

# Frequently Asked Questions: Husky Portable Air Compressor

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What is the correct power supply for my compressor to work properly?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>□ This air compressor is powered by a precision built electric motor. It should be connected to a power supply that is 120 volts, 60 Hz, AC only (normal household current).</li> </ul>														
Do I need to register my compressor for warranty?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>□ No. Since the compressor is a Home Depot exclusive product, you do not need to register for warranty. The proof of purchase (receipt) should be kept if you need to claim for warranty in the future.</li> </ul>														
Can I use extension cords with my compressor?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>□ Yes. Use only 3-wire extension cords that have 3-prong grounding plugs and 3-pole receptacles that accept the product's plug. When using a power tool at a considerable distance from the power source, consider plugging in directly at the power source and using a longer air hose. If that is not possible, use an extension cord heavy enough to carry the current that the product will draw. An undersized extension cord will cause a drop in line voltage, resulting in a loss of power and causing the motor to overheat. The minimum cord size is listed below and also can be found in the Use and Care Manual.</li> </ul> <table border="1" data-bbox="602 791 1463 1056" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2" data-bbox="602 791 1463 833">Ampere rating (on air compressor data plate)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="602 833 842 869"></td> <td data-bbox="842 833 1463 869" style="text-align: center;">14-16</td> </tr> <tr> <th data-bbox="602 869 842 911">Cord Length</th> <th data-bbox="842 869 1463 911">Wire Size (AWG)</th> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="602 911 842 947" style="text-align: center;">25 ft.</td> <td data-bbox="842 911 1463 947" style="text-align: center;">16</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="602 947 842 982" style="text-align: center;">50 ft.</td> <td data-bbox="842 947 1463 982" style="text-align: center;">12</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="602 982 1463 1018">Used on 12 gauge - 20 amp circuit.</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="602 1018 1463 1056">NOTE: AWG=American Wire Gauge</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Ampere rating (on air compressor data plate)			14-16	Cord Length	Wire Size (AWG)	25 ft.	16	50 ft.	12	Used on 12 gauge - 20 amp circuit.		NOTE: AWG=American Wire Gauge	
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Do I need to add an air filter to my compressor?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>□ The pump comes with an air filter. It should be changed periodically when the filter becomes dirty, per instructions in the Use and Care Manual.</li> </ul>														