

# ACCUMETER™ OVATION Loss-In-Weight Blender

### **Technical Specifications**

The AccuMeter™ Ovation is a gravimetric loss in weight blender designed for continuous extrusion applications. The AccuMeter<sup>™</sup> Ovation offers the most continuous homogeneous blend available versus common batch-type blenders or mixers. Available from 2 to 6 components and up to 5000 pounds per hour, the AccuMeter™ Ovation is perfect for many extrusion applications. Hoppers are mounted on precision load cells, eliminating the weight and vibration of the metering auger and motor assemblies.

The AccuMeter™ Ovation's lower mass flow weigh hopper learns the exact extruder rate and continuously sends the information to the control system. The upper material feed rates are automatically adjusted to match the learned extruder rate to maintain a consistent ingredient ratio.

#### **Features**

#### **Standard Features**

- Automatically adjusts individual feeders to match the extruder rate at the exact ratio required
- Upper material refill hoppers with refill valves
- Individual ingredient weigh hoppers, with clear side walls
- Lower mass flow weigh hopper assembly, with clear side walls
- Allen-Bradley Micro850 PLC with high resolution 7" color touchscreen
- Variable frequency drive (VFD) system with inverter duty AC motors; provides precision auger metering with greater recipe ranges and better accuracy
- Cascade mixing section

- Precision .02% span accurate cantilever load cells deliver the most accurate weighing system
- Recipe storage book for easy retrieval (up to 100 recipes)
- · Full diagnostics
- · Complete inventory and material usage information
- Alarm outputs
- 115/1/60 supply voltage
- · Hopper lids specified for AEC SRC Series receivers and loaders. (Non-AEC loader cover optional)
- Feeder linking allows redundant backup feeder for ingredients when metering the same material

#### **Optional Features**

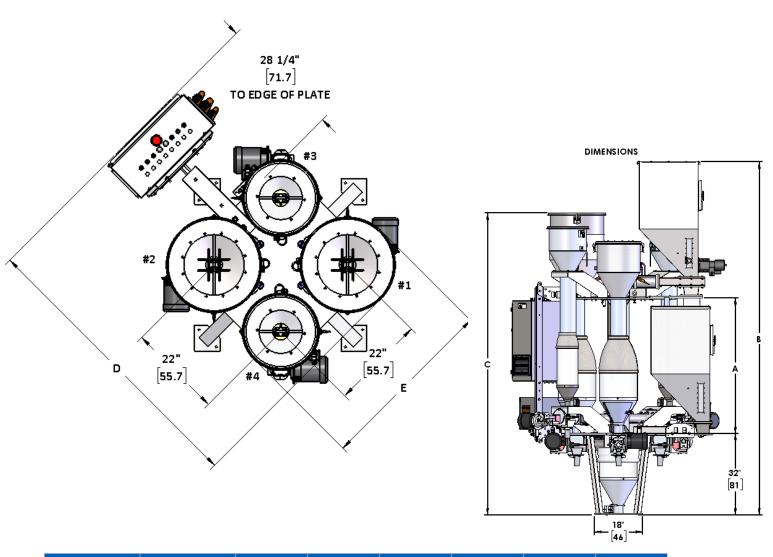
- Mezzanine mounting stand with 4" tube
- Low level solid state proximity sensor for each supply hopper
- Spun regrind hopper with 3.5" dia. discharge, suitable for most freeflowing regrind materials
- Agitated regrind supply hopper and weigh hopper for regrind material
- Ethernet switch for remote communications
- Remote control panel



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#### **Dimensions**

### TYPICAL 4-COMPONENT BLENDER DIMS in.[cm]



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750, 3000, 5000	Virgin Hoppers	24 (61)	81 (206)	76 (193)	67 (107)	44 (112)	69 (175)
	Regrind Hoppers 2 CU. FT	34 (86)	99 (251)	91 (231)	75 (191)	69 (175)	69 (175)
	Regrind Hoppers 7 CU. FT.	50 (127)	132 (335)	113 (287)	78 (198)	67 (170)	69 (175)

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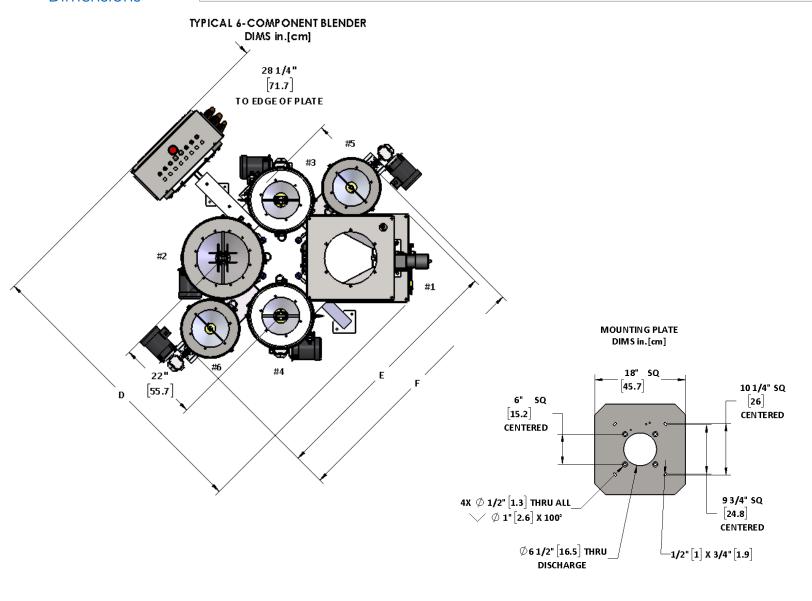
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Model	Max. Output, lbs./hr (kg/hr)	Number of Components		
AMO 750	750 (340)	2 - 6		
AMO 3000	3000 (1360)	2 - 6		
AMO 5000	5000 (2270)	2 - 6		

Augers have minimum and maximum output rates based on auger and gearbox size. Rates and capacities are based on free-flowing virgin pellets with a bulk density of 35 lbs./cu. ft. Bulk density of materials, particularly regrinds, can greatly impact blender performance and rate. Actual rates will vary. Consult the factory for guaranteed blending rates.

All materials must be free-flowing and dry. Material samples are required for testing prior to shipment for guaranteed rates. Consult the AEC Sales Department for shipping instructions and for the amounts of each material to send for testing. Typical amounts required are 100 lbs. for major ingredients and 25 lbs. for minor ingredients.

#### **Output Charts**

Auger Size in. (mm)	Gearbox Ratio	Min. Auger Speed	Min. Output lbs./hr (kg/hr)	Min. Output cu. ft./hr (l/hr)	Max. Auger Speed	Max. Output, lbs./hr (kg/hr)	Max. Output, cu. ft./hr (l/hr)
3 (76.2)	20:1	5 rpm	140 (64)	4.00 (113)	175 rpm	3,635 (1,649)	104 (2945)
	10:1	10 rpm	280 (127)	8.00 (227)	350 rpm	7,270 (3,298)	208 (5890)
2 (50.8)	20:1	5 rpm	40 (18)	1.14 (32)	175 rpm	1,205 (547)	34 (963)
	10:1	10 rpm	80 (36)	2.29 (65)	350 rpm	2,410 (1,093)	69 (1954)
	5:1	20 rpm	160 (73)	4.57 (129)	700 rpm	4,820 (2,186)	138 (3908)
1 5/8 (41.2)	20:1	5 rpm	25 (11)	0.71 (20)	175 rpm	815 (370)	23 (651)
	10:1	10 rpm	50 (23)	1.43 (40)	350 rpm	1,630 (739)	47 (1331)
	5:1	20 rpm	100 (45)	2.86 (81)	700 rpm	3,265 (1,481)	93 (2633)
1 (25.4)	20:1	5 rpm	6 (3)	0.17 (5)	175 rpm	180 (82)	5 (142)
	10:1	10 rpm	12 (5)	0.34 (10)	350 rpm	360 (163)	10 (283)
	5:1	20 rpm	24 (11)	0.69 (20)	700 rpm	720 (327)	21 (595)
0.75 (19)	20:1	5 rpm	2 (1)	0.06 (2)	175 rpm	80 (36)	2 (57)
	10:1	10 rpm	5 (2)	0.14 (4)	350 rpm	160 (73)	5 (142)
	5:1	20 rpm	10 (5)	0.29 (8)	700 rpm	320 (145)	9 (255)
0.5 (12.7)	20:1	5 rpm	0.5 (0.2)	0.01 (0.)	175 rpm	20 (9)	0.5 (14)
	10:1	10 rpm	1 (0.5)	0.03 (1)	350 rpm	40 (18)	1 (28)
	5:1	20 rpm	2 (1)	0.06 (2)	700 rpm	80 (36)	2 (57)

NOTE: The table represents approximate output values for variable frequency AC inverter drives. These results may not be achieved, given a particular application or material. Consult the factory for guaranteed rates.

