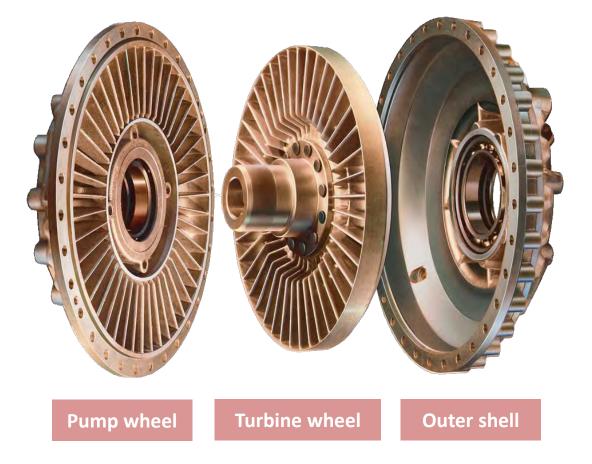
## Constant Fill Fluid Couplings Main components



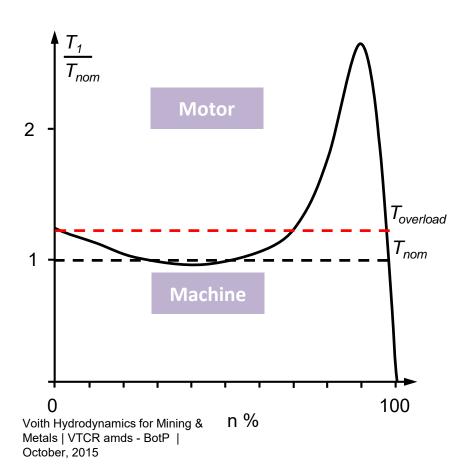
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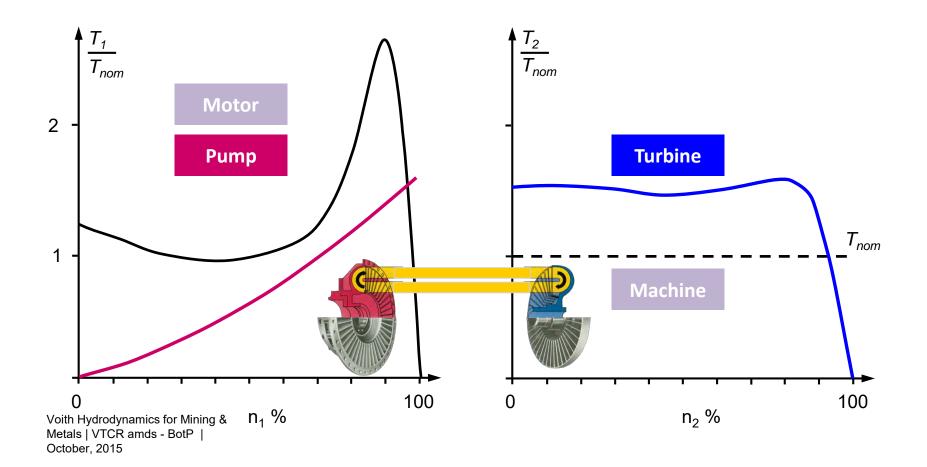
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## Why hydrodynamic power transmission?



- The torque characteristic of asynchronous motors doesn't allow the startup of constant load machines.
- In case of high mass moment of inertia of the machine the start-up takes long time and leads to unacceptable heating of the motor.
- The motor pull out torque is transmitted to drive and machine.

# Hydrodynamic help's motor and machine!



## **Functions of Fluid Couplings**

#### •Start-up of motor

- Load free start-up, start-up parabola
- Avoid transmission of pull out torque to gear / machine
- Reduce current inrush in power grid

#### •Start-up of machine

- Start-up torque limitation
- Inertia / fly-wheel mass start-up

### Nominal operation of machine

- Vibrations / damping
- Load sharing in multi motor drives

## **Functions of Fluid Couplings**

- Overload condition
  - Overload protection, limitation of stall torque
  - Shock damping
  - Separation of motor inertia from drive and machine
  - Protection of motor from stalling (no electrical overload)

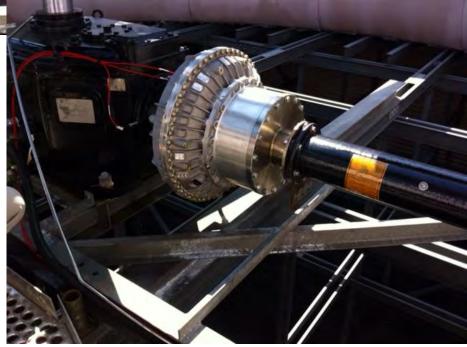
#### Stopping machine

- Controlled speed reduction
- Braking machine
- In case of Reversing cooling tower fans Motor spike does not reach the gearbox, the coupling brakes the reverse motion and accelerates it forward.



## Greenfield Energy 300 HP @ 1780 rpm

562 TVV added to the system The gearboxes were having regular failures from restarts The addition of the fluid coupling to slowly engage the reversing fan and move it in the correct direction worked



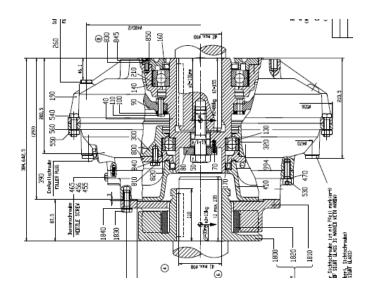
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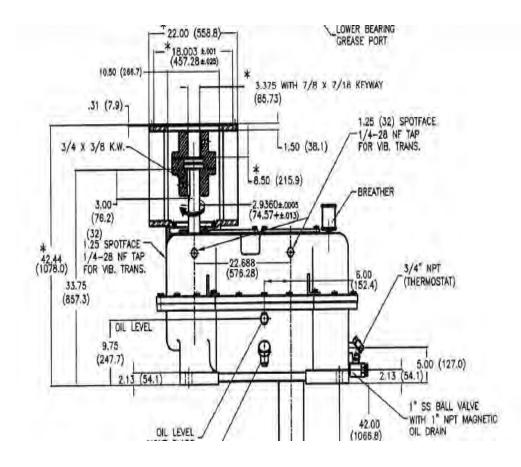




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## Fluid Coupling with Bell Housing to Replace existing flex coupling





### **Components of Retrofit**

