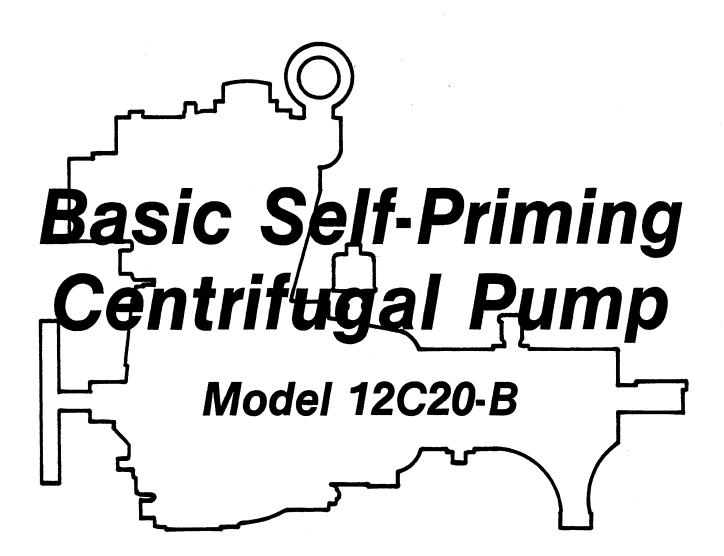
# INSTALLATION, OPERATION, PARTS LIST, AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL

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## **RECORD YOUR PUMP MODEL AND SERIAL NUMBER**

Please record your pump model and serial number in the spaces provided below. Your Gorman-Rupp distributor needs this information when you require parts or service.

Pump Model:

Serial Number:



This Installation, Operation, and Maintenance Manual is designed specifically to help you get the best performance and longest life from your Gorman-Rupp pump.

This pump is a 10 Series, semi-open impeller, self-priming centrifugal model designed for pumping liquids with specified entrained solids.

If there are any questions regarding the pump which are not covered in this manual or in other literature accompanying the unit, please contact your Gorman-Rupp distributor, or write:

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For information or technical assistance on the power source, contact the power source manufacturer's local dealer or representative.

The following are used to alert maintenance personnel to procedures which require special attention, to those which could damage equipment, and to those which could be dangerous to personnel:

## NOTE

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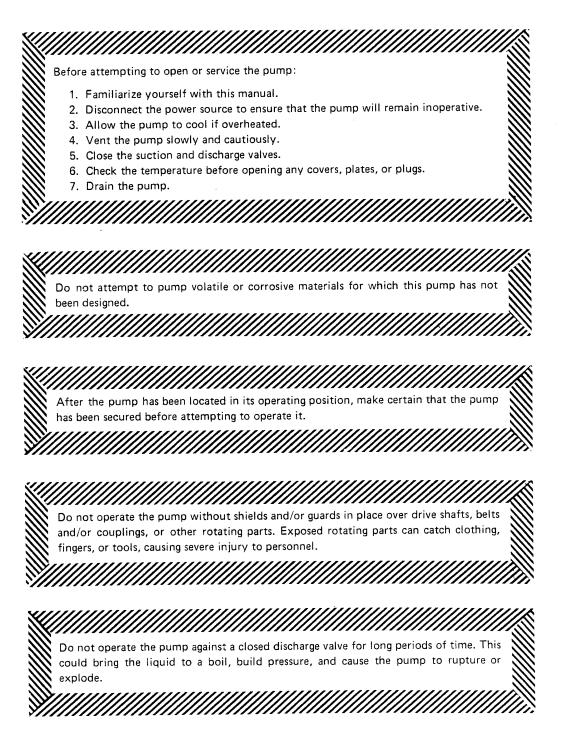
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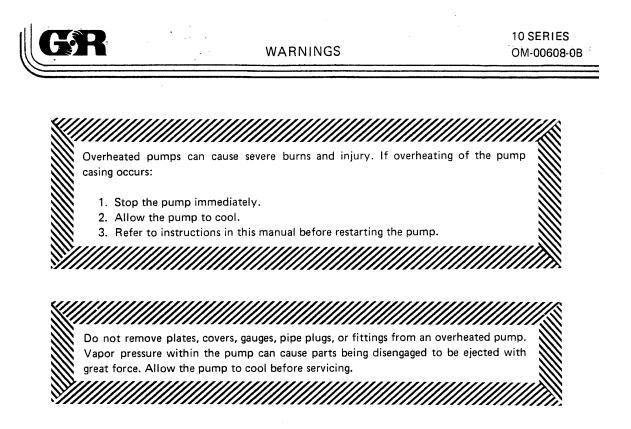
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# WARNINGS

THESE WARNINGS APPLY TO ALL BASIC PUMPS. GORMAN-RUPP HAS NO CONTROL OVER OR PARTICULAR KNOWLEDGE OF THE POWER SOURCE WHICH WILL BE USED. REFER TO THE MANUAL ACCOMPANYING THE POWER SOURCE BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO START THE POWER SOURCE.





# INSTALLATION

Seldom are two pump installations identical. The information presented in this section is a summary of the recommended installation practices related to inspection, pump positioning, hardware, suction and discharge piping, and sumps. For further assistance, contact your Gorman-Rupp distributor or the Gorman-Rupp Company.

## PREINSTALLATION INSPECTION

The pump assembly was inspected and tested before it was shipped from the factory. Before installation, inspect the pump for damage which may have occurred during shipment. Check as follows:

a. Inspect the pump assembly for cracks, dents, damaged threads, and other obvious damage.

b. Check for and tighten loose bolts, nuts, cap screws, and other attaching hardware. Since gaskets tend to shrink after drying, check for and tighten loose nuts and cap screws securing mating surfaces.

c. Carefully read all tags, decals, and markings on the pump assembly, and perform all duties indicated. Note the direction of rotation indicated on the pump. Check that the pump shaft rotates in the required direction.

## CAUTION

Only operate this pump in the direction indicated by the arrow on the pump body and on the accompanying decal. Otherwise, the impeller could become loosened from the shaft and seriously damage the pump.

d. Check all lubricant levels and lubricate as necessary. Refer to the MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR section of this manual.

## POSITIONING THE PUMP

#### Mounting

Locate the pump in an accessible place as close as practical to the liquid to be pumped. Level mounting is essential for proper operation. The pump may have to be supported to provide for level operation or to eliminate vibration.



Lifting



Make sure that hoists and other lifting equipment are of sufficient capacity to safely handle the pump assembly. If chains and cables are used, make certain that they are positioned so that they will not damage the pump, and so that the load will be balanced.

## CAUTION

The pump assembly can be seriously damaged if the cables or chains used to lift and move the unit are improperly wrapped around it.

#### SUCTION AND DISCHARGE PIPING

## Materials

Either pipe or hose may be used for suction and discharge lines, but hose used in suction lines must be the rigid-wall, reinforced type to prevent collapse under suction. Using pipe couplings in suction lines is not recommended.

## Line Configuration

Keep suction and discharge lines as straight as possible to minimize friction losses. Make minimum use of elbows and fittings, which substantially increase friction loss. If elbows are necessary, use the long-radius type to minimize friction loss.

#### **Connections to Pump**

Never pull a pipe line into place by tightening the flange bolts. The connecting flange must be aligned exactly with the pump port. Lines near the pump must be independently supported to avoid strain on the pump which could cause serious vibration, decreased bearing life, and increased shaft and seal wear. Hose-type lines should have supports strong enough to secure the line when it is filled with liquid and under pressure.

## Gauges

Most pumps are drilled and tapped for installing discharge pressure and vacuum suction gauges. If these gauges are desired for pumps that are not tapped, drill and tap the suction and discharge lines close to the pump before installing the lines.



## SUCTION LINES

To avoid air pockets which could affect pump priming, the suction line must be as short and direct as possible. When operation involves a suction lift, the line must always slope upward to the pump from the source of the liquid being pumped; if the line slopes down to the pump at any point along the suction run, air pockets will be created.

#### Fittings

Suction lines should be the same size as the pump inlet. If reducers are used in suction lines, they should be the eccentric type, and should be installed with the flat part of the reducers uppermost to avoid creating air pockets. Valves are not normally used in suction lines, but if a valve is used, install it with the stem down or to either side to avoid air pockets.

#### Strainers

Install a strainer at the end of the suction line to avoid possible clogging or damage to the pump. The total area of the openings in the strainer should be at least three or four times the cross section of the suction line, but no opening should be larger than the solids handling capability of the pump. Clean the strainer regularly during operation.

### Sealing

All connections in the suction line should be sealed with pipe dope to ensure an airtight seal. Even a slight leak will affect priming, head, and capacity, especially when operating with a high suction lift. After installation, inspect the suction line carefully for potential leaks.

## **DISCHARGE LINES**

#### Throttling Valves

If a throttling valve is desired, install it in the discharge line. Use a valve as large as the largest pipe in the line to minimize friction losses. Never install a throttling valve in the suction line.

### Check Valves

A check valve in the discharge line is normally recommended, but is not necessary in low discharge head applications.

With high discharge heads, install a throttling valve and a check valve in the discharge line to protect the pump from excessive shock pressure and reverse rotation when it is stopped.

#### **Bypass Lines**

If it is necessary to permit the escape of air to atmosphere during initial priming or in the repriming cycle, install a bypass line between the pump and the discharge check valve. The bypass line should be sized so that it does not affect pump discharge capacity.

Either a Gorman-Rupp automatic air release valve—which will automatically open to allow the pump to prime, and automatically close when priming is accomplished—or a hand-operated shutoff valve should be installed in the bypass line.



## NOTE

The bypass line may clog frequently, particularly if the valve remains closed. If this condition occurs, either use a larger bypass line or leave the shutoff valve open during the pumping operation.

Do not terminate the discharge line at a level lower than that of the liquid being pumped unless a siphon breaker is used in the line. Otherwise, a siphoning action could result, causing damage to the pump.

## SUCTION LINE POSITIONING

The depth of submergence of the suction line is critical to efficient pump operation. Figure 1 shows recommended minimum submergence vs. velocity.

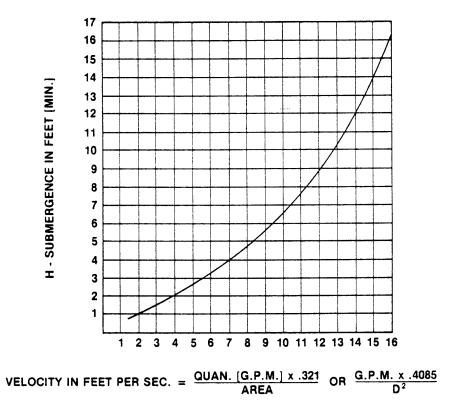


Figure 1. Recommended Minimum Suction Line Submergence Vs. Velocity



## **Single Suction Lines**

Install a single suction line a distance from the wall of the sump equal to one and one-half the size of the suction line. Liquid flow into a sump should never enter near the pump suction inlet because inflow will carry air down into the sump, and air entering the suction line will reduce pump efficiency.

If it is necessary to position an inflow pipe close to the suction inlet, install a baffle a distance from the suction inlet equal to one and one-half the size of the suction line (see figure 2). This baffle will allow entrained air to escape before the liquid is drawn into the suction line.

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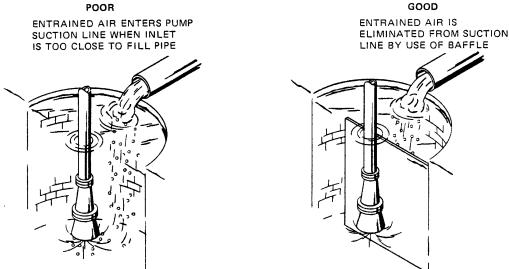


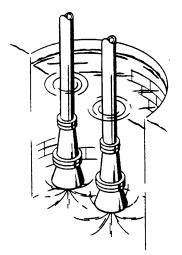
Figure 2. Eliminating Entrained Air Caused by a Fill Pipe

### **Multiple Suction Lines**

When two suction lines are installed in one sump, separate the inlets by at least three times the diameter of the suction pipe. If the suction inlets are too close together, the flow paths may interact, reducing the efficiency of one or both pumps (see figure 3).

POOR

FLOW PATHS INTERACT WHEN SUCTION LINES ARE TOO CLOSE TOGETHER



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FLOW PATHS ARE INDEPENDENT WHEN SUCTION LINES ARE PROPERLY SEPARATED

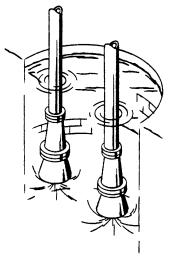


Figure 3. Using Two Pumps in the Same Sump



## ALIGNMENT

The alignment of the pump and its power source is critical for trouble-free mechanical operation. In either a flexible coupling or V-belt driven system, the driver and pump must be mounted so that their shafts are aligned with and parallel to each other.

## NOTE

When mounted at the Gorman-Rupp factory, driver and pump are aligned before shipment. Misalignment can occur in transit and handling, however, and pumps should be checked, and realigned if necessary, before being put into operation.

Before checking alignment, tighten the foundation bolts. The pump casing feet and/or pedestal feet, and the driver mounting bolts should also be tightly secured.

WARNING	
When checking alignment, disconnect the power source to ensure that the pump will remain inoperative.	
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## Aligning Coupling Driven Pumps

In coupling applications, the axis of the drive unit must be aligned to the axis of the pump shaft in both the horizontal and vertical planes. Most couplings require a specific gap or clearance between the driving and the driven shafts. Refer to the coupling manufacturer's service literature for information.

To check non-spider type couplings, use a feeler gauge or a taper gauge between the coupling halves every 90 degrees. The coupling is in alignment when the hubs are the same distance apart at all points (see figure 5A).

To check spider insert type couplings, use calipers to measure the dimensions on the circumference of the outer ends of the coupling hub every 90 degrees. The coupling is in alignment when the hub ends are the same distance apart at all points (see figure 5B).



Figure 5A. Aligning Non-Spider Type Couplings



Figure 5B. Aligning Spider-Type Couplings



To check parallel adjustment, lay a straightedge across both coupling rims at the top, bottom, and side. The coupling is in horizontal parallel alignment when the straightedge rests evenly on both halves of the coupling. Use a feeler gauge between the coupling and the straightedge to measure the amount of misalignment.

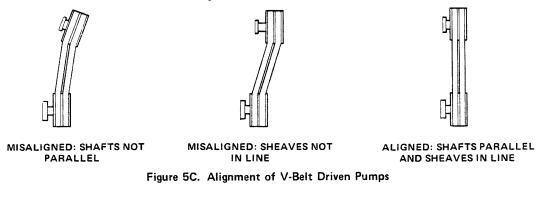
Coupling and alignment adjustments may be made by loosening the hold-down bolts and shifting the driver and pump, or by shimming as required.

## CAUTION

Adjusting the alignment in one direction may alter the alignment in another direction. Check each procedure after altering alignment.

## Aligning V-Belt Driven Pumps

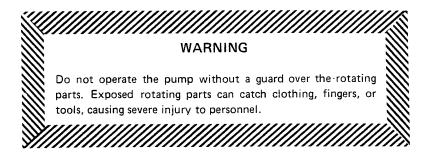
If V-belts and pulleys connect the drive unit to the pump, the unit and the pump must be parallel and the pulleys properly aligned. Use a straightedge along the sides of the pulleys to ensure alignment. For drive systems that employ two or more belts, make sure that the belts are a matched set; unmatched sets will result in accelerated belt wear (see figure 5C).



Tighten the belts in accordance with the belt manufacturer's instructions. The belts will slip if they are too loose; there will be excessive power loss and possible bearing failure if they are too tight. Select pulleys that will provide the proper speed ratio. Overspeeding the pump may damage both pump and driver.

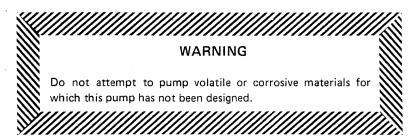
## **Drive Shaft Guards**

Driver and shaft assemblies, couplings, and belts and sheaves mounted at the Gorman-Rupp factory are supplied with a guard for protection of personnel. Do not operate the pump without a guard.





# **OPERATION**



## PRIMING

Install the pump and piping as described in INSTALLATION. Make sure that the piping connections are tight, and that the pump is securely mounted. Check that the pump is properly lubricated (see LUBRICATION in MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR).

This pump is self priming, but the pump volute casing must first be filled with liquid if:

- 1. The pump is being put into service for the first time.
- 2. The pump has not been used for a considerable length of time.
- 3. The liquid in the volute casing has evaporated.

Once the volute casing has been filled, the pump will prime and reprime as necessary.

## CAUTION

Never operate a self-priming pump unless the volute is filled with liquid. The pump will not prime when dry. Extended operation of a dry pump will destroy the seal assembly.

To fill the pump, remove the volute fill cover or fill plug at the top of the casing and add clean liquid until the pump is filled. Replace the fill cover or fill plug before operating the pump.

## STARTING

Consult the operating manual furnished with the power source.

## Rotation

The correct direction of pump rotation is indicated by an arrow on the pump body and on the accompanying decal. If the pump is operated in the wrong direction, the impeller could become loosened and the pump damaged.



## CAUTION

Only operate this pump in the direction indicated by the arrow on the pump body and on the accompanying decal. Otherwise, the impeller could become loosened from the shaft and seriously damage the pump.

When checking the rotation of a pump driven by a three-phase electric motor, start the pump for a moment to see if the rotation is correct. If the shaft, coupling, or V-belt is not visible, rotation can usually be determined by observing the motor cooling fan. If the rotation is incorrect, have qualified personnel interchange any two of the three-phase wires to change direction.

## Lines With a Bypass

Either a Gorman-Rupp automatic air release valve or a hand operated shutoff valve may be installed in a bypass line.

If a Gorman-Rupp automatic air release valve has been installed, close the throttling valve in the discharge line. The Gorman-Rupp valve will automatically open to allow the pump to prime, and automatically close when priming has been accomplished. After the pump has been primed, and liquid is flowing steadily from the bypass line, open the discharge throttling valve.

If a hand operated shutoff valve has been installed, close the throttling valve in the discharge line, and open the bypass shutoff valve so that the pump will not have to prime against the weight of the liquid in the discharge line. When the pump has been primed, and liquid is flowing steadily from the bypass line, close the bypass shutoff valve and open the discharge throttling valve.

#### Lines Without a Bypass

Open all valves in the discharge line and start the power source. Priming is indicated by a positive reading on the discharge pressure gauge or by quieter operation. The pump may not prime immediately because the suction line must first fill with liquid. If the pump fails to prime within five minutes, stop it and check the suction line for leaks.

After the pump has been primed, partially close the discharge line throttling valve in order to fill the line slowly and guard against excessive shock pressure which could damage pipe ends, gaskets, sprinkler heads, and any other fixtures connected to the line. When the discharge line is completely filled, adjust the throttling valve to the required discharge flow rate.

#### Leakage

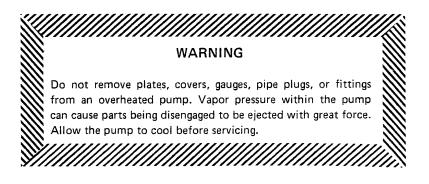
No leakage should be visible at pump mating surfaces, or at pump connections or fittings. Keep all line connections and fittings tight to maintain maximum pump efficiency.

#### Overheating

Overheating can occur if the valves in the suction or discharge lines are closed. Operating against closed valves could bring the liquid to a boil, build pressure, and cause the pump to rupture or explode. If overheating occurs, stop the pump and allow it to cool before servicing it. Refill the volute casing with cool liquid.



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## **Strainer Check**

Check the suction strainer regularly during pump operation, or if the pump flow rate begins to drop, and clean it as necessary. Be especially alert for unusual noises when pumping liquids containing solids.

#### **Pump Vacuum Check**

Install a vacuum gauge in the system, using pipe dope on the threads.

The pump should pull a vacuum of 20 inches or more of mercury at operating speed with the suction line blocked. If it does not, check for air leaks in the seal or gaskets.

With the pump primed and at operating speed, and the suction line open, read the vacuum gauge. Shut off the pump, keep the vacuum line open, and read the gauge again to see if the vacuum remains at the maximum developed by the pump. If the vacuum falls off rapidly, an air leak exists. If the liquid level at the source of supply remains at a constant level, check to make certain that the air leak is not from the vacuum gauge connection.

## STOPPING

After stopping the pump, disconnect the power source to ensure that the pump will remain inoperative.

In below freezing conditions, drain the pump to prevent damage from freezing. Also, clean out any solids by flushing with a hose. Operate the pump for approximately one minute; this will remove any remaining liquid that could freeze the pump rotating parts.

If the pump will be idle for more than a few hours, or if it has been pumping liquids containing a large amount of solids, drain the pump, and flush it thoroughly with clean water. To prevent large solids from clogging the drain port and preventing the pump from completely draining, operate the pump during the draining process. Clean out any remaining solids by flushing with a hose.



## BEARING TEMPERATURE CHECK

Bearings normally run at higher than ambient temperatures because of heat generated by friction. Temperatures up to  $160^{\circ}$ F are considered normal for pedestal bearings, and they can operate safely to at least  $180^{\circ}$ F.

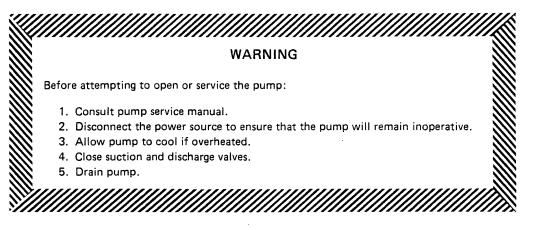
Checking bearing temperatures by hand is inaccurate. They can be measured accurately by placing a contact-type thermometer against the housing. Record this temperature for future reference.

A sudden increase in bearing temperatures is a warning that the bearings are at the point of failing to operate properly. Make certain that the bearing lubricant is of the proper viscosity and at the correct level (see LUBRICATION in MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR). Bearing overheating can also be caused by shaft misalignment and/or excessive vibration.

When pumps are first started, the bearings may seem to run at temperatures above normal. Dynamic operation will bring the temperatures down to normal levels.



# TROUBLESHOOTING



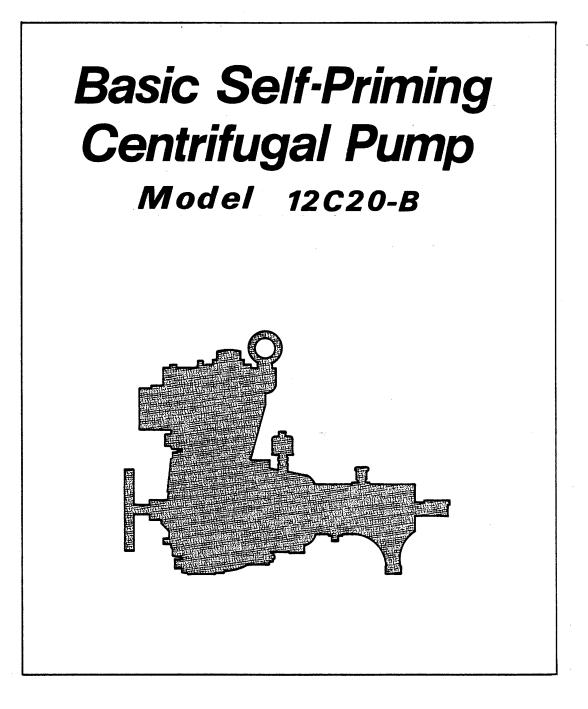
Trouble <sup>1</sup>	Possible Cause	Probable Remedy		
PUMP FAILS TO	Air leak in suction line.	Correct leak.		
PRIME	Lining of suction hose collapsed.	Replace suction hose.		
	Suction check valve clogged or binding.	Clean valve.		
	Leaking or worn seal or pump gasket.	Check pump vacuum. Replace leaking or worn seal or gasket.		
	Suction lift or discharge head too high.	Check piping installation and install bypass line if needed. See INSTALLATION.		
	Suction strainer clogged.	Clean suction strainer.		
PUMP STOPS OR	Air leak in suction line.	Correct leak.		
FAILS TO DE- LIVER RATED FLOW OR PRESSURE	Suction intake not sub- merged at proper level or sump too small.	Check installation and correct as needed. Check submergence chart (Section B, page 4).		
	Lining of suction hose collapsed.	Replace suction hose.		
	Impeller or other wearing parts worn or damaged.	Check impeller clearance. Replace worn parts as needed.		
	Impeller clogged.	Free impeller of debris.		
	Pump speed too slow.	Check driver output; check belts or couplings for slippage.		
	Discharge head too high.	Install bypass line.		
	Suction lift too high.	Reduce suction lift.		



Trouble	Possible Cause	Probable Remedy		
PUMP STOPS OR FAILS TO DE- LIVER RATED	Leaking or worn seal or pump gaskets.	Check pump vacuum. Replace leaking or worn seal or pump gaskets.		
FLOW OR PRESSURE (cont)	Suction strainer clogged.	Clean suction strainer.		
PUMP REQUIRES TOO MUCH POWER	Pump speed too high.	Check driver output; check that sheaves or couplings are correctly sized.		
FOWER	Discharge head too low.	Adjust discharge valve.		
	Liquid solution too thick.	Dilute if possible.		
PUMP CLOGS FREQUENTLY	Discharge flow too slow.	Open discharge valve fully to increase flow rate, and run engine at maximum governed speed.		
	Suction check valve clogged or binding.	Free valve, and clean or replace it.		
EXCESSIVE NOISE	Cavitation in pump.	Reduce suction lift and/or friction losses in suction line.		
	Pumping entrained air.	Locate and eliminate source of air bubble.		
	Pump or drive not securely mounted.	Secure mounting hardware.		
	Impeller clogged or damaged.	Clean out debris; replace damaged parts.		
BEARINGS RUN TOO HOT	Bearing temperature is high, but within limits.	Check bearing temperature.		
	Low or incorrect lubricant.	Check for proper type and level of lubricant.		
	Suction and discharge lines not properly supported.	Check piping installation for proper support.		
	Drive misaligned.	Align drive properly.		



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The only moving parts of this pump are the impeller, seal rotating elements, and the shaft. The wear plate, impeller, and seal, which receive the most wear, are easily accessible and can be replaced by removing the cover without disturbing the volute casing and piping. Maintenance and replacement of these three parts will maintain the peak operating efficiency of the pump.



# SECTIONAL DRAWING

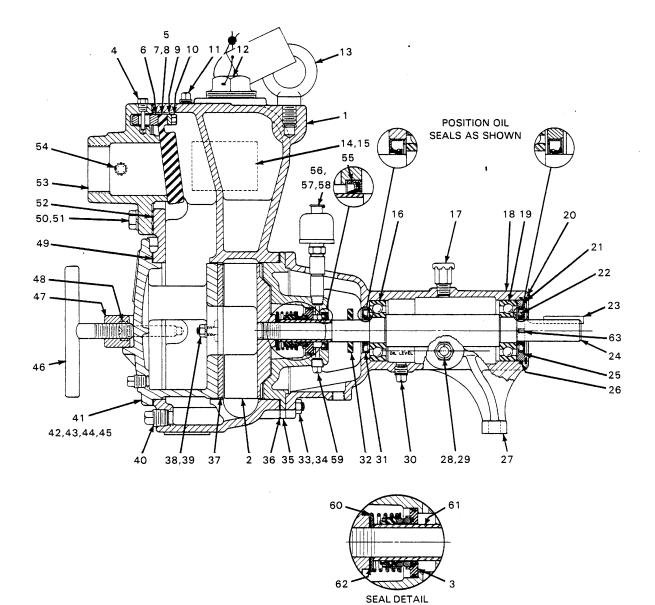


Figure 1. Pump Model 12C20-B



# **PARTS LIST**

PUMP MODEL 12C20-B up)

(From S/N

Above Serial Numbers Do Not Apply To Pumps Made In Canada.

ITEM NO.	PART NAME	PART NUMBER	MATL CODE	NO. REQ	ITEM NO.	PART NAME	PART NUMBER	MATL CODE	NO. REQ
1	VOLUTE CASING	12909-A	10010	1	34	HEX NUT	D-06	15991	6
2	★ IMPELLER	12906	11000	1	35	SEAL PLATE	38272-225	-	1
3	★ SEAL ASSEMBLY	13294	_	1	36	★ VOLUTE GASKET SET	229-G	18000	1
4	CHECK VALVE PIN	12908	17010	1	37	*WEAR PLATE ASSEMBLY	12911	15990	1
5	★ CHECK VALVE	46411-045	-	1	38	HEX NUT	D-06	15991	2
6	ADAPTER	33291-007	-	1	39	LOCKWASHER	J-06	15991	2
7	SPACER SLEEVE	31411-014	_	2	40	VOLUTE DRAIN PLUG	P-06	11990	1
8	CHECK VALVE	38671-006	-	1	41	★ COVER ASSEMBLY	42111-917	-	1
9	BACKUP PLATE	33461-001	-	1	42	COVER	12907	10010	1
10	CAPSCREW	BT-0404	15991	2	43	PIPE PLUG	P-04	11990	1
11	PIPE PLUG	P-04	11990	1	44	WARNING PLATE	2613-EV	13990	1
12	FILL PLUG ASSEMBLY	48271-068		1	45	DRIVE SCREW	BM#04-03	15990	4
13	EYE BOLT	NOT FURNIS	SHED		46	CLAMP SCREW	8618	24000	1
14	DRIVE SCREW	BM#04-03	15990	4	47	CLAMP BAR	12913	11000	1
15	NAME PLATE	2613-AY	13990	1	48	MACHINE BOLT	A-1008	15991	2
16	★ BALL BEARING	S-390		1	49	★COVER GASKET	8616-G	19090	1
17	PEDESTAL AIR VENT	S-1703	-	1	50	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-1006	15991	4
18	ROTATION DECAL	2613-CU	00000	1	51	LOCKWASHER	J-10	15991	4
19	★ BALL BEARING	S-390		1	52	★ SUCTION FLANGE GASKET	12912-G	18000	1
20	RETAINING RING	S-219	-	1	53	SUCTION FLANGE	12912	10010	1
21	★ BEARING SHIM SET	S-464	-	1	54	PIPE PLUG	P-04	11990	1
22	★OIL SEAL	25227-216		1	55	★OIL SEAL	S-1912	-	1
23	★ SHAFT KEY	N-0407	15990	1	56	BOTTLE OILER	S-1933	-	1
24	* IMPELLER SHAFT	38514-212	_	1	57	PIPE NIPPLE	T-0206	15070	1
25	BEARING RETAINER	38322-517	-	1	58	PIPE COUPLING	AE-02	11990	1
26	★ BEARING RETAINER O-RING	25152-149		1	59	SEAL CAVITY DRAIN PLUG	P-02	11990	1
27	PEDESTAL	3212-C	10010	1	60	SPRING SEAT	4023	15990	1
28	PIPE PLUG	P-06	11990	1 -	61	★ SHAFT SLEEVE	4024	17020	1
29	OIL LEVEL SIGHT GAUGE	26714-011		1	62	★IMPELLER SHIM SET	2-Y	17090	1
30	PEDESTAL DRAIN PLUG	P-06	11990	1	63	* SETSCREW	GA#10-01S	15990	2
31	★ OIL SEAL	25227-216		1	NOT	SHOWN:			
32	★ SLINGER RING	2351	19120	1	1	STRAINER	9026	24000	1
33	STUD	C-0607	15991	6	1	•			
★ Indicates parts recommended for stock									

CANADIAN SERIAL NO. ..... AND UP



## PUMP AND SEAL DISASSEMBLY AND REASSEMBLY

This pump requires little service due to its rugged, minimum-maintenance design. If it becomes necessary to inspect and/or replace the wearing parts, however, follow these instructions, which are keyed to the sectional view (see figure 1) and the accompanying parts list.

## Pump Disassembly

Disconnect the power source, and close all connecting valves. Remove the volute drain plug (40) to drain the pump. Loosen the cover clamp screw (46) and release the cover clamp bar (47) to remove the cover (42) for access to the wear plate (37), impeller (2), and seal assembly (3). After removing the cover, inspect the wear plate, and replace it if scored or worn.

To loosen the impeller, immobilize it by placing a block of wood between the vanes, and hand turn the impeller shaft (24) counter to the direction of pump rotation. Unscrew the impeller, and replace it if cracked or badly worn.

Remove the impeller adjusting shims (62). For ease of reassembly, tag and tie the shims, or measure and record their thickness.

## Seal Disassembly

Before removing the seal assembly, remove the seal drain plug (59) to drain the seal cavity. Clean and reinstall the seal drain plug.

Carefully remove the seal spring seat (60), the rotating and stationary seal elements, and the shaft sleeve (61), using a stiff wire with a hooked end if necessary.

Clean the seal cavity and impeller shaft with a soft cloth soaked in cleaning solvent.

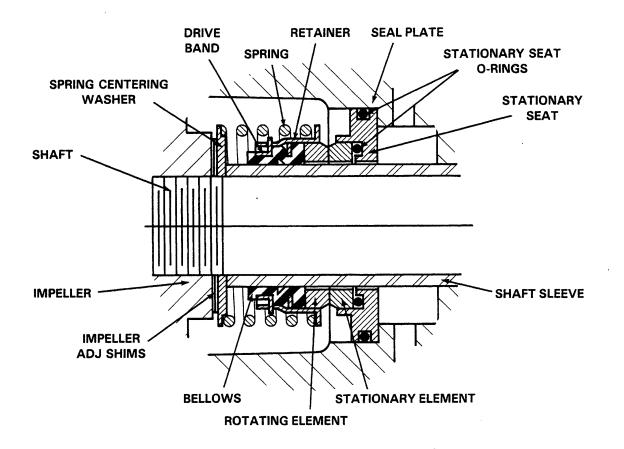


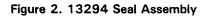
#### Seal Reassembly

The seal is not normally reused because of the high polish on its lapped faces, but if it is necessary to reuse the old seal, wash all metallic parts in cleaning solvent and dry thoroughly.

Inspect the seal components for wear, scoring, grooves, and other damage that might cause leakage. If any components are worn, replace the complete seal; never mix old and new seal parts. Clean and polish the shaft sleeve, or replace it if there are nicks or cuts on the end.







## CAUTION

This seal is not designed for operation at temperatures above 160°F. Do not use at higher operating temperatures.

Install the shaft sleeve, and install the replacement seal as a complete unit.

Lubricate the O-rings and bellows with soft grease or oil when installing the seal, and place a drop of light lubricating oil on the lapped faces. Assemble the seal as shown in figure 2.

## **Pump Reassembly**

Reinstall the impeller adjusting shims and the impeller. A clearance of .020 to .040 inch between the impeller and the seal plate is necessary for maximum pump efficiency. Measure this distance, and add or subtract impeller shims until it is reached.



Reassemble the volute casing to the pedestal and the seal plate, replacing the volute gasket set (36). A clearance of .008 to .015 inch between the impeller and the wear plate is also recommended for maximum pump efficiency. This clearance can be reached by adding or subtracting gaskets in the volute gasket set until the impeller binds against the wear plate when the shaft is turned. After the impeller binds, add .010 inch of gaskets.

Before starting the pump, clean and reinstall the volute drain plug and fill the volute with liquid.

## LUBRICATION

#### Seal Assembly

Fill the seal bottle oiler with SAE No. 30 non-detergent motor oil.

#### Bearings

The pedestal oil level must be maintained at the midpoint of the pedestal oil level sight gauge (29). When oil is required, remove the pedestal air vent (17), and fill the pedestal to the midpoint of the oil level sight gauge with a good grade of non-detergent SAE No. 30 motor oil. Clean and reinstall the pedestal air vent.

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## THE GORMAN-RUPP COMPANY AND GORMAN-RUPP OF CANADA LIMITED 12 MONTH LIMITED WARRANTY

## **EXTENT AND DURATION OF WARRANTY**

**Coverage:** The Gorman-Rupp Company or Gorman-Rupp of Canada Limited (herein individually referred to as "GR") each individually warrant that its products and parts shall be free from defects in material and workmanship for twelve (12) months from the date of purchase by the original end user.

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The sole and exclusive remedy for breach of this Limited Warranty by GR, and the entire extent of its liability for such breach or for damages arising and/or resulting from the use of the products and parts covered by this Limited Warranty shall be as follows:

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- b) GR will advise whether inspection of the product and/or part will be necessary and whether and how repair or replacement will be effected. If inspection by GR is necessary, the product or part must be sent freight prepaid to GR at the address stated below. Return shipment of the repaired product or part will be F.O.B. the address stated below.
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