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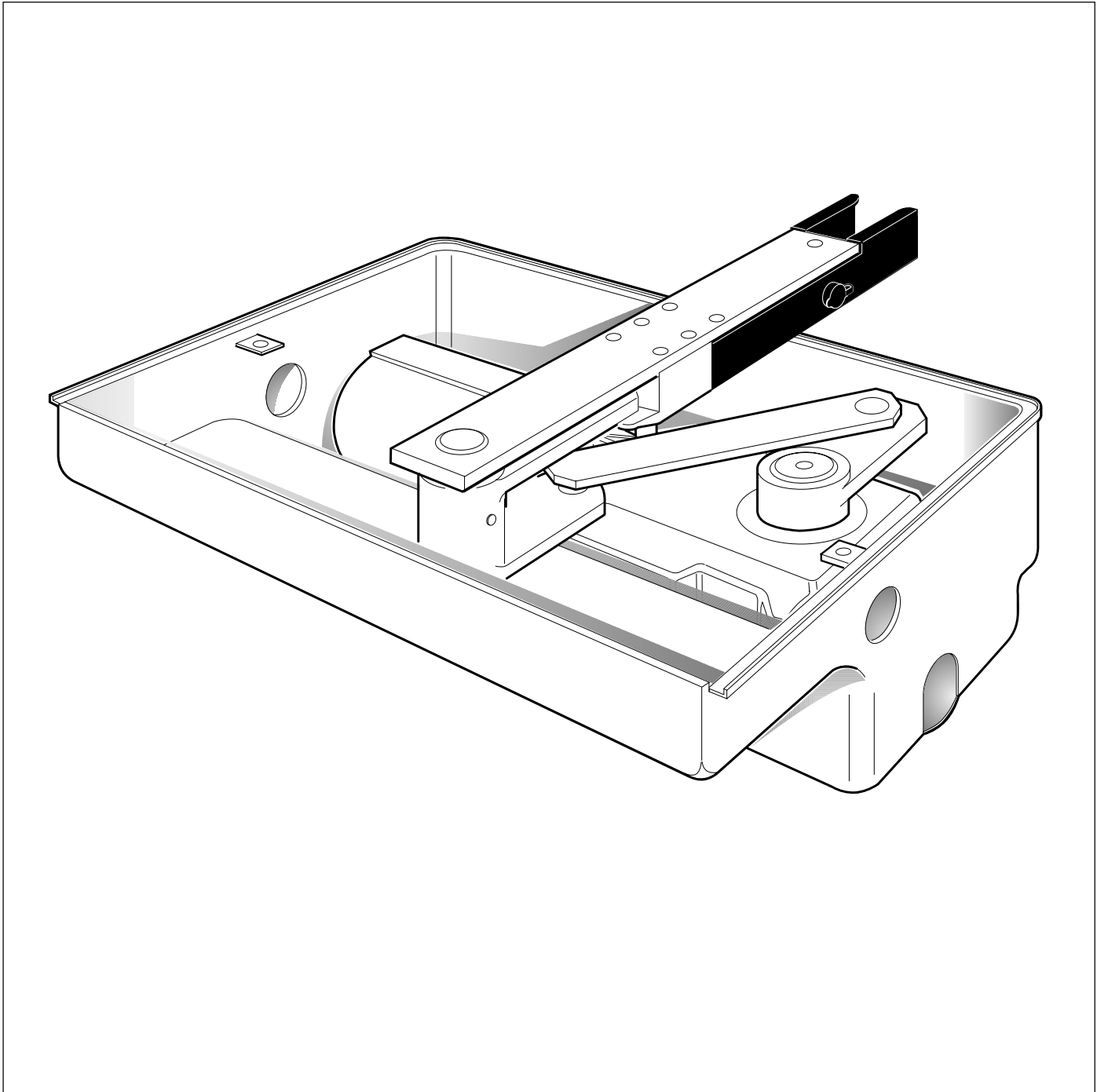
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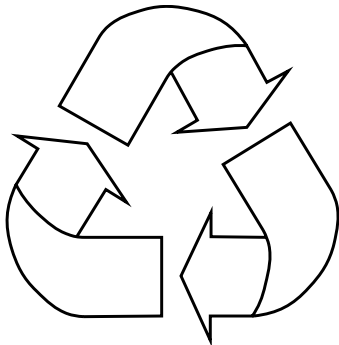
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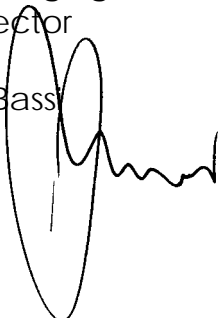
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Bologna, 1 January 1997

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- 3) Read the instructions carefully before installing the product.
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The degree of safety of the automation must be C + E.
- 11) Before carrying out any operations, turn off the system's main switch.
- 12) An omnipower switch shall be provided for the installation with an opening distance of the contacts of 3 mm or more. Alternatively, use a 6A thermomagnetic breaker with multi-pole switching.
- 13) Ensure that there is a differential switch up-line of the electrical system, with a trip threshold of 0.03A.
- 14) Check that the earthing plant is in perfect condition and connect it to the metallic parts. Also earth the yellow/green wire of the operator.
- 15) The automation is fitted with an anti-crush safety system that is a torque control device. In any case, further safety devices shall be installed.
- 16) The safety devices (e.g. photocells, safety edges, etc.) protect areas where there is a mechanical movement hazard, e.g. crushing, entrapment and cutting.
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- 21) The installer must supply all information regarding manual operation of the system in the event of an emergency and provide the end-user with the "End-user Guide" attached to the product.
- 22) Keep out of persons when the product is in operation.
- 23) Keep out of reach of children the remote radio controls and any control devices. The automation could be operated unintentionally.
- 24) The end-user must avoid any attempt to repair or adjust the automation personally. These operations must be carried out exclusively by qualified personnel.
- 25) **What is not explicitly stated in these instructions is not permitted.**

# AUTOMATION SYSTEMS 770 COMPACT

The FAAC 770 COMPACT automation system for swing gates is a geared motor. It is designed for underground installation and therefore does not alter the appearance of the leaf.

The foundation box of the automation system comes ready to take an operator.

The 770 electromechanical operator is irreversible, so it ensures a mechanical stop and eliminates the need to install an electric lock.

## 1. DESCRIPTION AND TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS

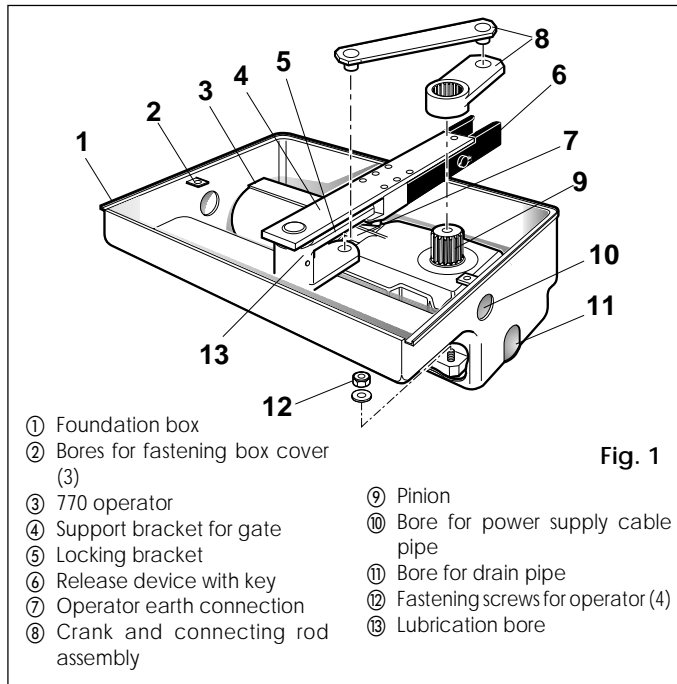


Fig. 1

## 2. STANDARD INSTALLATION LAYOUT

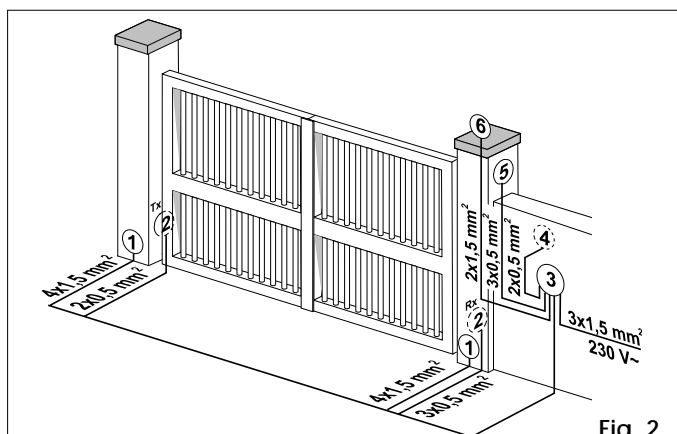


Fig. 2

- ① Operators 770 (require 2 junction boxes)
- ② Photocells
- ③ Control unit
- ④ T10 pushbutton
- ⑤ Receiver
- ⑥ Flashing light

**NOTES:**

- 1) Use suitable rigid/flexible pipes for laying power cables
- 2) Always keep low voltage accessory cables separate from 230V~ power cables. To avoid interference, use separate sheaths.

**Table 1** 770 operator technical specifications

Power supply	230V~ (+6 -10 %) 50Hz
Absorbed power	380 W
Current drawn	1.7 A
Electric motor	4 poles - 1450 rpm
Reduction ratio	1,450/1
Power cable length	2 m
Motor winding thermal cutout	140°C
Capacitor	12.5 µF / 400V
Maximum torque	330 Nm
Temperature range	-20°C +55°C
Operator weight	12 kg (foundation box with automation system 14 kg)
Housing protection	IP 67
Duty cycle	20 cycles/hour
Max. leaf opening angle	110°
Deceleration	by two length transmission levers
Max. leaf weight	500 kg
Max. leaf length	2.50 m

## 3. INSTALLATION OF THE AUTOMATION SYSTEM

### 3.1. PRELIMINARY CHECKS

To ensure trouble-free operation, make sure that the gate (whether existing or yet to be installed) has the following specifications:

- max. weight of single leaf 500 Kg
- max. length of single gate leaf 2.5 m
- strong and rigid leaf frame
- smooth gate movement, with no stiff points
- min. clearance between bottom edge of gate and ground as in fig. 6/a (where 's' = thickness of guide bracket)
- mechanical travel stops.

If any welding or brazing has to be done on the gate, do this before installing the automation system.

The condition of the gate directly affects the reliability and safety of the automation system.

### 3.2. INSTALLATION OF LEAF SUPPORTING FOUNDATION BOX (Fig. 3)

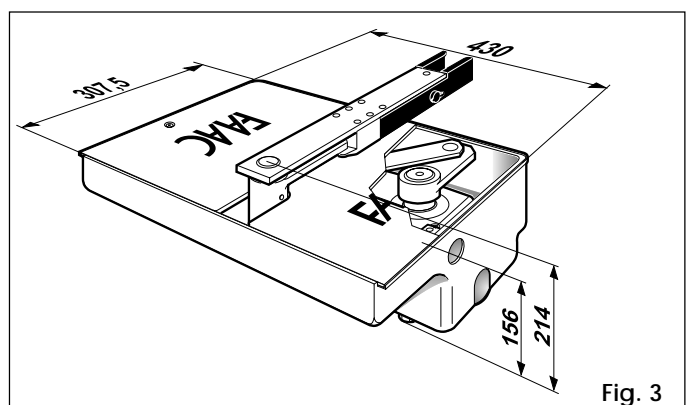


Fig. 3

Proceed as instructed below:

- a) existing gate with fixed hinges
  - Remove the gate.
  - Remove the bottom hinge.

If the gate cannot be removed, place blocks under its bottom edge to support it.

- b) existing gate with adjustable hinges
  - Remove the bottom hinge.
  - Slacken off the top hinge.
  - Swing the leaf around the axis of the top hinge (fig. 4).
- c) New gate to be installed
  - Fit just the top hinge. If possible use an adjustable hinge.

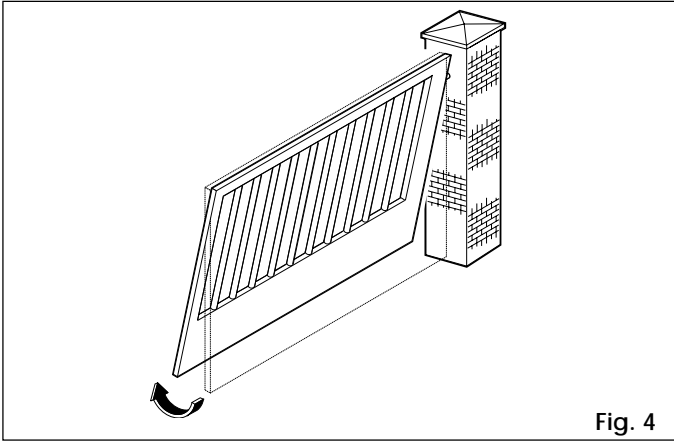


Fig. 4

- 1) Dig out a hole for the foundation box as shown in fig. 5.

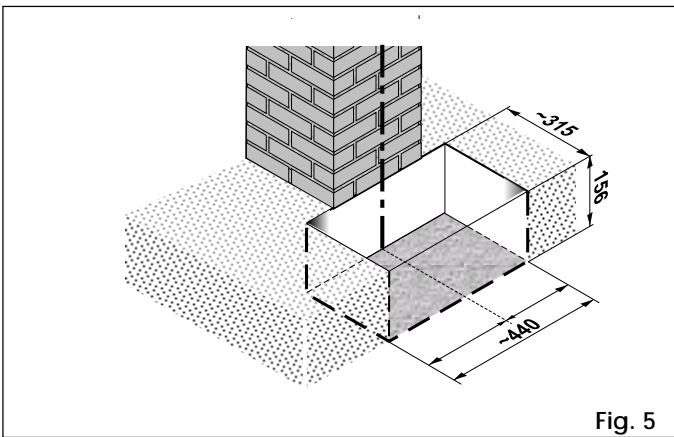


Fig. 5

**N.B.:** Depending on the nature of the ground, it may be necessary to cast a bed of quick-setting concrete at the bottom of the hole to avoid subsidence in future.

- 2) Place the foundation box in the hole, respecting the dimensions given in fig. 6/a-b. The center of the pivot on the foundation box must be perfectly aligned with the leaf's axis of swing (fig 6/a-b).

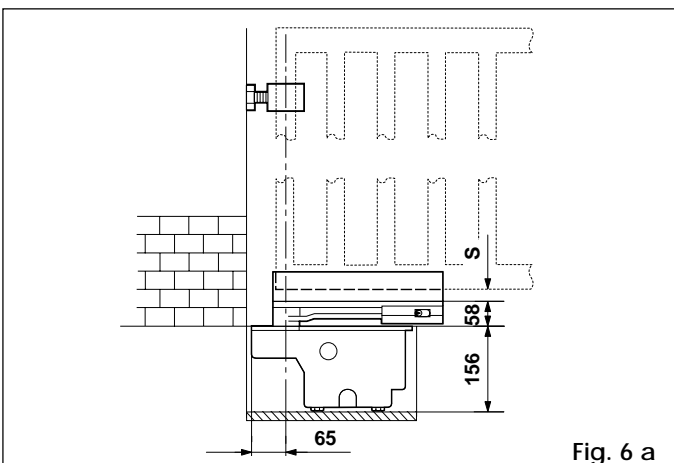


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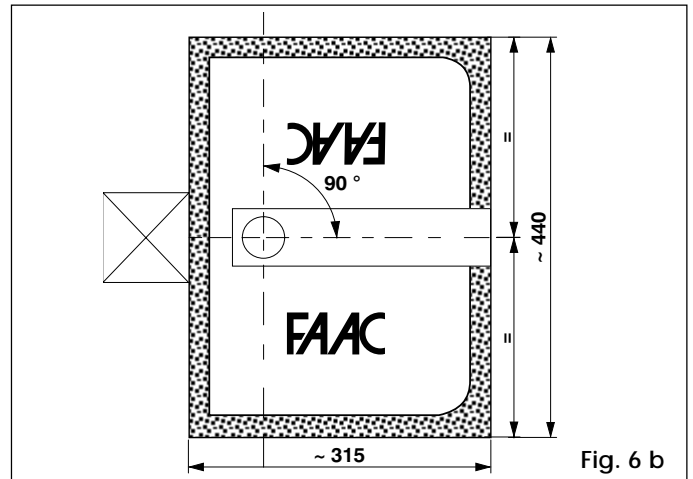


Fig. 6 b

- 3) Lay down a PVC tube of diameter 35 mm through which to pass a 4 core electrical cable. The tube must reach from the box to the control unit (fig. 7). Lay a second tube to drain off rain water, from the box to the nearest drain (fig. 7).

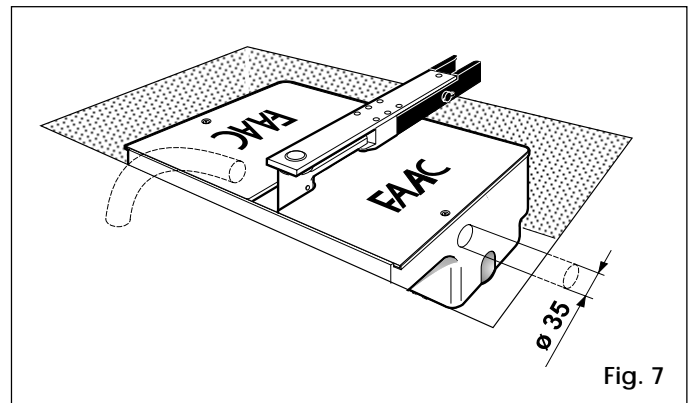


Fig. 7

- 4) Fix the box in place with a casting of concrete.

**3.3 SETTING UP THE GATE**

**Note:** Wait for the cement to set before starting this operation.

- 1) Assemble the release levers on the support bracket, and fit the latter on the pivot in the foundation box, also inserting the ball supplied (fig. 8).

**Note:** Grease both the pivot and the ball.

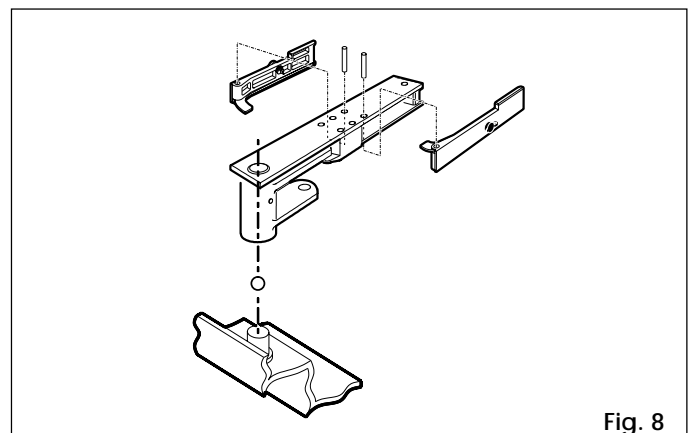


Fig. 8

- 2) Prepare the guide bracket, as follows:
  - use a "U" profile with dimensions indicated in fig. 9;

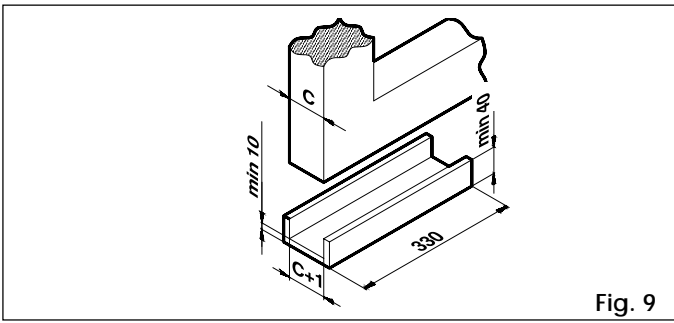


Fig. 9

- ascertain the correct location of the leaf on the "U" profile with reference to the axis of rotation (fig. 10 a-b); seal the "U" profile on the post side with a plate, as shown in fig. 10 a-b.

- 3) Carefully weld the guide bracket to the support bracket (fig. 11).

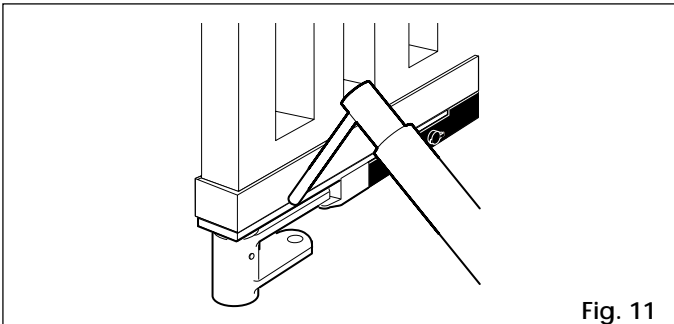


Fig. 11

- 4) Fit the gate into the guide bracket and fix the top hinge in place.

**IMPORTANT:** To ensure trouble-free operation, do NOT weld the gate leaf to the guide bracket or to the support bracket.

- 5) Manually verify whether the gate opens and closes completely and smoothly, stopping at the mechanical travel stops.

### 3.4 INSTALLING THE OPERATOR

- 1) Open the gate leaf.
- 2) Place the operator on the fastening screws on the foundation box, and fix it by means of the nuts and washers supplied (fig. 13).

**Note:** the exact position of the operator is shown in figure 12. In any case the operator pinion must be on the opposite side of leaves opening direction.

- 3) Manually close the leaf and fit the driving levers supplied, as shown in fig. 13.

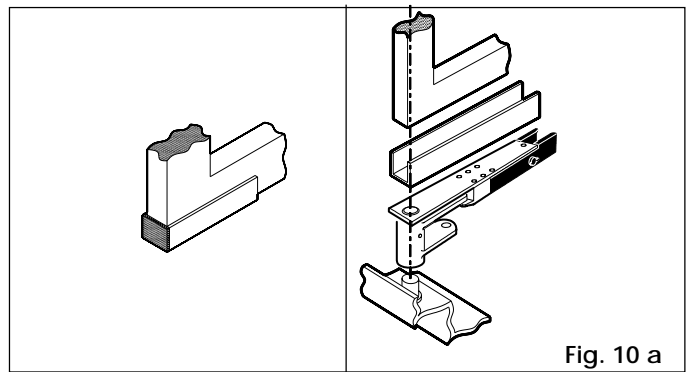


Fig. 10 a

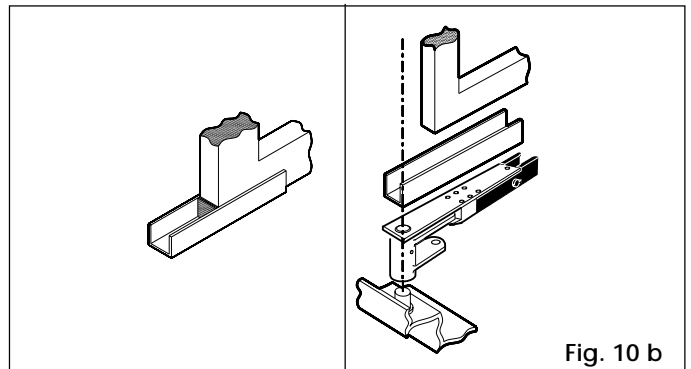


Fig. 10 b

**Note:** grease the operator pinion and the fixing pivots of the two levers.

- 4) Install the second operator, if required, repeating the operations described above.
- 5) Install the electronic control unit, referring to the dimensions indicated in the relevant instructions.
- 6) Fasten the box cover by means of the screws supplied (fig. 14).

### 4. START-UP

- 1) Programme the electronic control unit according to your requirements, following the relevant instructions.
- 2) Connect the system to the power supply, and check the status of the LEDs, referring to the table contained in the instructions relevant to the electronic control unit.

### 5. TESTING THE AUTOMATION SYSTEM

Carefully test the operation of the automation system and of all connected accessories.

Give the customer the User's Guide page, and show him the correct operation and use of the automation system.

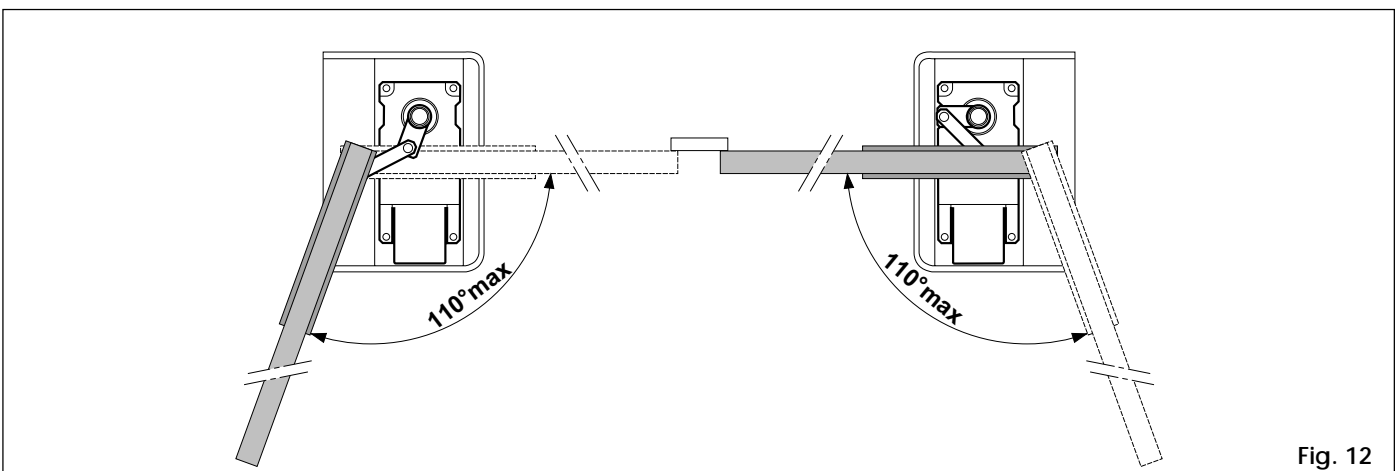


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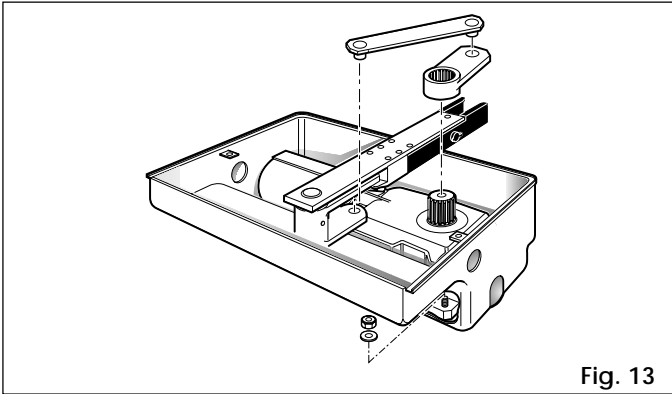


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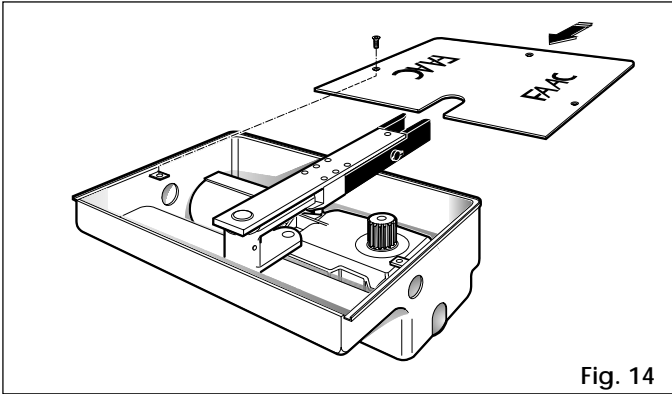


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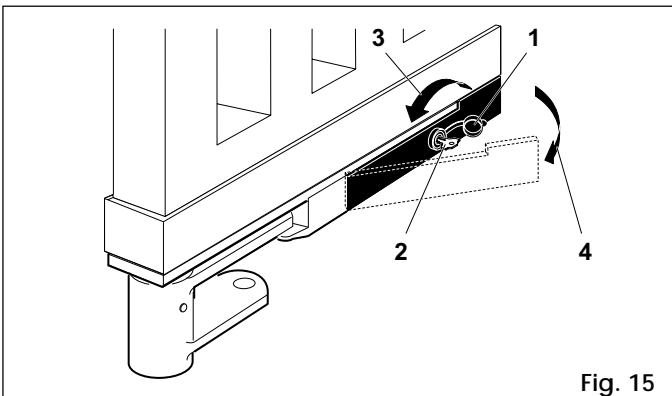


Fig. 15

## 6. MANUAL OPERATION

Should the need arise to operate the gate manually because of a power failure or malfunction, the release device with key fitted on the support bracket (fig. 1 - ref. 6) makes it possible to release the system both from the inside and from the outside.

To operate the leaf manually, proceed as follows.

- open the lid of the lock (fig. 15-ref. 1);
- insert the release key in the lock (fig. 15-ref. 2);
- turn the key in the direction of the post, as far as it will go (fig. 15-ref. 3);
- pull the lever out (fig. 15-ref. 4);
- operate the leaf manually.

## 7. RETURNING TO NORMAL OPERATION

To restore normal operation, proceed as follows:

- push the lever back into its home position (fig. 16-ref. 1);
- insert the release key in the lock and turn it in the direction opposite the post, as far as it will go (fig. 16-ref. 2);

- operate the leaf manually until the lock is engaged in the locking bracket (fig. 16-ref. 3);
- close the lid of the lock.

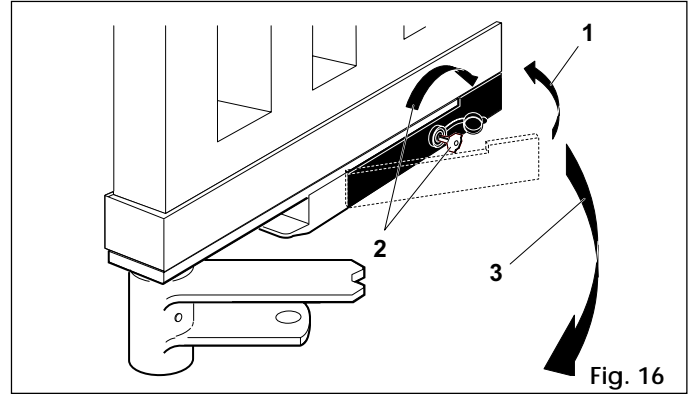


Fig. 16

## 8. MAINTENANCE

At regular intervals, check the structure of the gate and make sure that the hinges are in perfect working order. Periodically lubricate the pivot and ball in the support bracket, through the lubricating bore shown in fig. 1 - ref. 13. Make sure that the pivots of the lever systems, the pinion and the engagement of the lock on the locking bracket (fig. 1 - ref. 5) are always well lubricated, and check the efficiency of the manual operation.

Whenever you perform a maintenance operation, check that the anti-crushing system and the safety devices installed on the automation system are correctly set.

## 9. REPAIRS

For repairs, refer to authorised FAAC service centres.



## END-USER GUIDE

### 770 Compact Automation Systems

Read the end user guide carefully before using the product and keep it in a safe place for future reference.

#### GENERAL SAFETY REGULATIONS

When correctly installed and used, the 770 Compact automation system ensures a high degree of safety. A few simple rules should be followed to prevent accidental problems.

- Do not pass between the leaves when they are still moving; always wait until they have opened completely.
- Do not linger between the leaves.
- Do not linger near the automation system; do not allow children or adults to linger near it; and do not leave objects near it.
- Keep wireless control devices, or other devices that might accidentally activate the automation system, out of the reach of children.
- Do not allow children to play with the automation system.
- Do not impede the movement of the leaves.
- Do not allow branches or bushes to interfere with the movement of the leaves.
- Ensure that the warning lamps are in always in working order and visible.
- Do not attempt to actuate the leaves manually unless you have first unlocked them.
- In case of a malfunction, unlock the leaves to allow vehicles to pass, and call a qualified technician.
- If you have set the manual mode, before restoring normal operation, disconnect the power supply.
- Do not modify the components of the automation system.
- Do not attempt to repair the automation system or to perform any operation on it. Call qualified technicians only.
- At least once every 6 months, have qualified personnel check that the automation system, safety devices and earth connection are in working order.

#### DESCRIPTION

The FAAC 770 Compact automation system for swing gates is a geared motor. It is designed for underground installation and therefore does not alter the appearance of the leaf. The operators are controlled by an electronic control unit mounted in an enclosure which assures adequate protection against atmospheric agents.

The leaves are normally closed. When the electronic control unit receives an open command from the remote radio control or any other control device, it activates the electromechanical system and causes the leaves to rotate by an angle of up to 110° to their open position, so as to allow access.

If automatic operation has been selected, the leaves close automatically after the selected pause time.

If semiautomatic operation has been selected, a second impulse must be sent to close the leaves.

An open command given while the leaves are closing causes the leaves to reverse direction of movement.

A stop command (if available) stops movement at any time.

For detailed information on the operation of the automation system in the various operating modes, contact the installation technician.

The automation system is equipped with a safety device consisting of photocells. When the photocells are darkened

by an obstacle, they prevent the leaves from closing.

The 770 Compact automation system is also equipped with an anti-crushing safety device (fitted as standard) that limits the torque transmitted to the leaves.

The operators ensure that the system is mechanically locked when the motor is not running, so there is no need to install a lock.

The leaves can be opened manually only by operating the unlocking device.

The lamp flashes while the leaves are moving.

#### MANUAL OPERATION

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To operate the leaf manually, proceed as follows.

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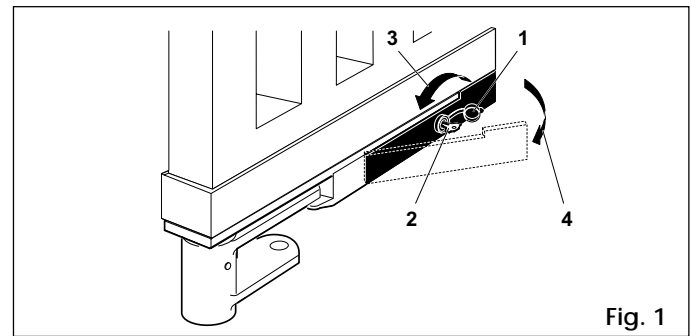


Fig. 1

- insert the release key in the lock (fig. 1-ref. 2);
- turn the key in the direction of the post, as far as it will go (fig. 1-ref. 3);
- pull the lever out (fig. 1-ref. 4);
- operate the leaf manually.

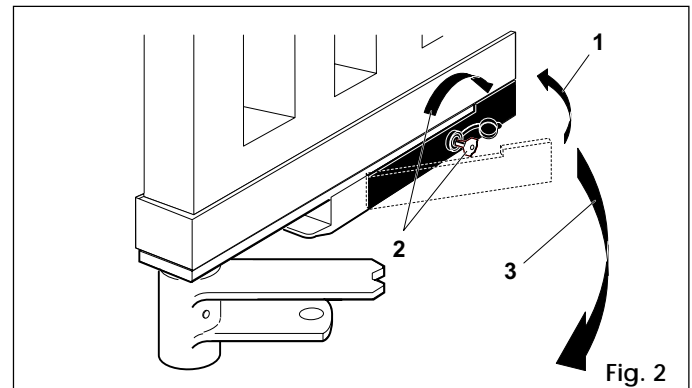


Fig. 2

#### RETURNING TO NORMAL OPERATION

To prevent an accidental impulse from activating the operators during this operation before you re-lock the operators, disconnect the system from power supply.

To restore normal operation, proceed as follows:

- push the lever back into its home position (fig. 2-ref. 1);
- insert the release key in the lock and turn it in the direction opposite the post, as far as it will go (fig. 2-ref. 2);
- operate the leaf manually until the lock is engaged in the locking bracket (fig. 2-ref. 3);
- close the lid of the lock.