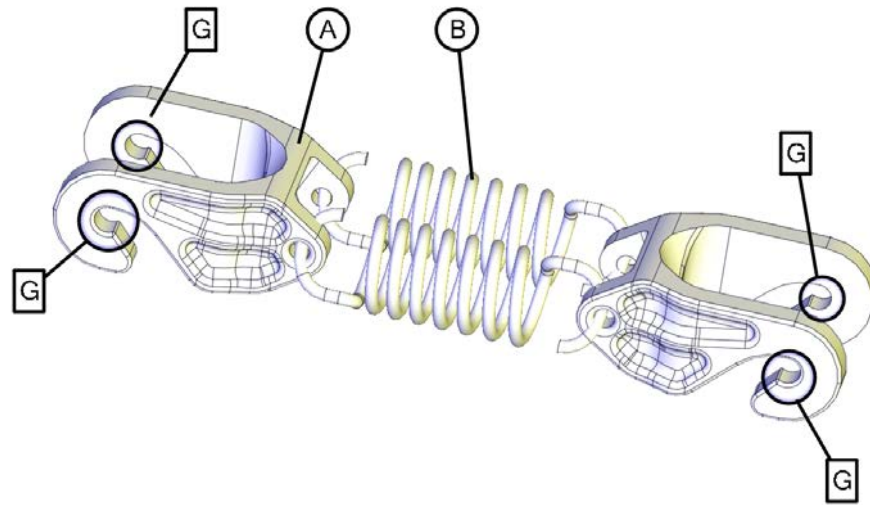


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A	Hook
B	Spring
C	Rubber bellow
G	Greasing points

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IRB 360 - 8/1130, IRB 360 - 6/1600



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A	Hook
B	Spring
G	Greasing points

Required equipment and references

Required equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Grease	Grease specification on page 272	
Standard tools	Standard toolkit on page 269	
Spring	<i>Spare parts - lower arm system, IRB 360.</i>	

References

[Replacement of parallel arms on page 173](#)

Interval 500 hours

	Action	Note
1	Check the forks for wear.	If necessary exchange the part as described in Replacement of parallel arms on page 173
2	If necessary (if the spring units make a grinding sound) apply grease to all wear surfaces.	Shown in figure as (G)

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3.3.10 Movable plate

3.3.10 Movable plate

General

This section describes maintenance on the movable plate, with the interval 4,000 hours.



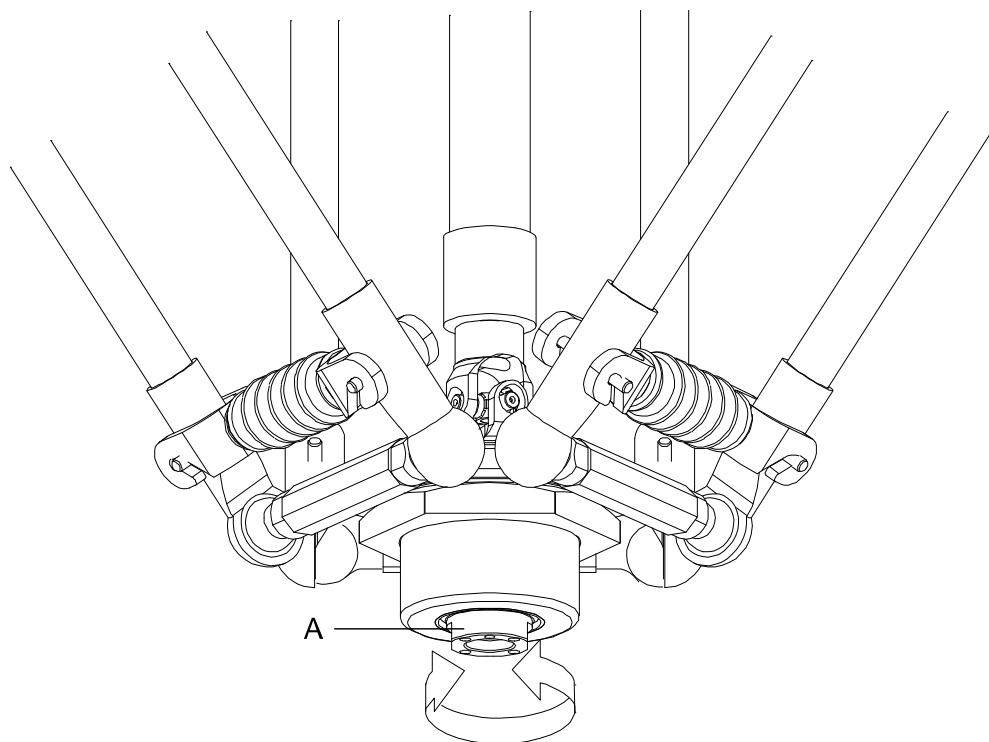
DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

Check movable plate



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A	Tool interface axis 4
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Required equipment and references

Required equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Movable plate	<i>Spare parts, movable plate.</i>	
Standard tools	Standard toolkit on page 269.	

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References

[Replacement of movable plate on page 184](#)

Interval 4000 hours



CAUTION

Never force axial movement to the swivel or tool interface without first releasing the brakes, it will damage the telescopic shaft.

	Action	Note
1	Release the holding brakes on the robot axis 4.	As described in section Manually releasing the brakes on page 64 .
2	Check axis 4 so that the rotation is smooth.	If necessary replace the movable plate as described in Replacement of movable plate on page 184

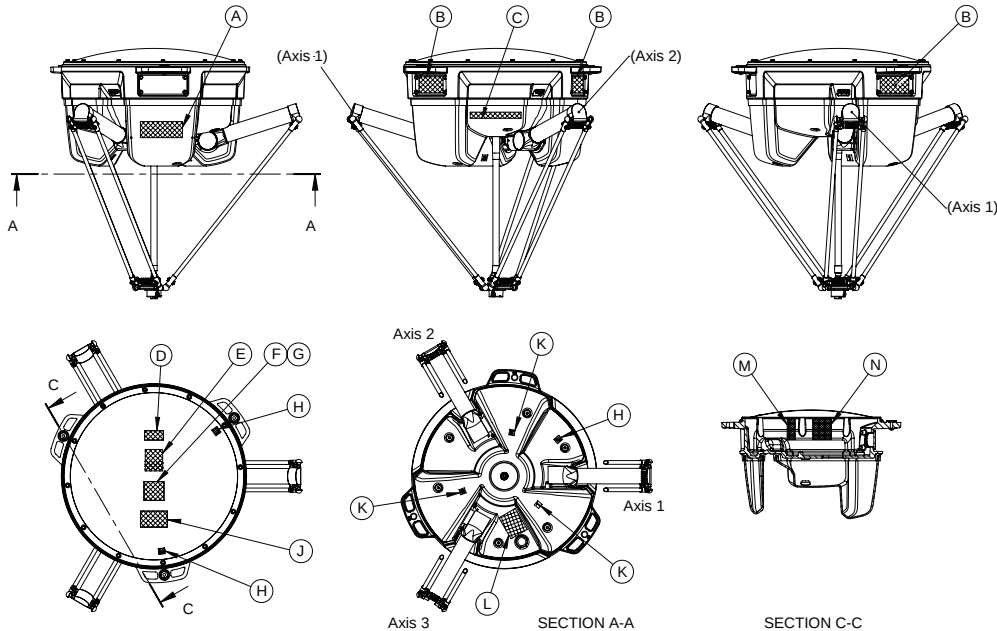
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3.3.11 Inspecting information labels

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Location of information labels

The figure shows the location of the information labels to be inspected.



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A	ABB logotype
B	Transport protection label 3 pcs
C	Label, FlexPicker
D	UL/UR label
E	Lifting instruction label
F	Rating label (2 pcs)
G	WEEE label
H	Warning label - Electricity (symbol of flash) (3 pcs)
J	Instruction label Before dismantling see product manual
K	Axis marking
L	Instruction plate, brake release
M	Calibration label
N	Rating label

Required equipment

Equipment	Spare part number	Note
Labels	See Spare part lists on page 277 .	

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Inspecting labels

Use this procedure to inspect the labels on the robot.

	Action	Note
1	 DANGER Turn off all: • electric power supply • hydraulic pressure supply • air pressure supply to the robot, before entering the robot working area.	
2	Check all labels.	See the figure in Location of information labels on page 120 .
3	Replace any missing or damaged labels.	

3 Maintenance

3.4.1 Replacing the battery in the measuring system

3.4 Replacement activities

3.4.1 Replacing the battery in the measuring system



Note

The battery low alert (38213 **Battery charge low**) is displayed when the battery needs to be replaced. The recommendation to avoid an unsynchronized robot is to keep the power to the controller turned on until the battery is to be replaced. For an SMB board with 3-pole battery contact (RMU101 3HAC044168-001 or RMU102 3HAC043904-001), the lifetime of a new battery is typically 36 months. For an SMB board with 2-pole battery contact, the typical lifetime of a new battery is 36 months if the robot is powered off 2 days/week or 18 months if the robot is powered off 16 h/day. The lifetime can be extended for longer production breaks with a battery shutdown service routine. See *Operating manual - IRC5 with FlexPendant* or *Operating manual - OmniCore* for instructions.



DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)



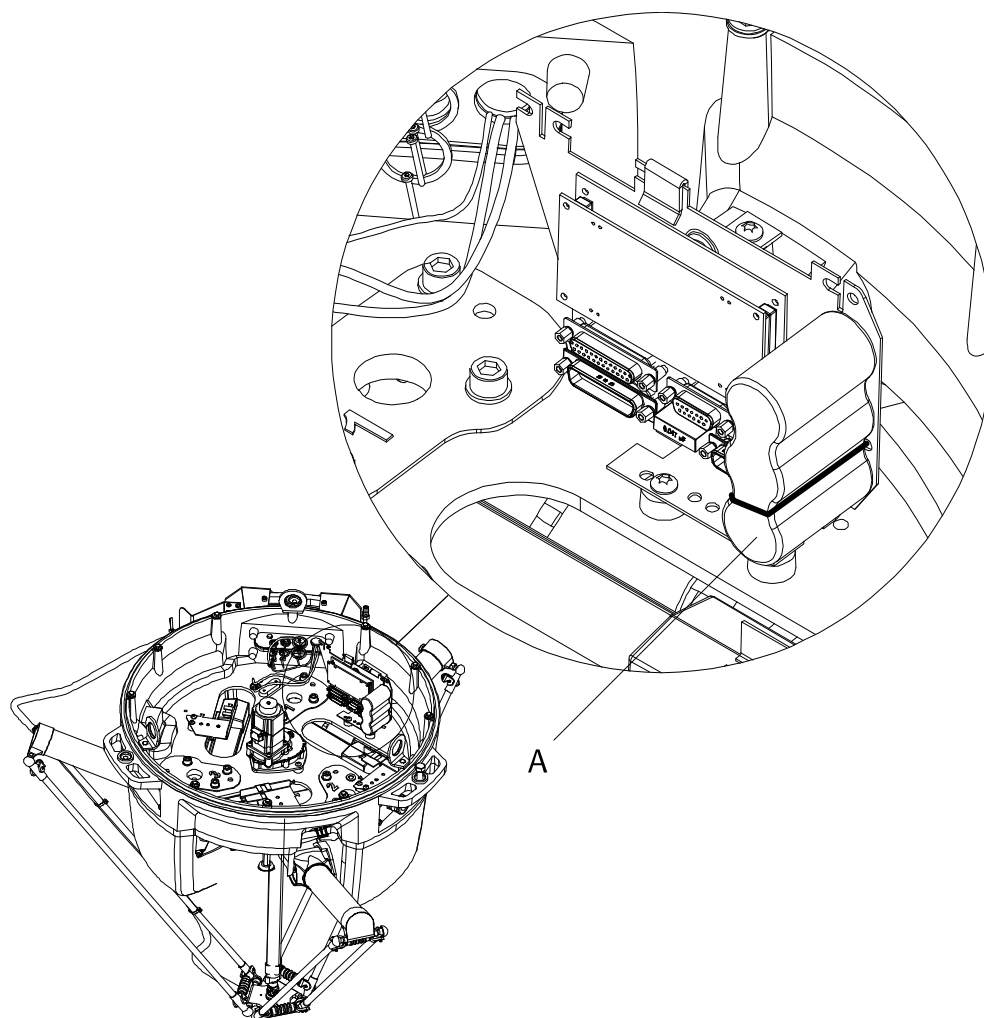
CAUTION

Always read the specific instructions for Clean Room robots before doing any repair work, see [Cut the paint or surface on the robot before replacing parts on page 164](#).

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Location SMB

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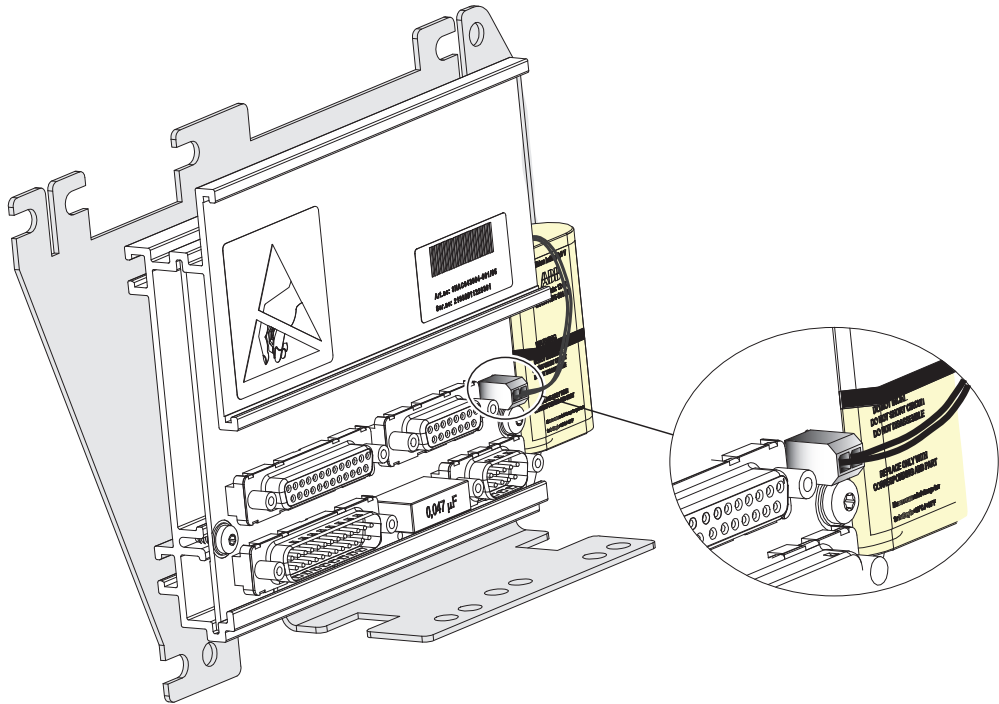
A	SMB battery
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3.4.1 Replacing the battery in the measuring system
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Required equipment and references



Note

There are two variants of SMB units and batteries. One with 2-pole battery contact and one with 3-pole battery contact. The variant with the 3-pole battery contact has longer lifetime for the battery.

It is important that the SMB unit uses the correct battery. Make sure to order the correct spare parts. Do not replace the battery contact!

Tools and wear parts	Spare part no.	Note
Battery unit	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	Lithium battery
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269
Battery retainer (strap)		

References
Updating revolution counters on page 249
Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166

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Replacing the battery



DANGER

Turn off all electric power, hydraulic, and pneumatic pressure supplies to the robot.

	Action	Note
1	Remove the (12pcs) M6 screws holding the base cover.	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166 .
2	Remove the base cover.  CAUTION Clean cover from metal residues before opening. Metal residues can cause shortage on the boards which can result in hazardous failures.  CAUTION Always cut the paint with a knife and grind the paint edge when disassembling parts. See Cut the paint or surface on the robot before replacing parts on page 164.	
3	Disconnect the battery from the serial measurement board. Connection (X3).	
4	Cut the strap and remove the battery pack. Use standard tools.	 Note Used batteries must never be thrown away! They must be handled as hazardous waste!
5	Connect the new battery to the serial measurement board. Connection (X3).	
6	Refit the battery to the SMB, using a strap.	
7	Check the base cover gasket.	Replace if damaged.
8	Refit the base cover using the (12pcs) M6 screws.	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166 .
9	Update the revolution counters.	Described in section Updating revolution counters on page 249 .

3 Maintenance

3.4.2 Replacing the telescopic shaft including universal joints

3.4.2 Replacing the telescopic shaft including universal joints

General

This section describes maintenance on the telescopic shaft with the interval 4000 hours or 2 years.



DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

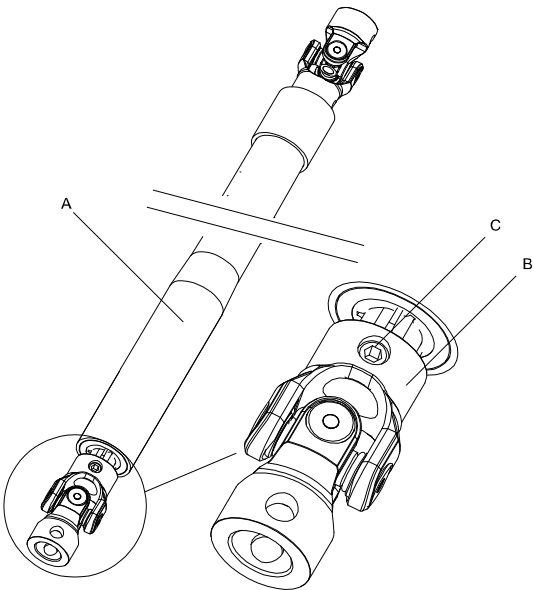
- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)



Note

The wear on the bearings depends on the payload, cycle, environment, and lubrication.

Telescopic shaft



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A	Telescopic shaft (STD)
B	Universal joint
C	Set screw, dog point

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3.4.2 Replacing the telescopic shaft including universal joints

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Required equipment and references

	Required equipment	Note
	Standard tools	Standard toolkit on page 269.

References

[Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188](#)

Spare parts, telescopic shaft.



CAUTION

Always cut the paint with a knife and grind the paint edge when disassembling parts. See [Cut the paint or surface on the robot before replacing parts on page 164.](#)

Interval 4,000 h or 2 Years

	Action	Note
1	Change the telescopic shaft and the universal joints.	Described in section Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188.

After a collision and/or if arms have fallen off

See [After a collision and/or if arms have fallen off on page 98.](#)

3 Maintenance

3.4.3 Replacing the gearboxes

3.4.3 Replacing the gearboxes

General

How to replace the gearboxes is described in sections:

- [*Replacement of gearbox unit on axes 1-3 on page 196*](#)
- [*Replacement of gearbox unit on axis 4 on page 200*](#)

3.5 Lubrication activities

3.5.1 Type of lubrication in gearboxes

Introduction

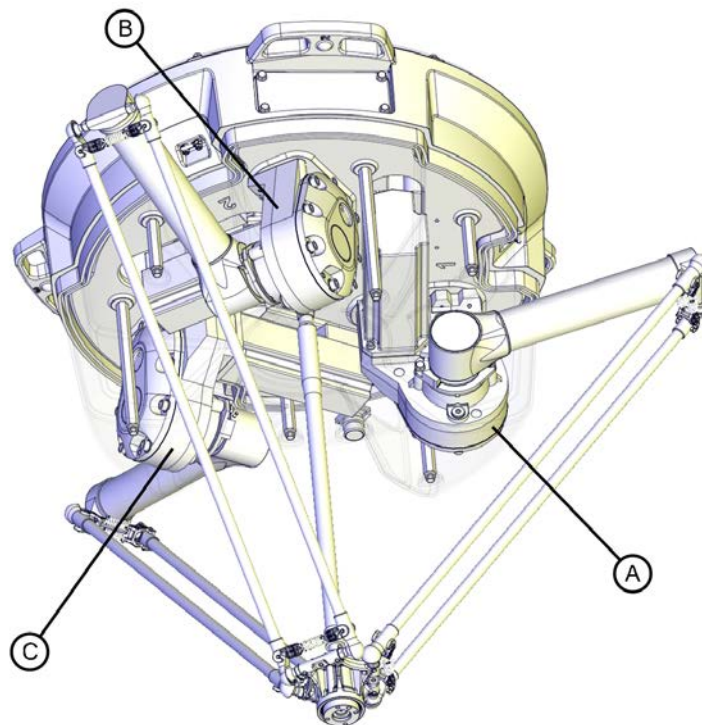
This section describes where to find information about the type of lubrication, article number and the amount of lubrication in the specific gearbox. It also describes the equipment needed when working with lubrication.

Type and amount of oil in gearboxes

Information about the type of lubrication, article number as well as the amount in the specific gearbox can be found in *Technical reference manual - Lubrication in gearboxes* available for registered users via ABB Robotics One, <https://one.robots.abb.com/en/knowledge-hub>.

Location of gearboxes

The figure shows the location of the gearboxes.

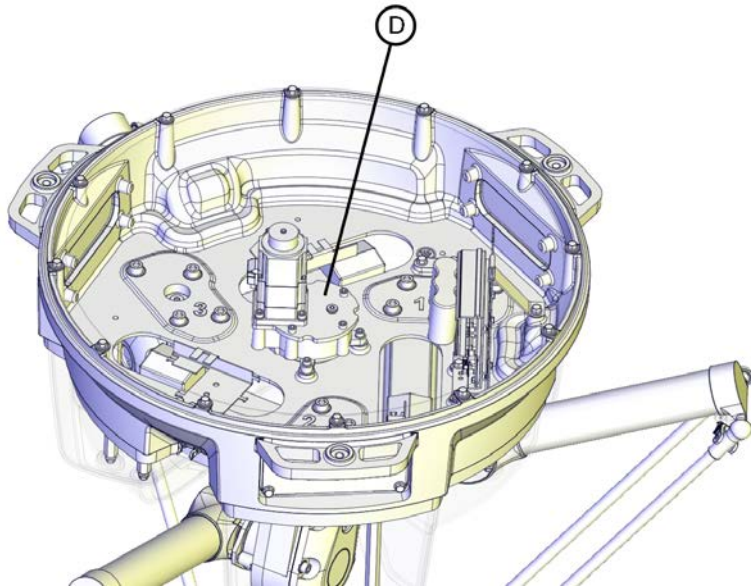


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3.5.1 Type of lubrication in gearboxes
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A	Axis-1 gearbox
B	Axis-2 gearbox
C	Axis-3 gearbox
D	Axis-4 gearbox

3.5.2 Changing the oil in gearboxes, axes 1-4

General

This section describes maintenance on axis-1-4 gearboxes regarding oil change (3D version only 1-3).



WARNING

Gearbox oil can be very hot, take necessary measures to collect the oil.



DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)



CAUTION

Always read the specific instructions for Clean Room robots before doing any repair work, see [Cut the paint or surface on the robot before replacing parts on page 164](#).



Note

For robots running with conveyor tracking, the gearboxes should be replaced, see:

- [Replacement of gearbox unit on axes 1-3 on page 196](#)
- [Replacement of gearbox unit on axis 4 on page 200](#)

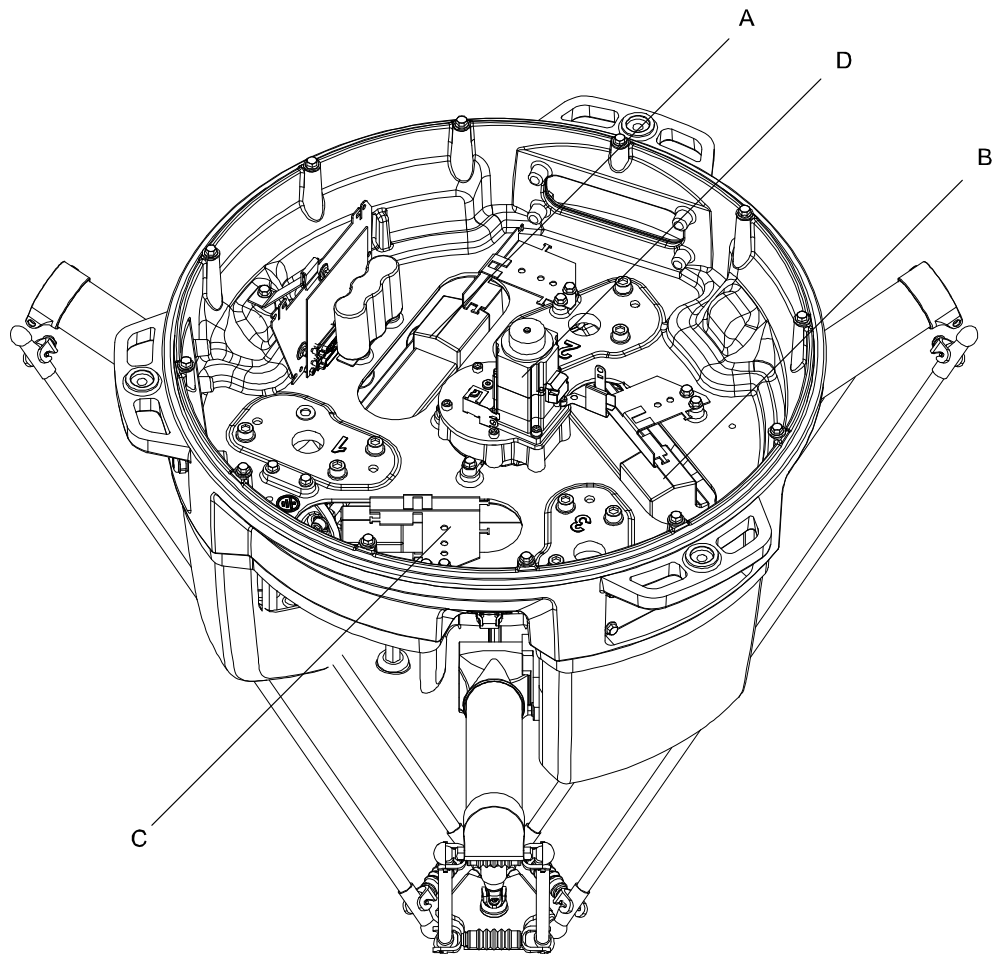
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3.5.2 Changing the oil in gearboxes, axes 1-4

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Location of gearboxes



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A	Gearbox axis 1
B	Gearbox axis 2
C	Gearbox axis 3
D	Gearbox axis 4 (not in 3D version)

Required equipment and references

Required equipment	Spare part No.	Note
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269
Gaskets base		<i>Spare parts, gaskets in the base</i>
Gaskets cover		<i>Spare parts, transmission cover</i>
Spare parts, gear units axis 1- 3		<i>Spare parts, gear units axis 1- 3</i>
Spare parts, gear units axis 4		<i>Spare parts, gear unit axis 4</i>
Locking liquid		Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243)
Sealing compound	3HAC073510-001	Trans7

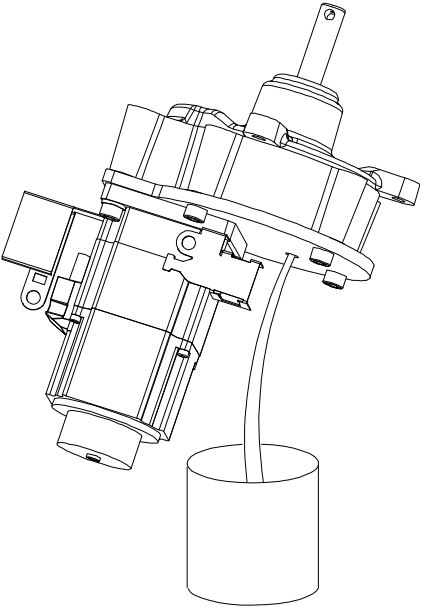
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References
Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166
Replacement of parallel arms on page 173
Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188
Replacement of upper arm on page 178

Oil change in axis 4, (not in 3D version)

**Note**

Oil should only be changed once after the first 20,000 h.

	Action	Note
1	Remove the base cover.	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166 .
2	Remove the gearbox and motor axis 4.	Described in section Replacement of gearbox unit on axis 4 on page 200 .
3	Remove the oil plug, and drain the oil from gearbox 4.	 xx0700000728
4	Fill new oil through the plug holes, with specified volume.	Types and volumes of oil are specified in the <i>Technical reference manual - Lubrication in gearboxes - 3HAC042927-001</i> .

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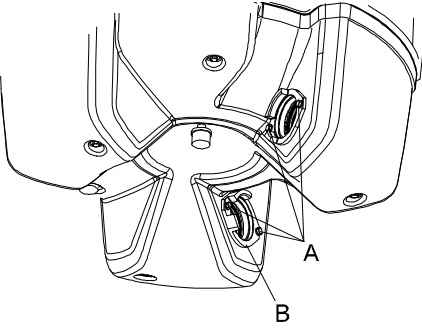
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3.5.2 Changing the oil in gearboxes, axes 1-4

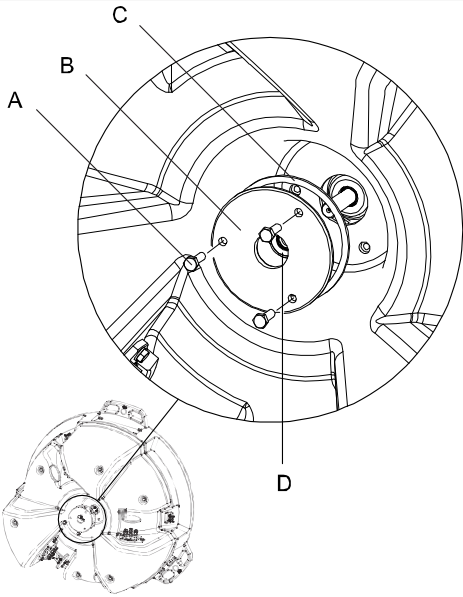
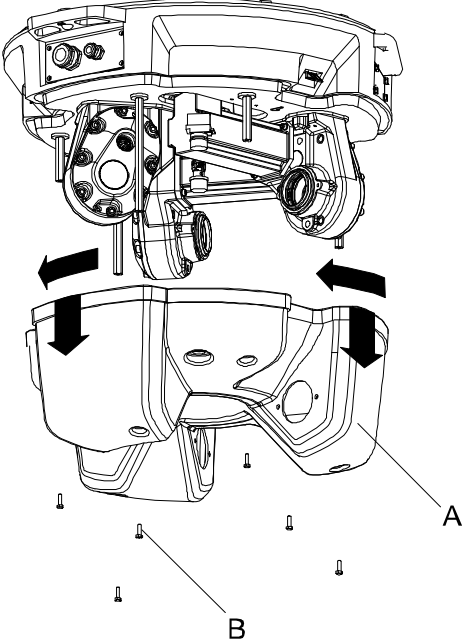
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	Action	Note
5	Refit the oil plug and apply locking liquid.  Note If the sealing ring on the sealing plug is damaged, change the sealing plug.  Note Some robots have two oil plugs.	Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243) Tightening torque: 3 Nm .
6	Refit the (12 pcs) M6 screws holding the base cover. (If necessary, change the sealings)	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166 .

Oil change in axis 1-3

 Note Oil should only be changed once after the first 20,000 h.		
	Action	Note
1	Remove the (12 pcs) M6 screws holding the base cover.	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166 .
2	Remove the parallel arms.	Described in section Replacement of parallel arms on page 173 .
3	Remove the telescopic shaft	Described in section Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188 .
4	Remove the 3 pcs VK-covers.	Use a screwdriver
5	Remove the 3x6 pcs M6x40 holding the upper arms.	Described in section Replacement of upper arm on page 178 .
6	Remove the 6 pcs M6x20 (A) holding the 3 pcs flange (B) and the 3 pcs upper arm sealing rings.	 xx0700000509 A Screw M6x20 B Flange

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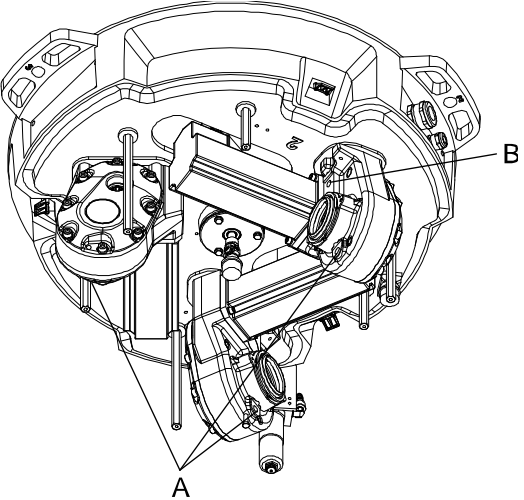
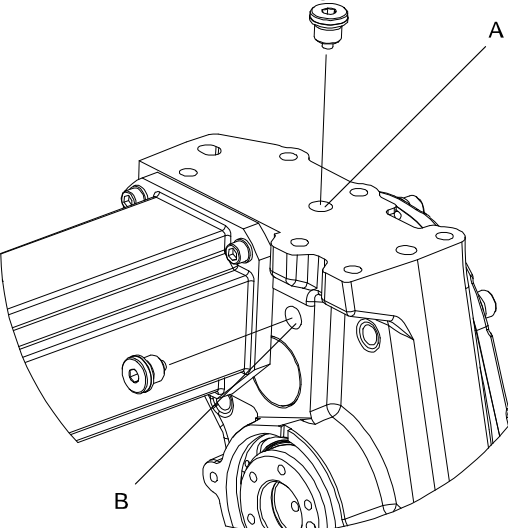
	Action	Note
7	Remove the 3 pcs M6x20 flange screws (A). Remove the flange cover (B). Remove the flange gasket ax 4 (C). Remove the sealing ring (D).	 xx0700000647 - A M6x20 flange screws. - B Flange cover ax 4 (in 3D version without center hole) - C Flange gasket ax 4 - D Sealing ring w. dust lip (not in 3D version)
8	Remove the 6 pcs M6x20 flange screws (B) holding the transmission cover (A).  CAUTION On the WD. or WDS. robots the transmission cover and sealing is glued on to the robot using sealing compound. When removing the transmission cover use a screwdriver to carefully separate the sealing from the sealing compound. Carefully remove the sealing compound from the robot and transmission cover.	 xx0700000510 - A Transmission cover - B Flange screw M6x20
9	Remove the transmission cover.	 Note Remove the cables to the brake release, described in section Replacement of brake release button on page 230.

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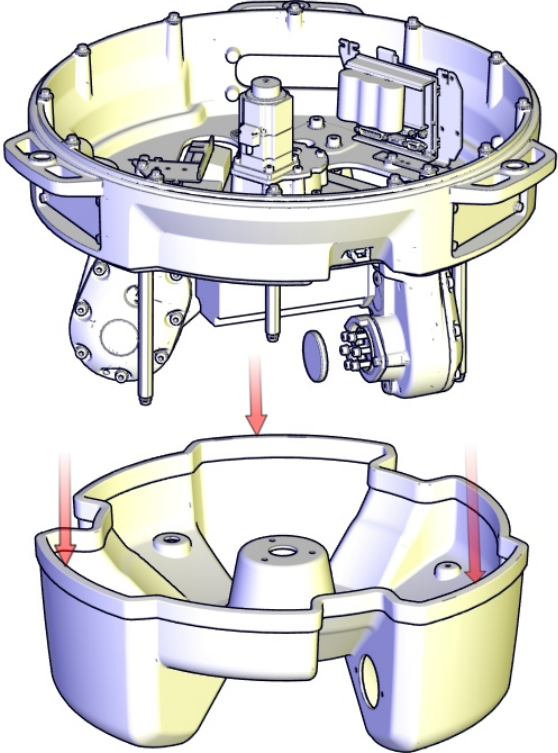
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3.5.2 Changing the oil in gearboxes, axes 1-4

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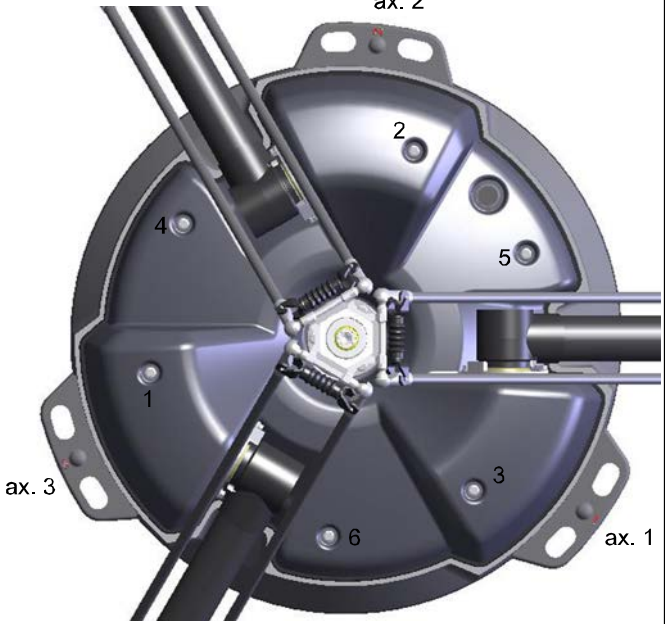
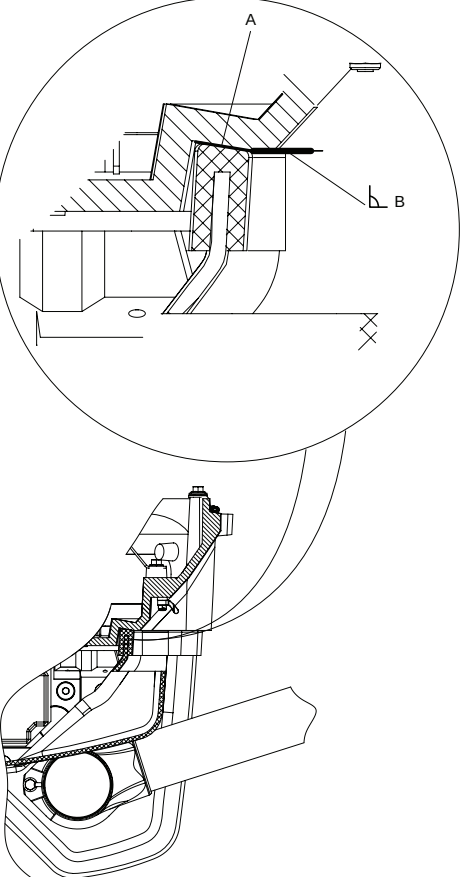
	Action	Note
10	Remove the magnetic plugs and drain the gearboxes, one by one.	 xx0700000511 A Magnetic plugs B Oil level plug
11	 Note Clean the magnetic plugs before assemble.	
12	Refit the magnetic plug (A), change the sealing washers if necessary.	Tightening torque 10-12 Nm.
13	The oil is filled through the plug holes (A) with specified volume, check oil level by removing the oil level plug (B).	Types and volumes of oil are specified in the <i>Technical reference manual - Lubrication in gearboxes - 3HAC042927-001</i>.  xx0700000729

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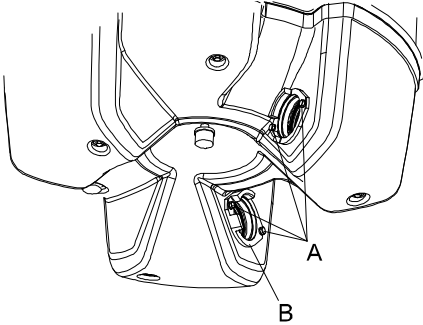
	Action	Note
14	On WD. and WDS. Clean the cover sealing upper surface using ethanol.  Note Make sure that all old sealing compound is removed.	 xx110000543
15	Apply a 5 mm string of sealing compound on the sealing upper surface.	

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3.5.2 Changing the oil in gearboxes, axes 1-4
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Action	Note
16 Refit the transmission cover using the 6pcs M6 x 20 hexagon bolt with flange. Use locking liquid.  Note Follow the tightening sequence in the figure.	Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243) ax. 2  xx0800000024 Tightening torque 4 Nm.
17 After tightening, check that the sealing compound fills the entire gap according to figure, position B. Remove excessive compound or fill up if needed.	 xx1100000540

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	Action	Note
18	Refit the 3 pcs flange and the 3 pcs flange gasket, using the 6 pcs M6x20. Apply locking liquid. (Change the gaskets if necessary.)	Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243) Tightening torque 4 Nm.
19	Refit the 3 pcs upper arm sealing rings. Apply locking liquid. Change the sealings if necessary.	Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243)  xx0700000509 A Screw M6x20 B Flange
20	Refit the 3 upper arms using the 6 x 3 pcs M6x40. Apply locking liquid (loctite 243).	Described in section Replacement of upper arm on page 178 .
21	Mount new VK-covers on the upper arms. Apply locking liquid.	Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243)
22	Refit all parallel arms.	Described in section Replacement of parallel arms on page 173 .
23	Refit the telescopic shaft.	Described in section Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188
24	Refit base cover.	 CAUTION The base cover has sharp edges, use protective gloves. Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166

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3.6.1 Introduction

3.6 Cleaning activities

3.6.1 Introduction

Washing standards

The manipulator is tested to fulfill the following standards according to IEC60529:2001.

- Standard: IP54
- Wash down: IP67
- Wash down stainless: IP69K according to ISO 20653:2001
- Clean Room: IP54



Note

The stainless version is not available for the IRB 360 used with OmniCore controllers.

Cleaning overview

Protection type	Cleaning method				
	Vacuum Cleaner	Wipe with cloth	Rinse with water	High pressure water or steam	Detergents
Standard	Yes	Yes	No	No	No
Wash down	Yes	Yes	Yes ⁱ	Yes ⁱⁱ	Yes
Wash down stainless	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes ⁱⁱⁱ	Yes
Clean room	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

ⁱ It is highly recommended that the water contains a rust-prevention solution.

ⁱⁱ It is highly recommended that the water and steam contains rust preventive, without cleaning detergents.

ⁱⁱⁱ See recommended water temperature and pressure.

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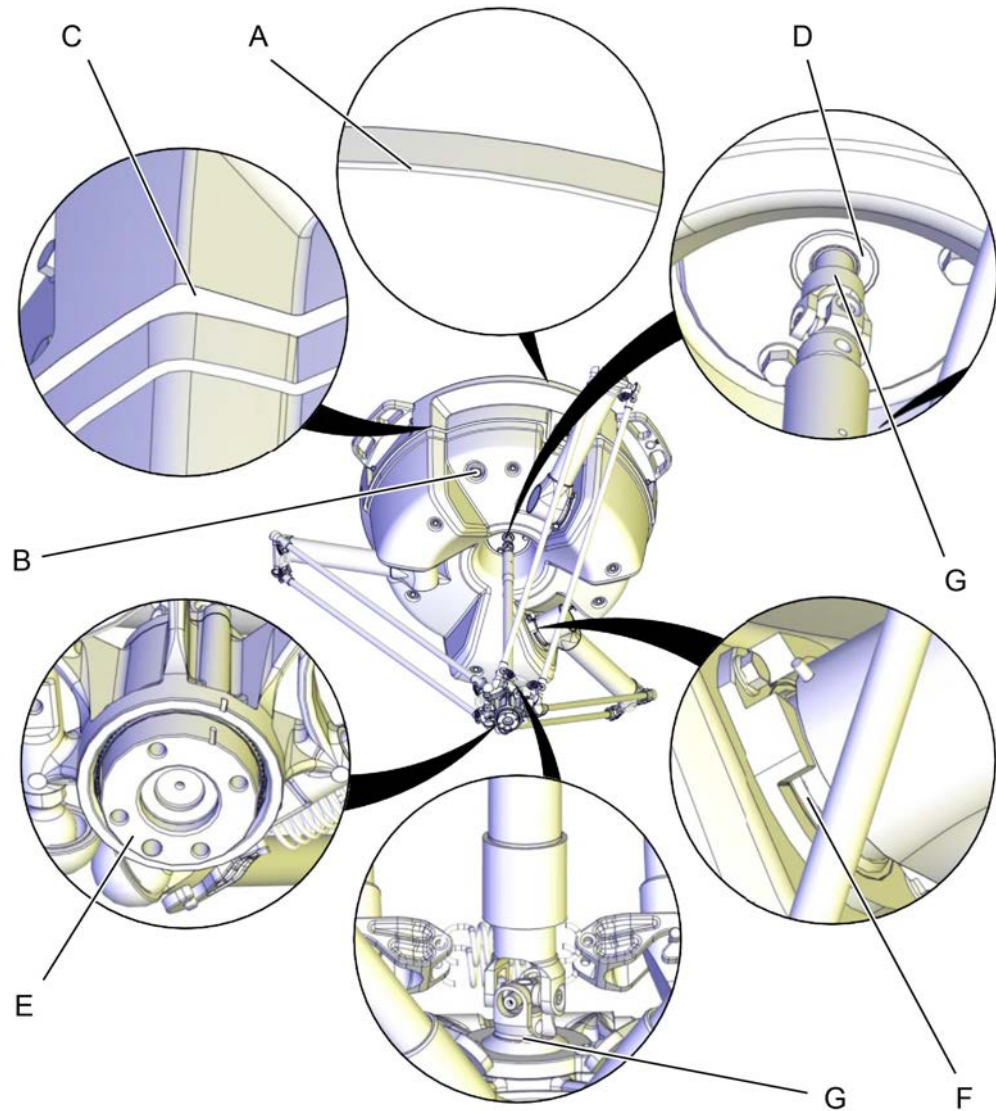
Sensitive spots

Sensitive spots for direct flushing.



Note

This applies for **IRB 360 WD** and **IRB 360 WDS** versions. If standard version parts is used in a **WD** or **WDS** version robot the robot must be cleaned as a standard version robot.



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A	Base cover gasket	E	Movable plate
B	Brake release button	F	Upper arm sealing rings
C	Transmission cover gasket	G	Universal joints
D	Axis 4 sealing ring		

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3.6.1 Introduction

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Cleaning with water and steam

Instructions for rinsing with water

The IRB 360 with protection types Wash down and Wash down stainless can be cleaned by rinsing with water (water cleaner).

The following list defines the prerequisites:

- Maximum water pressure at the nozzle: 700 kN/m² (7 bar)
- Fan jet nozzle should be used, min. 45° spread
- Minimum distance from nozzle to encapsulation: 0.4 meters
- Maximum water temperature: 80 °C
- Maximum flow: 20 liters/min

Instructions for steam or high pressure water cleaning

The IRB 360 with protection types Wash down and Wash down stainless can be cleaned using a steam cleaner or high pressure water cleaner.

The following list defines the prerequisites:

- Maximum water pressure at the nozzle: 2,500 kN/m² (25 bar)
- Fan jet nozzle should be used, min. 45° spread
- Minimum distance from nozzle to encapsulation: 0.4 meters
- Maximum water temperature: 80 °C

3.6.2 Standard cleaning

Overview

The standard version of IRB 360 is not manufactured for wash down applications, and must not be cleaned with water.



Note

If some part of a standard version robot is stainless the robot must still be cleaned as a standard version robot.



Note

The stainless version is not available for the IRB 360 used with OmniCore controllers.

Required equipment

Equipment	Note
Vacuum cleaner	
Cloth	

Cleaning instructions



DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

	Action	Note
1	Use a vacuum cleaner to remove loose particles.	
2	Use a dry or moistened cloth to wipe off the dirt and dust.	

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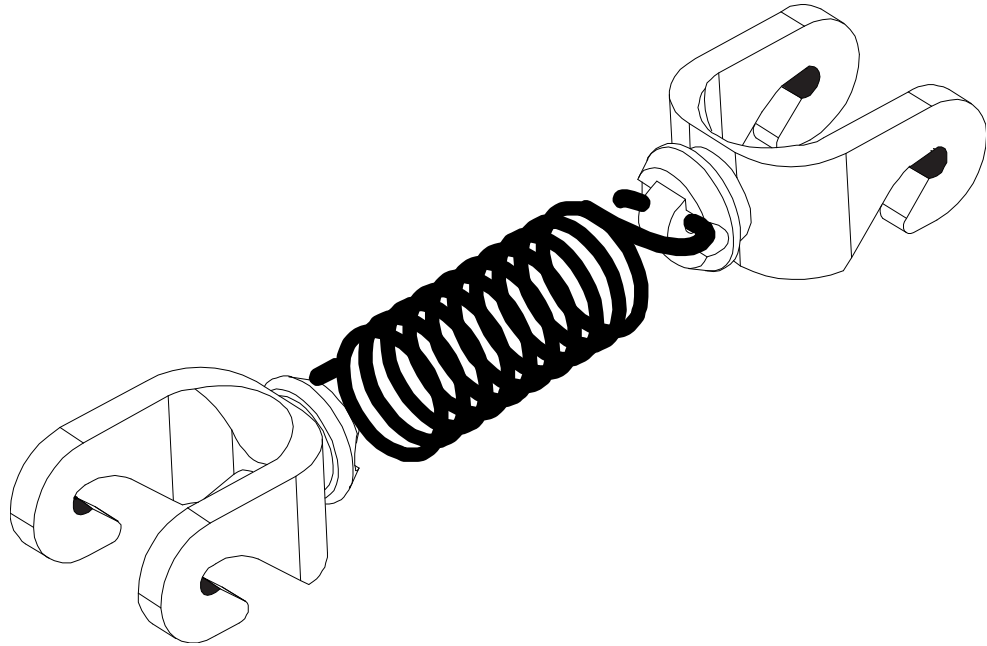
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3.6.2 Standard cleaning

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Optional use of rubber bellows - IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600

To simplify cleaning, it is possible to use the spring units without the rubber bellows.



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To remove the rubber bellows, see section [Replacement of parallel arms on page 173](#).

3.6.3 Wash down cleaning

Required equipment

Equipment	Note
High pressure washer	
Cloth	

Usable detergents

Detergent	Type	Old designation
Detergent	Topaz LD1	P3-Topax 12
Disinfectant	P3-Topax 990	P3-Topax 99

Cleaning instructions

**DANGER**

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

	Action	Note
1	Pre-rinse with water for removal of rough soil. See figure for Sensitive spots on page 141 .	• Water temperature: max. 80°C
2	Foam the whole external surface with detergent.	• Detergent: Topaz LD1, • Concentration: 3 % • Water temperature: 40 - 60°C
3	Let the detergent work for approx 20 minutes to retain effective cleaning properties. Ensure that the solvent does not dry on the surface.	
4	Rinse thoroughly with water.	
5	Apply the disinfectant. Time, concentration, and water temperature are chosen to reach the desired effect.	• Detergent: P3-topactive DES • Concentration: 1 - 2%. • Water temperature: 10 - 40°C • Time approx. 20 min.
6	Rinse thoroughly with water.	
7	After cleaning bearing races, swivel cup sealing and sealing ring (V-ring), lubricate them with provision classified grease.	

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3.6.3 Wash down cleaning

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	Action	Note
8	If the labels on the robot are damaged in the cleaning procedure, apply new labels.	Described in section Replacement of labels on page 212

3.6.4 Wash down stainless cleaning

**Note**

The stainless version is not available for the IRB 360 used with OmniCore controllers.

Required equipment

Equipment	Note
High pressure washer	

Usable detergents

The stainless version is verified against the following detergents.

Detergent	Type	Old designation
Detergent	Topaz MD4	Topmaxx 421
Detergent	Topaz CL2	P3-topax M 55
Detergent	Topaz AC3	P3-topax 56
Disinfectant	P3-topactive DES	

Cleaning instructions**DANGER**

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Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

	Action	Note
1	Pre-rinse with water for removal of rough soil with low pressure. See figure for Sensitive spots on page 141 .	• Water temperature: max. 80°C
2	Foam the whole external surface with detergent.	• Detergent: TOPAZ MD4 • Concentration: 3 % • Water temperature: 40 - 60°C
3	Let the detergent work for approx 20 minutes to retain effective cleaning properties. Ensure that the solvent does not dry on the surface.	
4	Rinse thoroughly with water.	

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3 Maintenance

3.6.4 Wash down stainless cleaning

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	Action	Note
5	Apply the disinfectant. Time, concentration, and water temperature are chosen to reach the desired effect.	• Detergent: P3-topactive DES • Concentration: 1 - 2%. • Water temperature: 10 - 40°C • Time approx. 20 min.
6	Rinse thoroughly with water.	
7	After cleaning bearing races, swivel cup sealing and sealing ring (V-ring), lubricate them with provision classified grease.	
8	If the labels on the robot are damaged in the cleaning procedure, apply new labels.	Described in section Replacement of labels on page 212

3.6.5 Clean room cleaning

Required equipment

Equipment	Note
Vacuum cleaner	
Cloth	

Usable detergents

Detergent	Note
Light cleaning detergent	
Isopropyl alcohol	

Cleaning instructions

**DANGER**

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
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	Action	Note
1	Use a vacuum cleaner to remove loose particles.	
2	Use a cloth with cleaning detergent or Isopropyl alcohol to wipe off the dirt and dust.	

3 Maintenance

3.7.1 Measuring backlash axis 4

3.7 Measuring activities

3.7.1 Measuring backlash axis 4

General

This section describes measuring of the backlash on axis 4.

The normal backlash value for axis 4 is listed in the product specification for the manipulator, section *Performance according to ISO 9283*, see [References on page 10](#).



DANGER

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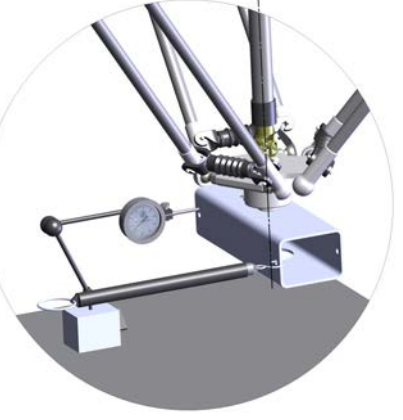
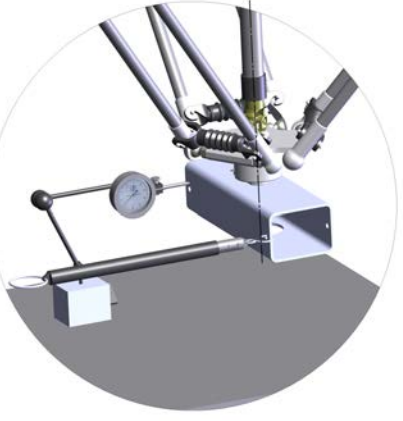
Required equipment and references

Required equipment	Note
Indicator clock	
Dynamometer	
Tool	(square tube, length = min. 250 mm)

Measuring backlash

	Action	Note
1	Attach the tool on manipulator.	For fastening of tool on robot, see hole pattern in Fitting equipment on robot on page 66 .
2	Place the indicator clock on a metallic surface placed underneath the manipulator.	

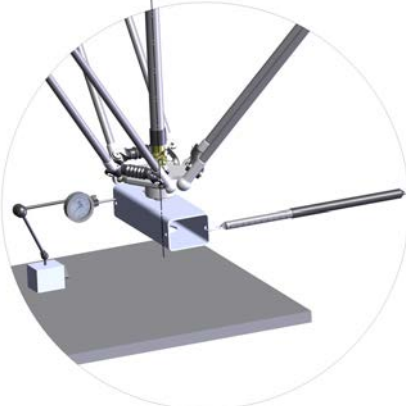
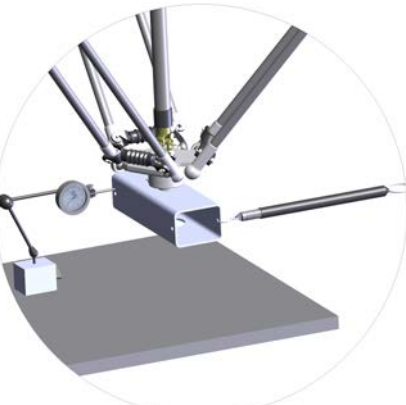
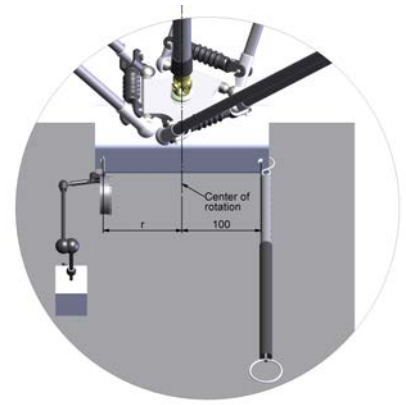
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	Action	Note
3	Apply torque 1 Nm, i.e. 10N on a distance of 100 mm from center of rotation.	 xx1700000046
4	Decrease force to 0N.	 xx1700000047
5	Apply torque 0.2 Nm, i.e. 2N on a distance of 100 mm from center of rotation.	 xx1700000048
6	Register first measurement point.	

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3.7.1 Measuring backlash axis 4

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	Action	Note
7	Apply torque 1 Nm in the other direction, i.e. 10 N on a distance of 100 mm from center of rotation.	 xx1700000049
8	Decrease force to 0N.	
9	Apply torque 0.2 Nm, i.e. 2 N on a distance of 100 mm from center of rotation.	 xx1700000050
10	Register second measurement point.	
11	Calculate the angular backlash as the difference between measurement point 1 and 2 multiplied by 360 and then divided by $2 \cdot \pi \cdot r$.  Note r is the distance from center of rotation to where the measurement is done.	 xx1700000051

4 Repair

4.1 Introduction

Structure of this chapter

This chapter describes repair activities for the IRB 360. Each procedure contains the information required to perform the activity, for example spare parts numbers, required special tools, and materials.



WARNING

Repair activities not described in this chapter must only be carried out by ABB.

Report replaced units



Note

When replacing a part on the IRB 360, report to your local ABB the serial number, the article number, and the revision of both the replaced unit and the replacement unit.

This is particularly important for safety equipment to maintain the safety integrity of the installation.

Safety information

Make sure to read through the chapter [Safety on page 19](#) before commencing any service work.



CAUTION

Follow the instructions to avoid errors of fitting during maintenance or repair.

Moving the robot out of Clean Room working spaces before service activities

The robots must be moved out of the Clean Room working spaces before proceeding with the maintenance and repair works.

During the working space layout planning, reserve sufficient space to ensure that the robot can be moved in and out of the Clean Room working spaces smoothly. The minimum space required for the equipment or device that are used to move or lift the robot should also be considered.

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4.1 Introduction

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WARNING

If the IRB 360 is connected to power, always make sure that the controller and IRB 360 are connected to protective earth and a residual current device (RCD) before starting any maintenance work.

For more information see:

- *Product manual - OmniCore C30*
- *Product manual - OmniCore C30 Type B*
- *Product manual - IRC5*
- *Product manual - IRC5 Compact*
- *Product manual - IRC5 Panel Mounted Controller*
- [Robot cabling and connection points on page 87.](#)



Note

The stainless version is not available for the IRB 360 used with OmniCore controllers.

4.2 General procedures

4.2.1 Mounting instructions for bearings

General

This section describes how to mount and grease different types of bearings on the robot.

Equipment

Equipment, etc.	Article number	Note
Grease	Grease specification on page 272.	

Assembly of all bearings

Attend to the following instructions while mounting a bearing on the robot.

	Action	Note
1	To avoid contamination, let a new bearing remain in its wrapping until it is time for fitting.	
2	Ensure that the parts included in the bearing fitting are free from burrs, grinding waste, and other contamination. Cast components must be free of foundry sand.	
3	Bearing rings, inner rings, and roller elements must not be subjected to direct impact. The roller elements must not be exposed to any stresses during the assembly work.	

Assembly of tapered bearings

Follow the preceding instructions for the assembly of the bearings when mounting a tapered bearing on the robot.

In addition to those instructions, the following procedure must be carried out to enable the roller elements to adjust to the correct position against the race flange.

	Action	Note
1	Tension the bearing gradually until the recommended pre-tension is achieved.  Note The roller elements must be rotated a specified number of turns before pre-tensioning is carried out and also rotated during the pre-tensioning sequence.	
2	Make sure the bearing is properly aligned as this will directly affect the durability of the bearing.	

Greasing of bearings



Note

This instruction is not valid for solid oil bearings.

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4.2.1 Mounting instructions for bearings

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The bearings must be greased after assembly according to the following instructions:

- The bearings must not be completely filled with grease. However, if space is available beside the bearing fitting, the bearing may be totally filled with grease when mounted, as excessive grease will be pressed out from the bearing when the robot is started.
- During operation, the bearing should be filled to 70-80% of the available volume.
- Ensure that grease is handled and stored properly to avoid contamination.

Grease the different types of bearings as following description:

- *Grooved ball bearings* must be filled with grease from both sides.
- *Tapered roller bearings* and axial needle bearings must be greased in the split condition.

4.2.2 Mounting instructions for sealings

General

This section describes how to mount different types of sealings.

Equipment

Consumable	Article number	Note
Grease	Grease specification on page 272.	

Rotating sealings

The following procedures describe how to fit rotating sealings.



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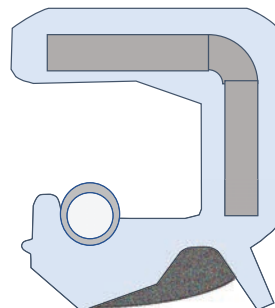
Please observe the following before commencing any assembly of sealings:

- Protect the sealing during transport and mounting, especially the main lip on radial sealings.
- Keep the sealing in its original wrappings or protect it well before actual mounting.
- The fitting of sealings and gears must be carried out on clean workbenches.
- Use a protective sleeve for the main lip during mounting, when sliding over threads, keyways or other sharp edges.
- Do not lubricate a static side of a sealing with grease, since this may result in movement of the sealing during operation.

The only exception for lubrication of static sides of a sealing, is to use P-80 rubber lubrication gel against certain aluminium surfaces. If usage of P-80 is relevant, it is stated in the repair procedures.

Radial sealings

A radial sealing consists of a flexible rubber lip bonded to a rigid metal case. Only one side of the sealing is static with a metal insert.



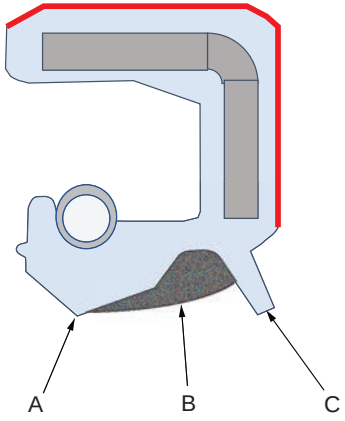
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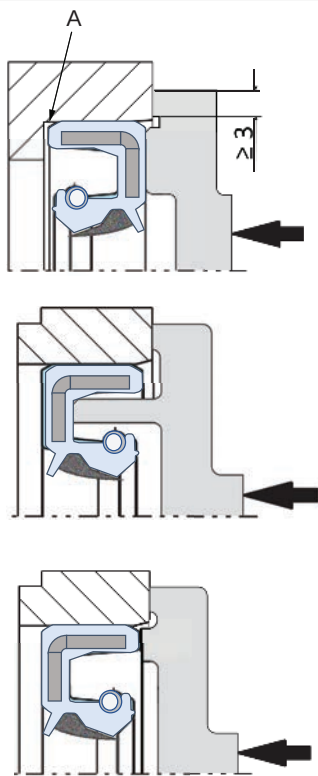
4.2.2 Mounting instructions for sealings

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	Action	Note
1	Check the sealing to ensure that: • The sealing is of the correct type. • There is no damage on the main lip.	
2	Inspect the shaft surface before mounting. If scratches or damage are found, the shaft must be replaced since it may result in future leakage. Do not try to grind or polish the shaft surface to get rid of the defect.	
3	Lubricate the sealing with grease just before fitting. (Not too early - there is a risk of dirt and foreign particles adhering to the sealing.) Fill 2/3 of the space between the dust lip and the main lip with grease. If the sealing is without dust lip, just lubricate the main lip with a thin layer of grease.	Article number is specified in Equipment on page 157.  xx2000000071 A Main lip B Grease C Dust lip  Note Ensure that no grease is applied to the red marked surface.

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4.2.2 Mounting instructions for sealings
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	Action	Note
4	Mount the sealing correctly with a mounting tool. Never hammer directly on the sealing as this may result in leakage.	 xx2000000072 A Gap
5	Make sure that no grease is left on the robot surface.	

Flange sealings and static sealings

The following procedure describes how to fit flange sealings and static sealings.

	Action
1	Check the flange surfaces. They must be even and free from pores. It is easy to check flatness using a gauge on the fastened joint (without sealing compound). If the flange surfaces are defective, the parts may not be used because leakage could occur.
2	Clean the surfaces properly in accordance with the recommendations of ABB.
3	Distribute the sealing compound evenly over the surface.
4	Tighten the screws evenly when fastening the flange joint.

O-rings

The following procedure describes how to fit o-rings.

	Action	Note
1	Ensure that the correct o-ring size is used.	
2	Check the o-ring for surface defects, burrs, shape accuracy, or deformation.	Defective o-rings, including damaged or deformed o-rings, may not be used.

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4.2.2 Mounting instructions for sealings

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	Action	Note
3	Check the o-ring grooves and mating surfaces. They should be free of pores, contamination and obvious scratches/damage.	
4	Lubricate the o-ring with grease.	
5	Tighten the screws evenly while assembling.	
6	Check that the o-ring is not squashed outside the o-ring groove.	
7	Make sure that no grease is left on the robot surface.	

4.2.3 Screw joints

General

This section describes how to tighten the various types of screw joints on ABB robots.

The instructions and torque values are valid for screw joints comprised of metallic materials and do *not* apply to soft or brittle materials.



Tip

During maintenance and repair, screws must be retained and kept in order. When loosening screws, ensure they are sorted so that each screw can be correctly refitted.

Gleitmo treated screws

Gleitmo is a special surface treatment to reduce the friction when tightening the screw joint. It is recommended by ABB for M6-M20 screw joints. Screws treated with Gleitmo may be reused 3-4 times before the coating disappears. After this the screw must be discarded and replaced with a new one.

When handling screws treated with Gleitmo, protective gloves of **nitrile rubber** type should be used.

Generally, screws are lubricated with *Gleitmo 603* mixed with *Geomet 500* or *Geomet 702* in proportion 1:3. *Geomet* thickness varies according to screw dimensions, refer to the following.

Dimension	Lubricant	Geomet thickness
M6-M20 (any length except M20x60)	<i>Gleitmo 603 + Geomet 500</i>	3-5 µm
M6-M20 (any length except M20x60)	<i>Gleitmo 603 + Geomet 720</i>	3-5 µm
M20x60	<i>Gleitmo 603 + Geomet 500</i>	8-12 µm
M20x60	<i>Gleitmo 603 + Geomet 720</i>	6-10 µm

Tightening torque

Before tightening any screw, note the following:

- Determine whether a **standard** tightening torque or **special** torque is to be applied. The **standard torques** are specified in the following tables. Any **special torques** are specified in the repair, maintenance or installation procedure descriptions. **Any special torque specified overrides the standard torque!**
- Use the *correct tightening torque* for each type of screw joint.
- Only use *correctly calibrated* torque keys.
- *Always tighten the joint by hand*, and never use pneumatic tools.
- Use the *correct tightening technique*, that is *do not* jerk. Tighten the screw in a slow, flowing motion.

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4.2.3 Screw joints

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- Maximum allowed total deviation from the specified value is 10%!

Tightening torque for oil-lubricated screws with slotted or cross-recess head screws



Note

A special torque specified in the repair, maintenance or installation procedure overrides the standard torque.

Tightening torque for oil-lubricated screws with allen head screws

The following table specifies the recommended standard tightening torque for *oil-lubricated screws with allen head screws*.



Note

A special torque specified in the repair, maintenance or installation procedure overrides the standard torque.

Dimension	Tightening torque (Nm) Class 8.8, oil-lubricated	Tightening torque (Nm) Class 10.9, oil-lubricated	Tightening torque (Nm) Class 12.9, oil-lubricated
M4	-	4	5
M5	6	8	10
M6	10	14	17
M8	24	34	40
M10	47	67	80
M12	82	115	140
M16	200	290	340
M20	400	560	670
M24	680	960	1150

Tightening torque for lubricated screws (Molykote, Gleitmo or equivalent) with allen head screws

The following table specifies the recommended standard tightening torque for *screws lubricated with Molykote 1000, Gleitmo 603 or equivalent with allen head screws*.



Note

A special torque specified in the repair, maintenance or installation procedure overrides the standard torque.

Dimension	Tightening torque (Nm) Class 10.9, lubricated ⁱ	Tightening torque (Nm) Class 12.9, lubricated ⁱ
M5		8
M6		14
M8	28	35
M10	55	70

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Dimension	Tightening torque (Nm) Class 10.9, lubricated ⁱ	Tightening torque (Nm) Class 12.9, lubricated ⁱ
M12	96	120
M16	235	300
M20	460	550
M24	790	950

ⁱ Lubricated with Molycote 1000, Gleitmo 603 or equivalent

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4.2.4 Cut the paint or surface on the robot before replacing parts

4.2.4 Cut the paint or surface on the robot before replacing parts

General

Follow the procedures in this section whenever breaking the paint of the robot during replacement of parts.

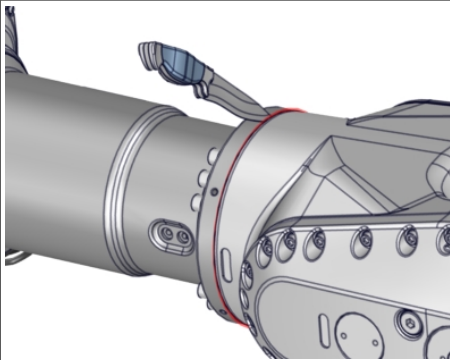
For robots with protection type Clean Room

When replacing parts on the robot, it is important to make sure that after the replacement, no particles will be emitted from the joint between the structure and the new part, and that the easy cleaned surface is retained.

Required equipment

Equipment	Spare parts	Note
Sealing compound	3HAC073510-001	Trans7
Tooling pin		Width 6-9 mm, made of wood.
Cleaning agent		Ethanol
Knife		
Lint free cloth		
Touch up paint Clean Room/Hygienic	3HAC036639-001	Used to repair coating damages on the manipulator. White

Removing

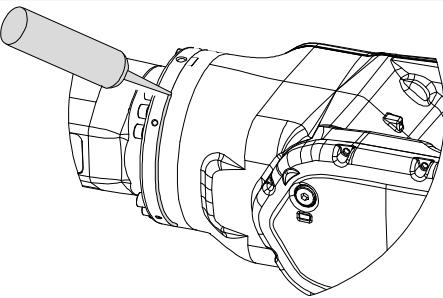
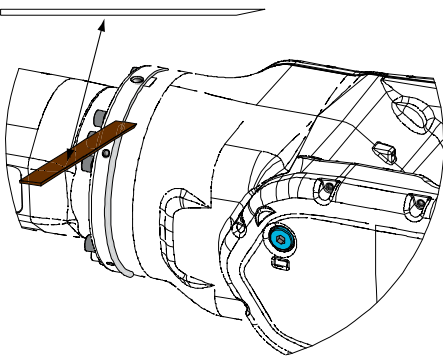
	Action	Description
1	Cut the paint with a knife in the joint between the part that will be removed and the structure, to avoid that the paint cracks.	 xx2300000950
2	Carefully grind the paint edge that is left on the structure to a smooth surface.	

Refitting

	Action	Description
1	Before the parts are refitted, clean the joint so that it is free from oil and grease.	Use ethanol on a lint free cloth.
2	Place the tooling pin in hot water.	

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4.2.4 Cut the paint or surface on the robot before replacing parts *Continued*

	Action	Description
3	Seal all refitted joints with sealing compound.	 xx0900000122
4	Use the tooling pin to even out the surface of the sealing compound.	 xx0900000125
5	For robots with protection type Clean Room Wait 10 minutes.	For robots with protection type Clean Room Sikaflex 521FC skin dry time (10 minutes).
6	Use Touch up paint Clean Room/Hygienic, white to paint any damaged surfaces.  Note Always read the instruction in the product data sheet in the paint repair kit for Clean Room/Hygienic.	3HAC036639-001



Note

After all repair work, wipe the robot free from particles with spirit on a lint free cloth.

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4.3.1 Replacement of base cover gasket

4.3 Complete robot

4.3.1 Replacement of base cover gasket

General

This section describes how to replace the base cover gasket.



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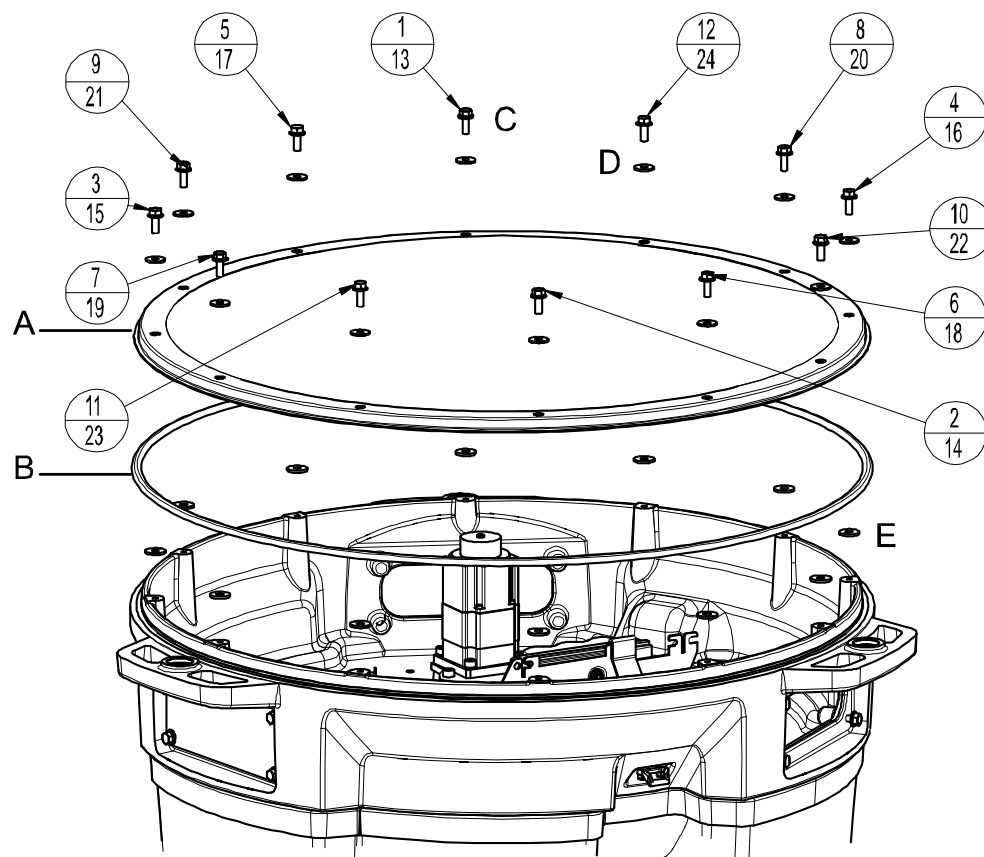
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Location and tightening sequence



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A	Base cover
B	Hollow o-ring (Base cover)
C	Flange screw M6x20 (12 pcs)
D	Plastic washer (12 pcs)
E	Rubber gasket (12 pcs)

Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part number	Note
Hollow o-ring (base cover)	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269
Plastic washer	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Rubber gasket	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	

**CAUTION**

Always cut the paint with a knife and grind the paint edge when disassembling parts. See [Cut the paint or surface on the robot before replacing parts on page 164](#).

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4.3.1 Replacement of base cover gasket

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Removal

	Action	Note
1	Remove the <i>flange screws</i> and <i>washers</i> and check them.	If necessary, change them.
2	Remove the <i>base cover</i> .	 CAUTION The base cover has sharp edges, use protective gloves.
3	Remove and discard the <i>hollow o-ring</i> .	See article number in <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .
4	Remove and discard the <i>rubber gaskets</i> .	See article number in <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .

Refitting

	Action	Note
1	Refit new <i>rubber gaskets</i> .	
2	Refit a new <i>hollow o-ring</i> .	 Note Do not lubricate the hollow o-ring for the base cover, it can slip out of position when cleaning.
3	Refit the <i>base cover</i> .	 CAUTION The base cover has sharp edges, use protective gloves.
4	Refit the <i>flange screws</i> with <i>plastic washers</i> .  Note Check that the washers are not damaged. Replace if needed.  Note Always tighten the base cover screws in two rounds.	See tightening sequence Location and tightening sequence on page 167 . Use tightening torque 4 Nm for both rounds.

4.3.2 Replacement of serial measurement board

General

This section describes how to replace the SMB unit (serial measurement board).



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Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

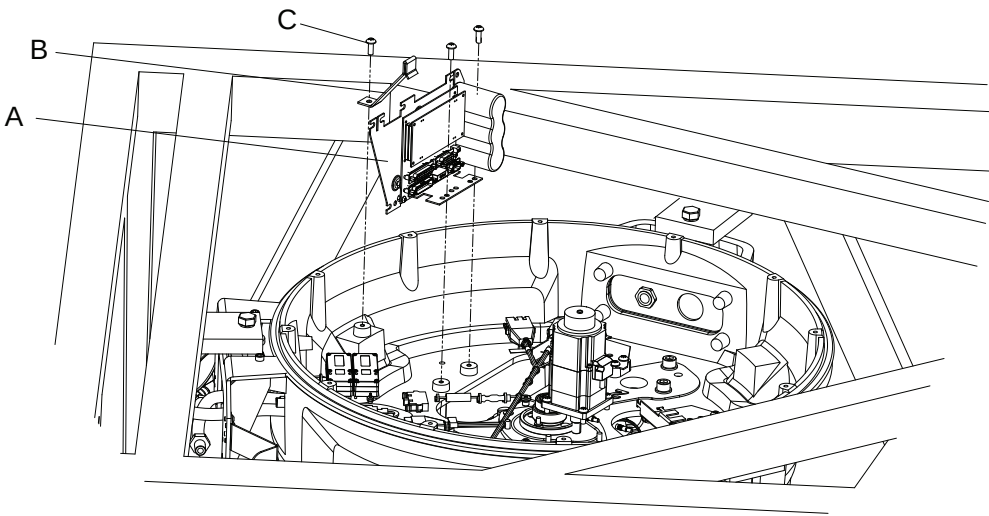
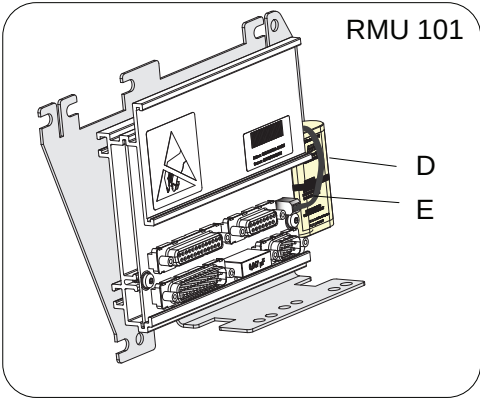
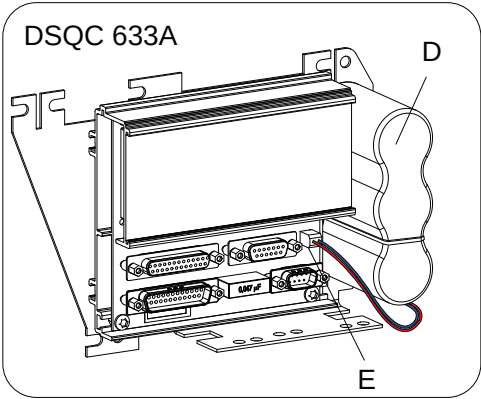
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4.3.2 Replacement of serial measurement board
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Location



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A	SMB unit
B	Bracket SMB unit
C	3 pcs flange screw M6 x 20
D	SMB battery
E	SMB battery contact (X3)

Required equipment and references



Note

There are different variants of SMB units and batteries. The variant with the 3-pole battery contact has longer lifetime for the battery.

It is important that the SMB unit uses the correct battery. Make sure to order the correct spare parts. Do not replace the battery contact!

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269

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Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Serial measurement unit	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Base cover gasket	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	(If damaged)
Plastic washer	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	(If damaged)

References

Circuit diagram - IRB 360

[Updating revolution counters on page 249.](#)[Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166](#)**CAUTION**

Always cut the paint with a knife and grind the paint edge when disassembling parts. See [Cut the paint or surface on the robot before replacing parts on page 164](#).

Removal SMB unit

	Action	Note
1	Remove the base cover.	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166
2	Remove the three(3) flange screws holding the bracket for the SMB unit.	Use standard tools
3	Disconnect all the cables from the SMB unit.	
4	Remove the SMB unit.	

**Note**

This product contains certain materials considered hazardous. This product **must** be disposed of in accordance with the current legislation of the country in which the robot and control unit is installed.

Refitting SMB unit

**Note**

Check the new battery, using a voltmeter. It should read approx +12V.

	Action	Note
1	Refit the new SMB unit.	
2	Connect all cables.	As described in circuit diagram 3HAC028647-009
3	Refit the bracket using the three(3) flange screws.	Tightening torque 4 Nm
4	Refit the base cover.	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166

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4.3.2 Replacement of serial measurement board

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	Action	Note
5	Update the revolution counters.	Described in section Updating revolution counters on page 249

4.3.3 Replacement of parallel arms

General

This section describes how to change the parallel arms.



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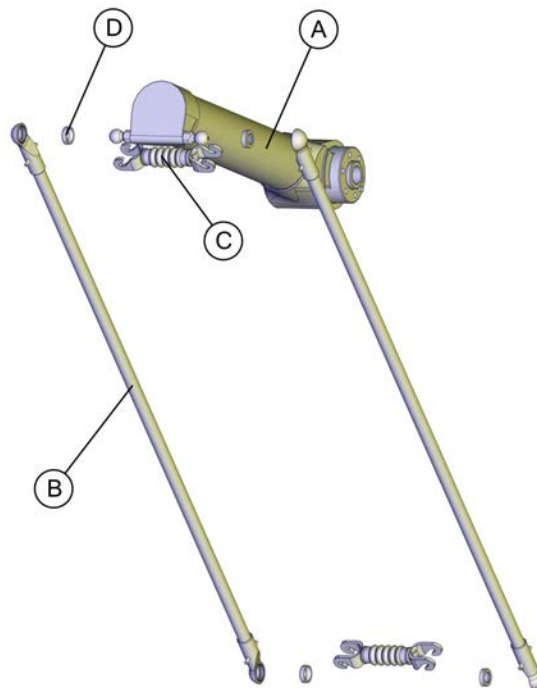
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- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

Location

IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600



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A	Upper arm
B	Parallel arm
C	Spring unit
D	Bearing ring

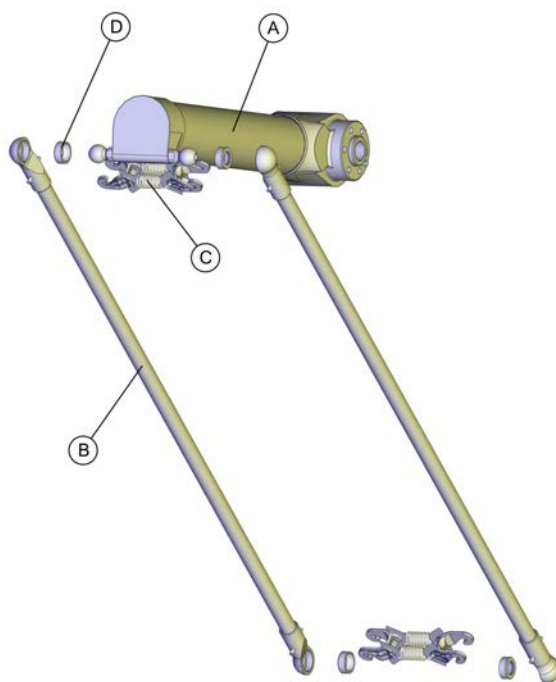
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4 Repair

4.3.3 Replacement of parallel arms

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IRB 360 - 8/1130, IRB 360 - 6/1600



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A	Upper arm
B	Parallel arm
C	Spring unit
D	Bearing ring

Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269
Pliers for parallel arms	3HAC6194-1	
Parallel arms	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	

References
Spring units on page 116
Special tools on page 270



CAUTION

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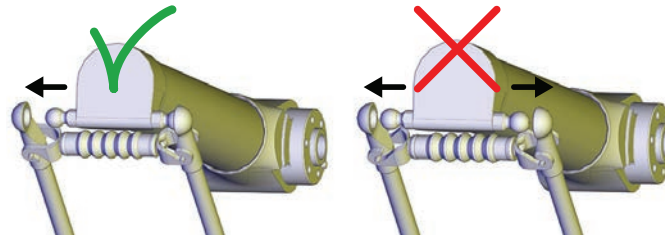
Removing the parallel arms

Illustrations

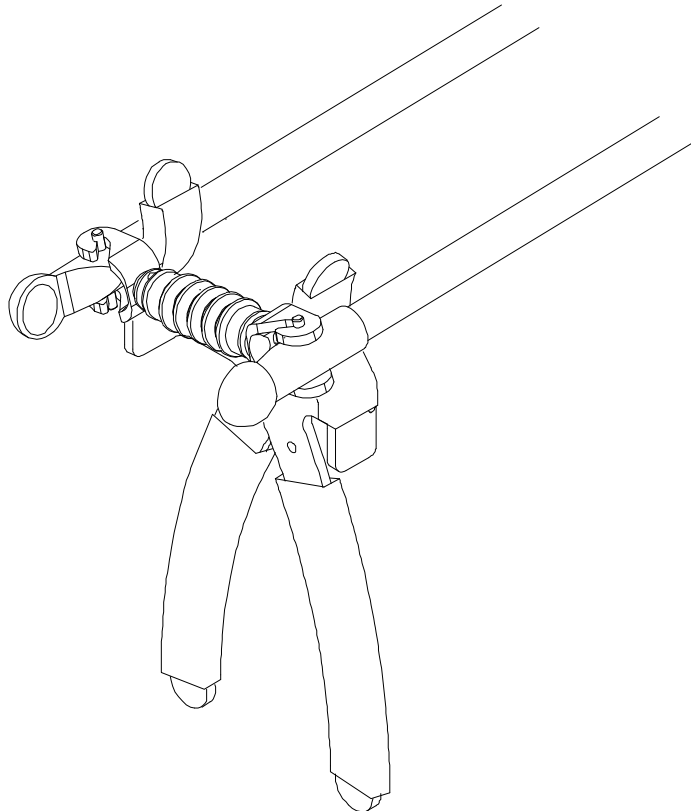


CAUTION

Never use unnecessary force when removing the springs. Only work on one side or the spring will be overstressed.



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4 Repair

4.3.3 Replacement of parallel arms

Continued

Removing the parallel arms

Use the procedure to remove the parallel arms.

	Action	Note
1	Remove the parallel arms by using the pliers, either on the left side or the right side, not both .	Use the pliers according to Illustrations on page 175 . Article number is specified in Required equipment and references on page 174 .  Note Press with the tool on the aluminium surface, not on the carbon fiber, or the parallel arms may be damaged.
2	Remove the springs.	By hand.

Refitting the parallel arms



CAUTION

Never use unnecessary force when refitting the springs. Only work on one side or the spring will be overstressed.

Refitting the parallel arms

Use the procedure to refit the parallel arms.

	Action	Note
1	Fit the springs on the parallel arms.	By hand. Apply grease according to section Spring units on page 116
2	Refit the parallel arm to the upper arm by using the pliers, either on the left side or the right side, not both .	Use the pliers according to Illustrations on page 175 . Article number is specified in Required equipment and references on page 174 .  Note Press with the tool on the aluminium surface, not on the carbon fiber, or the parallel arms may be damaged.
3	Refit the parallel arm to the movable plate by using the pliers, either on the left side or the right side, not both .	Use the pliers according to Illustrations on page 175 . Article number is specified in Required equipment and references on page 174 .  Note Always mount the movable plate with the axis 4 calibration mark in direction axis 1.

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	Action	Note
4	Recalibrate the robot.	See Calibration information on page 235 .

4 Repair

4.3.4 Replacement of upper arm

4.3.4 Replacement of upper arm

General

This section describes replacement of upper arm.



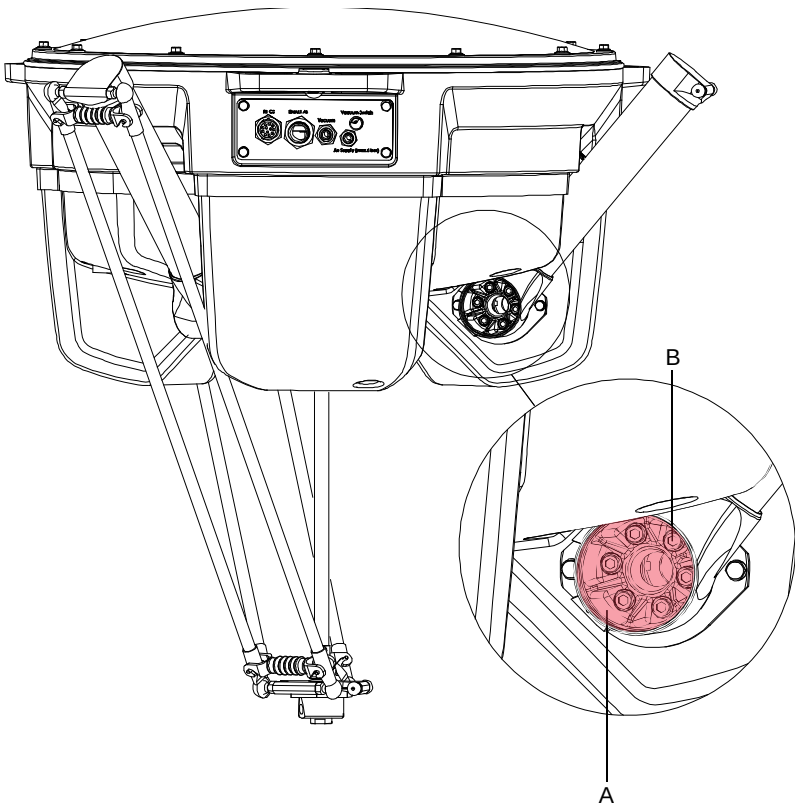
DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

Location



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A	VK- cover
B	6x hex socket head cap screw M6 x 40 (12.9 gleitmo) and 6x plain washer 6.4x12x1.6 steel A2-F

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Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part No.	Note
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269
Upper arm	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Sealing ring	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Flange gasket ax.1-3	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
VK-cover	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Locking liquid		Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243)

References

[Standard toolkit on page 269](#)[Replacement of parallel arms on page 173](#)[Mounting instructions for sealings on page 157](#)**CAUTION**

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Removal

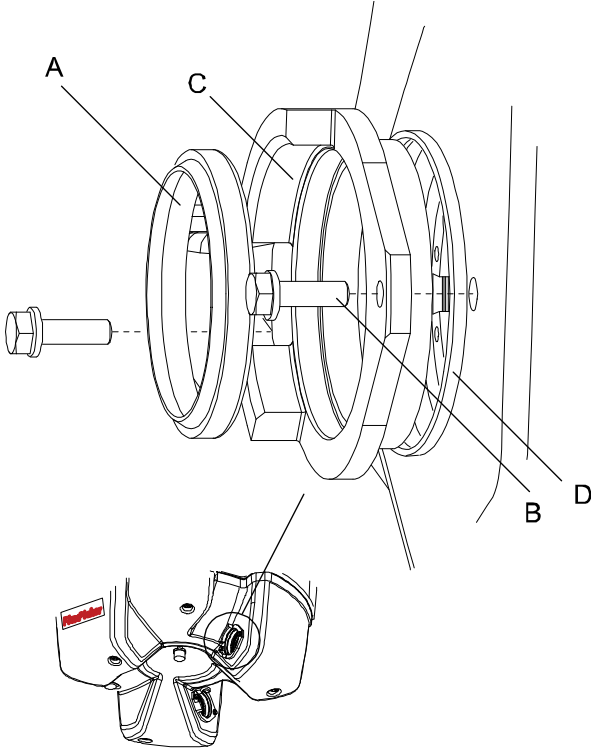
	Action	Note
1	Remove the parallel arm on the specific upper arm.	Described in section Replacement of parallel arms on page 173
2	Remove the VK-cover	Use a screwdriver.
3	Remove the six screws	6x Hex socket head cap screw M6 x 40 (12.9 gleitmo) and 6x plain washer 6.4x12x1.6 Steel A2-F
4	Remove the upper arm.	
5	 Note Always check the condition of the sealing ring and the flange gasket	

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4 Repair

4.3.4 Replacement of upper arm

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	Action	Note
6	Remove the two flangescrews (B) holding the flange (C). If necessary, change the sealing ring (A) and the flange gasket (D).  Note Do not use the sealing ring (A) on robots with protection Clean Room or Stainless Clean Room.	 xx0700000601

Refitting

	Action	Note
1	Refit the flange with the new mounted sealing ring, using the two screws with locking liquid and the new flange gasket.  Tip Mounting instructions for sealings on page 157	Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243) Tightening torque 4 Nm.
2	Refit the upper arm using the 6x hex socket head cap screw M6 x 40 (12.9 Gleitmo) and 6x plain washer 6.4x12x1.6 steel A2-F.	Tightening torque 11 Nm.
3	Fit a new VK-cover.	By hand.
4	Refit the parallel arm.	Described in section Replacement of parallel arms on page 173 .
5	Recalibrate the robot.	See Calibration information on page 235 .

4.3.5 Replacement of bearing rings

General

This section describes how to change bearing rings in the parallel arms.



DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Bearing ring	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269 .
Drifter		Only required for robot versions: IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130 and IRB 360 - 1/1600. Special tools on page 270
Dolly		
Pliers for parallel arms		Special tools on page 270
Grease	-	Valid for robot versions: IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600. Required for non-maintenance free bearing rings. • Mobilgrease FM 102 • Optimol Obeen UF 2 See Different versions of bearing rings require different maintenance procedures on page 107 .

References

[Replacement of parallel arms on page 173](#)

[Special tools on page 270](#)



CAUTION

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4 Repair

4.3.5 Replacement of bearing rings

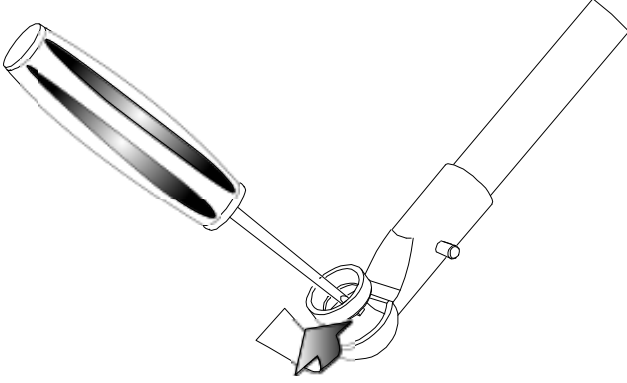
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CAUTION

Never use unnecessary force when removing the springs. Only work on one side or the spring will be overstressed.

Removal

	Action	Note
1	Remove the parallel arms by hand or using tool, left or right side, not both .	According to section Replacement of parallel arms on page 173 .
2	Remove the bearing ring using a screwdriver.	 xx0700000486

Refitting

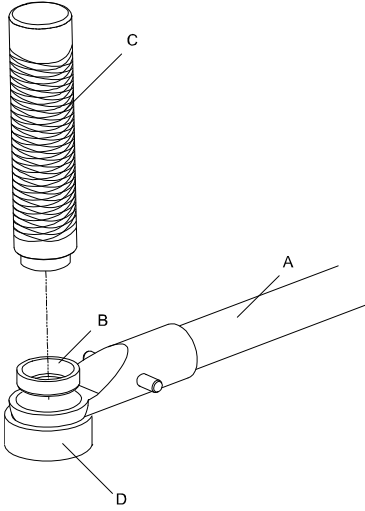


CAUTION

Never use unnecessary force when refitting the springs. Only work on one side or the spring will be overstressed.

	Action	Note
1	Place a new bearing ring into the joint socket.	

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	Action	Note
2	Valid for robot versions: IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600. 1 Place the parallel arm in the dolly. 2 Put the drifter into the bearing ring and knock it gently down to its resting position. 3 Lubricate bearing rings that are not maintenance-free (see Different versions of bearing rings require different maintenance procedures on page 107).	 xx0700000524 A Parallel arm B Bearing ring C Drifter D Dolly Type of grease for non-maintenance-free bearing rings, see Required equipment and references on page 181.
3	Valid for robot versions: IRB 360 - 8/1130, IRB 360 - 6/1600. Push the bearing ring into its resting position by hand.	
4	Refit the parallel arms to the upper arm, left or right side, not both.	By hand or using tool according to section Replacement of parallel arms on page 173
5	Run the robot for six (6) hours for the bearing rings to wear in.	
6	Wipe clean the joint balls and the bearing rings.	

4 Repair

4.3.6 Replacement of movable plate

4.3.6 Replacement of movable plate

General

This section describes how to replace the movable plate.



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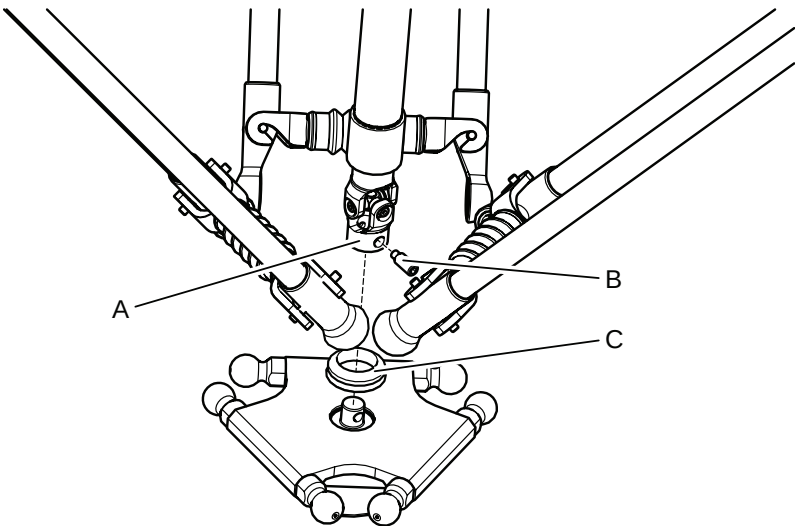
Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

Location

IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600

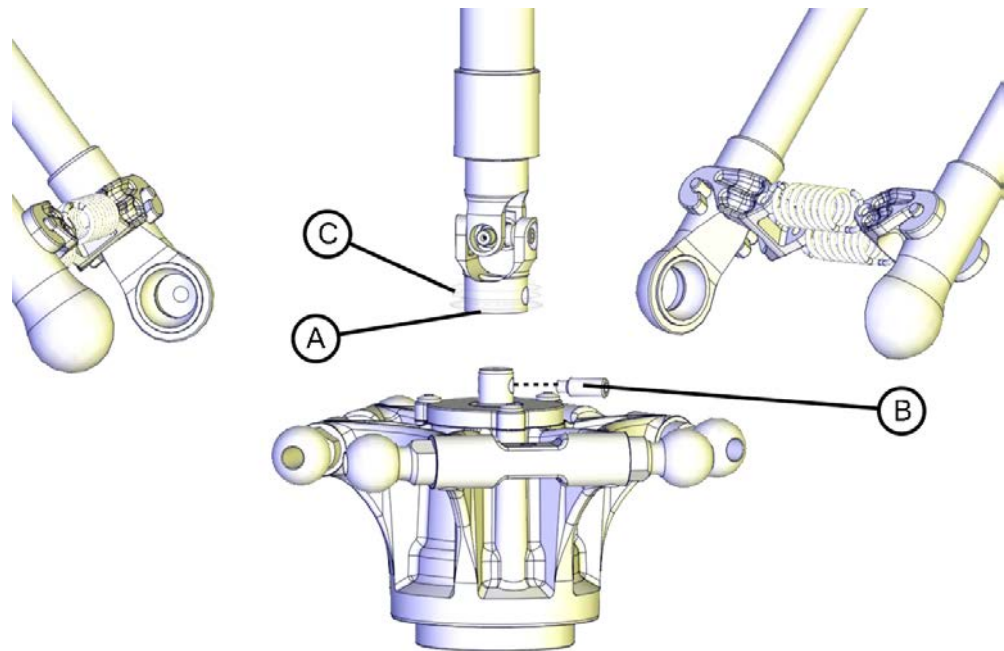


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A	Universal joint
B	Set screw, dog point
C	Sealing ring (V-ring)

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IRB 360 - 8/1130, IRB 360 - 6/1600



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A	Universal joint
B	Set screw, dog point
C	V-ring sealing (transparent in the figure)

Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part number	Note
Spare parts, movable plate	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Locking liquid	-	Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243)
Standard tools	-	Standard toolkit on page 269

References

[Replacement of parallel arms on page 173](#)[Replacement of vacuum hoses on page 218](#)**CAUTION**

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4.3.6 Replacement of movable plate
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Removal

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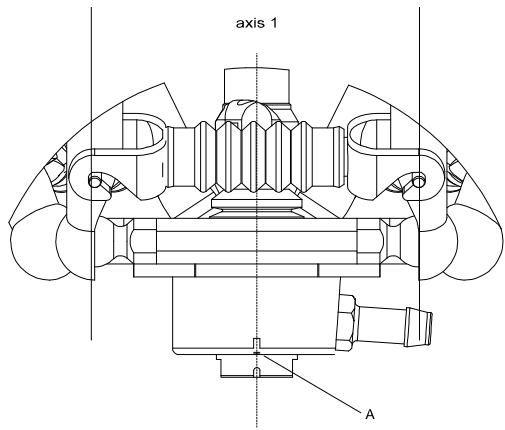
CAUTION

The spring units must be removed according to the description in section [Replacement of parallel arms on page 173](#) or they will be damaged.

	Action	Note
1	Remove all air / vacuum hoses from the swivel cup on the movable plate.	Described in section Replacement of vacuum hoses on page 218
2	Remove all three parallel arms from the movable plate.	Described in section Replacement of parallel arms on page 173 .
3	Hold the movable plate while raising the sealing ring (C) and removing the set screw (B) that locks the universal joint. Remove the movable plate from the telescopic shaft.	Use standard tools.

Calibration mark, axis 4

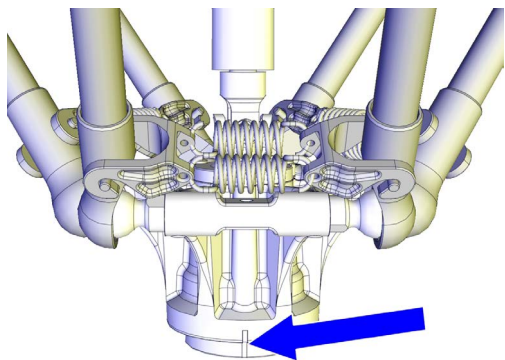
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A	Axis 4 calibration mark
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IRB 360 - 8/1130, IRB 360 - 6/1600

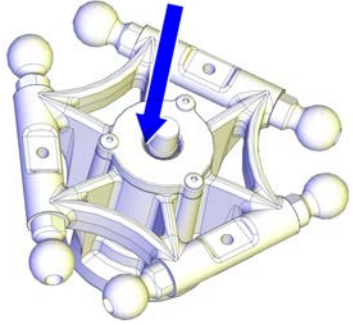
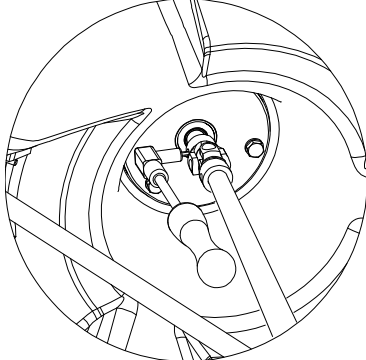


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Refitting

**CAUTION**

Never use unnecessary force when refitting the springs. Only work on one side or the spring will be overstressed.

	Action	Note
1	For robot versions IRB 360 - 8/1130, IRB 360 - 6/1600: Check the radial seal.	 xx1300000202
2	Refit the movable plate to the telescopic shaft and lock the universal joint by refitting the set screw (B). Use locking liquid.	 xx0700000613 Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243) Tightening torque for set screw 3HAC12846-2 (M6x16 A2): 7 Nm Tightening torque for set screw 3HAC12846-3 (M6x16 FZB): 9.5 Nm Tightening torque for set screw 3HAC12846-4 (M6x16 A4): 8.5 Nm  Tip Use a 90° angled bit holder.
3	Push the sealing ring (C) back in place.	
4	Refit the parallel arms to the movable plate.	Described in section Replacement of parallel arms on page 173
5	Refit the air / vacuum hoses to the swivel cup on the movable plate.	Described in section Replacement of vacuum hoses on page 218 .

4 Repair

4.3.7 Replacement of telescopic shaft

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General

This section describes how to change the telescopic shaft.



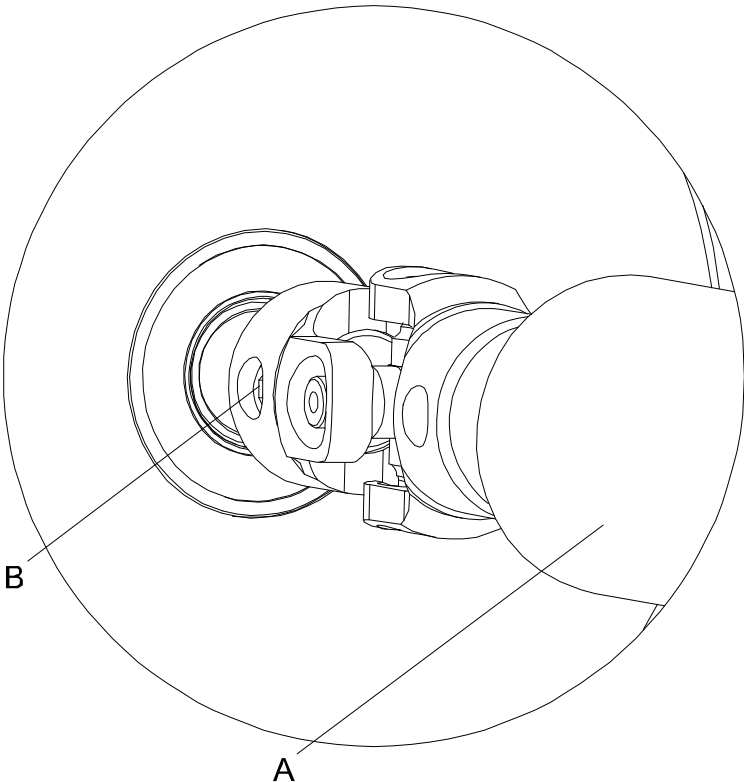
DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

Location



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A	Telescopic shaft
B	Set screw

Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269

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Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Telescopic shaft	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Universal joint	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
90° angled bit holder		
Locking liquid		Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243)

References

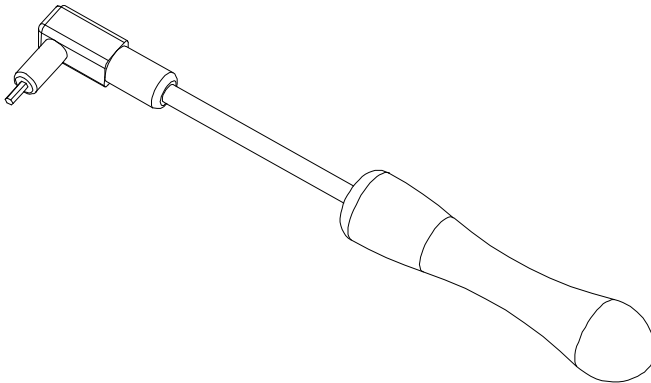
[Replacement of parallel arms on page 173](#)

[Replacement of movable plate on page 184](#)

**CAUTION**

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Removal

	Action	Note
1	Remove the parallel arms.	Described in section Replacement of parallel arms on page 173
2	Remove the movable plate.	Described in section Replacement of movable plate on page 184
3	Remove the upper set screw.	 xx0700000612  Tip Use a 90° angled bit holder.
4	Remove the telescopic shaft.	

Refitting

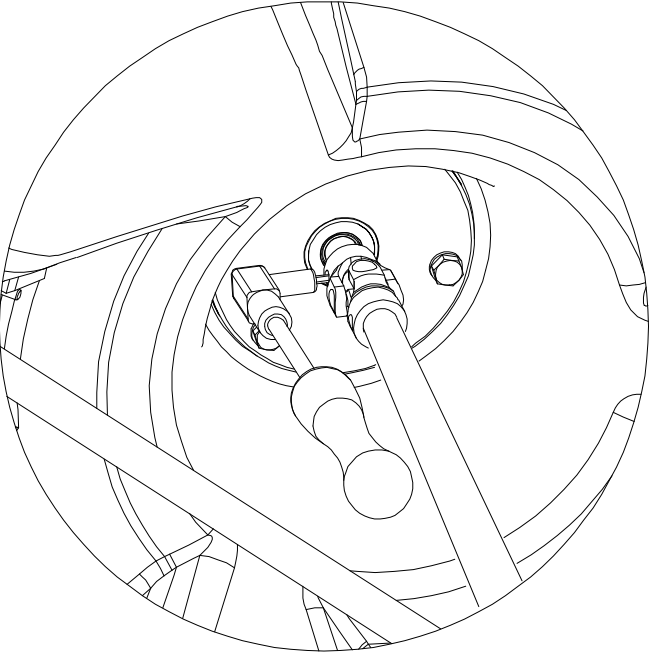
	Action	Note
1	Refit the telescopic shaft.	

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4.3.7 Replacement of telescopic shaft

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	Action	Note
2	Refit the upper set screw, use locking liquid.	 xx0700000613 Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243) Tightening torque for set screw 3HAC12846-2 (M6x16 A2): • 7 Nm. Tightening torque for set screw 3HAC12846-3 (M6x16 FZB): • 9.5 Nm. Tightening torque for set screw 3HAC12846-4 (M6x16 A4): • 8.5 Nm.  Tip Use a 90° angled bit holder.
3	Refit the movable plate, use locking liquid.	Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243) Described in section Replacement of movable plate on page 184 .
4	Refit the parallel arms.	Described in section Replacement of parallel arms on page 173 .

4.3.8 Replacement of universal joint

General

This section describes how to change the universal joint.



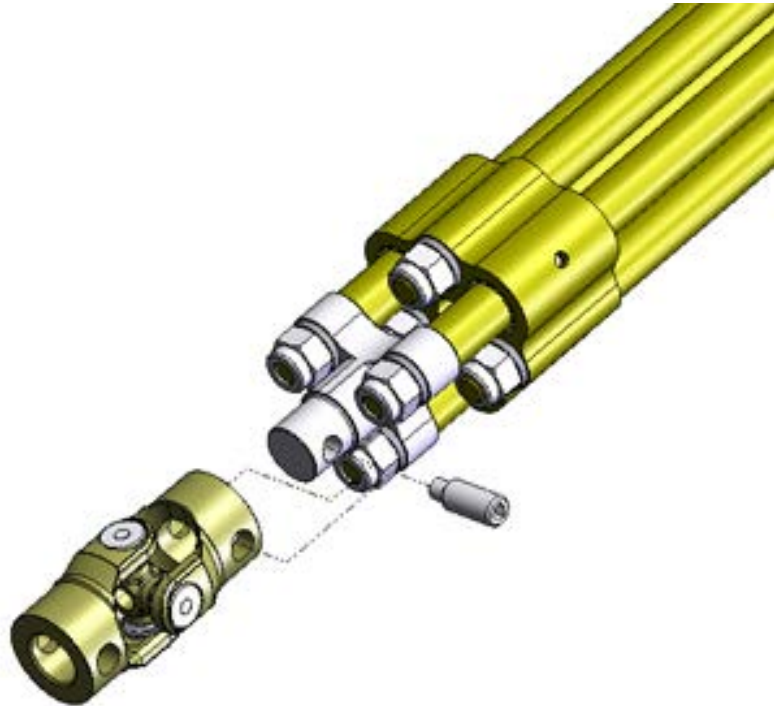
DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

Location



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Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools	Standard toolkit on page 269.	
Locking liquid		Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243)

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4.3.8 Replacement of universal joint

Continued

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Universal joint	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	



CAUTION

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Removal

	Action	Note
1	Remove the telescopic shaft.	See section Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188 .
2	Remove the set screw locking the universal joint on the telescopic shaft.	Use standard tools.
3	Remove the universal joint.	

Refitting

	Action	Note
1	Refit the universal joint.	Use locking liquid: Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243)
2	Refit the set screw in order to lock the universal joint to the telescopic shaft.	Use locking liquid: Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243) Tightening torque for set screw 3HAC12846-2 (M16x6 A2): • 7 Nm. Tightening torque for set screw 3HAC12846-3 (M16x6 FZB): • 9.5 Nm. Tightening torque for set screw 3HAC12846-4 (M16x6 A4): • 8.5 Nm.
3	Refit the telescopic shaft.	See section Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188 .

4.3.9 Replacement of joint balls

General

This section describes how to change the joint balls.



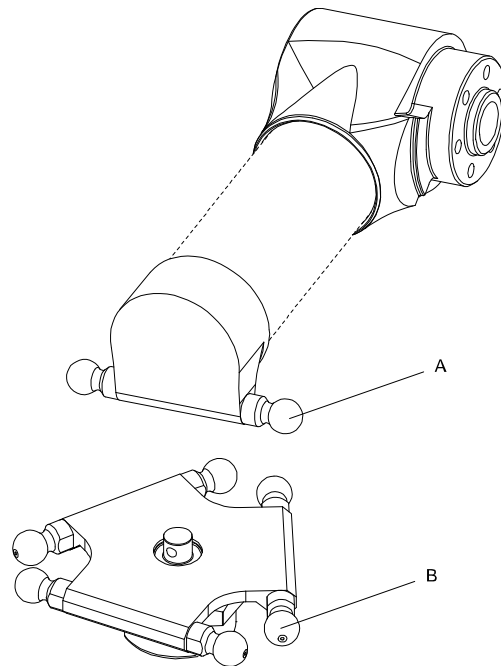
DANGER

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Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

Location



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A	Joint ball
B	Joint ball

Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269
Joint ball	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Pliers for parallel arms	3HAC6194-1	

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4 Repair

4.3.9 Replacement of joint balls

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Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Locking liquid		Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243)
Activator		Loctite 7649

References

[Replacement of parallel arms on page 173](#)

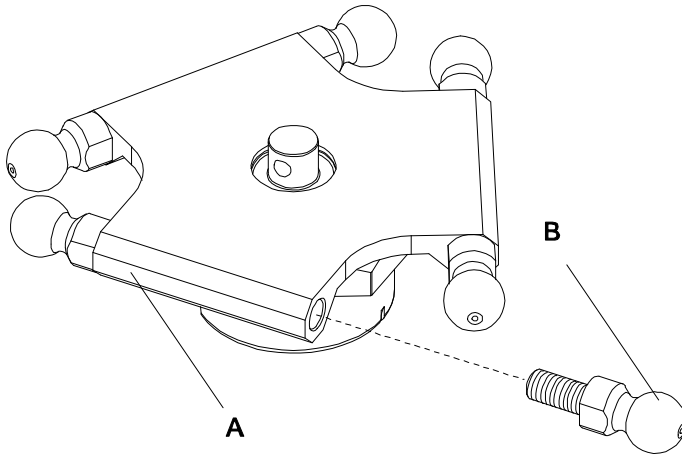
[Replacement of movable plate on page 184](#)



CAUTION

Always cut the paint with a knife and grind the paint edge when disassembling parts. See [Cut the paint or surface on the robot before replacing parts on page 164](#).

Removal



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A	Movable plate
B	Joint ball movable plate



CAUTION

Never use unnecessary force when removing the springs. Only work on one side or the spring will be overstressed.

	Action	Note
1	Remove the parallel arms.	Described in section Replacement of parallel arms on page 173 .
2	Remove the movable plate.	Described in section Replacement of movable plate on page 184

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	Action	Note
3	Remove the joint balls.  Note Locking liquid secures the joint balls to the movable plate. A heat gun must be used if the movable plate is stainless, for other materials it is optional. Do not aim the heat on plastic parts.	Use standard tools.

Refitting

**CAUTION**

Never use unnecessary force when refitting the springs. Only work on one side or the spring will be overstressed.

	Action	Note
1	Refit the joint balls using locking liquid. For the best result, use spray activator (Loctite 7649) on the stainless joint balls.	Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243) Tightening torque 11 Nm.
2	Refit the movable plate.	Described in section Replacement of movable plate on page 184 .
3	Refit the parallel arms.	Described in section Replacement of parallel arms on page 173 .
4	Run the robot for six (6) hours for the bearing rings to wear in.	
5	Wipe clean the joint balls and the bearing rings.	

4 Repair

4.3.10 Replacement of gearbox unit on axes 1-3

4.3.10 Replacement of gearbox unit on axes 1-3

General

This section describes replacing gearbox 1-3 with motor (gearbox unit).



DANGER

Turn off all electrical power, hydraulic and pneumatic pressure supplies before entering the workspace of the manipulator.

Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

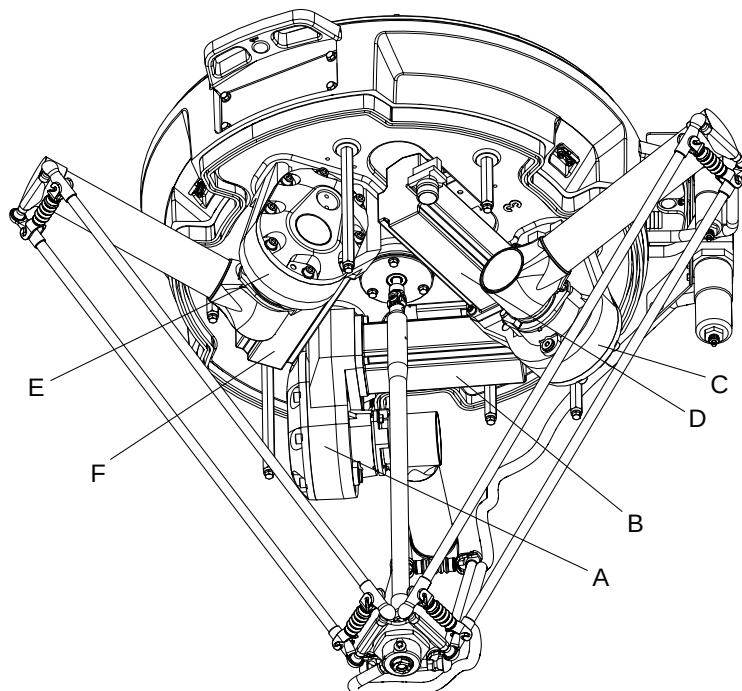


Note

This action demands standard calibration of the robot. Described in section [Calibration method on page 236](#).

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Location



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A	Gearbox ax 1
B	Motor ax 1
C	Gearbox ax 2
D	Motor ax 2
E	Gearbox ax 3
F	Motor ax 3

Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools	Standard toolkit on page 269.	
Gearbox with motor (axes 1-3)	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360.</i>	
Gaskets	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360.</i>	

References
Changing the oil in gearboxes, axes 1-4 on page 131
Circuit diagram 3HAC028647-009
Calibration method on page 236

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4.3.10 Replacement of gearbox unit on axes 1-3

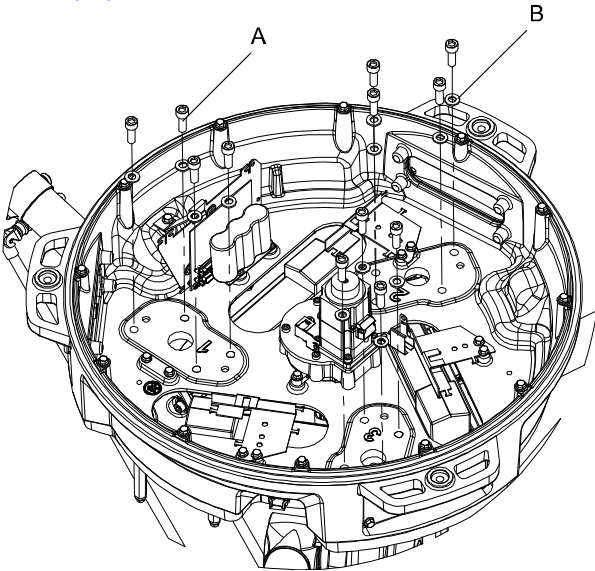
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CAUTION

Always cut the paint with a knife and grind the paint edge when disassembling parts. See [Cut the paint or surface on the robot before replacing parts on page 164](#).

Removal

	Action	Note
1	Remove arm system.	Replacement of bearing rings on page 181
2	Remove the transmission cover	Described in section Changing the oil in gearboxes, axes 1-4 on page 131 , Method 2.
3	Remove the base cover	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166
4	Disconnect the motor connectors, R3.FB1-3 and R3.MP1-3.	
5	Remove the four hex socket head cap screw M10 x 30 with washers.  WARNING This action will loosen the gearbox unit weight 16 kg.	Described in section Changing the oil in gearboxes, axes 1-4 on page 131, Method 2.  xx0700000539 A Hex socket head cap screw M10 x 30 B Plain washer 16.5x20x2 steel A3F

Refitting

	Action	Note
1	Refit the gearbox unit, using the four hex socket head cap screw M10 x 30 with washer 16.5x20x2 steel A3F.  Note Gearbox unit weight 16 Kg.	Tightening torque 33 Nm.

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4.3.10 Replacement of gearbox unit on axes 1-3

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	Action	Note
2	Connect the motor connectors, R3.FB1-3 and R3.MP1-3.	Described in circuit diagram, see <i>Circuit diagram - IRB 360, 3HAC028647-009</i> .
3	Refit the base cover	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166
4	Refit the transmission cover.	Described in section Changing the oil in gearboxes, axes 1-4 on page 131 , Method 2.
5	Refit the arm system.	Described in section Changing the oil in gearboxes, axes 1-4 on page 131 , Method 2.
6	Recalibrate the robot.	See Calibration information on page 235 .

4 Repair

4.3.11 Replacement of gearbox unit on axis 4

4.3.11 Replacement of gearbox unit on axis 4

General

This section describes replacing gearbox 4 with motor (gearbox unit)



DANGER

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Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

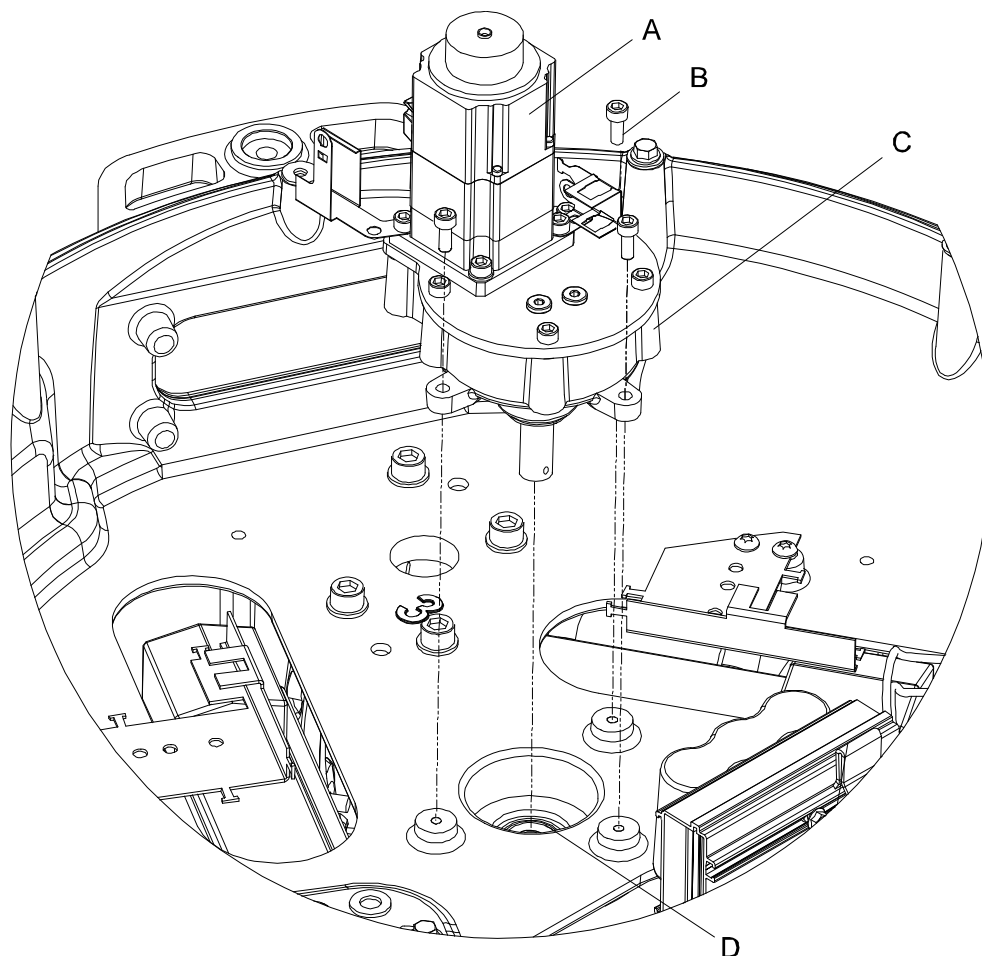


Note

This action demands standard calibration of the robot. Described in section [Calibration method on page 236](#).

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Location



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A	Gearbox motor axis 4
B	Hexagon socket head screw 3x (M6x25) with plain washer 6,4x12x1,6 steel A2F
C	Gearbox axis 4
D	Sealing ring w. dust lip

Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare Part No.	Note
Gearbox unit axis 4	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Standard tools	Standard toolkit on page 269 .	
Sealing rings	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Locking liquid		Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243)

References

[Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188](#)

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4.3.11 Replacement of gearbox unit on axis 4

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References
Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166
Calibration method on page 236



CAUTION

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Removal

	Action	Note
1	Remove the (12 pcs) M6 flange screws holding the base cover.	Use standard tools. Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166
2	Disconnect the motor connectors: R3.FB4 and R3.MP4.	
3	Remove the telescopic shaft.	Described in section Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188 .
4	Remove the 3x hexagon socket head screw (M6x25) with plain washer 6,4x12x1,6 steel A2F(B).	Shown in figure
5	Remove the gearbox unit axis 4.	
6	Remove the sealing ring w. dust lip.	

Refitting

	Action	Note
1	Refit a new sealing ring, apply grease.	See section Grease on sealings on page 273 .
2	Refit the axis 4 gearbox unit.	
3	Refit the 3x hexagon socket head screw (M6x25) with plain washer 6.4x12x1.6 steel A2F(B).	Tightening torque 9 Nm.
4	Refit the telescopic shaft.	Described in section Replacement of telescopic shaft on page 188 .
5	Reconnect the motor connectors, R3.FB4 and R3.MP4.	
6	Refit the (12 pcs) M6 screws holding the base cover.	Use standard tools. Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166
7	Calibrate the robot.	Described in section Calibration information on page 235 .

4.3.12 Replacement of motor axis 1-3

General

This section describes replacement of motor axis 1-3.



DANGER

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Also read the safety sections:

- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
- [Electrical safety on page 31](#)
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Note

This action demands standard calibration of the robot. Described in section [Calibration method on page 236](#).

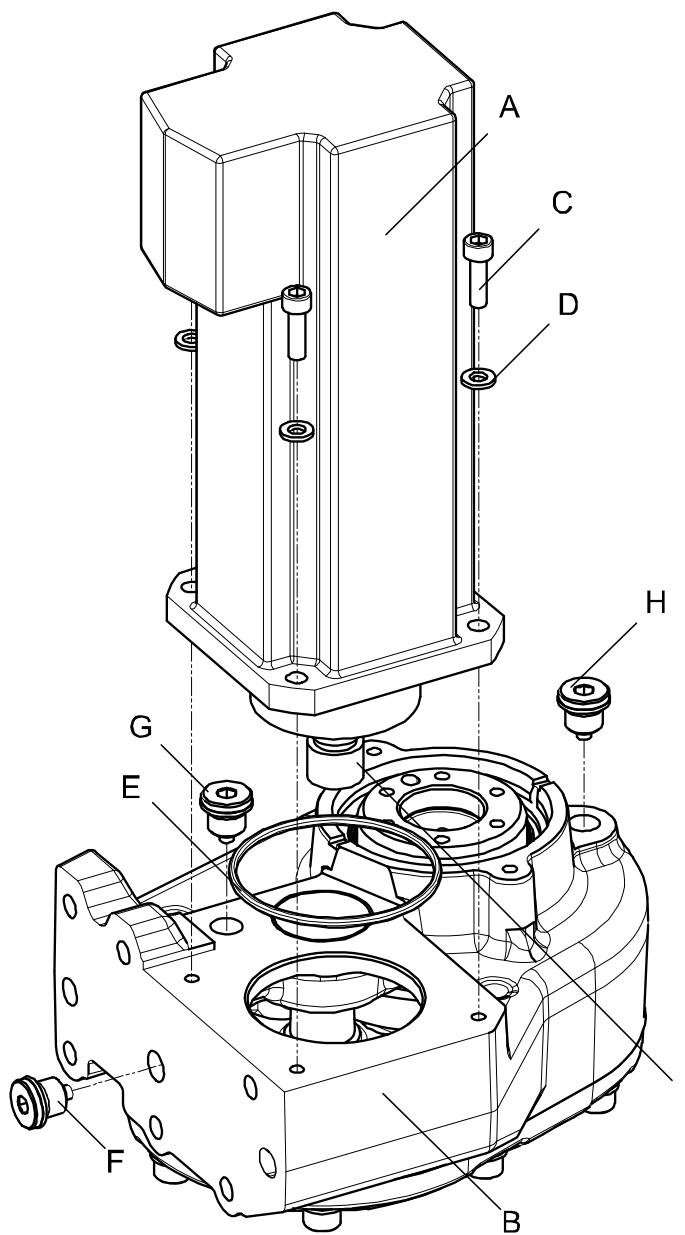
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4.3.12 Replacement of motor axis 1-3

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Location



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A	Motor 1-3
B	Gearbox 1-3
C	Hex socket head cap screw M6x20 8.8 gleitmo605
D	Washer 6,4x12x1,6 steel A2F
E	Nitrile rubber O-ring 67,5x3,0
F	Oil plug
G	Oil plug (upper oil level hole)
H	Oil plug
I	Gear Z1/1-3, 16 cog

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Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269
O-ring	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
AC motor	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Locking liquid		Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243)

References

[Replacement of gearbox unit on axes 1-3 on page 196](#)

[Grease specification on page 272](#)

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Removal

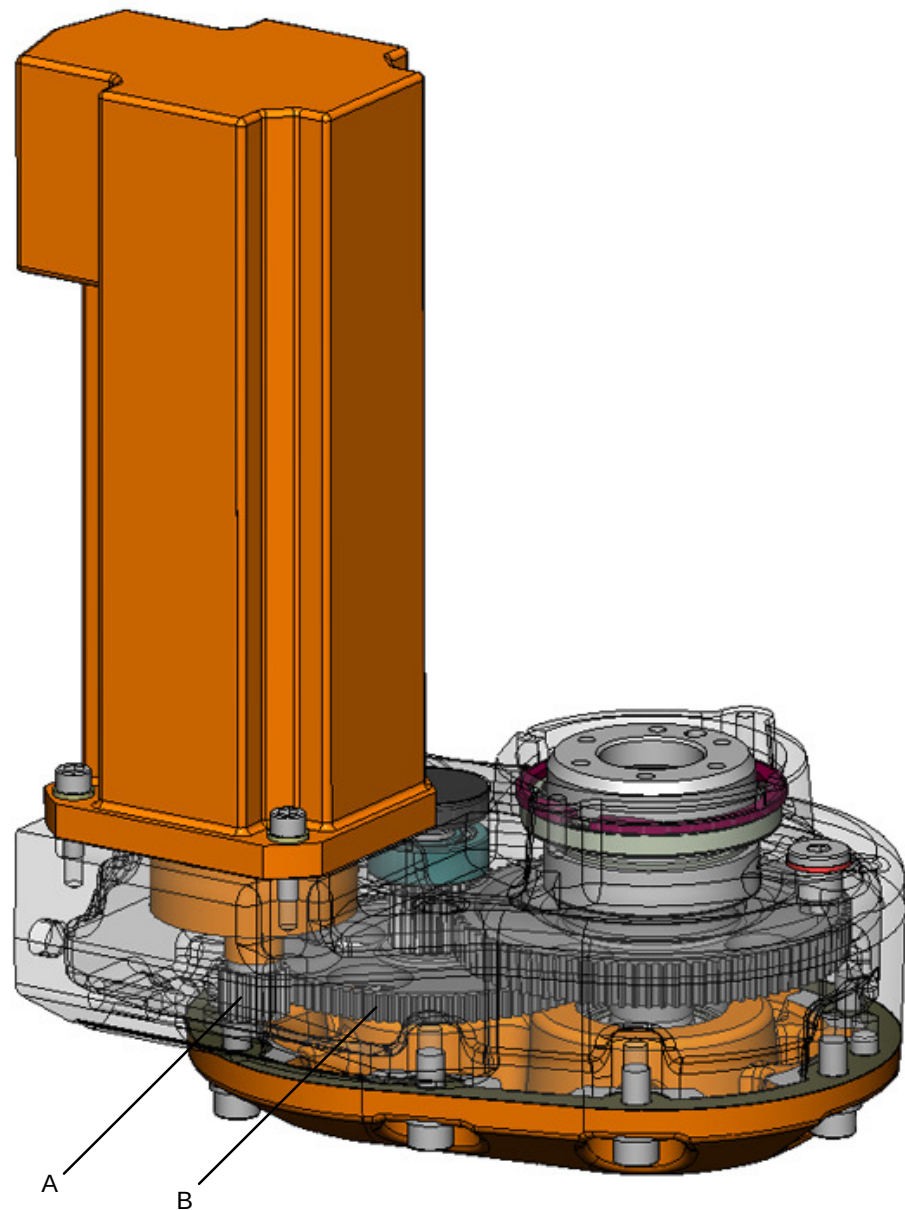
	Action	Note
1	Remove the gearbox unit 1-3.	Described in section Replacement of gearbox unit on axes 1-3 on page 196 .
2	Unscrew the three screws (C) holding the motor.	Shown in figure Location on page 204
3	Remove the motor.	 DANGER Oil will be running out of the motor attachment hole when removing the motor! The oil can be hot. Take any necessary measures to collect the oil.

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4.3.12 Replacement of motor axis 1-3
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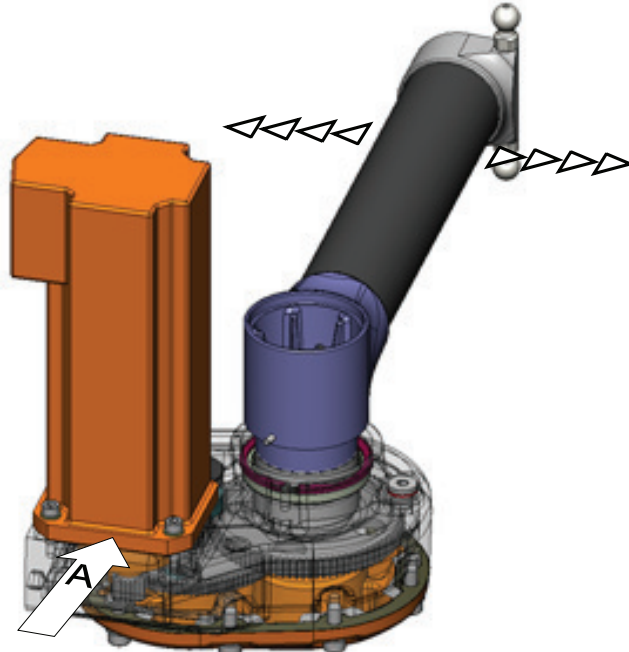
Refitting



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A	Motor pinion	
B	Gear Z2/1-3, 90 cog	
	Action	Note
1	Fit a new O-ring (E) onto the motor flange, lubricate the o-ring with grease FM222.	Shown in figure Location on page 204 .

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	Action	Note
2	Insert the new motor, do not tighten the screws.	 CAUTION Fit the motor, making sure the motor pinion is properly mated to the gear wheel, do not use force or the motor pinion may get damaged.
3	Refit the upper arm temporarily, to be used to feel the backlash.	
4	Push on the motor flange gently in direction A, at the same time as you feel for the backlash by moving the upper arm back and forward.	 xx0700000620
5	Ensure that the gear is kept absolutely still. Apply locking liquid and tighten the screws (C).	Shown in figure Location on page 204 Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243) Tightening torque 9 Nm.
6	Check through the upper oil level hole that gear wheel (B) is axially movable	Shown in figure Refitting on page 206 .
7	Fill the gearbox with oil.	Specified in section Grease specification on page 272 .
8	Refit the gearbox unit 1-3	Described in section Replacement of gearbox unit on axes 1-3 on page 196 .
9	Recalibrate the robot.	See Calibration information on page 235 .

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4.3.13 Replacement of motor axis 4

4.3.13 Replacement of motor axis 4

General

This section describes replacement of motor axis 4.



Note

This action demands standard calibration of the robot. Described in section [Calibration method on page 236](#).



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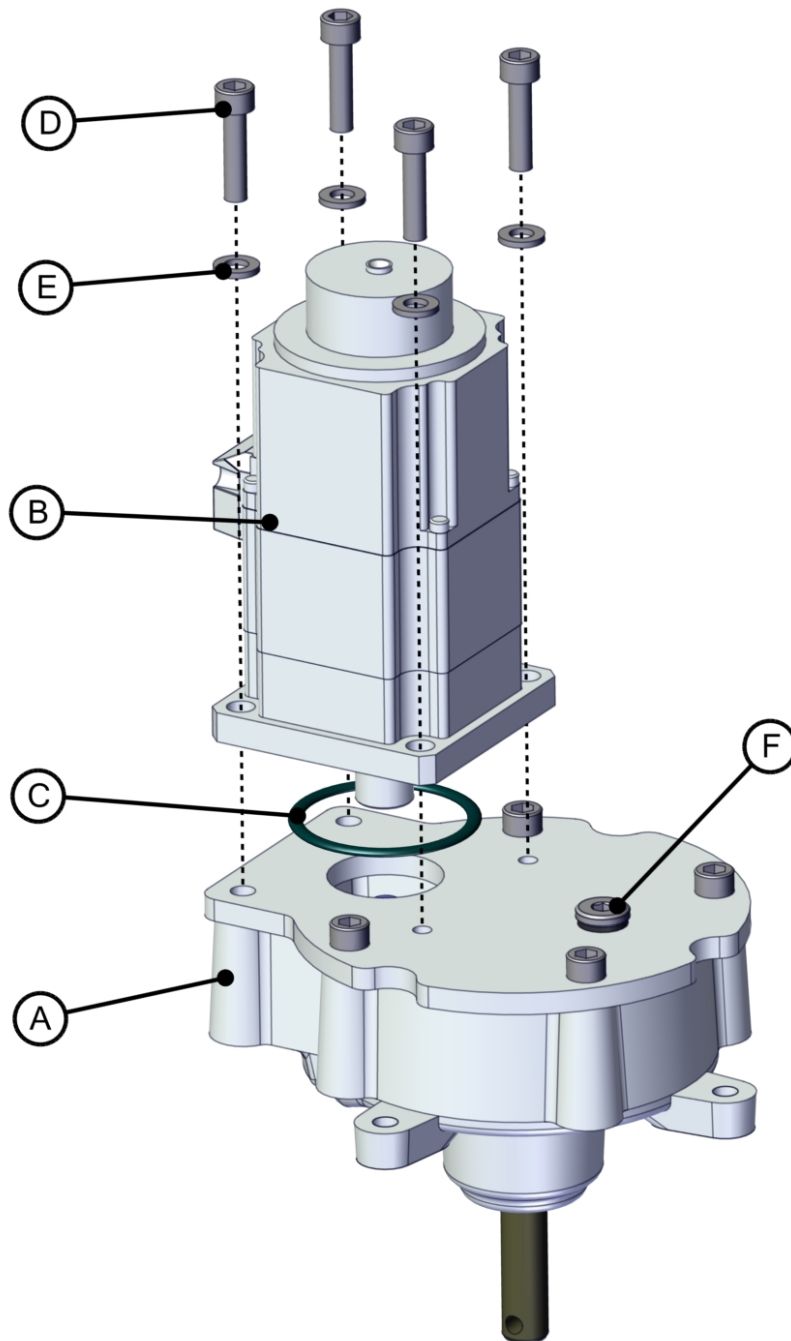
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- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

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Location



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A	Gearbox axis 4
B	Rotational ac motor
C	O-ring, nitrile rubber
D	Hex socket head cap screw M6x25 8.8
E	Washer 6,4x12x1,6 A2F
F	Oil plug

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4.3.13 Replacement of motor axis 4

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Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269
O-ring, nitrile rubber	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	
Locking liquid	-	Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243)

References

[Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166](#)

[Replacement of gearbox unit on axis 4 on page 200](#)

[Standard toolkit on page 269](#)

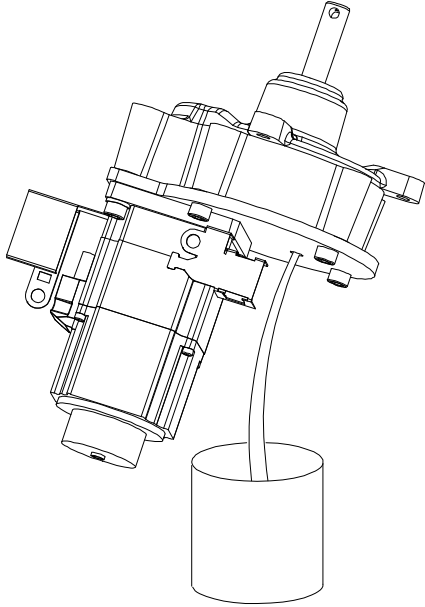
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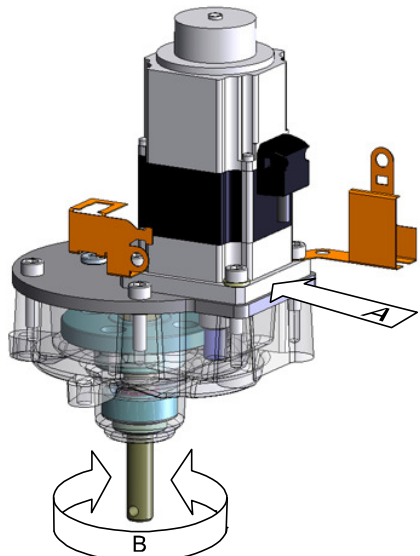
Removal

	Action	Note
1	Remove the base cover.	See Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166 .
2	Remove the gearbox with motor.	See Replacement of gearbox unit on axis 4 on page 200 .
3	Remove the oil plug, and drain the oil.	 xx0700000728

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	Action	Note
4	Remove the motor.	 DANGER Oil will be running out of the motor attachment hole when removing the motor! The oil can be hot. Take any necessary measures to collect the oil.

Refitting

	Action	Note
1	Fit the new o-ring (C) onto the motor flange, lubricate the o-ring with grease FM 222.	Lubrication specified in section Grease specification on page 272 .
2	Insert the new motor, do not tighten the screws.	 CAUTION Fit the motor, making sure the motor pinion is properly mated to the gear wheel, do not use force or the motor pinion may get damaged.
3	Push on the motor flange gently in direction A, at the same time as you feel for the backlash by moving the outgoing axis (B) back and forward.	 xx0700000621
4	Make sure that the gear is kept absolutely still. Apply locking liquid and tighten the screw (D). In figure Location on page 209 .	Loctite 2400 (or equivalent Loctite 243) Tightening torque: 10 Nm
5	Check the play again.	If there is a backlash, loosen the screws (D) and go back to step 3.
6	Fill the gearbox with oil.	Lubrication specified in section Grease specification on page 272 .
7	Refit the gear box with motor.	Described in section Replacement of gearbox unit on axis 4 on page 200 .
8	Refit the base cover.	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166 .

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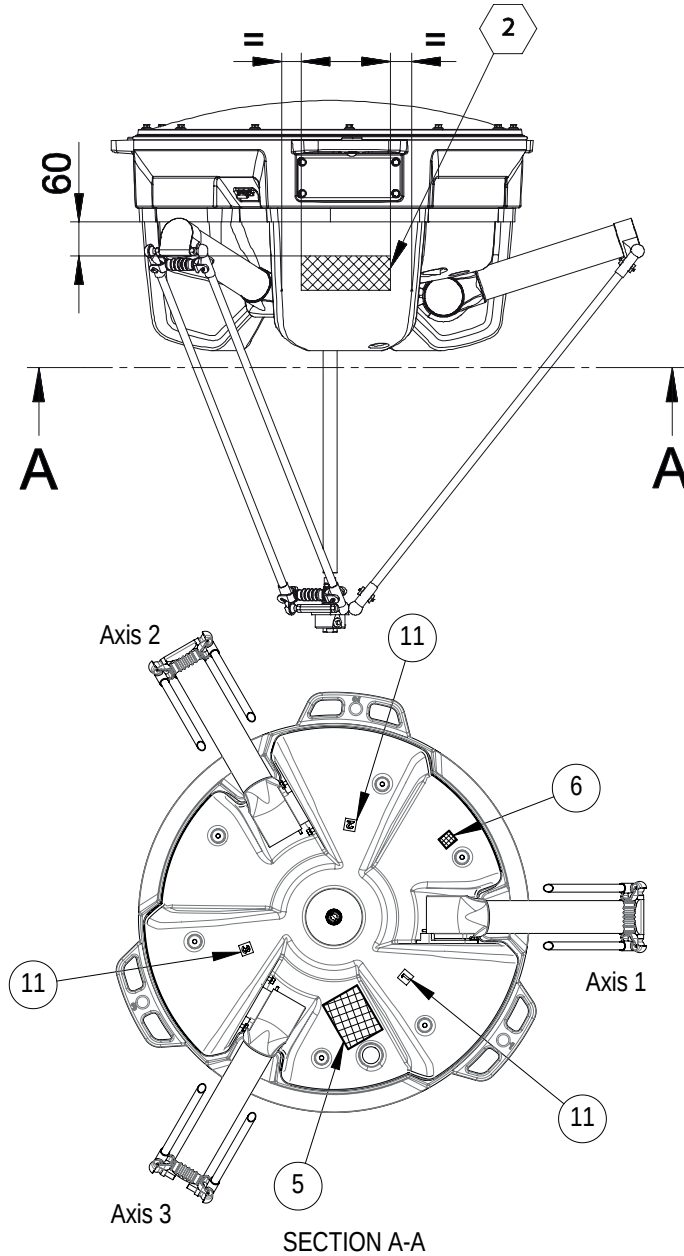
4.3.14 Replacement of labels

4.3.14 Replacement of labels

General

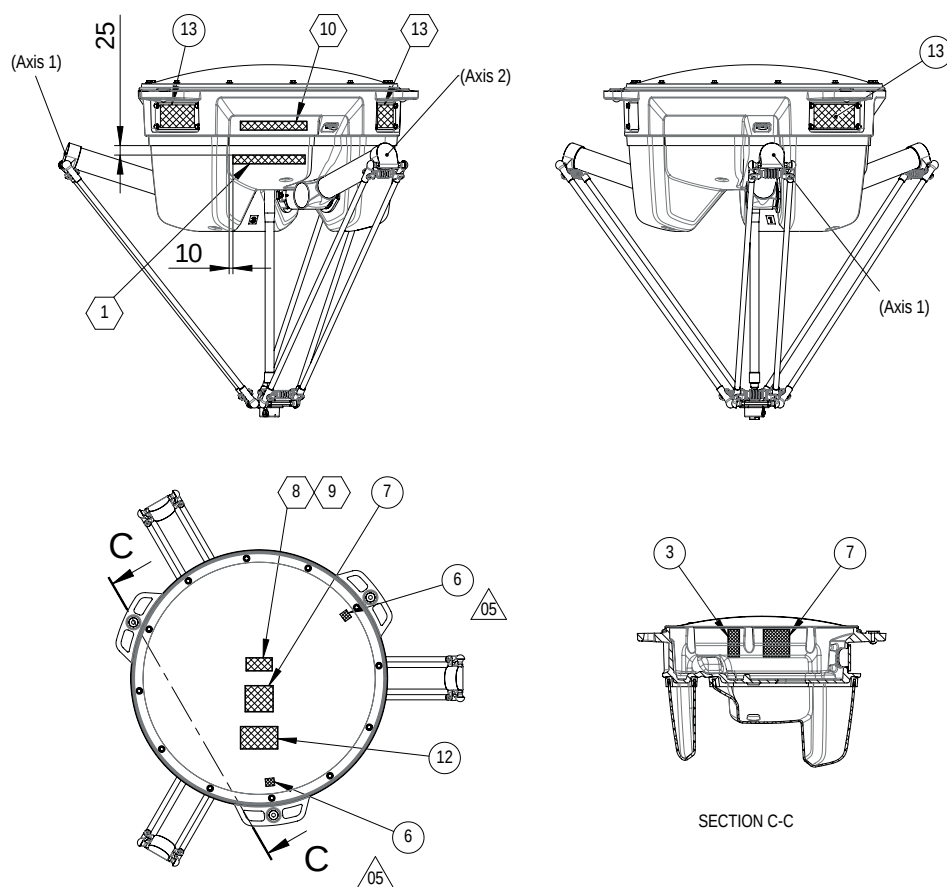
This section describes replacement and positioning of labels on the IRB 360.

Label positioning



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1	Label, Flex Picker-red 190x23
2	ABB-Logotype 69x157
3	Calibration values
5	Instruction plate (brake release)
6	Warning sign 24x21 (electric warning)
7	Rating label
8	UL-label 70x35
9	UL-label 70x35
10	Cleanroom Logotype
11	Axis marks
12	Instruction plate
13	Transport protection label

Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Label-set	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360</i> .	

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4 Repair

4.3.14 Replacement of labels

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Assemble

	Action	Note
1	Make sure the surface is clean.	
2	Assemble the labels according to the illustrations.	

4.3.15 Replacing of calibration marks

Overview

This section describes replacement of calibration marks on an IRB 360.

Replace a calibration mark if it is damaged.

There are two compatible versions available of the calibration marks. One is secured with nuts, the other with screws. Both can be replaced by the other.



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- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)

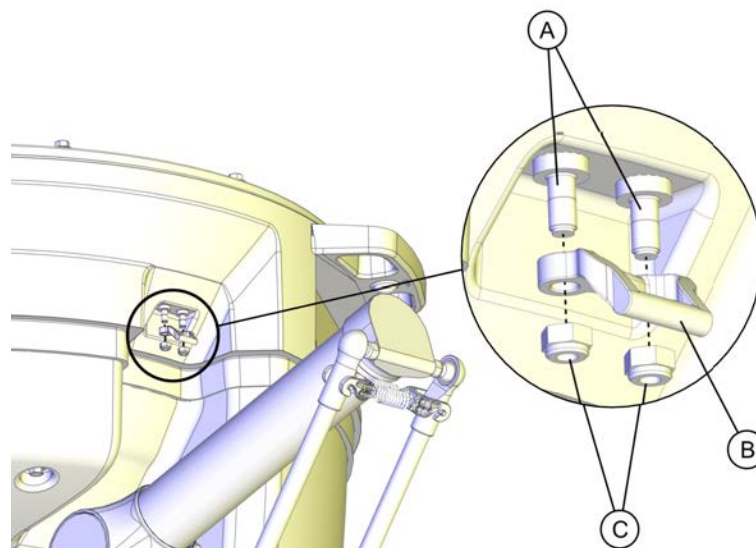


CAUTION

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Location

Version with nuts



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A	Dowel for calibration mark
B	Calibration mark (plastic)
C	2 pcs M5 prevailing torque type hexagon nut non metallic insert style1.

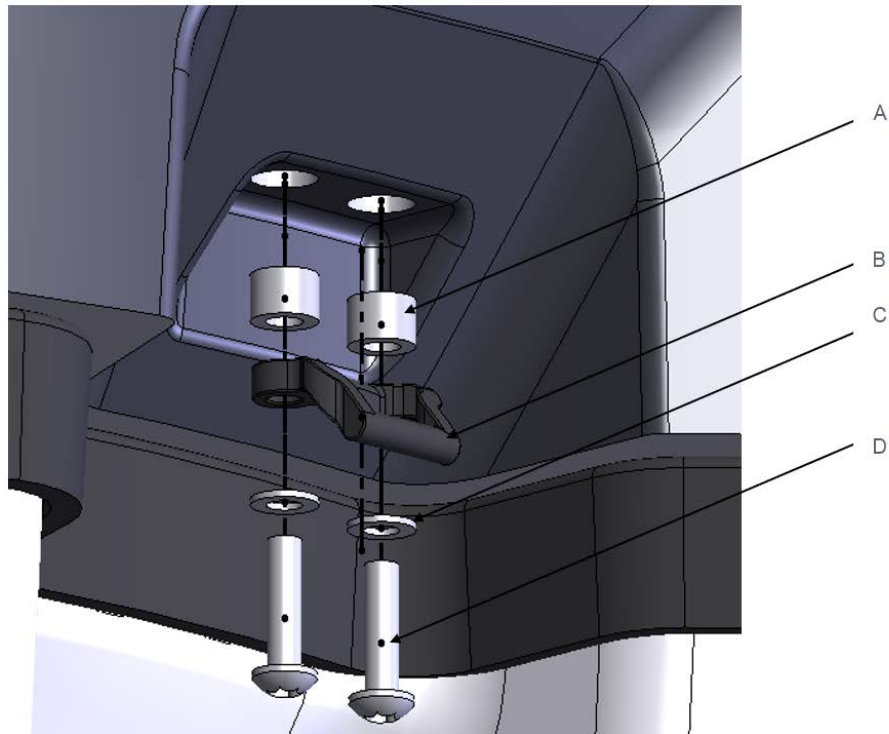
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4.3.15 Replacing of calibration marks

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Version with screws



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A	Socket
B	Calibration mark (plastic)
C	Plain washer, 5.3x10x1
D	Torx pan head screw M5x20

Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools	Standard toolkit on page 269.	
Calibration mark	See <i>Product manual, spare parts - IRB 360.</i>	



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Removing

	Action	Note
1	Remove the two M5 nuts or the two screws with washers.	Use standard tools.
2	Remove the calibration mark.	

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Refitting

	Action	Note
1	Refit a new calibration mark.	
2	Refit the two M5 nuts or the two screws with washers.	Tightening torque for nuts: 3.5 Nm. Tightening torque for screws: 3.5 Nm.

4 Repair

4.4.1 Replacement of vacuum hoses

4.4 Vacuum system

4.4.1 Replacement of vacuum hoses

General

This section describes replacement of hoses in the vacuum system.



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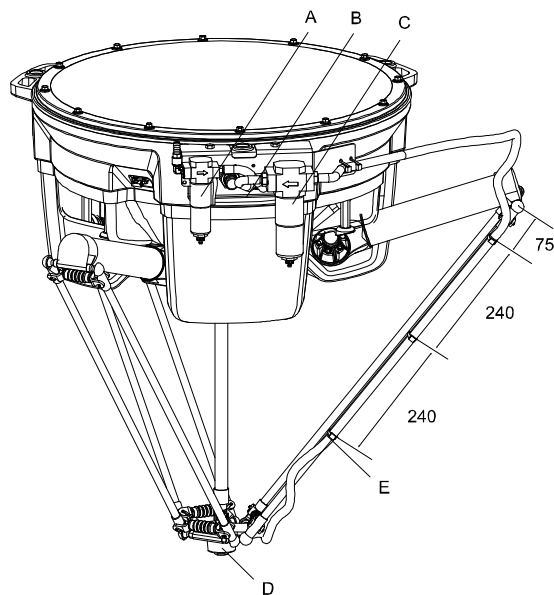


CAUTION

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Location



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A	Air filter inlet.
B	Ejector unit
C	Air filter inlet vacuum.
D	Swivel cup
E	Hose clamp

Required equipment

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools		
Spare hose set		

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Removal

	Action	Note
1	Open all straps.	
2	Pull the hose out from the swivel.	
3	Pull the hose out from the air filter.	

Refitting

	Action	Note
1	Fit a new hose on the swivel.	

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4.4.1 Replacement of vacuum hoses

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	Action	Note
2	Fix the hose, do not tighten, against the three clamps on the parallel arm.	
3	Twist the hose and fit it on the air filter.	
4	Adjust the hose.	
5	Tighten the straps.	
6	Make a small program (low velocity) and check that the hose runs freely.	
7	Fit a new hose on the swivel.	
8	Fix the hose, do not tighten, against the three clamps on the parallel arm.	

4.4.2 Draining of water separation filter

General

This section describes:

- Air filter change in the vacuum system
- Emptying water separation filter



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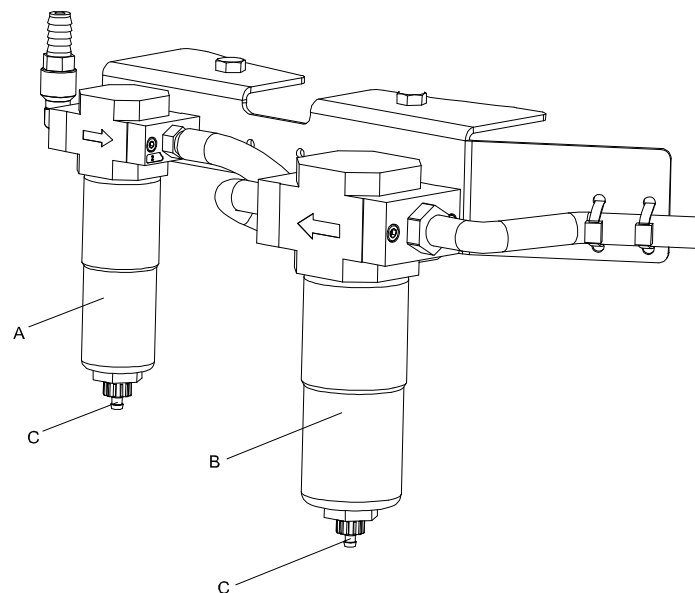
- [Pneumatic or hydraulic related hazards on page 32](#)
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- [Safety during maintenance and repair on page 34](#)



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Location



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A	Air filter (comp)
B	Air filter (Vac)
C	Water separation bottom nipple

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4.4.2 Draining of water separation filter

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Removal water

	Action
1	Drain the water separation filter, opening the bottom nipple (C).

4.4.3 Replacement of ejector unit

General

This section describes replacement of ejector unit.



DANGER

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CAUTION

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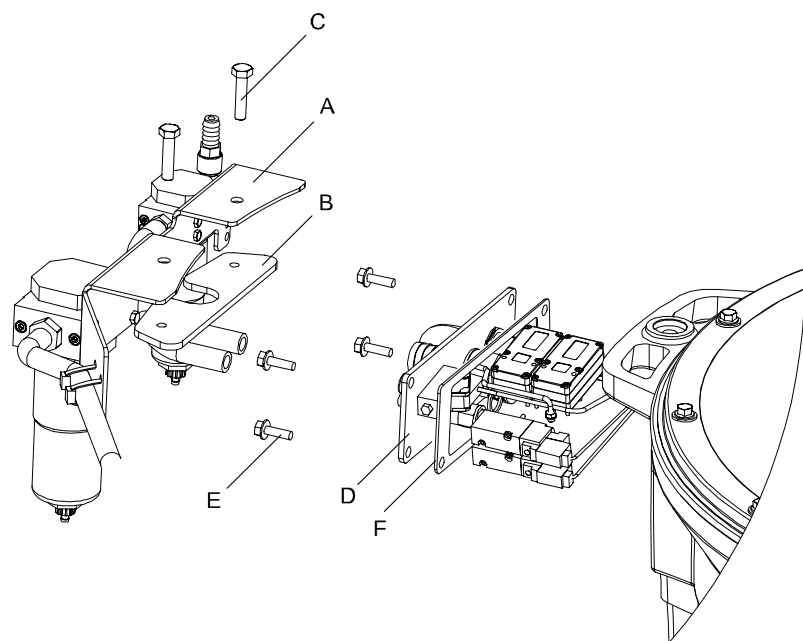
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4.4.3 Replacement of ejector unit

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Location



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A	Attachment
B	Bracket
C	Hexagon head screw, M8x35 (Steel 8.8-A2F)
D	Ejector unit
E	Hexagon bolt with flange, M6 x 20 (A2 DIN6921)
F	Gasket

Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools		
Spare parts	Spare parts, ejector unit.	

References
Spare parts, ejector unit.
Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166.

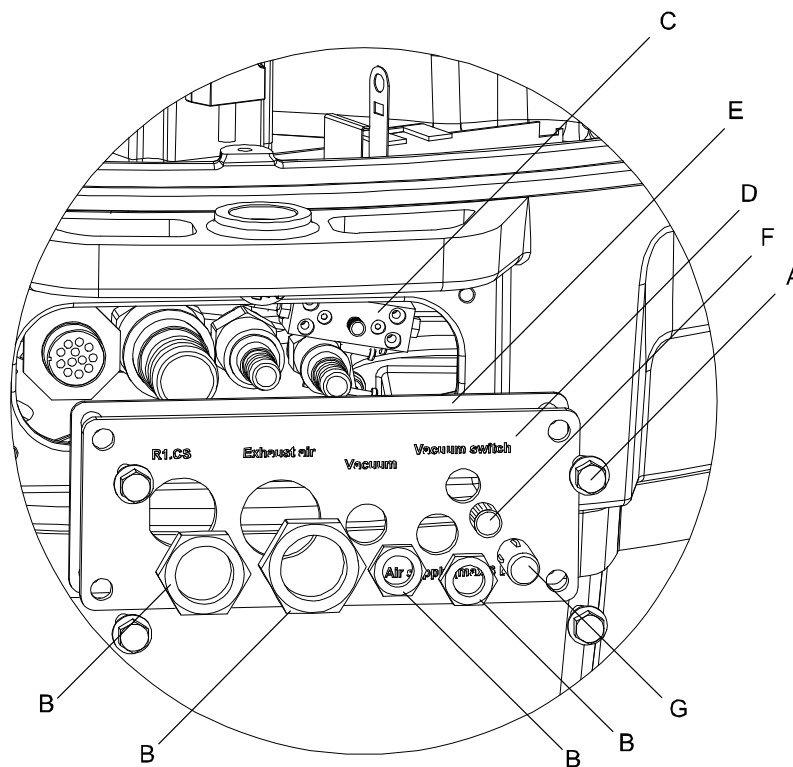


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Illustration



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A	Hexagon bolt with flange M6x20 (A2 DIN6921)
B	Nuts for the air nozzles
C	Ejector unit
D	Front plate
E	Gasket
F	Pressure guard nut
G	Pressure guard cap

Removal

	Action	Note
1	Disconnect the air supply, vacuum hoses, and signal cable from the ejector unit.	
2	Remove the base cover.	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166 .
3	Remove the 2x hexagon socket head cap screw M8x35 holding the filter holder, and remove the filters.	Use standard tools.
4	Remove all the nuts for the air nozzles, pressure guard cap and the pressure guard nut.	
5	Remove the ejector unit inwards direction.	

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4.4.3 Replacement of ejector unit

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	Action	Note
6	Remove the 4x hexagon bolt with flange M6x20 holding the front plate, and remove the plate and the gasket.	

Refitting

	Action	Note
1	Refit the front plate and the gasket using the 4x hexagon bolt with flange M6x20. (if needed, replace the gasket)	Tightening torque 4 Nm.
2	Refit the ejector unit from the inside.	
3	Refit all the nuts for the air nozzles, pressure guard cap and the pressure guard nut.	Tightening torque 4 Nm.
4	Refit the filters using the 2x hexagon socket head cap screw M8x35.	Use standard tools.
5	Reconnect the air supply, vacuum hoses and signal cable from the ejector unit.	
6	Refit the base cover.	<i>Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166</i>

4.5 Cable harness

4.5.1 Replacement of cable harness

General

This section describes replacement of complete cable harness.



DANGER

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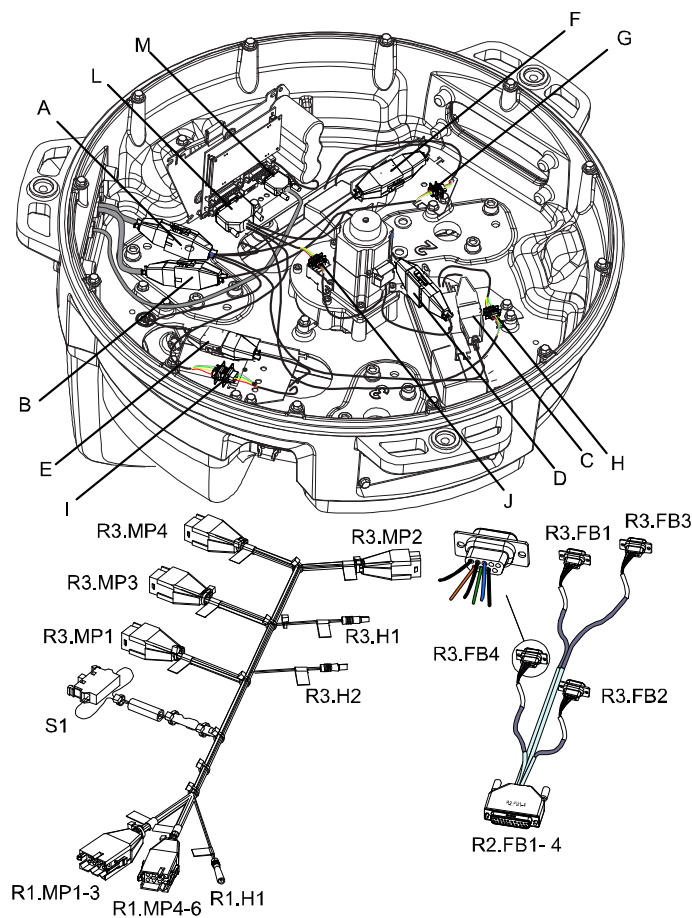
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4 Repair

4.5.1 Replacement of cable harness

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Location



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A	R1.MP 1-3
B	R1.MP 4-6
C	R3.MP2
D	R3.MP4
E	R3.MP3
F	R3.MP1
G	R3.FB1
H	R3.FB2
I	R3.FB3
J	R3.FB4
M	X1(SMB)
L	X2(SMB) - R3.FB1-4

Required equipment and references

Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Standard tools		Standard toolkit on page 269.

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Equipment	Spare part no.	Note
Cable harness		<i>Spare parts - cable harness.</i>
Cut-off pliers		

References

[Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166.](#)

Circuit diagram 3HAC028647-009.

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Removal

	Action	Note
1	Remove the base cover.	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166
2	Remove the cable straps holding the cable harness, using a cut-off pliers.	
3	Disconnect all connections.	
4	Remove the cable harness.	

Refitting

	Action	Note
1	Refit the new cable harness.	
2	Connect all connections.	Described in circuit diagram, see <i>Circuit diagram - IRB 360, 3HAC028647-009.</i>
3	Strap all cable connections to there connector brackets.	
4	Refit the base cover.	Described in section Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166.

4 Repair

4.5.2 Replacement of brake release button

4.5.2 Replacement of brake release button

Introduction

This section describes replacement of brake release button on the IRB 360.



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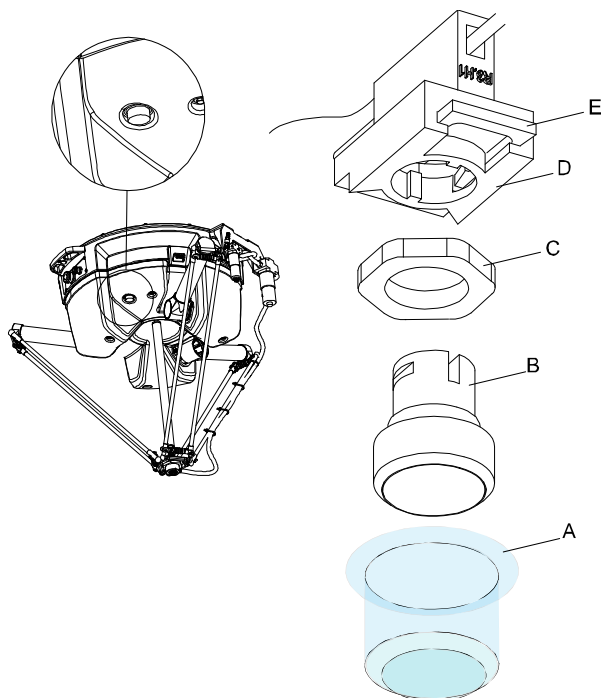


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Location



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A	Cover
B	Brake release button
C	Plastic nut
D	Contact
E	Locking device

Required equipment

Equipment	Spare Part no.	Note
Standard tools	Standard toolkit on page 269.	<i>Spare parts, Brake release button.</i>

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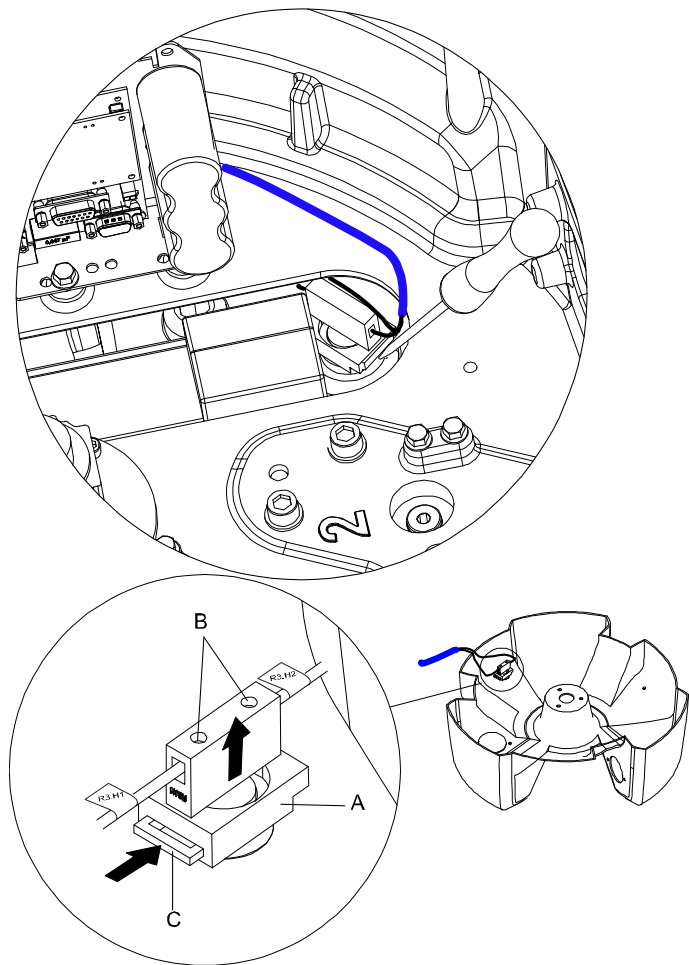
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4.5.2 Replacement of brake release button
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Removal



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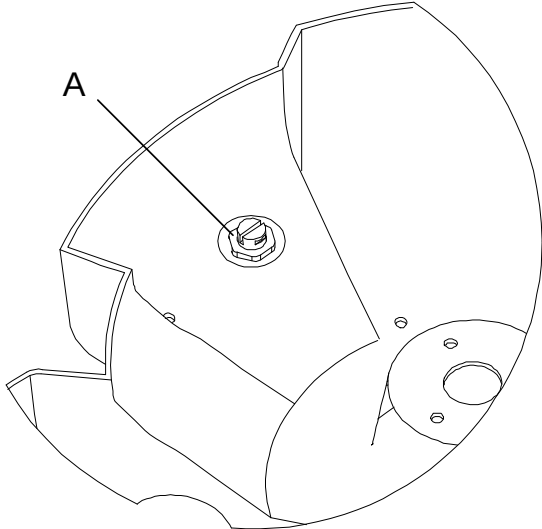
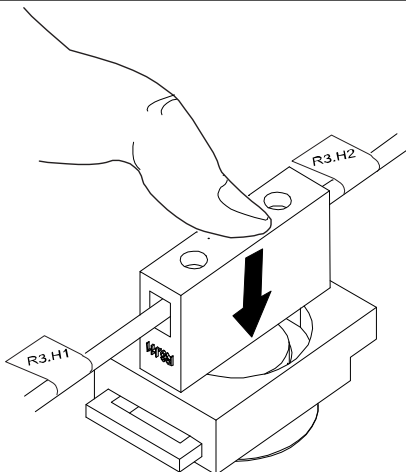
A	Brake release contact	
B	Cable locking screw	
C	Locking device	

	Action	Note
1	Remove the base cover.  CAUTION Clean cover from metal residues before opening. Metal residues can cause shortage on the boards which can result in hazardous failures.	Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166.  CAUTION The base cover has sharp edges, use protective gloves.
2	Remove the <i>contact</i> from the push button, pushing in the <i>locking device</i>.	 Tip Use a screw driver to push in the locking device.

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	Action	Note
3	Loosen the plastic nut and remove the push button from the transmission cover.	Use standard tools.

Refitting

	Action	Note
1	Refit the push button to the transmission cover using the <i>plastic nut</i>.  Note Mount the button cover or the robot will not fulfill the IP67 and IP69K classification.	 xx0700000651
2	Press to refit the contact.	 xx0800000011  Tip Refit the cables to the contact before this step.
3	Refit the base cover.	Replacement of base cover gasket on page 166  CAUTION The base cover has sharp edges, use protective gloves.

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5 Calibration information

5.1 When to calibrate

When to calibrate

The system must be calibrated if any of the following situations occur.

The resolver values are changed

If resolver values are changed, the robot must be re-calibrated using the calibration methods supplied by ABB. Calibrate the robot carefully with standard calibration, according to information in this manual.

The resolver values will change when parts affecting the calibration position are replaced on the robot, for example motors or parts of the transmission.

The revolution counter memory is lost

If the revolution counter memory is lost, the counters must be updated. See [Updating revolution counters on page 249](#). This will occur when:

- The battery is discharged
- A resolver error occurs
- The signal between a resolver and measurement board is interrupted
- A robot axis is moved with the control system disconnected

The revolution counters must also be updated after the robot and controller are connected at the first installation.

The robot is rebuilt

If the robot is rebuilt, for example, after a crash or when the reachability of a robot is changed, it needs to be re-calibrated for new resolver values.

The resolver values must be updated if the robot is stopped with the emergency stop or by breaking a safety chain, and after running in to a mechanical stop.

Robot is not floor mounted

The original calibration data delivered with the robot is generated when the robot is floor mounted. If the robot is not floor mounted, then the robot accuracy could be affected. The robot needs to be calibrated after it is mounted.

5 Calibration information

5.2 Calibration method

5.2 Calibration method

Overview

This section specifies the different types of calibration and the calibration methods that are supplied by ABB.

Types of calibration

Type of calibration	Description	Calibration method
Standard calibration	Standard calibration is performed if resolver values are changed or the robot is rebuilt (see When to calibrate on page 235). The robot is positioned at calibration position, that is when the positions of the axes 1-3 (angles) are set to parameter values found in <i>Calibration Position</i>, see type <i>Arm</i>, topic <i>Motion</i> in <i>Technical reference manual - System parameters</i>. Standard calibration data is found on the SMB (serial measurement board) in the robot. For robots with RobotWare 5.04 or older, the calibration data is delivered in a file, <i>calib.cfg</i>, supplied with the robot at delivery. The file identifies the correct resolver/motor position corresponding to the robot home position.	Calibration by hand with activated brake release, using the calibration marks.
Factory reset	A factory reset (calibration with a calibration ring) can be performed after a gearbox or an upper arm has been replaced to ensure enhanced robot arm accuracy than when performing standard calibration. Factory reset alters the robot's unique production settings for axis 1-3. To perform ring calibration, the parallel arms must first be removed from the robot. The upper arms must then be positioned vertically so that the calibration ring can be fitted to them. Making a factory reset with the calibration ring requires specific calibration equipment and software, and is performed by ABB. Please contact ABB. The parameter <i>Calibration Position</i> (<i>cal_position</i>) is set at the ABB factory, and is a robot specific parameter. For more information about parameter <i>Calibration Position</i>, see topic <i>Motion</i>, type <i>Arm</i> in <i>Technical reference manual - System parameters</i>.	Ring calibration

Calibration methods

The calibration method for the IRB 360 is different from other robots, and normal calibration methods are not applicable.

Calibration by hand

Standard calibration is detailed in section [Calibrating axis 1-3 on page 240](#).

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Ring calibration

A factory reset using ring calibration requires specific calibration equipment and is performed by ABB. Please contact ABB.

Ring calibration is measuring each contact point for axis 1-3 and modifies cal_position. The Ring calibration method gives a better nominal kinematics and the modified cal_positions will help to get back to the same points when calibrating with Standard calibration.

5 Calibration information

5.3 Calibration movement directions for all axes

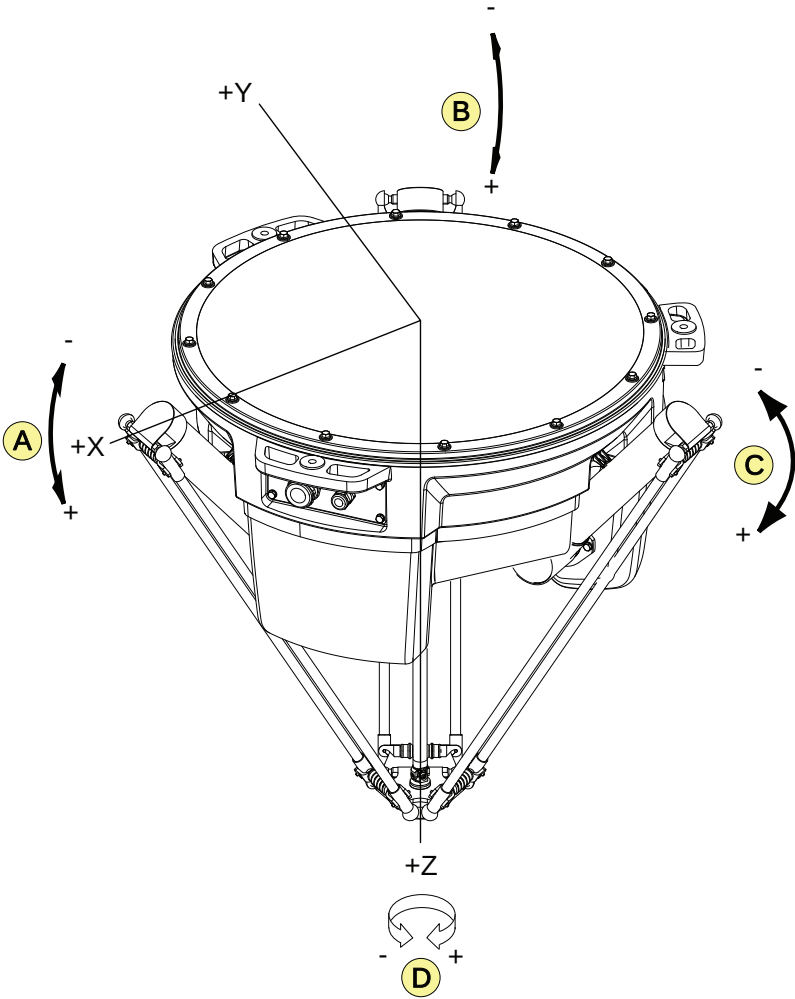
5.3 Calibration movement directions for all axes

Overview

When calibrating, the axis must consistently be run towards the calibration position in the same direction in order to avoid position errors caused by backlash in gears and so on. Positive directions are shown in the graphic below.

Calibration movement and jogging directions

The following graphic shows the positive and negative directions for each axis and the linear directions when jogging the robot in the base coordinate system.



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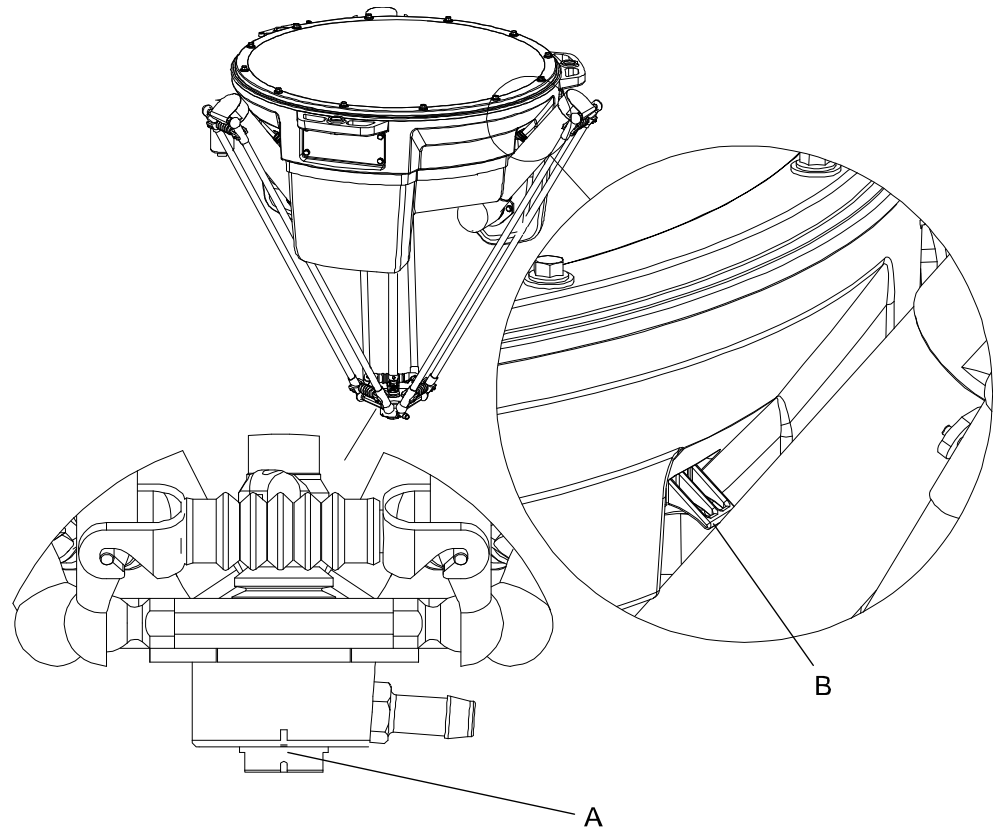
A	Axis 1
B	Axis 2
C	Axis 3
D	Axis 4

5.4 Synchronization marks and synchronization position for axes

Introduction

This section shows the position of the synchronization marks and the synchronization position for each axis.

Synchronization marks, IRB 360



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A	Calibration mark axis 4
B	Calibration marks axis 1-3

5 Calibration information

5.5 Calibrating axis 1-3

5.5 Calibrating axis 1-3

General

This section is valid for IRB 360 all models. It describes how to perform the actual fine calibration of axis 1-3.

If the robot needs to have a factory reset instead, please contact ABB. See [Calibration method on page 236](#).

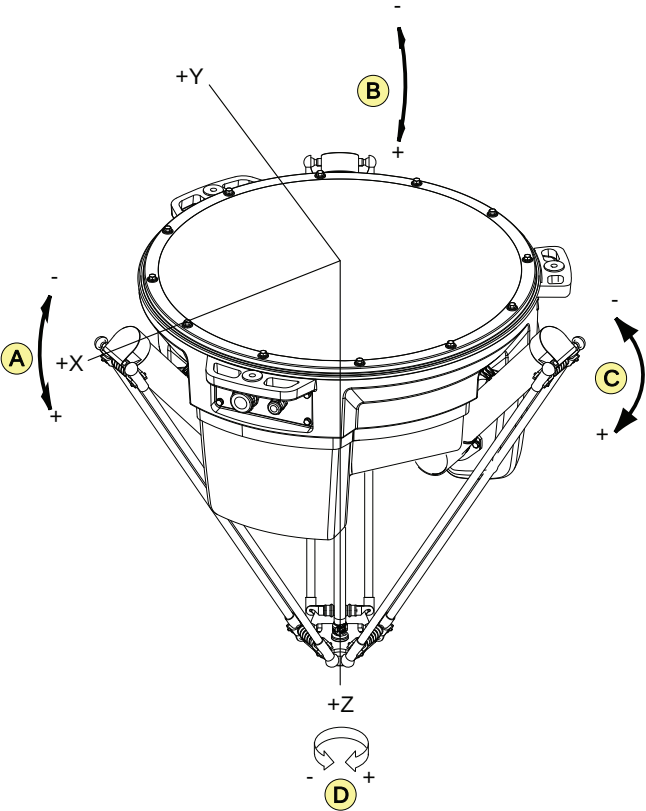
The calibration positions are shown in [Checking the synchronization position on page 254](#)



Note

Calibration should be performed by specially trained personnel.

Axis moving directions



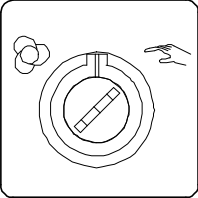
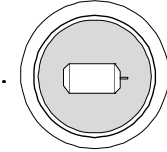
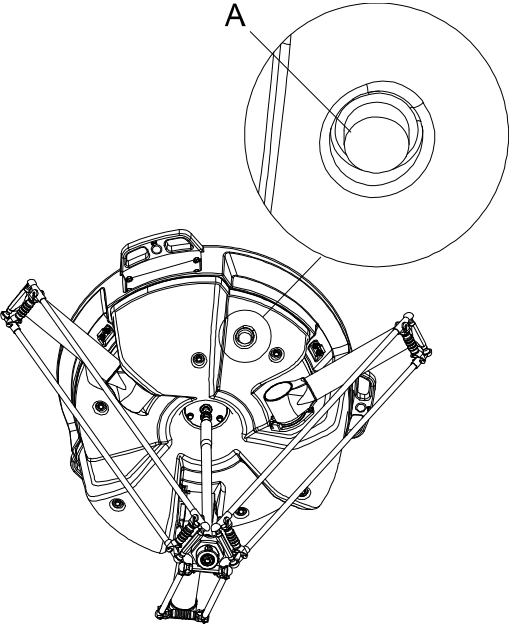
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A	Axis 1
B	Axis 2
C	Axis 3
D	Axis 4

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Calibrating axes 1-3

When connecting to IRC5 controller

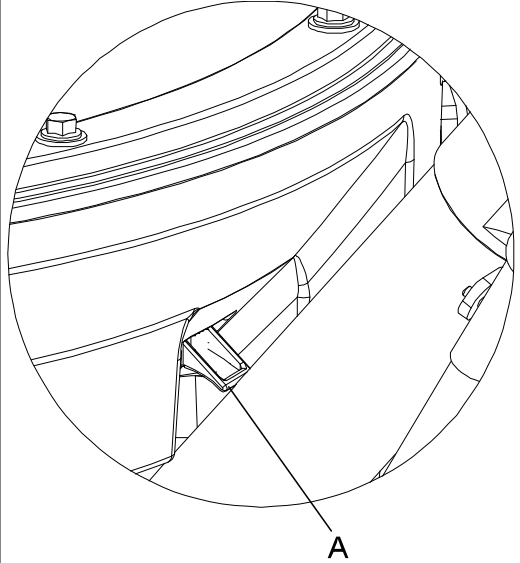
	Action	Note
1	On the FlexPendant, press the stop button.	
2	On the controller, set the key switch into manual position.	 xx0700000625
3	Check the motors off button, make sure that the button flashes.	 en0400000795
4	Press the brake release button to release the brakes.	 xx0700000435 A Brake release button

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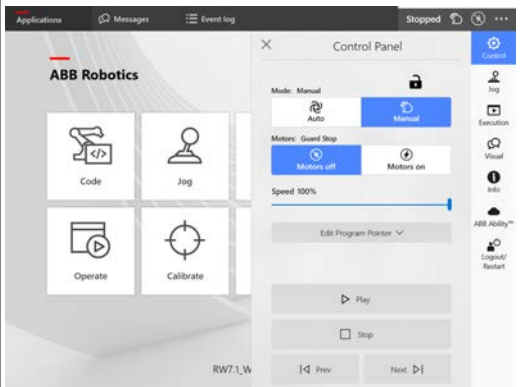
5 Calibration information

5.5 Calibrating axis 1-3

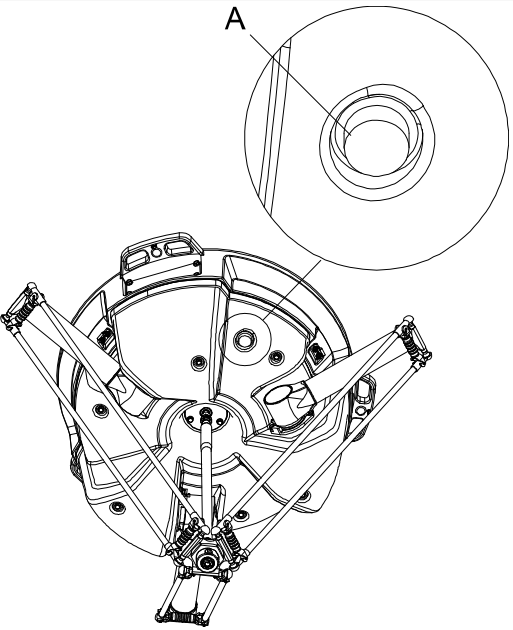
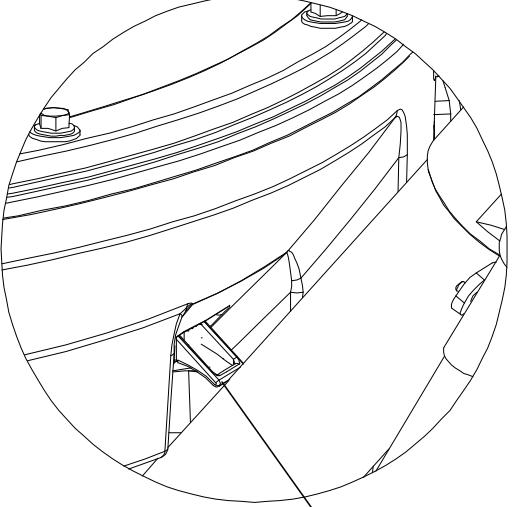
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	Action	Note
5	Push the upper arm very gently against the calibration device.  Note Always calibrate one axis a time, starting with axis 1.	 xx0700000626 A Calibration device
6	When the upper arm reaches the calibration device, apply the brake.	The upper arm is now in calibration position.
7	Store the resolver value by doing a fine calibration.	Described in section Fine calibration procedure on FlexPendant on page 246
8	Release the brakes and gently pull the calibrated upper arm in to a horizontal position.	
9	Return to step 4, and proceed with axis 2 and 3.	

When connecting to OmniCore controller

	Action	Note
1	On the FlexPendant, press the stop button.	
2	On the FlexPendant, press Manual to switch to manual mode.	 xx2000002535
3	On the FlexPendant, press Motor Off to set the robot as motor off status.	

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	Action	Note
4	Press the brake release button to release the brakes.	 xx0700000435 A Brake release button
5	Push the upper arm very gently against the calibration device. Note Always calibrate one axis a time, starting with axis 1.	 xx0700000626 A Calibration device
6	When the upper arm reaches the calibration device, apply the brake.	The upper arm is now in calibration position.
7	Store the resolver value by doing a fine calibration.	Described in section Fine calibration procedure on FlexPendant on page 246
8	Release the brakes and gently pull the calibrated upper arm in to a horizontal position.	
9	Return to step 4, and proceed with axis 2 and 3.	

5 Calibration information

5.6 Calibrating axis 4

5.6 Calibrating axis 4

General

This section is valid for IRB 360 all models. It describes how to perform the actual fine calibration of axis 4.

The calibration positions are shown in [Checking the synchronization position on page 254](#)

The axes moving directions are shown in [Calibrating axis 1-3 on page 240](#).

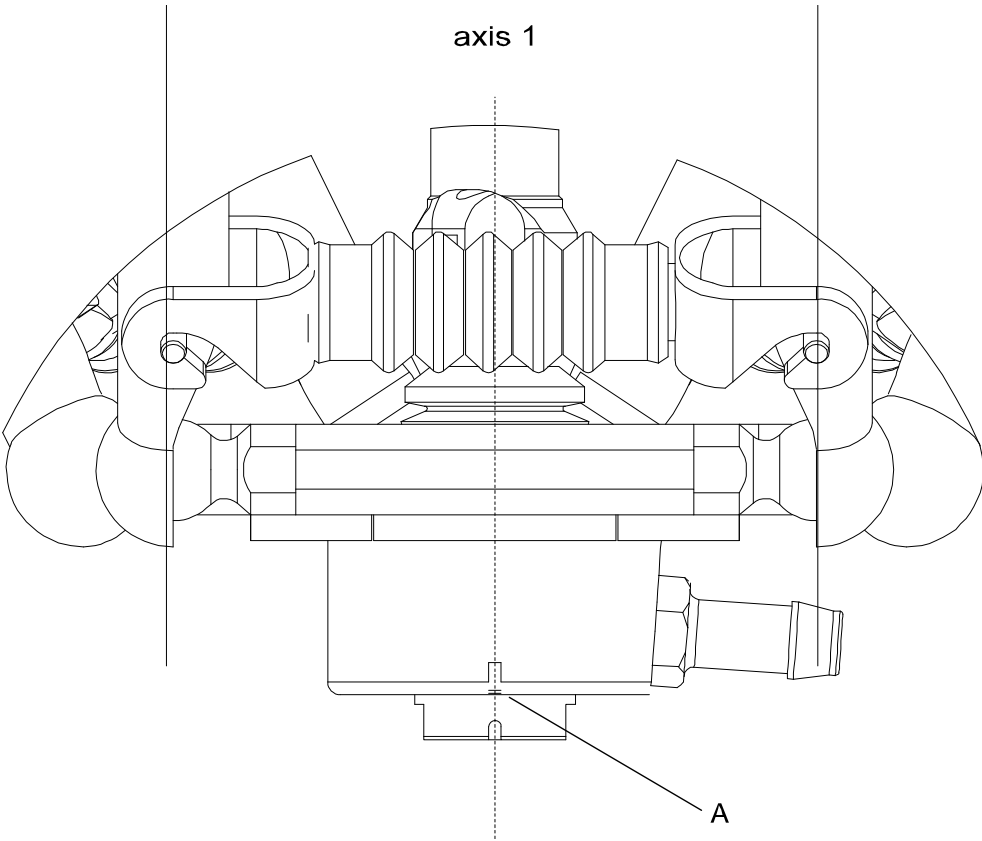


Note

Calibration should be performed by specially trained personnel.

Location

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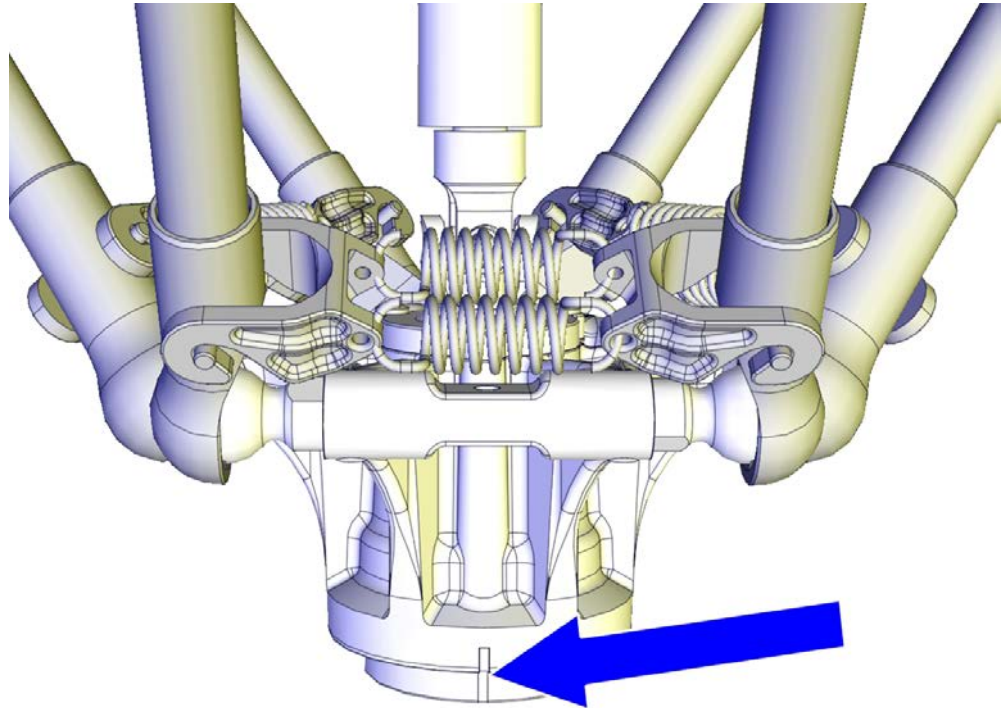


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A	Axis 4 calibration mark
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**Calibrating axis 4**

	Action	Note
1	In manual mode, tap Jogging/Jog in the ABB menu.	
2	Tap Axis 4-6 to jog axis 4.	
3	Jog axis 4 so that the calibration marks are in line.	See figure in Location on page 244 .
4	Store the resolver value by doing a fine calibration.	Described in section Fine calibration procedure on FlexPendant on page 246 .
5	Check the position.	Described in section Checking the synchronization position on page 254

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5.7 Fine calibration procedure on FlexPendant

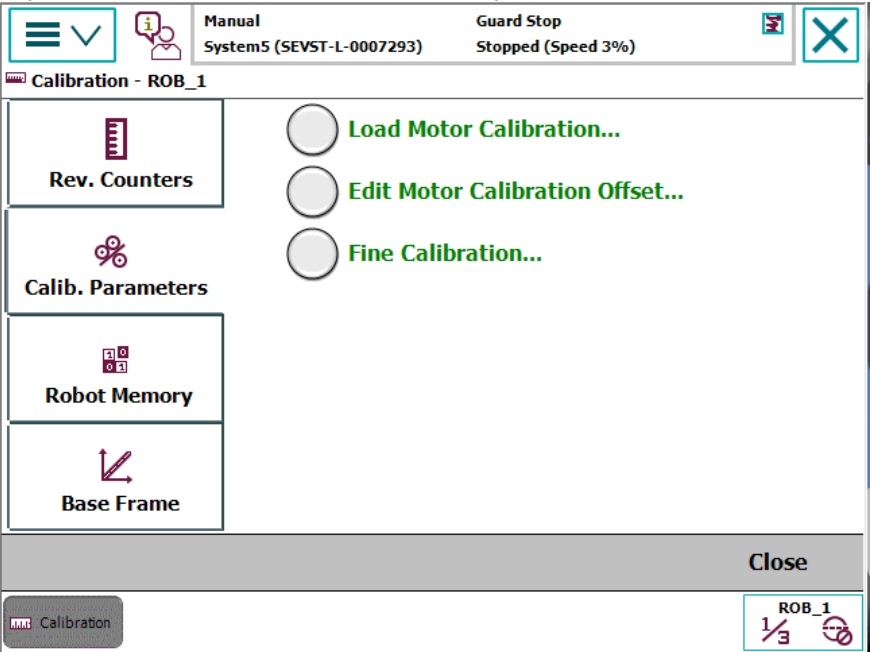
5.7 Fine calibration procedure on FlexPendant

Overview

This section describes how to use the FlexPendant when performing a fine calibration of the robot.

Fine calibration procedure when connecting to IRC5 controller

Use this procedure to fine calibrate using the FlexPendant.

Action	
1	On the ABB menu, tap Calibration . All mechanical units connected to the system are shown along with their calibration status.
2	Tap to select the mechanical unit and then tap Calib. Parameters . 
3	Tap Fine Calibration.... A dialog box is displayed, warning that updating the revolution counters may change programmed robot positions: • Tap Yes to proceed. • Tap No to cancel.
4	Select the check-box for the axis to calibrate.
5	Tap Calibrate . A dialog box is displayed, warning that calibration of the selected axes will be changed, which cannot be undone: • Tap Calibrate to proceed. • Tap Cancel to cancel. Tapping Calibrate results in briefly displaying a dialog box, announcing that the calibration process has started. The axis is calibrated and the system returns to the list of available mechanical units.

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Performing the fine calibration procedure when connecting to OmniCore controller

**Note**

If the calibration status is **Not calibrated**, the fine calibration must be performed before running the axis calibration procedure.

**WARNING**

Before starting the calibration procedure, you must jog each axis and bring the robot to synchronization position and make sure that all the notches are matched.

	Action	Note
1	On the start screen, tap Calibrate .	
2	Select Calibration from the menu. The Mechanical Units page displays a list of available mechanical units. Note This step is required only if you are not already in the Mechanical Unit page when you open Calibrate. Note The Mechanical Unit page is displayed only if there are more than one mechanical unit available. Otherwise, the calibration summary page for the available mechanical unit is displayed.	
3	Select the unit that needs to be calibrated from the Mechanical Unit list. The calibration summary for the selected mechanical unit is displayed.	
4	On the right pane tap Calibration Methods .	
5	Tap Calibration Parameters. The calibration parameters are displayed.	
6	Tap Fine Calibration. A dialog box is displayed, urging you to use external equipment to perform the actual calibration. Make sure all necessary calibration equipment is fitted for the axis to be calibrated. A warning that performing fine calibration can change programmed robot positions is also displayed: • Tap Yes to proceed. • Tap No to cancel.	
7	Select the check-box for the current axis/axes to be calibrated.	

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5 Calibration information

5.7 Fine calibration procedure on FlexPendant

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	Action	Note
8	Tap Calibrate. A dialog box is displayed, warning that calibration of the selected axes will be changed, which cannot be undone: • Tap Calibrate to proceed. • Tap Cancel to cancel. Tapping Calibrate results in briefly displaying a dialog box, announcing that the calibration process has started. The axis is calibrated and the system returns to the list of available mechanical units.	
9	Tap OK. The fine calibration process is complete.	

5.8 Updating revolution counters

Introduction

This section describes how to do a rough calibration of each manipulator axis by updating the revolution counter for each axis, using the FlexPendant.

Step 1 - Manually moving the manipulator to the synchronization position

Use this procedure to manually move the manipulator to the calibration position.



Note

Calibration should be performed by specially trained personnel.

	Action	Note
1	Manually move the manipulator to the calibration position for axes 1-3	See Calibrating axis 1-3 on page 240 , steps 1 to 6.
2	Manually move the manipulator to the calibration position for axis 4	See Calibrating axis 4 on page 244 , steps 1 to 4.
3	Continue with step 2, Step 2 - Updating the revolution counter with the FlexPendant on page 250 .	

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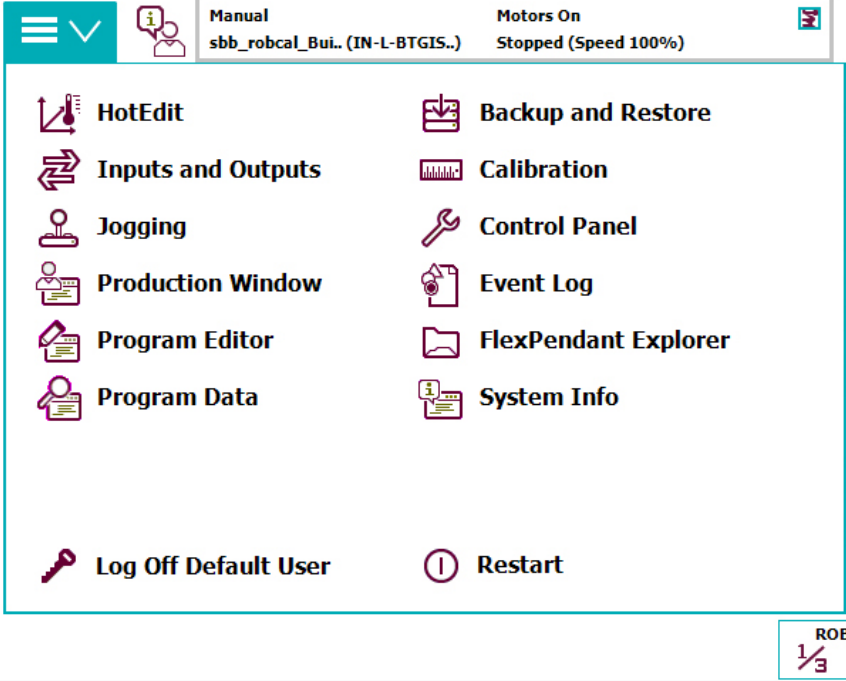
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5.8 Updating revolution counters
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Step 2 - Updating the revolution counter with the FlexPendant

When connecting to IRC5 controller

Use this procedure to update the revolution counter with the FlexPendant (IRC5).

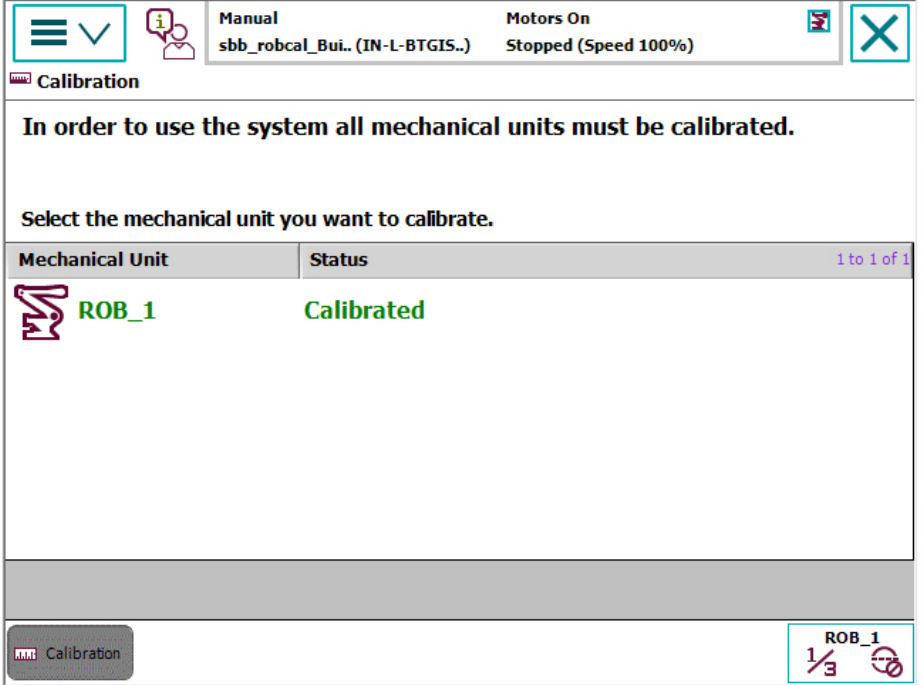
Action	
1	On the ABB menu, tap Calibration.  xx1500000942

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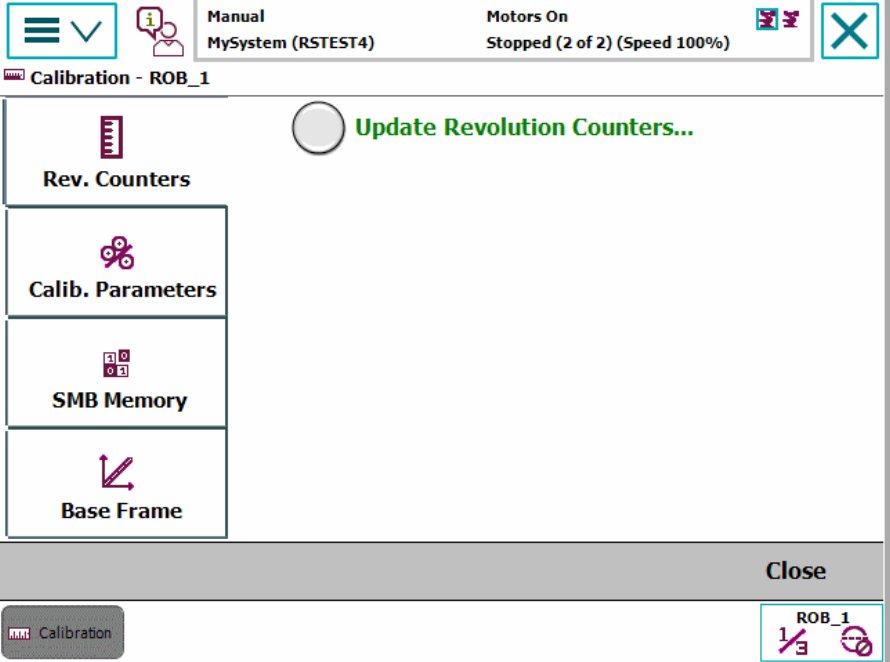
All mechanical units connected to the system are shown with their calibration status. Tap the mechanical unit in question.



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A screen is displayed, tap **Rev. Counters**.



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5 Calibration information

5.8 Updating revolution counters

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	Action
4	Tap Update Revolution Counters... A dialog box is displayed, warning that updating the revolution counters may change programmed robot positions: • Tap Yes to update the revolution counters. • Tap No to cancel updating the revolution counters. Tapping Yes displays the axis selection window.
5	Select the axis to have its revolution counter updated by: • Ticking in the box to the left • Tapping Select all to update all axes. Then tap Update.
6	A dialog box is displayed, warning that the updating operation cannot be undone: • Tap Update to proceed with updating the revolution counters. • Tap Cancel to cancel updating the revolution counters. Tapping Update updates the selected revolution counters and removes the tick from the list of axes.
7	 CAUTION If a revolution counter is incorrectly updated, it will cause incorrect manipulator positioning, which in turn may cause damage or injury! Check the synchronization position very carefully after each update. See Checking the synchronization position on page 254.

When connecting to OmniCore controller

Use this procedure to update the revolution counter with the FlexPendant (OmniCore).

	Action
1	On the start screen, tap Calibrate .
2	Select Calibration from the menu. The Mechanical Units page displays a list of available mechanical units.  Note This step is required only if you are not already in the Mechanical Unit page when you open Calibrate.  Note The Mechanical Unit page is displayed only if there are more than one mechanical unit available. Otherwise, the calibration summary page for the available mechanical unit is displayed.
3	Select the mechanical unit for which revolution counter need to be updated.
4	The calibration summary page for the selected mechanical unit is displayed. Calibration method used at factory for each axis is shown, as well as calibration method used during last field calibration.
5	Tap Calibration Methods on the right pane. The calibration options are displayed.
6	Tap Revolution Counters .
7	In the Selection column select the axes for which revolution counters need to be updated.

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	Action
8	Tap Update. A dialog box is displayed, warning that the updating operation cannot be undone: • Tap Update to proceed with updating the revolution counters. • Tap Cancel to cancel updating the revolution counters. Tapping Update and a confirmation window is displayed.
9	Tap OK. The revolution counter for the selected axes is updated.
10	 CAUTION If a revolution counter is incorrectly updated, it will cause incorrect manipulator positioning, which in turn may cause damage or injury! Check the synchronization position very carefully after each update. See Checking the synchronization position on page 254.

5 Calibration information

5.9 Checking the synchronization position

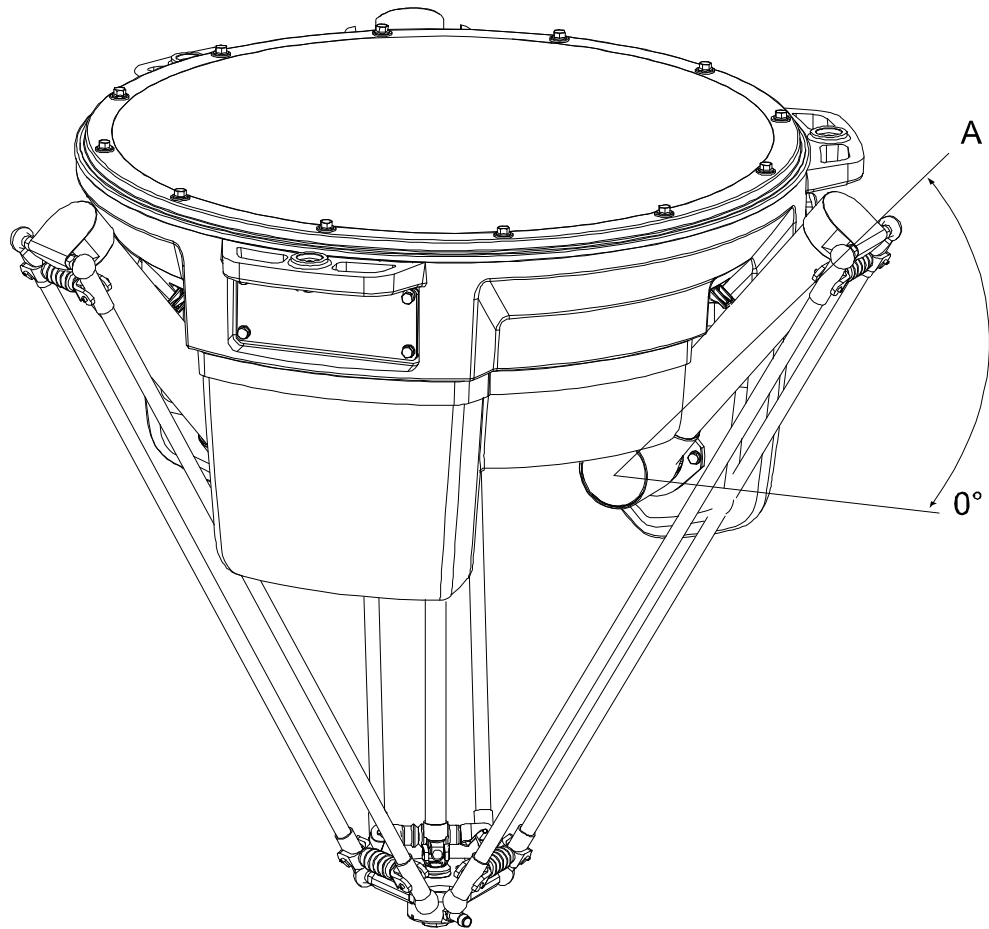
5.9 Checking the synchronization position

Introduction

Check the synchronization position of the robot before beginning any programming of the robot system. This may be done:

- In manual mode using brake release and move all axis by hand.

Using the jogging window on the FlexPendant

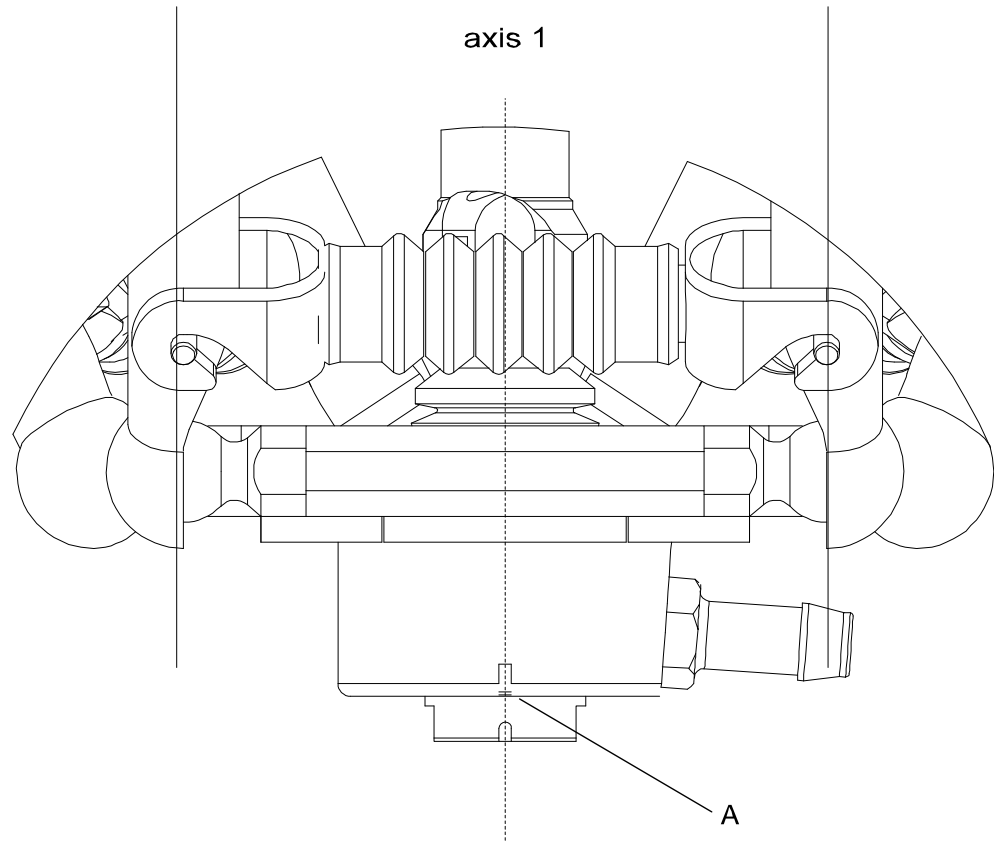


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A	Calibration position for axis 1-3.
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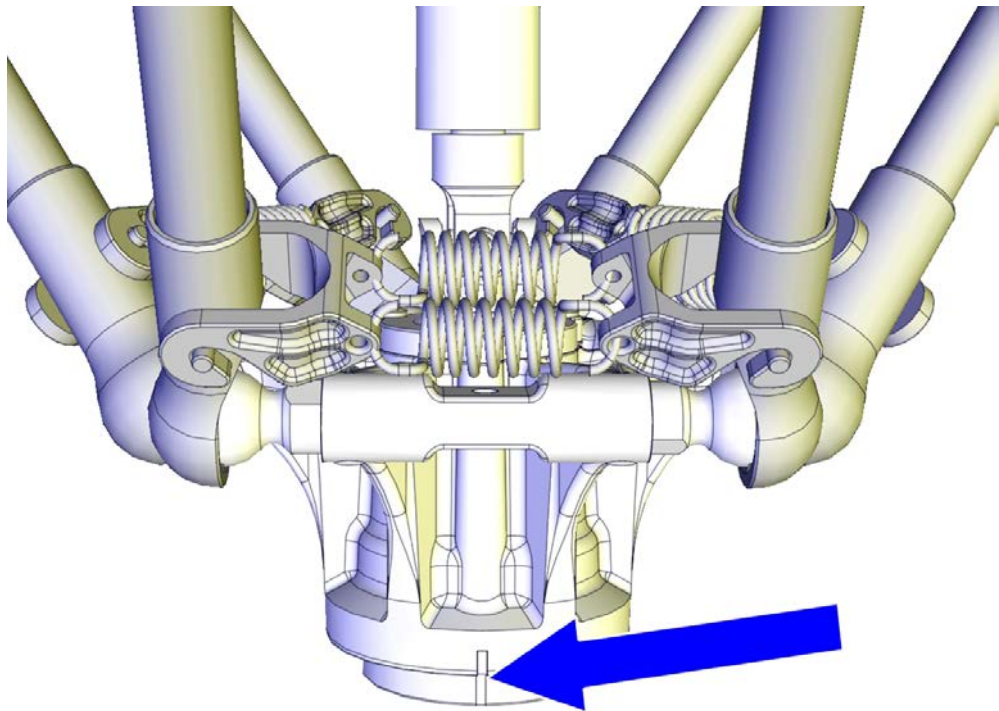
A	Axis 4 calibration mark
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5.9 Checking the synchronization position
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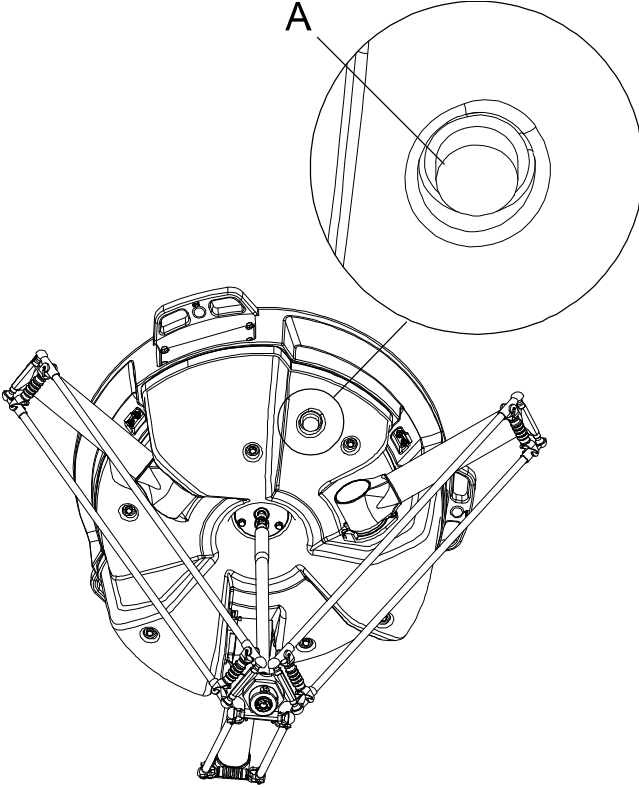
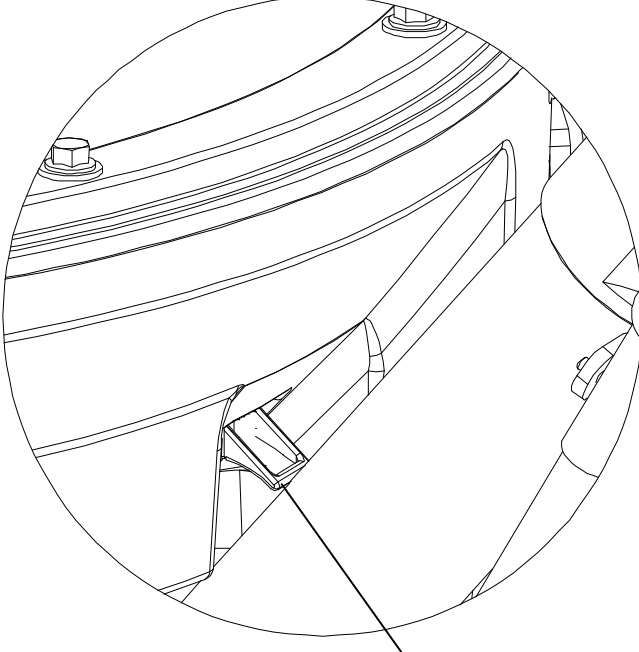


Note

A position where all three axes are in calibration position at the same time (like in figure) is not possible. Check or calibrate one axis a time, then set the calibrated axis horizontal.

	Action	Note
1	In manual mode, tap Jogging/Jog in the ABB menu.	Manual mode described in the section Calibrating axis 1-3 on page 240 .
2	Tap to select the axis to jog, axis 1, 2, or 3.	

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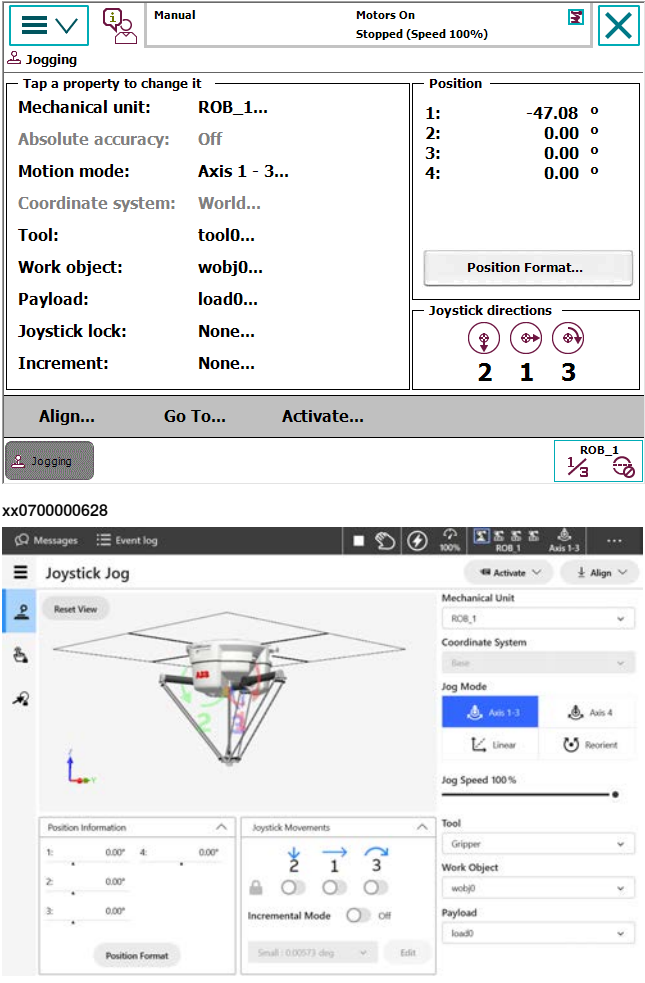
	Action	Note
3	Press the brake release button to release the brakes.	 xx0700000435 A Brake release button
4	Push the upper arm very gently against the calibration device. Note Always check one axis at a time, starting with axis 1.	 xx0700000626 A Calibration device

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5 Calibration information

5.9 Checking the synchronization position

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Action	Note
5	Check the position of axis 1 in jogging window and compare with parameter <i>Calibration Position</i>.  The system parameter <i>Calibration Position</i> (cal_position) is set at the ABB factory, and is a robot specific parameter. For more information about the parameter, see topic <i>Motion</i>, type <i>Arm</i>, in the system parameters manual listed in References on page 10.
6	The value in the jogging window should be within the tolerance $\pm 0.1^\circ$. If the axis position is not ok, calibrate the axis again, see Ring calibration on page 237.
7	If the axis position is ok return to step 3 and check axes 2 and 3.
8	Tap to select the axis to jog, axis 4.
9	Jog axis 4 so that the calibration marks are in line.

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	Action	Note
10	Check the position of axis 4 in jogging window and compare with parameter <i>Calibration Position</i> .	The system parameter <i>Calibration Position</i> (cal_position) is set at the ABB factory, and is a robot specific parameter. For more information about the parameter, see topic <i>Motion</i> , type <i>Arm</i> , in the system parameters manual listed in References on page 10 .
11	The value in the jogging window should be within the tolerance $\pm 0.1^\circ$. If the axis position is not ok, calibrate the axis again, see Calibrating axis 4 on page 244 .	

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6 Decommissioning

6.1 Introduction to decommissioning

Introduction

This section contains information to consider when taking a product, robot or controller, out of operation.

It deals with how to handle potentially dangerous components and potentially hazardous materials.



Note

The decommissioning process shall be preceded by a risk assessment.

Disposal of materials used in the robot

All used grease/oils and dead batteries **must** be disposed of in accordance with the current legislation of the country in which the robot and the control unit are installed.

If the robot or the control unit is partially or completely disposed of, the various parts **must** be grouped together according to their nature (which is all iron together and all plastic together), and disposed of accordingly. These parts **must** also be disposed of in accordance with the current legislation of the country in which the robot and control unit are installed.

See also [Environmental information on page 262](#).

Transportation

Prepare the robot or parts before transport, this to avoid hazards.

6 Decommissioning

6.2 Environmental information

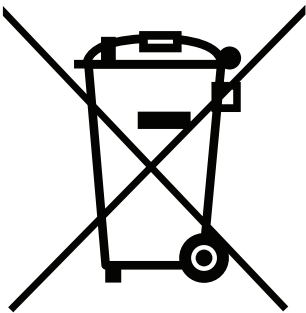
6.2 Environmental information

Introduction

ABB robots contain components in different materials. During decommissioning, all materials shall be dismantled, recycled, or reused responsibly, according to the relevant laws and industrial standards. Robots or parts that can be reused or upcycled helps to reduce the usage of natural resources.

Disposal symbol

The following symbol indicates that the product must not be disposed of as common garbage. Handle each product according to local regulations for the respective content (see table below).



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Materials used in the product

The table specifies some of the materials in the product and their respective use throughout the product.

Dispose components properly according to local regulations to prevent health or environmental hazards.

Material	Example application
Aluminium	Motor housings, telescopic shafts (standard, WD)
Batteries, Lithium	Serial measurement board
Carbon fiber	Upper arms, tube bars
Cast iron/nodular iron	Gear housings, base box (standard, WD)
Copper	Cables, motors
Neodymium	Brakes, motors
Oil, grease	Gearboxes
Plastic/rubber	Cables, connectors, transmission cover, and so on.
Stainless steel	Base box (WDS), telescopic shafts (WDS)
Steel	Gears, screws, joints, brackets, and so on.

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Oil and grease

Where possible, arrange for oil and grease to be recycled. Dispose of via an authorized person/contractor in accordance with local regulations. Do not dispose of oil and grease near lakes, ponds, ditches, down drains, or onto soil. Incineration must be carried out under controlled conditions in accordance with local regulations.

Also note that:

- Spills can form a film on water surfaces causing damage to organisms. Oxygen transfer could also be impaired.
- Spillage can penetrate the soil causing ground water contamination.

6 Decommissioning

6.3 Scrapping of robot

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Note

The decommissioning process shall be preceded by a risk assessment.

Important when scrapping the robot



DANGER

The risk assessment should consider hazards arising in the decommissioning, such as, but not limited to:

- Always remove all batteries. If a battery is exposed to heat, for example from a blow torch, it will explode.
- Always remove all oil/grease in gearboxes. If exposed to heat, for example from a blow torch, the oil/grease will catch fire.
- When motors are removed from the robot, the robot will collapse if it is not properly supported before the motor is removed.
- A used robot does not have the same performance as on delivery. Springs, brakes, bearings, and other parts might be worn or broken.

7 Reference information

7.1 Introduction

General

This chapter includes general information, complementing the more specific information in the different procedures in the manual.

7 Reference information

7.2 Applicable standards

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General

This product is designed according to the global product standard ISO 10218-1:2025, *Robots for industrial environments - Safety requirements - Part 1 Robots*, In case of deviation from ISO 10218-1:2025, these are listed in the declaration of incorporation. The declaration of incorporation is part of the delivery.

Robot standards

Standard	Description
ISO 9283	Manipulating industrial robots – Performance criteria and related test methods
ISO 9787	Robots and robotic devices – Coordinate systems and motion nomenclatures
ISO 9946	Manipulating industrial robots – Presentation of characteristics

Other standards used in design

Standard	Description
ISO 9283	Manipulating industrial robots - Performance criteria and related test methods
ISO 9787	Robots and robotic devices -- Coordinate systems and motion nomenclatures
ISO 9946	Manipulating industrial robots - Presentation of characteristics
IEC 61000-6-2	Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 6-2: Generic standards – Immunity standard for industrial environments
IEC 61000-6-4	Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 6-4: Generic standards – Emission standard for industrial environments
IEC 61326-3-1	Immunity requirements for safety-related systems and for equipment intended to perform safety-related functions (functional safety) – General industrial applications

Region specific standards

Standard	Description
UL 1740 (option) CSA Z434 (option)	Standards For Safety - Robots and Robotic Equipment Industrial robots and robot Systems - General safety requirements Valid for USA and Canada.

7.3 Unit conversion

Converter table

Use the following table to convert units used in this manual.

Quantity	Units		
Length	1 m	3.28 ft.	39.37 in
Weight	1 kg	2.21 lb.	
Weight	1 g	0.035 ounces	
Pressure	1 bar	100 kPa	14.5 psi
Force	1 N	0.225 lbf	
Moment	1 Nm	0.738 lbf-ft	
Volume	1 L	0.264 US gal	

7 Reference information

7.4 Weight specifications

7.4 Weight specifications

Definition

In installation, repair, and maintenance procedures, weights of the components handled are sometimes specified. All components exceeding 22 kg (50 lbs) are highlighted in this way.

To avoid injury, ABB recommends the use of a lifting accessory when handling components with a weight exceeding 22 kg. A wide range of lifting accessories and devices are available for each manipulator model.

Example

Following is an example of a weight specification in a procedure:

Action	Note
 CAUTION The arm weighs 25 kg. All lifting accessories used must be sized accordingly.	

7.5 Standard toolkit

General

All service (repairs, maintenance, and installation) procedures contains lists of tools required to perform the specified activity.

All special tools required are listed directly in the procedures while all the tools that are considered standard are gathered in the standard toolkit and defined in the following table.

This way, the tools required are the sum of the standard toolkit and any tools listed in the instruction.

Contents, standard toolkit

Qty	Tool
1	Ring-open-end spanner 7-35mm
1	Socket head cap 3, 5, 8 mm
1	Torque wrench 4-33 Nm
1	Small screwdriver
1	Plastic mallet
1	Ratchet head for torque wrench 1/2
1	Cut-off pliers
1	90° angled bit holder
	Spirit level

7 Reference information

7.6 Special tools

7.6 Special tools

General

All service instructions contain lists of tools required to perform the specified activity. The required tools are a sum of standard tools, defined in the section [Standard toolkit on page 269](#), and of special tools, listed directly in the instructions and also gathered in this section.

Special tools

The following table specifies the special tools required during service procedures. The tools are also specified directly in concerned procedures for repair.

Description	Art.no.	Robot variant
Press tool for bearing (Drifter for mounting bearing rings.)	3HAC4184-1	IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600
Press tool (Dolly for joint socket when inserting new bearing rings.)	3HAC4182-1	IRB 360 - 1/1130, IRB 360 - 3/1130, IRB 360 - 1/800, IRB 360 - 1/1600
Pliers for parallel arms	3HAC6194-1	All variants.
Heat gun (Required if the moveable plate is stainless, see Removal on page 194 .)	-	-



Note

The stainless version is not available for the IRB 360 used with OmniCore controllers.

7.7 Lifting accessories and lifting instructions

General

Many repair and maintenance activities require different pieces of lifting accessories, which are specified in each procedure.

The use of each piece of lifting accessories is *not* detailed in the activity procedure, but in the instruction delivered with each piece of lifting accessories.

The instructions delivered with the lifting accessories should be stored for later reference.

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7.8 Grease specification

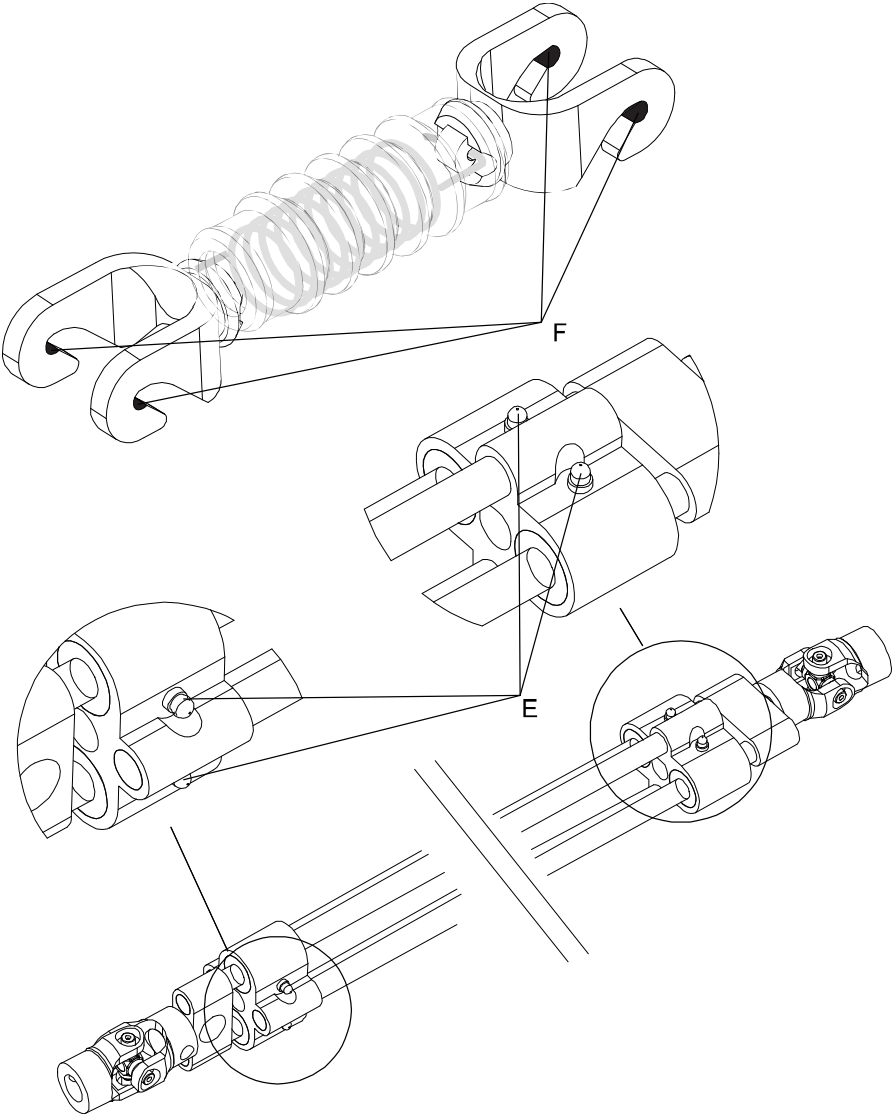
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Oil in gearboxes

The types and volumes of oil in the gearboxes are defined in the *Technical reference manual - Lubrication in gearboxes - 3HAC042927-001*.

This is detailed in section [Type of lubrication in gearboxes on page 129](#).

Grease in robot

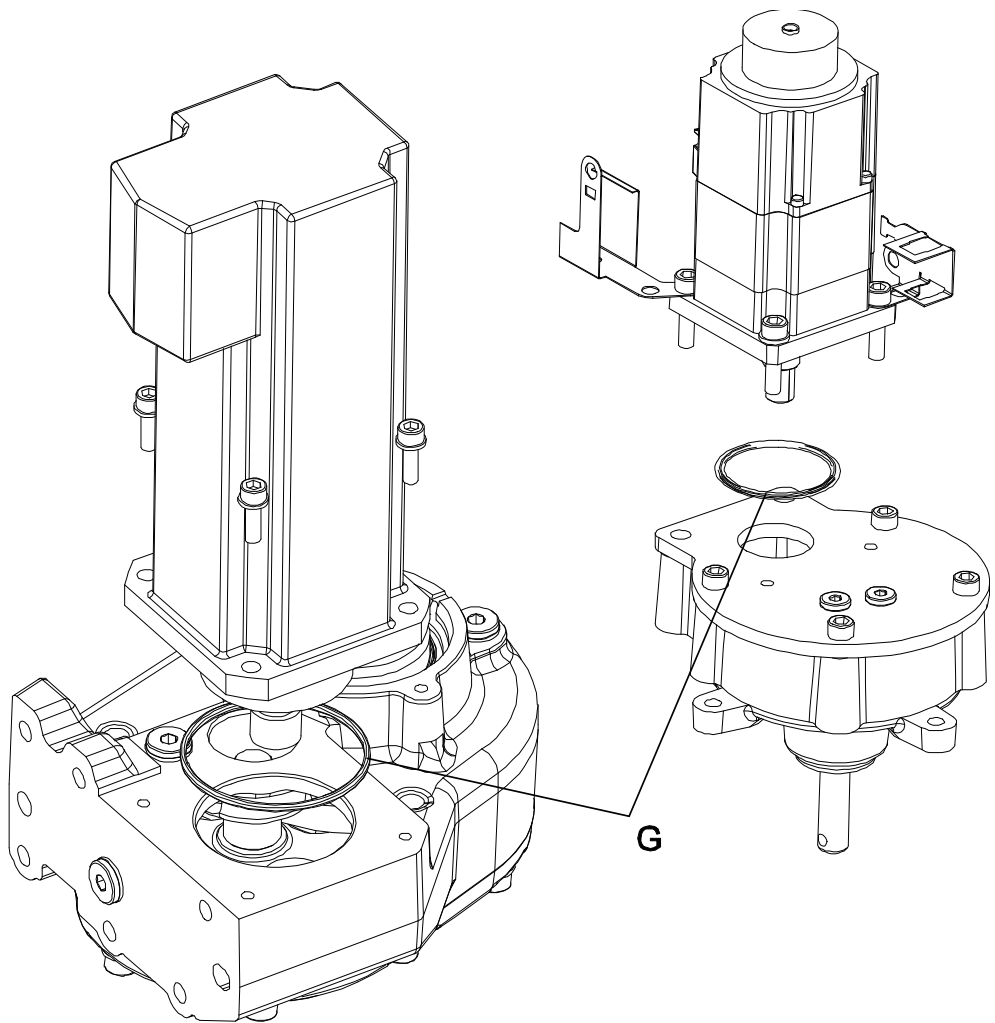


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Pos.	For:	Type	Spare part number	Amount
E	Telescopic shaft WDS	Food accepted FM 222	3HAC042560-001	
F	Spring units	Food accepted FM 222	3HAC042560-001	

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Grease on sealings



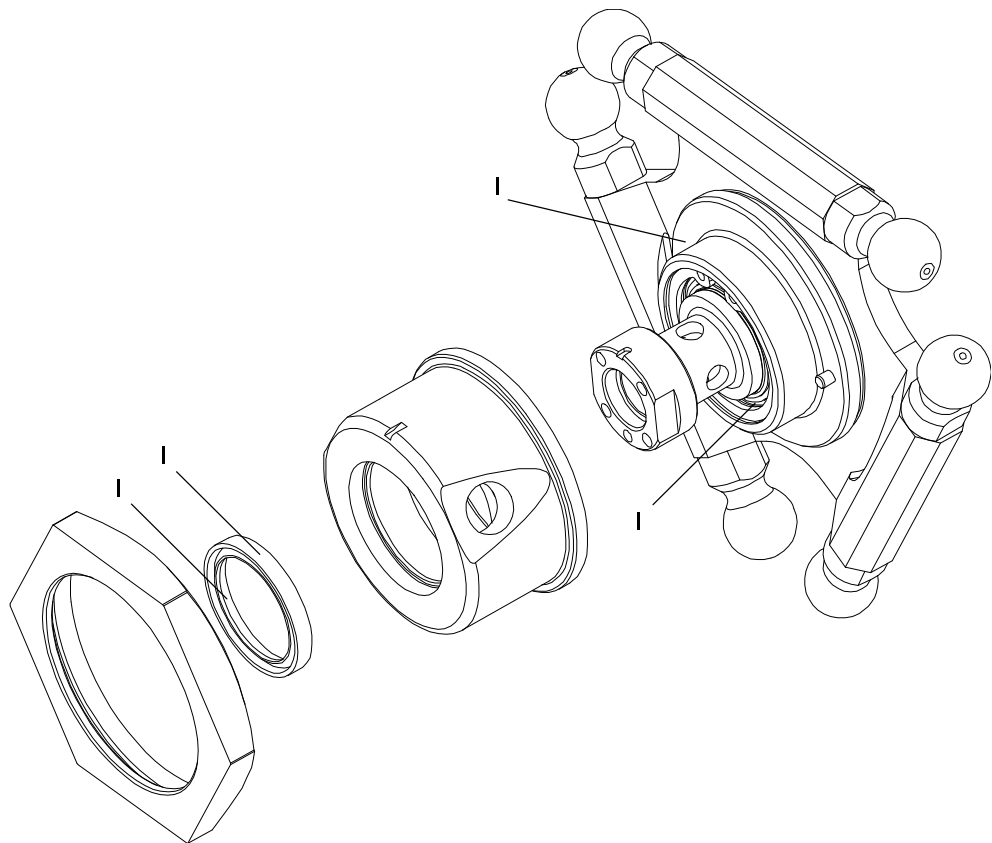
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Pos.	For:	Type	Spare part number	Amount
G	O-rings in gear units	Food accepted FM 222	3HAC042560-001	

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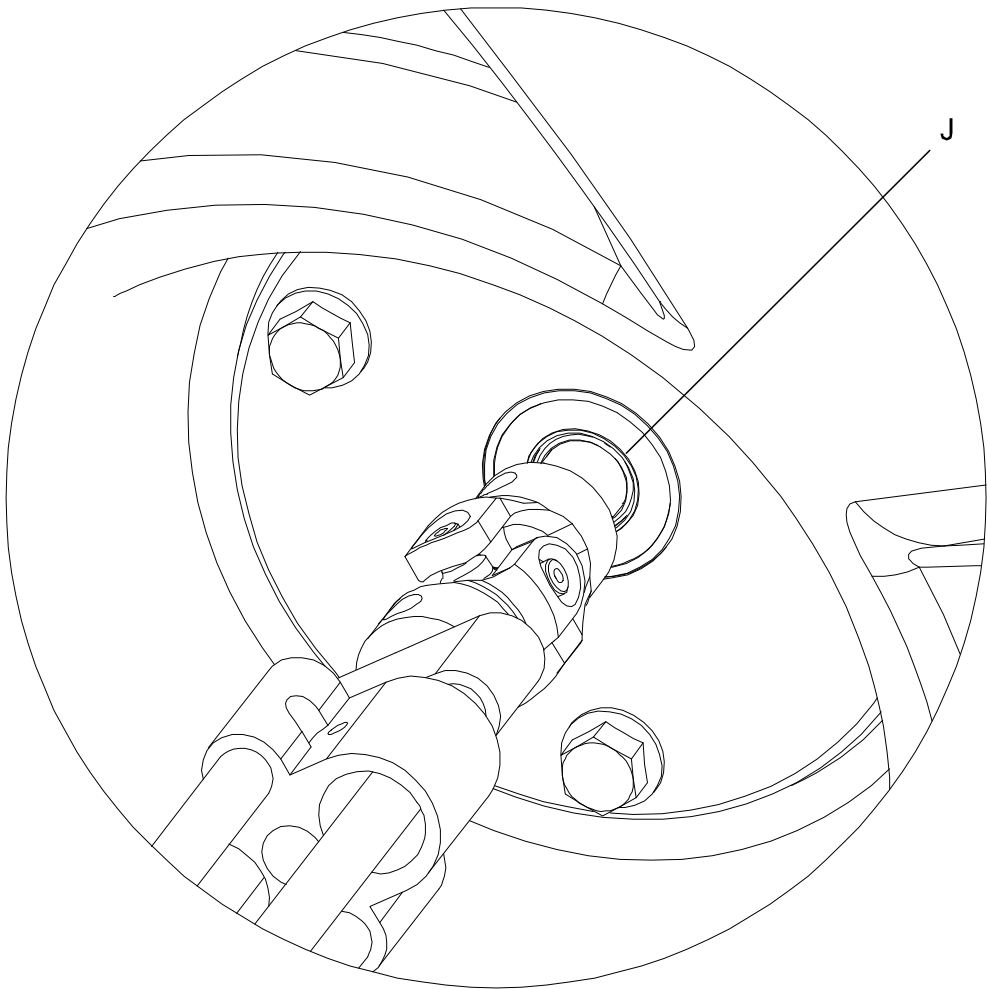
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Pos.	For:	Type	Spare part number	Amount
I	Grease in swivel	Food accepted FM 222	3HAC042560-001	

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Pos.	For:	Type	Spare part number	Amount
J	Grease in ax 4	Food accepted FM 222	3HAC042560-001	

Grease on bearing rings



Note

Only lubricate bearing rings 3HAC2091-1. Bearing rings 3HAC028087-001 must not be lubricated!

Read about the difference in [Different versions of bearing rings require different maintenance procedures on page 107](#).

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7.8 Grease specification

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Required equipment	Article number	Note
Grease	-	Required for non-maintenance free bearing rings. FM 222 (was Mobilgrease FM 102 or Optimol Obeen UF 2) See Different versions of bearing rings require different maintenance procedures on page 107.

8 Spare part lists

8.1 Spare part lists and illustrations

Location

Spare parts and exploded views are not included in the manual but delivered as a separate document for registered users via ABB Robotics One, <https://one.robotics.abb.com/en/knowledge-hub>.

**Tip**

All documents can be found via ABB Robotics One, <https://one.robotics.abb.com/en/knowledge-hub>.

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