5-Step Preventative Maintenance Checklist

Protect Your Compressor Investment



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This checklist is designed to help you keep your high-pressure compressor systems in peak operating condition. Avoid costly downtime, stay compliant with safety standards, and ensure optimal performance with 5 simple steps.

- Designed for facility managers, operators, and safety directors
- Easy to complete with minimal loss of production

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Step 1 - Pressure & Leak Checks

- Check all gauges for proper PSI within operating range
- Listen for audible leaks during idle
- Apply leak-detection solution to suspect fittings
- Confirm pressure retention during shutoff
- Document any deviations or pressure drops

Step 2 - Oil & Lubricant Inspection

- Check oil levels in crankcase
- Look for oil discoloration or particulate matter
- Change oil according to OEM schedule (or every 1,000 hrs)
 - Inspect and grease pump bearings (if applicable)

Step 3 - Filters, Coalescers & Air Purity

- Visually inspect filters for clogging
- Replace coalescing filters per schedule
- Test air purity (O2, CO, CO2, hydrocarbons) for breathing-air systems

Step 4 - Temperature Monitoring

- Measure outlet and head temperatures
 - Inspect cooling fans and intercoolers
- Clean buildup from heat-exchange components
 - Check for discoloration around valves

Step 5 - Documentation & Scheduling

- Record inspection date and technician initials
- Log part replacements and hours
- Set next inspection schedule
- Standardize form across teams if multi-site



Want Us to Handle This For You?

We offer three preventative maintenance plans designed to take the guesswork out of compressor care!

Essential (\$1,200/yr): Quarterly inspections, oil change, filter check, 10% off parts

Plus (\$1,950/yr): Includes Essential + Air Quality Test + Annual Filter Replacement

Premium (\$3,500/yr): Includes Plus + 24/7 Emergency Service + Priority Scheduling

Mention this checklist and get 10% off your first year.

Meet the Experts Behind the Checklist

Compressed Air Partners has served industrial, fire safety, and breathing-air clients across the U.S. with Bauer and high-pressure system expertise for over a decade. We were officially certified as Bauer Industrial Technicians at their Headquarters in Norfolk, Virginia in Spring of 2025.

We build, repair, and maintain systems from 3,000–7,000 PSI—ensuring safety and performance.

"CAP helped us prevent a major breakdown just weeks after a service check.

They're our go-to experts."

-New York Manufacturing Firm

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