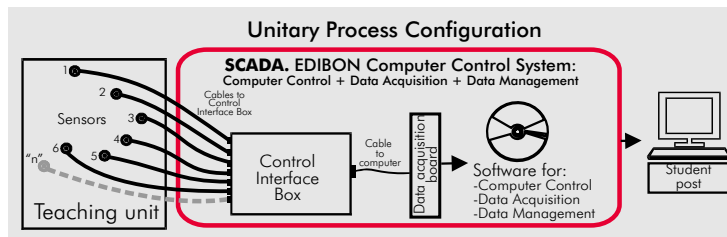


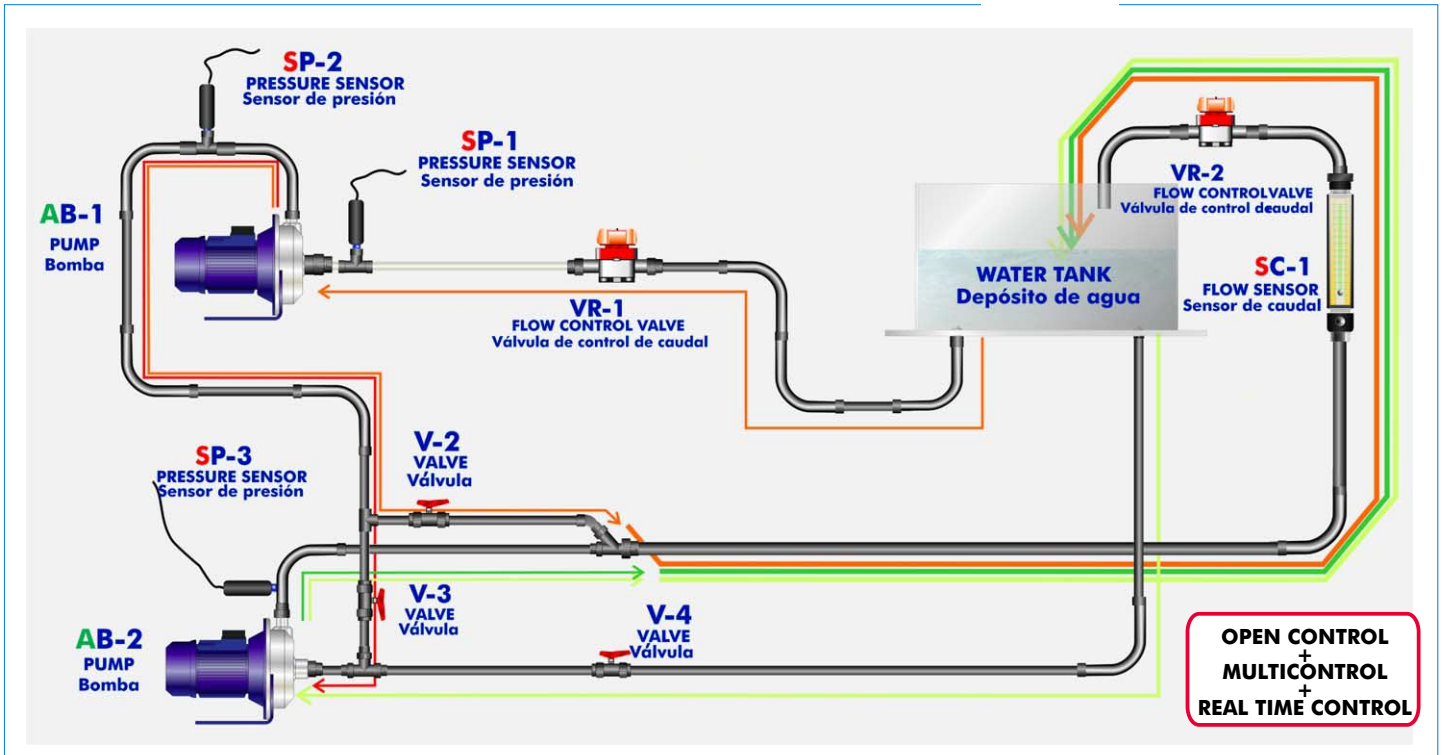
① Unit: PBSPC. Series/Parallel Pumps Bench



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DESCRIPTION

Unit designed to demonstrate the operational advantages of parallel or series operation, depending on the required duty.

This unit consists of two centrifugal pumps, a water tank and circulation pipes with valves at the inlet and outlet of the pumps, three pressure sensors and a flow sensor. This unit is supplied with the EDIBON Computer Control System (SCADA), including: Control Interface Box + Data Acquisition Board + Computer Control and Data Acquisition Software, for controlling the process and the parameters involved.

The centrifugal pumps can operate: alone, coupled in series or in parallel. A three-phase motor activates a pump with possibility of adjustment and measurement of the turn speed as well as of the transmitted mechanic torque.

The pumps are installed in a pipes system, which, as it is a closed circuit, avoids the permanent waste of water during the operation.

By the appropriate positioning of the valves it is possible to connect the pumps individually, in series or in parallel, depending on which test is going to be performed.

SPECIFICATIONS

① PBSPC. Unit:

Anodized aluminium structure.

Panels and main metallic elements in stainless steel.

Diagram in the front panel with similar distribution that the elements in the real unit.

2 Centrifugal pumps :

Maximum flow: 120 l./min. Maximum height (approx.): 25 mwc (meter of water column).

One is a three-phase pump of 0.37 KW with continuous speed adjustment with inverter of frequency/voltage and the other one is single-phase.

3 valves that allow connecting the pumps separately, in series or in parallel, by the appropriate positioning of the valves and 2 regulating valves.

Torque measurement and speed measurement.

Discharge pressure sensor (0 to 2.5 bar).

Discharge pressure sensor (0 to 6 bar).

Admission pressure sensor (-1 to 0 bar).

Flow sensor (0-150 l./min.).

By the previous sensors we can make measurement of the most representative parameters of the pumps and their couplings (series/parallel):

Speed.

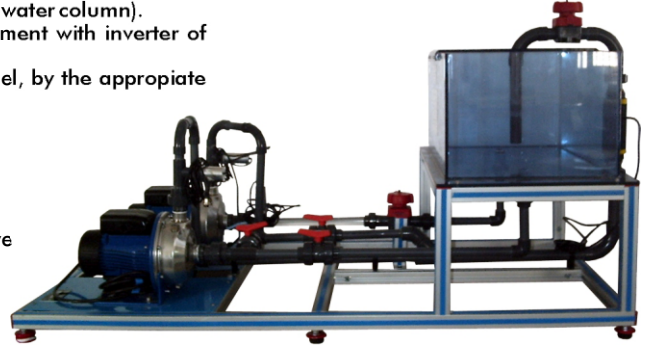
Torque.

Total impelled flow.

Admission and discharge pressure.

The speed of one pump is adjustable from the computer.

Water tank, capacity: 60 l.



PBSPC. Unit

② PBSPC/CIB. Control Interface Box :

Control interface box with process diagram in the front panel and with the same distribution that the different elements located in the unit, for an easy understanding by the student.

All sensors, with their respective signals, are properly manipulated for -10V. to +10V computer output. Sensors connectors in the interface have different pines numbers (from 2 to 16), to avoid connection errors. Single cable between the control interface box and computer.

The unit control elements are permanently computer controlled, without necessity of changes or connections during the whole process test procedure. Simultaneously visualization in the computer of all parameters involved in the process. Calibration of all sensors involved in the process.

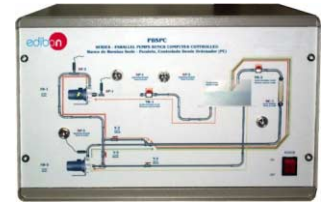
Real time curves representation about system responses. Storage of all the process data and results in a file. Graphic representation, in real time, of all the process/system responses.

All the actuators' values can be changed at any time from the keyboard allowing the analysis about curves and responses of the whole process. All the actuators and sensors values and their responses are placed in only one computer screen.

Shield and filtered signals to avoid external interferences.

Real time computer control with flexibility of modifications from the computer keyboard of the parameters, at any moment during the process. Real time computer control for pumps, compressors, resistances, control valves, etc. Open control allowing modifications, at any time and in real time, of parameters involved in the process simultaneously.

Three safety levels, one mechanical in the unit, other electronic in control interface and the third one in the control software.



PBSPC/CIB

③ DAB. Data Acquisition Board:

PCI Data acquisition board (National Instruments) to be placed in a computer slot. Bus PCI.

Analog input:

Number of channels= 16 single-ended or 8 differential. Resolution= 16 bits, 1 in 65536.

Sampling rate up to: 250 KS/s (Kilo samples per second).

Input range (V)=±10V. Data transfers=DMA, interrupts, programmed I/O. Number of DMA channels=6.

Analog output:

Number of channels=2. Resolution= 16 bits, 1 in 65536. Max. output rate up to: 833 KS/s.

Output range(V)=±10V. Data transfers=DMA, interrupts, programmed I/O.

Digital Input/Output:

Number of channels=24 inputs/outputs. D0 or DI Sample Clock frequency: 0 to 1 MHz.

Timing: Counter/timers=2. Resolution: Counter/timers: 32 bits.



DAB

④ PBSPC/CCSOF. Computer Control + Data Acquisition + Data Management Software:

Compatible with actual Windows operating systems. Graphic and intuitive simulation of the process in screen. Compatible with the industry standards.

Registration and visualization of all process variables in an automatic and simultaneously way. Flexible, open and multicontrol software, developed with actual windows graphic systems, acting simultaneously on all process parameters.

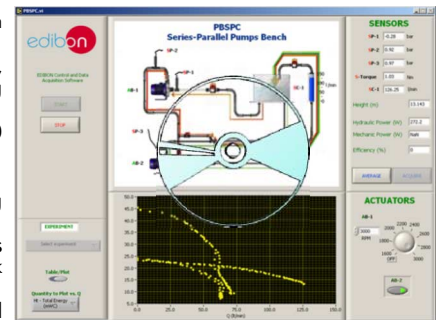
Management, processing, comparison and storage of data. Sampling velocity up to 250,000 data per second guaranteed. Student calibration system for all sensors involved in the process.

It allows the registration of the alarms state and the graphic representation in real time.

Comparative analysis of the obtained data, after to the process and modification of the conditions during the process.

Open software, allowing to the teacher to modify texts, instructions. Teacher's and student's passwords to facilitate the teacher's control on the student, and allowing the access at different work levels.

This unit allows that 30 students of the classroom can visualize simultaneously all results and manipulation of the unit, during the process, by using a projector.



PBSPC/CCSOF

⑤ Cables and Accessories, for normal operation.

⑥ Manuals:

This unit is supplied with 8 manuals: Required Services, Assembly and Installation, Interface and Control Software, Starting-up, Safety, Maintenance, Calibration & Practices Manuals.

*** References 1 to 6: PBSPC + PBSPC/CIB + DAB + PBSPC/CCSOF + Cables and Accessories + Manuals are included in the minimum supply, enabling a normal operation.**

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Complementary items to the standard supply

PLC. Industrial Control using PLC (7 and 8):

⑦ PLC-PI. PLC Module:

Circuit diagram in the front panel.

Front panel:

Digital inputs(X) and Digital outputs (Y) block:

16 Digital inputs, activated by switches and 16 LEDs for confirmation (red).

14 Digital outputs (through SCSI connector) with 14 LEDs for message (green).

Analog inputs block:

16 Analog inputs (-10V. to + 10V.)(through SCSI connector).

Analog outputs block:

4 Analog outputs (-10V. to + 10V) (through SCSI connector).

Touch screen:

High visibility and multiple functions.

Display of a highly visible status.

Recipe function.

Bar graph function.

Flow display function.

Alarm list.

Multi language function.

True type fonts.

Back panel:

Power supply connector.

Fuse 2A.

RS-232 connector to PC.

Inside:

Power supply outputs: 24 Vdc, 12 Vdc, -12 Vdc, 12 Vdc variable.

Panasonic PLC:

High-speed scan of 0.32 μsec. for a basic instruction.

Program capacity of 32 Ksteps, with a sufficient comment area.

Free input AC voltage(100 to 240 V AC).

DC input: 16 (24 V DC).

Relay output: 14 (250 VA AC/2 A).

High-speed counter.

Multi-point PID control.

Digital inputs/outputs and analog inputs/outputs Panasonic modules.

Communication RS232 wire, to computer (PC).

⑧ PBSPC/PLC-SOF. PLC Control Software:

For this particular unit, always included with PLC supply.



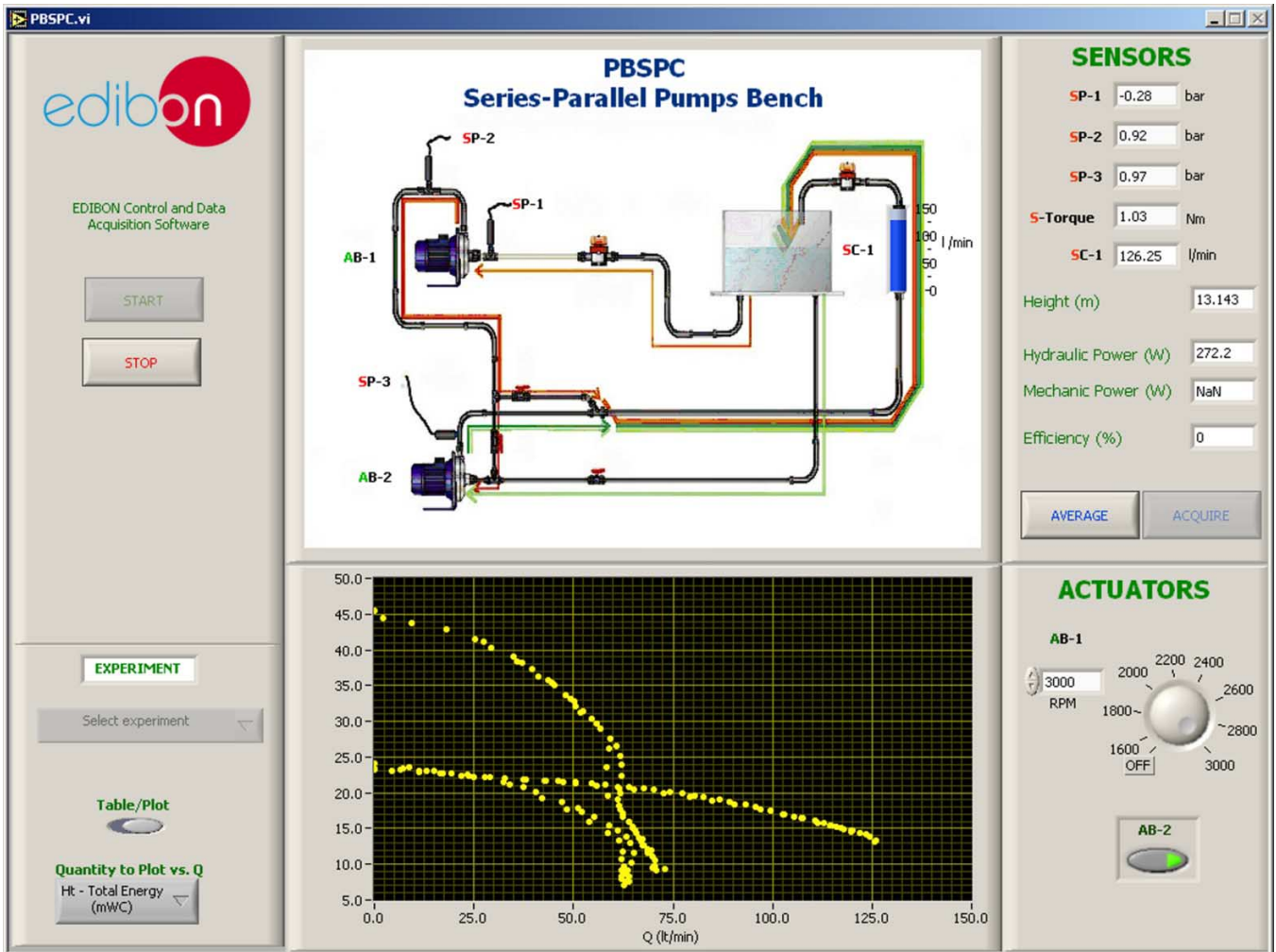
PLC-PI

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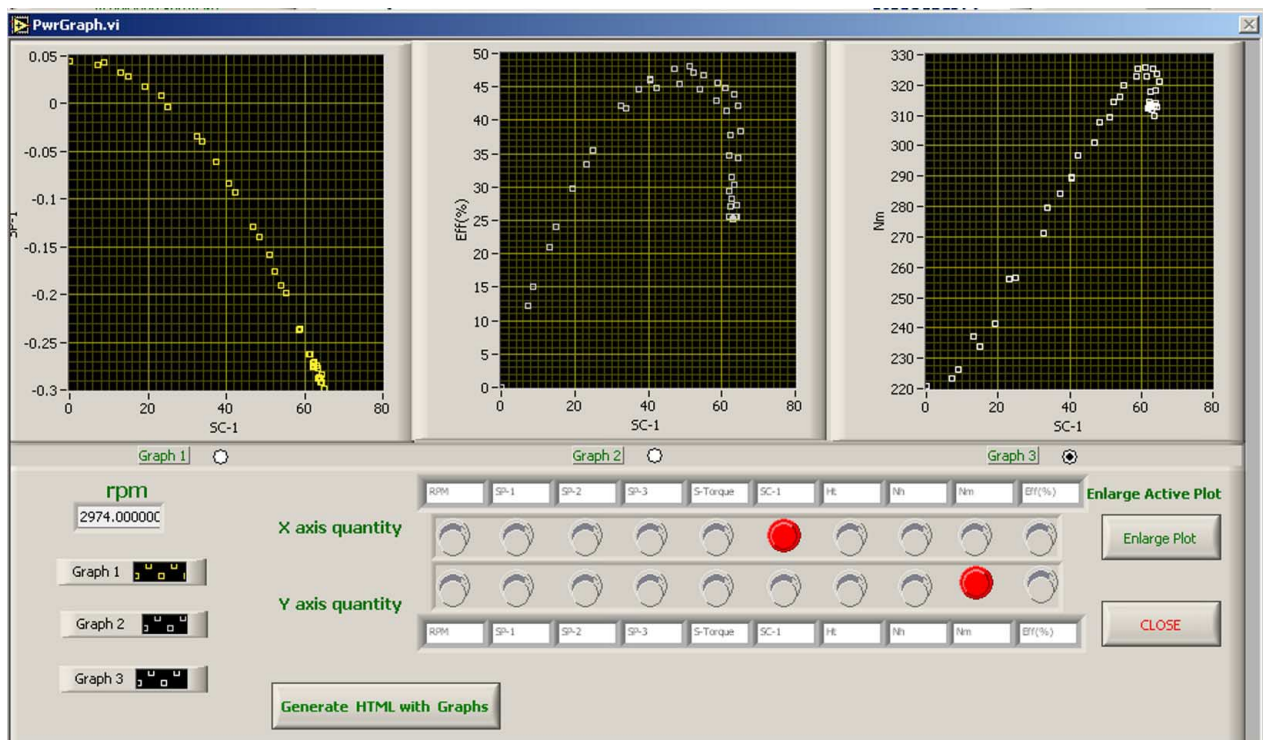
⑨ PBSPC/CAL. Computer Aided Learning Software (Results Calculation and Analysis).

⑩ PBSPC/FSS. Faults Simulation System.

Some typical exercises results



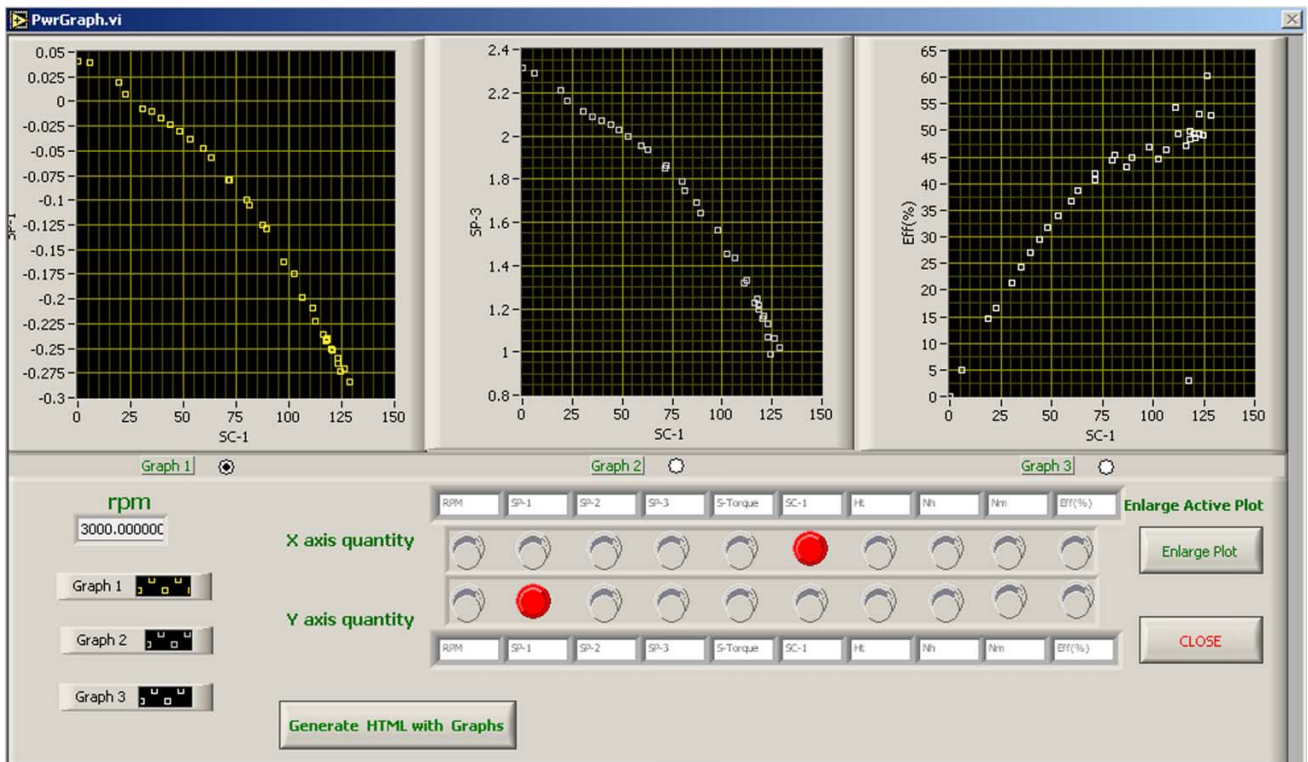
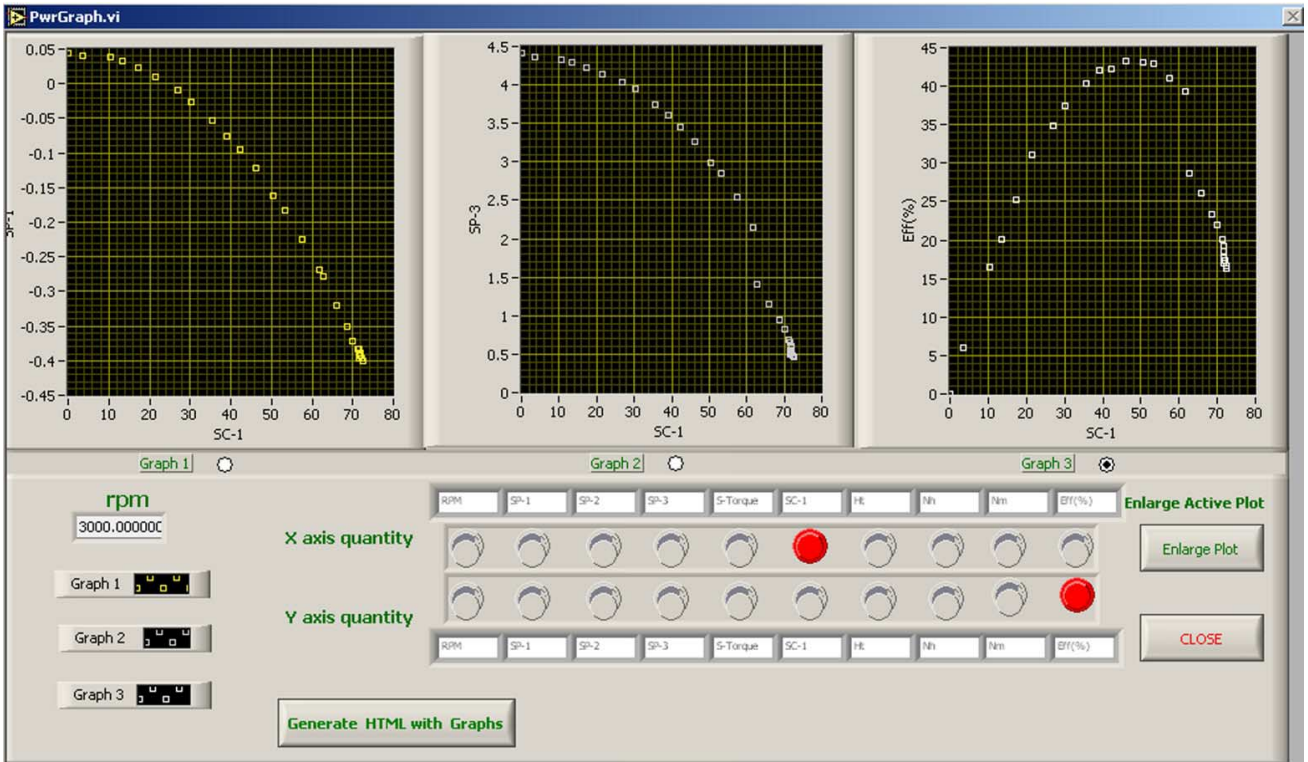
On this screen it is shown the representation of the pump characteristics and of the parallel and series configurations. As we can see, when we have two parallel pumps a bigger flow can be pumped (in theory, two times greater than in the one pump case) at the same height (with the same energy). If what we want is to pump a higher height, we should use two serial pumps, what let us to reach higher energies with a constant flow.



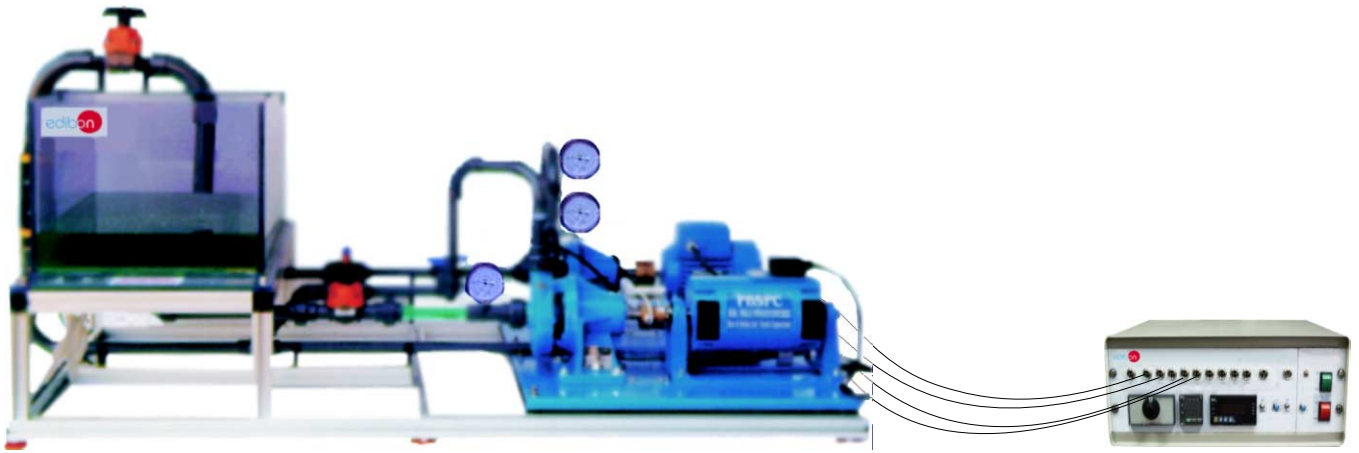
We can see on this three screens the main pump characteristics as function of the flow pumped. We see as the mechanic power (and then, the mechanic efficiency) increases the flow increases, until a moment in which flow is so high, that the mechanic power starts to decrease.

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Some typical exercises results



In these two examples we can compare the maximum flow and the outlet pressure (SP-3) when the valve is closed (no flow). As we see, the outlet pressure is greater in the parallel pumps case than in the serial and one pump cases, which are similar between them. In the other way, the maximum flow is higher in the serial case than in the parallel and one pump cases (which are similar between them).



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② Electronic Console

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Discharge pressure meter (0 to 2.5 bar).

Discharge pressure meter (0 to 6 bar).

Admission pressure meter (-1 to 0 bar).

Flow meter, range: 0 - 150 l./min.

Torque measurement.

Speed measurement.

The speed of one pump is adjustable from speed controller.

Water tank, capacity: 60 l.

② Electronic Console:

Metallic box.

Speed controller.

Display for speed, torque and power.

Pumps switches.

③ Cables and accessories, for normal operation.

④ Manuals:

This unit is supplied with the following manuals: Required Services, Assembly and Installation, Starting-up, Safety, Maintenance & Practices Manuals.

EXERCISES AND PRACTICAL POSSIBILITIES

Some Practical Possibilities of the Unit:

- 1.- Obtaining of curves $H(Q)$, $N(Q)$, $Eff\%(Q)$.
- 2.- Obtaining of the map of a centrifugal pump.
- 3.- Adimensional study of magnitudes H^* , N^* and Q^* .
- 4.- Cavitation test and obtaining of curves $NPSH_c$.
- 5.- Series coupling of two pumps with same characteristics.
- 6.- Series coupling of two pumps of different characteristics.
- 7.- Parallel coupling of two pumps with same characteristics.
- 8.- Parallel coupling of two pumps of different characteristics.

ORDER INFORMATION

The supply always includes:

- ① Unit: **PBSPB. Series/Parallel Pumps Bench.**
- ② **Electronic Console.**
- ③ **Cables and Accessories**, for normal operation.
- ④ **Manuals.**

*** IMPORTANT: Under PBSPB we always supply all the elements for immediate running as 1, 2, 3 and 4.**

REQUIRED SERVICES

- Electrical supply: 220V./50Hz or 110V./60Hz.
- Water supply and drainage.

DIMENSIONS & WEIGHTS

- Unit: -Dimensions: 1530 x 770 x 1000 mm. approx.
-Weight: 105 Kg. approx.
- Electronic Console: -Dimensions: 490 x 330 x 310mm. approx.
-Weight: 10 Kg. approx.

* Specifications subject to change without previous notice, due to the convenience of improvements of the product.



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