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**Ring Spinning Frame** 

# Taking energy efficiency to new heights. Introducing the RX300.

Toyota's RX Series of high-performance ring spinning frames—counting over 20 million spindles<sup>\*1</sup> in operation around the world—now now enters a new generation. The all-new RX300 was developed in response to many customer requests for saving energy in spinning mills.

The adoption of new high-efficiency motors and new pneumatic equipment ensures excellent energy-saving performance. The new long-frame design—which supports up to 1,824 spindles—employs Toyota's proprietary technology to ensure high reliability and high performance, as well as spacesaving and cost-saving effects.

In addition, the RX300 also comes with options such as a compact yarn spinning device and a fancy yarn spinning device, which can be used with any number of spindles<sup>\*2</sup> on the long frame.

Toyota's RX Series will continue to evolve to always meet customer needs and offer the best solution.

\*1 Based on sales results from 1967 (the year of the RY model introduction) through 2011. \*2 At the end of 2012, Toyota plans to launch the RX300E e-draft machine (including a model

with a fancy yarn spinning device), which can handle more than 1,200 spindles.



Example: Power consumption of spinning frames in a typical spinning mill





#### **Main Specifications**

RX300G (Gear-Driven Draft System) RX300E (E-Draft System) Common Specifications

Spindle gage: 70 mm 75 mm

Bobbin length (lift):180 (155) mm210 (185) mm230 (205) mm250 (225) mm

Spindle driving system: 4 spindles by spindle belt

Fiber length: Max. 64 mm

Yarn count to be spun: Ne1–300 (settings)

Max. number of spindles: 1,824

Ring diameter: 36–53 mm

Drafting system: 3-line 2-zone

Lifting motion: Screw shaft-type positive lifting

Dimension of roving bobbin: 146 x 406 mm

Function panel: Large color graphic panel with memory card

Spindle speed control: Arbitrary speed control inverter

Automatic doffer: SCD (automatic stationary cop doffer) with automatic restarting mechanism, winder link or automatic bobbin changer

#### **Main Options**

Fancy Yarn Spinning Device (RX300E only) Front roller deceleration and back roller acceleration Slub thickness +500% to -30% Comes with special software

Compact Yarn Spinning Device Perforated apron suction method Perforated apron positive drive Dedicated suction fan for each of the 48 spindles Pressure sensors monitor the static pressure in each block

Design and specifications are current as of September 2011.

# **Superior Economy Achieved with New Technologies**

## **Increased Energy Efficiency**

The spindle and draft drives use new motors and inverters with high-performance, highefficiency, energy-saving features



Instead of the induction motors used in conventional models, the RX300 employs new Super-Energy-Saving Motor and Special Inverter technologies. These enable highly efficient, energysaving operation.





reduce power consumption by approximately 5%



### Reducing energy consumption by about 7% per spindle



### **Reduced Maintenance Costs**



By eliminating the time when the machine is stopped at both ends of the traverse, it is possible to prevent uneven wear to the cot and extend the grinding cycle. The RX300 uses a cam system linked to gearing, and so does not require another drive source such as a dedicated motor.

### Efficient Plant Operation Brought About by Long-Frame Design

The RX300 includes a model with 1,824 spindles. Increasing the number of spindles per unit means that various expenses relating to spinning equipment—such as factory construction costs or air conditioning costs—can be reduced. This helps reduce the fixed expenses that are included in total production costs.

# **Highly Reliable Long-Frame Design**

# **Proprietary Technology Enables the Commercialization of 1,824-Spindle Machines**



is little slip during rotation. In addition, the rotation pulses of the front rollers, which are driven by the main motor and the draft motor, are detected. And the main control CPU conducts feedback correction so that the twists are uniform on each section of the machine.

# **Fully Equipped Long Frame**

### **High-Speed Auto Doffer**

Full and empty bobbins can now be handled at high speed accompanying the increase in the number of spindles. It has become possible to transfer 40 bobbins per minute, and coarse yarn counts can also be handled.



Middle-peg system accommodates large-diameter bobbins



Robust Frame Structure Ensures Precise Operation over Long Periods of Use of the Long Frame

# Spring pieces made of cast iron (3 pieces used for each block [48 spindles])

# Integrated right-left roller stand made from die-cast aluminum

- Easy centering of the bottom roller
- Surface is smooth making it difficult for fly to adhere



### Various Types of Yarn Can Be Spun on the Long Frame

Various types of yarn such as compact yarn, fancy yarn, and siro yarn can be spun on this long-frame machine that can accommodate up to 1,824 spindles.

Note: At the end of 2012, Toyota plans to launch an e-draft model, which can handle more than 1,200 spindles.

# **Positive Lifting Mechanism Displays Its Worth in Many Ways**

## **Servo Motor-Driven Positive Lifting**

**Toyota's Proprietary Positive Lifting Mechanism** 

Instead of belts, the RX300 incorporates a screw shaft positive lifting mechanism. This eliminates disparity in the ring rail motion during long periods of continuous operation. The RX300's smooth lifting motion also eliminates many of the problems associated with conventional lifting systems. Disruptions such as stoppages that often occur during ring rail inversion and annoyances like chattering during descent, become things of the past.



Ring rail inversion comparison



# The perfect solution for fly accumulation

The screw shafts are covered, and their pillars are completely sealed to prevent fly accumulation.





Sealed lifting pillar

Screw shaft

# Adjustable lifting motion reduces yarn breakage when restarting

The RX300 reduces the occurrence of yarn breakage by allowing free setting of the lifting rate.



Automatic ring rail lifting

# Optimal cop formation at your fingertips

With easy key operation, it becomes very simple to find an optimal setting for cop formation to match various spinning conditions.



## **Ideal Balloon Control**

### Two-Step Motion of the Balloon Control Ring

The RX300 uses a balloon control ring that moves together with the lappet at the start of winding and then with the ring from about 40% cop winding. Because the balloon control ring is always working effectively, balloon form is stable and there's less yarn breakage.



# **Provides Outstanding Control and Operability**

### **Control System Using the Latest Electronics Technology**

### **High-Performance CPU Control**

High-precision control is achieved through a 32-bit CPU combined with our latest inverter and servo amplifier. A high level of dependability is assured for both spindle speed and servo-lifting control.

### Large Color Function Panel

A 10.5-inch color function panel equipped with a Web browser improves interface ability. Connection to an internal or external network is possible for exchange of information or data.

### **Function panel**

#### Setting functions

• Spinning conditions • Cop formation (one-touch setting for the number of bunch windings and back windings)

• Spindle speed control (easy pattern setting function, speed control pattern graph display) • Ring plate movement

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#### **Monitoring functions**

• Production volume (shift counter) • Transition of efficiency for each shift • History of running conditions for the last 24 hours • Spindle speed, delivery speed, twists, and time to full bobbin • Inverter/servo amplifier monitor

Troubleshooting

#### Management functions

· Setting condition memory function · Memory card · Maintenance schedule management function





Settings for traveler pre-conditioning operating mode

Top menu





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### By using Toyota's original monitoring SUSUES IN

- software, the operator can easily obtain various information such as shift reports, simply by connecting multiple frames.
- The operator can view the RX300's function panel directly from the office PC and check various machine conditions such as spinning settings.
- Data can be exchanged between spinning frames without using memory cards.



TMS (Toyota Monitoring System)



OPTION

# World's Only Fully Change-Gearless **Ring Spinning Frame (RX300E)**

The RX300E e-draft model is the world's only ring spinning frame to eliminate all change gears. The twist and total draft gears need no replacing, and neither do the back draft gears. All spinning conditions, including settings for the servo motor-controlled ring rail lifting system, can be set on the function panel.





### Fancy Yarn Spinning Device OPTION

Multi-count yarn

1) Fixed number of twisted threads (2-6)

2) Fixed number of twists (1-70 twists per inch)

3) Any number of twists (1-70 twists per inch)

Many types of fancy yarns can be handled such as slub, multi-count, and multi-twist ones. High-response servo motors drive all three bottom rollers. This makes it possible to not only slow down the front roller, but also speed up the back roller. In addition, the supplied software makes it easy to record and manage pattern simulation and settings data.



#### Types of yarn handled \* Cross-section ratio of normal thread to fancy yarn

#### Positive slub yarn (up to 500%\*)

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- 1) Front roller deceleration control (with change to twist)
- 2) Back roller acceleration control (with no change to twist)
- 3) Combined control of 1 and 2 above (degree of twist
- change can be adjusted)

#### Negative slub yarn (up to 30%\*)



### Settings Data Creator for Fancy Yarns

ulation Part of the pattern data can be corrected

Data transfer Memory card, ethernet communication

(special software)

Pattern settings 1,000 x 1,000-line

Available patterns Single, Multiple, Stepped, Random





Common Settings screen: Pattern Table screen: Select pattern implementation Automatically generate patterns mode or roller control mode



Slub Simulation screen

# **Toyota Original EST II Compact Yarn Spinning System with Perforated Apron Suction**



The EST II uses one suction fan for each of the 48-spindle units. This system ensures uniform suction pressure for all spindles—something that is not possible with other methods.

Exceptionally high-quality compact yarn





# SPECIFICATIONS



\* Machine heights increase by 70 mm when fitted with a compact yarn spinning device (EST II) or TBC (Toyota automatic bobbin changer) for 250 mm (9-inch) bobbin. \*\* No TBC (Toyota automatic bobbin changer) is included when using the winder link.

### Frame Length by the Number of Spindles Design and specifications are current as of September 2011, but are subject to change without notice.

RX300G (Gear-Driven Draft System) (Unit: mm)										
No. of spindles	No. of blocks	With doffer (using a winder link)		With doffer (with TBC)		With or without				
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		70mmG	75mmG	70mmG	75mmG					
1,008	21	39,035	41,555	39,505	42,025					
1,056	22	40,715	43,355	41,185	43,825	None				
1,200	25	45,755	48,755	46,225	49,225					
1,632	34	62,485	66,565	62,955	67,035					
1,728	36	65,845	70,165	66,315	70,635	Yes				
1,824	38	69,205	73,765	69,675	74,235					

### **RX300G (Gear-Driven Draft System)**

RX300E (E-Draft System)

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### **Required Dimensions for Auto Doffer**

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Common to RX300G and RX300E

(Unit: mm)

(A) Max. width of auto doffer (when doffing): 1,540 (B) Min. length between center lines of 2 adjacent frames: 2,100 - 2,300 (C) Min. length between center line of frame and pillar: 1,500

# Offering Unparalleled Customer Support Through a Total Service Organization



Toyota offers a full range of services, from proposals on plant installation layout to machinery installation and after-sales service by Toyota's supervisors. The Toyota Textile Machinery Training Center also trains engineers from around the world and provides a variety of training courses ranging from how to use the machines to brushing up management skills.

### **Global Service Network**

With a number of service centers located around the world, Toyota is able to quickly respond to the needs of local customers.

#### **Global Service Centers**

- 1. Korea
- 2. China

(Shanghai, Shaoxing, Wujiang, Jinan, Changzhou, Lanxi)

- 3. Taiwan
- 4. Thailand
- 5. Indonesia
- 6. Bangladesh
- 7. India
- 8. Pakistan
- 9. Turkey
- 10. Europe
- (Italy, France, Switzerland)
- 11. United States
- 12. Brazil



### **Main Services**

#### 1. Plant layout

Before the delivery of machinery, Toyota proposes an installation layout which is designed to optimally suit a customer's plant.

#### 2. Installation

A Toyota expert supervises installation and instructs customers on machine operation.

#### 3. Customer support service

A variety of customer support services are provided, such as supplying spare parts to ensure continuous and smooth operation.

#### 4. Training

Toyota provides a wide range of courses from handling Toyota machinery to management. These substantial courses help customers obtain a level of expertise in both the mechanical knowledge and efficient usage of machinery.

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