# MELGIN

# Apex<sup>™</sup> Decanter Centrifuge Solutions















# Who We Are





Elgin Separation Solutions ("Elgin") has evolved into a world-wide leader in design, manufacture and service of specialized liquid/solids, dewatering, and waste management solutions.



Elgin has invested in high-quality, full-service, product support centers in Houston, Texas; Raleigh, Illinois; and Poca, West Virginia to manage your equipment repair needs.



Elgin's in-house team of engineers and technicians can custom design complete turn-key systems designed to meet customer needs in finding the ideal solution suitable for any project requirement.



# **Key Equipment Components**

Elgin's line of Apex™ decanter centrifuge's are manufactured with high-quality materials of construction. In addition, premium designed gearboxes, epicentric liquid-end discharge ports, wide-mouth

over a diameter ratio

of 3.5, Elgin achieves

an extremely stable

centrifuge.

tungsten carbide solids discharge ports and plows, precision machined heavy-duty pillow blocks, and continuous duty poly-chain driven motors ensure durable, high-performance operation.



an industry-leading speed dif-

ferential when managing the

cut-point and moisture con-



**Pillow Blocks** Premium bearings installed in precisionmachined pillow blocks.

**Premium Motors** NEMA premium, continuousduty explosion proof drive motors.

**Hydraulic/Electric Configurations** Elgin can customize centrifuges for electric or hydraulic operations.

are length-stable and can

withstand shock loads

that frequently lead to

belt failure.



# **Turn-Key Centrifuge Solutions**

Elgin specializes in turn-key centrifuge solutions. Whether you are looking for a single unit with telescoping stand, trailer mounted system with dedicated power source and polymer injection system, or a fully containerized dewatering system with dedicated control room for harsh environments, Elgin's team can customize the ideal solution.

Have existing assets? Elgin can incorporate your equipment into a skid, trailer, or container ized platform. Elgin's in-house control panel engineers can design fully integrated controls paired with customers assets to include operational interface, safety interlocks, automation systems, and maintenance protocols.

# **Turn-Key Solutions Options**

- Integrated proprietary HMI touch-screen VFD control system with safety interlocks and alarm notifications.
- Mobile polishing systems built with integrated piping manifold and static inline mixers to achieve maximum residence time when adding polymers.
- Optional onboard sound-attenuated Tier-4 generators ranging from 20KW up to 300KW.
- Dedicated progressive cavity or self-priming feed pump packages.
- Onboard solids discharge screw conveyors or belt conveyor configurations.

- Heavy-duty dual and triple-axle trailer configurations with hydraulic leveling jacks.
- Fully containerized dewatering systems with dedicated control room/mud lab with HVAC system.
- Dedicated fluid tanks with high/low level sensors for operational monitoring.
- Fully designed facilities with detailed layout, electrical schematics, and project planning.
- Complete in-house engineering, 2D & 3D designs with detailing, general assembly drawings, and process flow descriptions.



Assembled as a "field skid" configuration, Elgin's centrifuge systems include onboard control panel and can be easily installed on top of a telescoping stand.



Slim-line unit designs are ideal for placement in small spaces with stand-alone control panel to meet operational needs.





**Mobile Polishing Solutions:** Built on a heavy-duty dual or triple-axle trailer or 56' dual-axle rock-over trailer, mobile polishing systems include high capacity tanks with level sensors, solids discharge screw conveyor, dedicated progressive cavity feed pump, self-priming transfer pump, onboard sound-attenuated generator and NEMA 7 or NEMA 4X stainless-steel HMI touch-screen VFD control panel.

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### **Containerized Solutions**

Elgin can fully integrate a number of processes into a single 20' or 40' standard shipping container. Units include dedicated control room or mud lab, chemical additive injection pumps and tanks, decanter centrifuge, centrate collection tank, dedicated feed/transfer pumps, and solids discharge conveyor.

### **Custom Engineered Solutions**

Elgin's in-house team of engineers and technicians can incorporate customer's existing assets to build a custom trailer mounted or containerized system for operational needs.

Modular systems can be fully equipped with collection tanks, solids discharge conveyors, polymer injection systems, dedicated power pack, and centralized control system.



# **Customizable Control Panels**

Depending on your budget and performance needs, Elgin's centrifuges can be fitted with a host of custom VFD, FHVD, MVD control options in both explosion proof and non-explosion proof configurations.

Variable Frequency Controlled centrifuges allow the operator to change the centrifuge cut point with the flip of a switch.



### NEMA 4X Stainless-Steel VFD Cabinet Enclosure with HMI Interface

Class I – Division II Non-Explosion Proof or Class I - Division I Explosion Proof HMI Touch-Screen.



### **NEMA 7 VFD Enclosure**

Class I – Division I Explosion Proof with Active Air Cooling Technology.

Elgin centrifuges can be fitted with a host of custom VFD, FHVD, MVD controls



# NEMA 7X Aluminum Enclosure

Class I – Division I Explosion Proof (ATEX Zone I Panel Available).



### **VFD Pump Integrated Panel**

Onboard control panel with built-in VFD controls for efficient feed pump performance.



# NEMA 4X Stainless-Steel VFD with HMI, Air Conditioning, and Purged Air

Monitors the system for extreme temperature with protective interlocks that alerts the operator. Class I -Division I Explosion Proof configuration.

# **Safety Interlocks**

When it comes to optimal operation performance, it is key to integrate safety interlocks to prevent equipment malfunction during operation. Elgin centrifuges are equipped with a host of premium industry-standard safety interlocks.



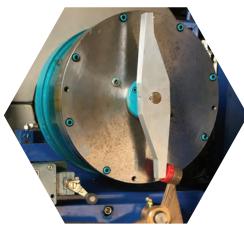
### **Vibration Switch**

Designed to protect the centrifuge, if excessive vibration occurs during operation.



### **Thermal Sensors**

Onboard thermal sensor monitors pillow block and protects from high temperature damage.



### **Torque Arm**

A trip assembly that prevents over torquing of the gearbox during operation.



### **Lid Sensor**

Safety interlock that shuts down the system in the event the lid is opened during operation.



### **Emergency Stop**

Centrally located E-Stop button to stop operation to prevent system failure.



### **Active Lubrication System**

Onboard active lubrication system provides for continuous lubrication of pillow blocks preventing bearing damage.



# **Proprietary System Automation**

Elgin's proprietary user interface provides complete control of all systems, as well as, a sophisticated set of diagnostic tools, information libraries and fault logs. Control systems include a variety of enhanced features including, internal lighting, ventilation and heating, Ethernet porting for diagnostics and programming updates, and a custom designed

user interface that allows for maximum operating flexibility and control.

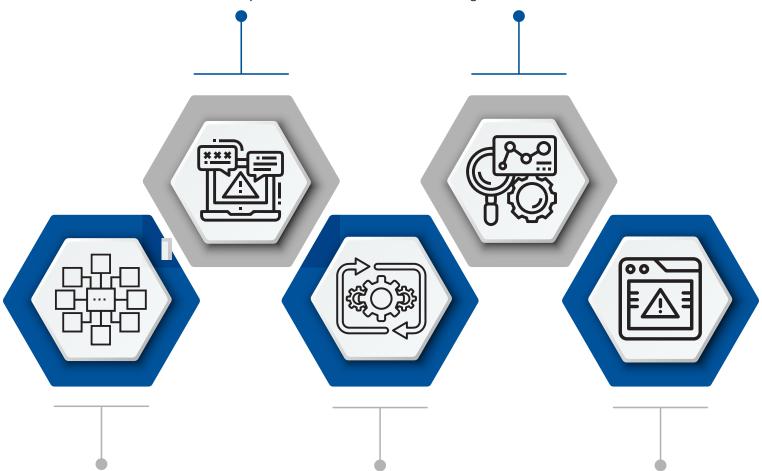
Panel upgrades can include onboard Wi-Fi network module allowing for remote operation/monitoring via laptop, tablet or smart phone.

### **System Alarm Notifications**

Safety interlocks built into each system alert the operator when potential system shutdown/damage has or may occur.

### **Remote Control and Diagnostics**

Each user interface comes with the capability of remote control offering the ability to control a centrifuge from great distances.



### **Data Logging**

System performance and operation data tracking storage logs for improving job performance.

### 'Cruise Control' Automation

Each centrifuge offers automated controls for efficient operation and lower operator oversite.

### **Maintenance Alerts**

Operational alerts notify operator of routine equipment maintenance schedules.



# **Feed Systems**

Having the right pump to feed material to the centrifuge is key to efficient operations. Elgin offers a wide range of pumps perfectly paired with the decanter centrifuge.



### **Progressive Cavity Pump**

PC pumps improve centrifuge performance, extend the life of a centrifuge, and reduce overall operations and maintenance costs when properly operated.



### **Self-Priming Pumps**

Elgin's line of self-priming solids-handling pumps offer a trouble-free, non-clogging design. The large volute automatically reprimes in a fully open system, without the need for complicated suction or discharge plumbing.

# **Solids Discharge Equipment**

Elgin's turn-key solutions are outfitted with sophisticated solids conveyance systems available. This allows the solids separated to be stack-piled or directly deposited into a roll-off waste containment bin.



### **Screw Conveyors**

Available in various length configurations, screw conveyors offer high-performance in moving discharged solids over great lengths.



### **Belt Conveyors**

Belt conveyors efficiently convey material in large volumes. Mounted with optional swivel base and belt wiper for cleaning material off the conveyor.



# **Centrifuge Product Line**

Depending on you operational needs, Elgin has a complete line of high-speed and low-speed decanter centrifuges ranging from 40 gallons per minute up to 550 gallons per minute.

Model Number	Apex 9VFD™	Apex 14MVD™	Apex 14MVD-SL™	Apex 16VFD™	Apex 1842BD™
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Maximum G Force	2,600 G′s	2,100 G′s	2,100 G′s	2,300 G′s	1,130 G′s
Maximum Speed	4,500 rpm	3,250 rpm	3,250 rpm.	3,400 rpm	2,100 rpm
Hydraulic Capacity	75 gpm (4.7 lps)	200 gpm (12.6 lps)	200 gpm (1,893 lps)	300 gpm (18.9 lps)	40 gpm (2.5 Lps)
Bowl Construction	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel
Bowl Diameter	9" (229 mm)	14" (356 mm)	14" (356 mm)	16" (406 mm)	18" (475 mm)
Bowl Length	36" (914 mm)	49.5" (1,257 mm)	49.5″ (1,257 mm)	55" (1,397 mm)	42" (1,066 mm)
Weight	4,500 lbs (2,064 kgs)	7,000 lbs (3,175 kgs)	4,000 lb (1,814 kgs)	7,500 lbs (3,402 kgs)	4,547 lbs (2,062 mm)
Dimension	81" (2,057 mm) L x 25" (635 mm) W x 30" (762 mm) H	103" (2,616 mm) L x 74" (1,876 mm) W x 48" (1,219 mm) H	31" (787 mm) L x 110" (2,794 mm) W x 51" (1,295 mm) H	145" (3,683 mm) L x 36" (914 mm) W x 57" (1,447 mm) H	97" (2,463 mm) L x 72" (1,828 mm) W x 34" (863 mm) H
Gearbox Ratio	40:1	52:1 or 125:1	52:1 or 125:1	56:1	80:1 or 140:1

Looking for hydraulically driven centrifuges? Elgin can configure any centrifuge for hydraulic operation.





### **Modular Lubrication System**

Elgin has developed a modular centrifuge lube system that provides improved system performance and optimizes centrifuge up-time. Elgin's lube system monitors both flow and temperature and can provide a signal that can be routed back to a central control room. In addition, Elgin's centrifuge lube system provides for an enhanced heat exchanger and expanded 50-gallon capacity lube oil reservoir.

Model Number	Apex 1850BD™	Apex 19VFD™	Apex 22VFD™	Apex 2438BD™	Apex 2460BD™
Equipment Image		ELOSH	MELGIN		ELGIN
Maximum G-Force	1,130 G′s	2,500 G's	2,750 G′s	1,130 G's	1,130 G′s
Maximum Speed	2,100 rpm	3,100 rpm	3,000 rpm	2,100 rpm	2,100 rpm
Hydraulic Capacity	40 gpm (2.5 Lps)	500 gpm (1,893 lpm)	550 gpm (34.7 lps)	80 gpm (5.0 Lps)	150 gpm (9.5 Lps)
Bowl Construction	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel
Bowl Diameter	18" (475 mm)	18.5" (469.9 mm)	21.5" (546 mm)	24" (610 mm)	24" (610 mm)
Bowl Length	50" (1,270 mm)	67" (1,702 mm)	72" (1,829 mm)	38" (965 mm)	60" (1,524 mm)
Weight	5,000 lbs (2,268 kgs)	10,500 lbs (4,762 kgs)	14,000 lbs (6,350 kgs)	6,300 lbs (2,858 kgs)	8,300 lbs (3,764 kgs)
Dimension	107" (2,718 mm) L x 78" (1,981 mm) W x 35" (889 mm) H	178"(4,521 mm) L x 45.5" (1,155 mm) W x 60" (1,524 mm) H	156" (3,957 mm) L x 82" (2,065 mm) W x 51" (1,280 mm) H	104" (2,641 mm) L x 84" (2,134 mm) W x 37" (940 mm) H	124" (3,149 mm) L x 82" (2,082 mm) W x 38" (965 mm) H
Gearbox Ratio	80:1 or 140:1	80:1	48:1	80:1 or 140:1	80:1 or 140:1

### **Core Exchange Program**

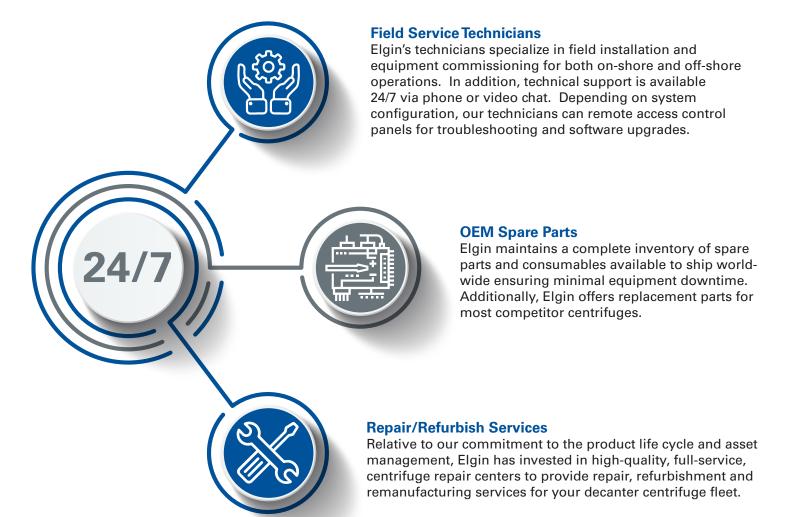
Relative to our commitment to the product life cycle and asset management, Elgin Separation Solutions offers a core exchange program<sup>1</sup>.

1-Elgin's Core Exchange Program is restricted to the centrifuge core (rotating assembly). The Customer core submitted in exchange for the Elgin refurbished core shall be submitted to Elgin with full title. The new Elgin core will be provided with a full title. Both Elgin and the Customer shall release all legal ownership of the cores exchanged. Customer cores that have undergone catastrophic damage are not eligible for Elgin's Core Exchange Program. Complete details relative to defining catastrophic damage are available for review. The Elgin refurbished cores shall be provided with standard warranty on parts and workmanship. Additional terms and conditions apply. Contact an Elgin representative for more details.



# **Global Support**

Elgin provides full installation and technical support for all its equipment. With technical support offices in Brisbane, Australia; Edmonton, Canada; Houston, Texas; Raleigh, Illinois; Moscow, Russia; Dubai, United Arab Emirates; and Baroda, India, Elgin can mobilize field technicians within 24 hours to almost any location in the world. With over 30 year's of experience in centrifuge repair and refurbishment of the industry's most popular decanter centrifuges, Elgin has the largest one-stop-shop service footprint for maintaining your entire centrifuge fleet.





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