

**SSME, EA/CIL
REDUNDANCY SCREEN**

Component Group: Oxidizer Turbopumps
 CIL Item: B800-04
 Component: Low Pressure Oxidizer Turbopump
 Part Number: RS007801
 Failure Mode: Loss of inducer head rise.

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Design / Document Reference

FAILURE CAUSE: A: Inducer blade damage.

THE INDUCER (1) HAS FOUR FULL BLADES AT THE INLET AND TWELVE PARTIAL BLADES AT THE DISCHARGE, WHERE THE MAJORITY OF THE PRESSURE RISE IS DEVELOPED. THE INDUCER IS REDESIGNED FOR USE WITH THE LARGE THROAT MCC. THE DESIGN DEMONSTRATED INCREASED SUCTION PERFORMANCE AT HIGHER FLOW/SPEED WITH ACCEPTABLE INCREASE IN HEAD OUTPUT. THE INDUCER IS MANUFACTURED UTILIZING A K-MONEL FORGING, WHICH WAS SELECTED FOR ITS RESISTANCE TO CORROSION, WHILE RETAINING DUCTILITY AND TOUGHNESS AT CRYOGENIC TEMPERATURES (2). THE ALLOY IS SOLUTION HEAT TREATED AND AGE-HARDENED (1). NET POSITIVE SUCTION PRESSURE REQUIREMENTS WERE SATISFIED OVER THE ENTIRE OPERATING RANGE BY DESIGN VERIFICATION TESTING (3). VEHICLE CLEANLINESS REQUIREMENTS MINIMIZE DAMAGE FROM CONTAMINATION IMPACT (4). THE INDUCER HAS COMPLETED DESIGN VERIFICATION TESTING FOR BLADE NATURAL FREQUENCY (5).

(1) RS007812; (2) RSS-8579-9; (3) VRS 0553; (4) ICD 13M15000; (5) RSS-401-1

FAILURE CAUSE: B: Sleeve rub/collapses.

TIP LEAKAGE IS CONTROLLED BY THE CLEARANCE BETWEEN THE INDUCER (1) TIP AND THE HOUSING SLEEVE (2) TO OPTIMIZE INDUCER EFFICIENCY WHILE MAINTAINING MARGIN FROM RUBBING. THE INDUCER AND SLEEVE ARE MANUFACTURED UTILIZING K-MONEL, WHICH WAS SELECTED FOR ITS RESISTANCE TO CORROSION, WHILE RETAINING DUCTILITY AND TOUGHNESS AT CRYOGENIC TEMPERATURES (3). PERFORMANCE AT OPERATIONAL SPEEDS AND FLOWS IN LIQUID OXYGEN SATISFIED NET POSITIVE SUCTION PRESSURE (NPSP) REQUIREMENTS (4). THE SLEEVE IS DESIGNED TO PROTECT THE HOUSING INLET TUNNEL FROM DIRECT CONTACT WITH THE INDUCER. THE SLEEVE ALLOY IS ANNEALED (2). FINAL MACHINING OF THE BORE DIAMETER IS ACCOMPLISHED WITH THE SLEEVE INSTALLED IN THE HOUSING FOR MAXIMUM ALIGNMENT. AN INTERFERENCE FIT BETWEEN THE SLEEVE AND HOUSING AT AMBIENT TEMPERATURE IS REQUIRED TO PREVENT PRESSURE FROM CONTACTING THE BACKSIDE OF THE SLEEVE AND CAUSE SLEEVE DISTORTION. THE INTERFERENCE FIT IS FURTHER ENHANCED AT CRYOGENIC CONDITION. THE ADDITIONAL HOOP STRESS APPLIED TO THE AXIALLY-SYMMETRIC DESIGN INCREASES STIFFNESS AND RIGIDITY TO THE SLEEVE, REDUCING DISTORTION POTENTIALS. VEHICLE PROPELLANT CLEANLINESS REQUIREMENTS (5) MINIMIZE CONTAMINATION INDUCED RUBBING BETWEEN THE INDUCER AND SLEEVE. COMPONENTS DYNAMIC BALANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE INDUCER (1) AND ROTOR (6) REDUCE TIP DEFLECTIONS DURING OPERATION. THE HOUSING HAS COMPLETED DESIGN VERIFICATION TESTING FOR PROOF PRESSURE-STRESS DISTRIBUTION (7) AND PRESSURE BURST TEST (8).

(1) RS007812; (2) RS007802; (3) RSS-8579-9; (4) VRS 0553; (5) ICD 13M15000; (6) RS007805; (7) RSS-401-30; (8) RSS-401-24

FAILURE CAUSE: ALL CAUSES

K-MONEL MEETS LOX COMPATIBILITY REQUIREMENTS (1). THE HIGH CYCLE AND LOW CYCLE FATIGUE LIFE OF THE INDUCER AND HOUSING MEET CEI REQUIREMENTS (2). THE MINIMUM FACTORS OF SAFETY FOR THESE PARTS MEET CEI REQUIREMENTS (3). THE INDUCER PARENT MATERIAL WAS CLEARED FOR FRACTURE MECHANICS/NDE FLAW GROWTH SINCE IT IS NOT A FRACTURE CRITICAL PART, EXCEPT THE HOUSING ASSEMBLY WHICH WAS CLEARED BY RISK ASSESSMENT (4). THE CONTROLLER SOFTWARE IS CONFIGURED TO DETECT AND RESPOND TO THE FAILURES IDENTIFIED AND COMMAND A SAFE ENGINE STATE (5). REUSE OF PARTS DURING OVERHAUL ARE CONTROLLED BY THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE OVERHAUL SPECIFICATION (6).

(1) RSS-8579-9; (2) RL00532, CP32DR0003B; (3) RSS-8546-16, CP32DR0003B; (4) NASA TASK 117; (5) CP406R0008, 3.2.3.5.2; (6) RL01219

**SSME FM CIL
INSPECTION AND TEST**

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Failure Causes	Significant Characteristics	Inspection(s) / Test(s)	Document Reference
A	INDUCER		RS007812
	MATERIAL INTEGRITY	MATERIAL INTEGRITY IS VERIFIED PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.	RB0170-051
		THE INDUCER IS PENETRANT INSPECTED AFTER MACHINING PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.	RA0115-116
	HEAT TREAT	HEAT TREAT IS VERIFIED PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.	RA0611-020
	ASSEMBLY INTEGRITY	INDUCER BLADE SURFACES ARE INSPECTED PER DRAWING REQUIREMENTS. INDUCER BLADE COORDINATES ARE INSPECTED PER DRAWING REQUIREMENTS.	RS007812
B	INDUCER SLEEVE HOUSING ASSEMBLY		RS007812 RS007802 RS007802
	MATERIAL INTEGRITY	MATERIAL INTEGRITY IS VERIFIED PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.	RB0170-099 RB0170-051
		HOUSING IS PENETRANT INSPECTED PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.	RA0115-116
		HOUSING IS RADIOGRAPHIC INSPECTED PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.	RL10003
		HOUSING HOT ISOSTATIC PRESS IS VERIFIED PER DRAWING AND SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.	RS007802 RL00372
	HEAT TREAT	HOUSING AND INDUCER HEAT TREAT IS VERIFIED PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS. SLEEVE ANNEALING IS VERIFIED PER DRAWING REQUIREMENTS.	RA0611-020 RS007802
	ASSEMBLY INTEGRITY	THE INDUCER/HOUSING/SLEEVE ASSEMBLY DIAMETRICAL CLEARANCES AND SEALING SURFACES ARE INSPECTED PER DRAWING AND SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.	RS007801 RS007812 RS007802 RL01323
		ROTOR AND INDUCER BALANCE ARE VERIFIED PER DRAWING REQUIREMENTS.	RS007805 RS007812
	CLEANLINESS OF COMPONENTS	THE UPSTREAM COMPONENTS AND THE INDUCER/HOUSING ASSEMBLIES ARE VERIFIED CLEANED PER SPECIFICATION AND DRAWING REQUIREMENTS.	RL10001 RS007801
	ALL CAUSES	LPOTP ASSEMBLY INTEGRITY	THE PUMP SUBASSEMBLIES ARE INSPECTED DURING OVERHAUL PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS. INSPECTIONS INCLUDE: VISUAL, DIMENSIONAL, PENETRANT, AND REPLACEMENT OF USAGE ITEMS AS APPLICABLE, PER OVERHAUL SPECIFICATION. OPERATION PERFORMANCE IS VERIFIED BY ENGINE HOT FIRE TESTING AND 2ND E & M TESTS ON

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ALL CAUSES	ASSEMBLY INTEGRITY	TORQUE CHECKS ARE PERFORMED PRIOR TO EACH FLIGHT. DATA FROM THE PREVIOUS FLIGHT OR HOT FIRE IS REVIEWED FOR PROPER TURBOPUMP OPERATION/PERFORMANCE. (LAST TEST)	OMRSD V41BSD.030 MSFC PLN 1226

Failure History: Comprehensive failure history data is maintained in the Problem Reporting database (PRAMS/PRACA)

Reference: NASA letter SA21/88/308 and Rocketdyne letter 88RC09761.

Operational Use: Not Applicable.

**SSME TA/CIL
WELD JOINTS**

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Component	Basic Part Number	Weld Number	Weld Type	Class	Root Side Not Access	Critical Initial Flaw Size Not Detectable		Comments
						HCF	LCF	
ROTOR	RS007805	1PLC(OPT)	GTAW	I				
ROTOR	RS007805	1PLC(OPT)	EBW	I				
NOZZLE	RS007810	1PLC	EBW	I				

**SSME FMEA/CIL
FIELD CONFIGURATION VARIANCES FROM CIL RATIONALE**

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Base Line Rationale	Variance	Change Rationale	Variant Dash Number
1. B800-06, B800-08 BEARINGS ARE PROCESSED AND INSPECTED PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS (RL00918). (ECP 909)	BEARINGS ARE PROCESSED AND INSPECTED PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS (RL00558).	LONG TERM FATIGUE LIFE OF BEARINGS IS EXTENDED BY REDUCING THE ALLOWABLE SIZE AND QUANTITY OF ALLOWABLE DEFECTS. USE AS IS RATIONALE: 1. THE HIGH CYCLE AND LOW CYCLE FATIGUE LIFE OF BEARINGS PROCESSED PER RL00558 MEET CEI REQUIREMENTS. 2. THE MINIMUM FACTORS OF SAFETY FOR BEARINGS PROCESSED PER RL00558 MEET CEI REQUIREMENTS (RSS-8546-16).	-011, -121, -051, -071, -081, -091, -101, -111, -141, -151, -161, -181
2. B800-01 - CAUSE C / B800-09 CAUSE E THE SUPPORT IS PILOTED BY THE DEFLECTOR, WHICH IN TURN IS PILOTED BY THE NOZZLE.	THE SEAL IS PILOTED BY THE SUPPORT THE SUPPORT IS PILOTED BY THE NOZZLE.	THE PHASE II SILVER SEAL IS DESIGNED TO BE PILOTED BY THE ONE PIECE BEARING SUPPORT. THE PHASE II DESIGN ADEQUATELY CONTROLS THE STACK-UP OF THE STATIONARY HARDWARE TO PREVENT MOTION BETWEEN MATING PARTS.	RS007810-021 RS007801-191, -201
3. B800-04 CAUSE A THE INDUCER IS REDESIGNED FOR USE WITH THE LARGE THROAT MCC. THE NEW DESIGN DEMONSTRATED INCREASED PUMP CAPABILITIES AT HIGHER FLOW/SPEED WITH ACCEPTABLE INCREASE IN HEAD OUTPUT.	THE INDUCER IS DESIGNED FOR PHASE IV BLOCK I OPERATING CONDITIONS	THE PHASE II INDUCER WAS DESIGNED FOR OPERATION WITH THE STANDARD THROAT ENGINE.	RS007812-005 RS007801-201 -191
4. B800-06 - CAUSE D, H THE BEARING OUTER RACE IS SECURED BY A TWO PIECE BEARING SUPPORT. THE SUPPORT FEATURES A STIFF INTEGRAL THRUST SHOULDER DESIGNED TO REACT TO BEARING THRUST LOADS.	THE OUTER RACE NUT SECURES THE PUMP END BEARING OUTER RACE TO THE SUPPORT. PRELOAD SUPPLIED BY THE OUTER RACE NUT REDUCES POTENTIAL FOR FRETTING OR GALLING	THE PHASE II DESIGN USING A NUT TO RETAIN THE OUTER RACE PROVIDES ADEQUATE CLAMPING AND ALIGNMENT	RS007814-015 RS007825-007 RS007826-003 RS007801-201 -191
5. B800-06 - CAUSE B / B800-08 - CAUSE I BALLS ARE MADE FROM SILICON NITRIDE, WHICH WILL ELIMINATE WEAR.	THE BALLS AND RACES OF THE BEARINGS ARE MANUFACTURED UTILIZING 440C CRES	THE 440C BALLS IN THE PHASE II DESIGN ARE CONTROLLED FOR WEAR AND SPALLING BY OMRSD AND DAR 2880	RS007831-091, -181 RS007801-201 -191

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6. B800-01 - CAUSE A&B, B800-02, CAUSE A-D, B800-08 CAUSE D LPOTP NOZZLES ARE LIFE LIMITED PER DEVIATION DAR 2956	LPOTP NOZZLES ARE LIFE LIMITED PER DEVIATION DAR 2742	PHASE II LPOTP NOZZLES ARE LIFE LIMITED PER DEVIATION DAR 2742	RS007810-021
7. B800-06 - CAUSE M THE SHIM AND SPRING ARE MANUFACTURED UTILIZING INCOLOY 903, WHICH WAS SELECTED FOR CRYOGENIC MECHANICAL PROPERTIES.	B800-08 - CAUSE K THE SHIMS WERE MANUFACTURED UTILIZING NICKEL 200.	THE PHASE II DESIGN SHIM MATERIAL, NICKEL 200, PROVIDES ADEQUATE PROPERTIES FOR ITS FUNCTION.	RS007817 RS007801-201 -191
THE PUMP END BEARING OUTER RACE IS PILOTTED BY THE SUPPORT AND IS RETAINED, TIGHT AGAINST THE SUPPORT SHOULDER ALONG WITH SHIMS AND SPRING, AND IS SECURED IN PLACE BY THE DEFLECTOR.	B800-09 - CAUSE D THE PUMP END BEARING OUTER RACE IS PILOTTED BY THE SUPPORT AND IS RETAINED, ALONG WITH A SHIM, BY THE OUTER RACE NUT.	THE PHASE II DESIGN USING A NUT TO RETAIN THE OUTER RACE PROVIDES ADEQUATE CLAMPING AND ALIGNMENT.	
8. B800-01 THROUGH B800-09 THE PUMP SUBASSEMBLIES ARE INSPECTED DURING OVERHAUL PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS RL01219	THE PUMP SUBASSEMBLIES ARE INSPECTED DURING OVERHAUL PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS RL00473	THE RL00473 WAS SPECIFICALLY WRITTEN FOR THE PHASE II DESIGN	RS007801-191,-201
9. B800-02 THROUGH B800-04 AND B800-06 THROUGH B800-09 ASSEMBLY INTEGRITY IS VERIFIED PER DRAWING AND SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS RL01323	ASSEMBLY INTEGRITY IS VERIFIED PER DRAWING AND SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS RL00006.	THE RL00006 WAS SPECIFICALLY WRITTEN FOR THE PHASE II DESIGN	RS007801-191,-201
10. B800-04 FAILURE CAUSE A AND B NET POSITIVE SUCTION PRESSURE REQUIREMENTS WERE SATISFIED OVER THE ENTIRE OPERATING RANGE BY DESIGN VERIFICATION TESTING VRS 0553	NET POSITIVE SUCTION PRESSURE REQUIREMENTS WERE SATISFIED OVER THE ENTIRE OPERATING RANGE BY DESIGN VERIFICATION TESTING DVS-SSME-401B	THE DVS SSME 401B WAS SPECIFICALLY WRITTEN FOR THE PHASE II DESIGN	RS007801-191,-201

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11. B800-01 - CAUSE C VENT HOLES DESIGNED INTO THE SEAL RING STRUCTURE PREVENT PRESSURE BUILDUP AND DISTORTION OF THE SEAL RING ONTO THE LABYRINTH SEAL.	VENT HOLES DESIGNED INTO THE SUPPORT STRUCTURE PREVENT PRESSURE BUILDUP AND DISTORTION OF THE SEAL RING ONTO THE LABYRINTH SEAL.	PHASE II DESIGN ADEQUATELY PREVENTS PRESSURE BUILD UP	RS007816-009 RS007801-201 -191

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