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# **OWNER'S MANUAL**

INSTALLATION & OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR:

"THE BULLDOG"
BRONZE PADDLE PUMPS
Models: 90000, 90100





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Carefully read and understand all of the Warnings and installation instructions in this manual. Failure to follow these instructions could lead to serious bodily injury and/or property damage. Retain these instructions for future reference.

This pump has been manufactured with the highest quality materials. Properly installed and maintained in the right application, your new Pump will give you years of carefree performance.

**WARNING** Use this pump to pump only water and compatible chemicals listed in the chemical resistance chart on page 7. If you have any questions on what type of materials that can be pumped, call us at 1-800-495-9278 or contact us on the web at <a href="https://www.superiorpump.com">www.superiorpump.com</a>

## WARNING

**DO NOT RUN THE PUMP DRY**. The pump depends on liquids for cooling and lubrication. Operating the pump without liquid running through it may cause severe damage to the impeller and/or pump housing. Several minutes of dry operation can permanently damage the impeller and pump.

## INSTALLATION

#### **PIPE AND HOSE LINES**

It is recommended to use the same size pipe/hose as the discharge size of the pump. Suction lines must be airtight, and as straight as possible. If pipe/hose runs are over 50', it is recommended to use one size larger pipe/hose. The discharge may be reduced when less output is desired but the pump should not be operated against a closed discharge.

**TIP**: When pumping from sources that contain sediment or debris, drop the suction hose (with a strainer or filter attached) to the bottom of the tank, then, lift it up by about 6 inches **BEFORE** starting the pump. This keeps unwanted materials from entering the suction line. It is also recommended to use a screen or filter to remove sediment before it enters the pump as this will prolong the life of the pump.

#### FLOW DIRECTION

From the factory, the pump is set up for counter clockwise rotation as shown in Figure 2. To reverse the direction of the pump, first remove the end plate and impeller. Reinsert the impeller into the housing making sure the blades of the impeller are oriented in the opposite direction. Replace end plate, making sure the gasket is properly aligned. **NOTE:** Make sure the motor is rotating the same direction as the pump. See Changing Motor Direction in section below.

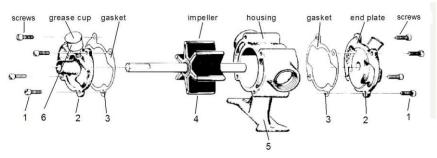
#### MOTOR DIRECTION

From the factory, the motor is set up for counter clockwise rotation. To reverse the motor direction follow the wiring diagrams on the separate instructions included with the pump.

CHE			STANCE OF BRONZE PAD					
COMPATIBILITY RATINGS 1 = SATISFA 2 = FAIR			CTORY		OUBTF	X=Insufficient		
	IMPELLER			IMPELLER			IMPELLER	
LIQUID	53 63	53X 63X	LIQUID	53 63	53X 63X	LIQUID	53 63	53X 63X
A	03	03A	F	03	03/	0	03	03A
Acetaldehyde	3	Х	Ferric Chloride	2	1	Octyl Alcohol	2	Х
Acetone	4	4	Ferric Nitrate	1	1	Oleic Acid	4	Х
Acetyl Acetone	4	Х	Formaldehyde	3	2	Olive Oil	2	2
Acetyl Chloride	4	Х	Freon, 11	4	Х	Ozone	3	1
Aluminum Acetate	2	2	Freon, 22	1 1		Р		
Aluminum Bromide	1	Χ	Fuel Oil	2	1	Paint Thinner, Duco	4	Х
Aluminum Chloride	1	1	Furfural	4	4	Palmitic Acid	2	2
Aluminum Nitrate	1	1	G			Peanut Oil	3	1
Ammonia, Gas, Cold	1	X	Gasoline	4	1	Petroleum Oil, Crude	2	
Gas, Hot Liquid (Anhydrous)	2	X	Gelatin	1	1	Phenol	4	X
Ammonium Chloride, 2N	1	X	Glycerine-Glycerol	1	1	Phosphoric Acid, 3 Molar Concentrated	3 4	X
Ammonium Nitrate, 2N	1	X 1	Glycols H			Potassium Chloride	1	1
Ammonium Sulfate	1	1	N-Heptane	2 X		Potassium Cyanide	1	1
Amyl Alcohol	2	1	N-Hexane	2	1	Potassium Hydroxide, 50%	2	1
Amyl Naphthalene	4	X	Hexyl Alcohol	2	X	Potassium Nitrate	1	1
Aniline Hydrochloride	4	4	Hydraulic Oil (petroleum base)	2	1	Potassium Sulphate	1	1
Automatic Transmission Fluid	2	X	Hydrochloric Acid, 3 Molar	3	4	Propane	2	1
Automotive Brake Fluid	2	Х	concentrated	4	4	Propyl Alcohol	1	1
В			Hydrogen Peroxide	1	Χ	R		
Barium Chloride	1	1	Hydrogen Sulfide			RJ-1 (MIL-F-25558)	2	Х
Barium Hydroxide	1	1	Wet, Cold	1	2	RP-1 (MIL-R-25576)	2	X
Beer	1	1	Wet, Hot	2	2	Rapeseed Oil	2	1
Beet Sugar Liquors	2	Х	Hypochlorous Acid	4	Х	\$		
Bleach Liquor	4	Х	1			Sewage	2	Х
Boric Acid	1	1	Isopropanol	2	X	Silicone Greases	1	1
Bromine Trifluoride	4	4	Isopropyl Alcohol	2	1	Silicone Oils	1	1
Butane Butter – Animal Fat	2	1	J JP X (MIL-F-25604)	2	Х	Soap Solutions Soda Ash	2	1
Butyl Alcohol	1	X	JF X (WIL-F-23004)		_ ^	Sodium Bicarb. / Baking Soda	1	1
C	<u>'</u>	_ ^	Kerosene	2	1	Sodium Borate	1	1
Calcium Chloride	1	1	(similar to RP-1 & JP-1)			Sodium Bisulfate of Bisulfite	1	1
Calcium Hydroxide	1	1	(online to it i i d oi i)	<u> </u>		Sodium Chloride	1	1
Calcium Nitrate	1	1	Lacquers	4	4	Sodium Hydroxide, 3 Molar	2	2
Cane Sugar Liquors	1	1	Lacquer Solvents	4	4	Sodium Hypochlorite 20%	4	1
Carbolic Acid, Phenol	4	Х	Lard, Animal Fat	2	1	Sodium Nitrate	2	1
Castor Oil	1	1	Lime Sulphur	1	Х	Sodium Sulphate	1	1
Chlorine Bleach	2	Х	Linseed Oil	3	Х	Sour Crude Oil	Х	Х
Chlorine, Wet	4	2	Liquid Petroleum Gas (LPG)	2	1	Soybean Oil	3	1
Chlorobenzene	4	4	Lubricating Oils, Di-ester	3	Χ	Stearic Acid	2	2
Chlorodane	3	X	Petroleum Base	2	1	Stoddard Solvent	2	1
Citric Acid	1	1	SAE 10, 20, 30,40, 50	2	1	Sulfur Liquors	2	2
Cobalt Chloride	1	X	Lye Solutions	2	Х	Sulfur Hexafluoride	1	1
Copper Acetate Corn Oil	2	X 1	Magnesium Chloride	1	1	Sulfuric Acid, 3 Molar	3	2
Corn Oil Cottonseed Oil	3	1	Magnesium Chloride Magnesium Hydroxide	2	1	Concentrated Sulfurous Acid	2	4 X
Crude Oil	4	X	Magnesium Rydroxide  Magnesium Sulphite & Sulphate	1	1	Sullurous Acid T		^
D D			Mercuric Chloride	1	1	Tannic Acid	2	Х
Denatured Alcohol	1	1	Mercury	1	1	Tartaric Acid	2	X
Detergent, Water Solution	2	1	Methane	2	1	Transformer Oil	2	X
Developing Fluids (photo)	1	X	Methanol	1	X	Transmission Fluid Type A	2	1
Diacetone Alcohol	4	4	Methyl Alcohol	1	2	Trichloroethylene	4	4
Dichloro-Isoproply Ether	4	Х	Milk	1	Χ	Turbine Oil	4	1
Diesel Oil	3	1	Mineral Oils	2	1	Turpentine	4	1
Diethylene Glycol	1	1	N			V		
Drinking Water	2	Х	Naptha	4	1	Vegetable Oil	3	1
Dry Cleaning Fluids	4	Х	Natural Gas	1	1	Versilube F-50	1	1
E	1 4		Nickel Chloride	2	X	WXYZ		_
Ethanol	1	X	Nickel Sulfate	1	X	Water	2	2
Ethers	4	X	Nitric Acid, 3 Molar Concentrated	4	4	Whiskey and Wines	1	X
Ethyl Alcohol Ethylene Diamine	1	1	Red Furning (RFNA)	4	4	Wood Alcohol Xvlene	4	X 4
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Ethyl Ether	4	2	Inhibited Red Fuming (IRFNA)	4	4	Zinc Chloride	1	Х

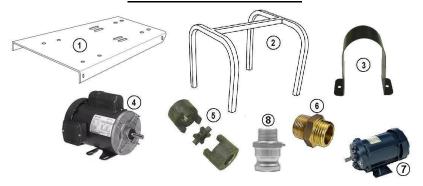
NOTE: The 53 and 63 impellers have been discontinued but are listed for reference

## REPLACEMENT PARTS



Ref.	Description		Part # for Model:		
Kel.	Description	BP20X	BP21X		
1	Screws (1/4"-20 x 1/2" for BP20X) (5/16"-18 x 1/2" for BP21X)	Purchase Locally			
2	End Plate Kit (Incl. one end plate, screws, gasket and grease cup	3025	3035		
3	Gasket (2 Per Pack)	345026	345027		
4	Impeller Kit (Includes Impeller, shaft and gaskets)	53X	63X		
5	Housing Kit (Includes gaskets)	3026	3036		
6	Grease Cup (1 Per Pack)	54	54		

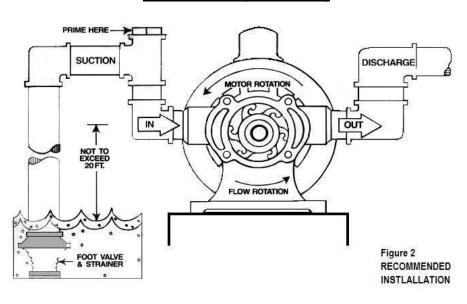
# **AVAILABLE ACCESSORIES**



Ref. #	Description	Model#	
1	Pump Base	SBO	
2	Pump Handle	20400	
3	Motor Coupling Guard	21210	
4	1/2 HP GE Motor	20365	
5	1/2" x 1/2" Motor Coupling	20312	
5	5/8" x 5/8" Motor Coupling	20358	
5	1/2" x 5/8" Motor Coupling	20328	
6	1"NPT x ¾" Garden Hose Adapter	20310	
7	1/2 HP Explosion Proof Motor	20366	
8	1" Quick Connect Cam Fitting (Male end Only)	10FXX	

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## **INSTALLATION (CONTINUED)**



## **OPERATION**

#### **INITIAL STARTUP**

**NOTE:** When the pump is new, it may be difficult for the motor to turn the impeller. It is recommended to spray oil or other lubricant in the pump suction and discharge ports to help lubricate the impeller. The pump will also prime faster and easier if the impeller is wet. Turn the pump shaft (you may need to use a wrench) several turns in the direction the pump will run to loosen and lubricate the impeller. Turn each grease cup one turn to lubricate impeller shaft. Start motor. As soon as water starts flowing the pump is ready for use.

NOTE: If the pump does not prime itself in 30-45 seconds, shut off the motor. DO NOT RUN THE PUMP DRY FOR EXTENDED PERIODS OF TIME AS SEVERE DAMAGE MAY OCCUR. Follow priming tips below.

#### **PRIMING**

When in good condition, this pump is noted for its powerful suction. Priming in most cases is not necessary but if the water level is below 15' or if the liquid has a high viscosity you may find it necessary to prime the pump.

#### PRIMING TIPS

- Fill the suction line with water to help displace the air in the line.
- Use a check or foot valve to help prevent the liquid from draining out of the suction line.

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- Use a "T" fitting (figure 2) on the suction line will make filling the hose/pipe easier.
- Partially restricting the discharge line may help with priming.

## **OPERATION (CONTINUED)**

#### LUBRICATION

Turn the grease cups one turn before initial use and one turn for each eight hours of operation. Periodically inspect and re-fill the grease cups. White lithium grease is a good choice as it performs well and is water resistant.

## **GENERAL OPERATING TIPS**

- -Keep the pump as close to the water supply as possible.
- -Do not let the suction line sit in sand or dirt as these materials will cause rapid wear of the pump.
- -Do not pump liquids that exceed 180°F (82°C).
- -Do not pump liquids that are rated as unsatisfactory on the chemical resistance chart (pg.7).
- -Use an explosion proof motor when pumping flammable liquids.
- -Keep hose and pipe runs as short and straight as possible.

# **TROUBLESHOOTING**

# If the pump impeller shaft will not turn

- 1. Make sure the motor is rotating the same direction as the pump/impeller.
- 2. If the pump is new, you may need to turn the impeller by hand to loosen.
- 3. On new pumps, spray oil or other lubricant in the suction and discharge ports to loosen.
- 4. Turn grease cups ½ to 1 turn to lubricate impeller shaft.

## If the pump moves little or no water

- 1. Check for air leaks in the suction line. Make sure all pipe joints are air tight.
- 2. Check for obstructions in suction and/or discharge lines.
- 3. Make sure liquid supply is within pumping rage. (Up to 20' depth)
- 4. Check impeller for signs of wear. Replace if necessary.
- 5. Check pump housing for wear. Replace if necessary.

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## **PERFORMANCES**

Gallons per minute at listed pressure and head							
Pressure	0 psi	5 psi	10 psi	15 psi	20 psi	25 psi	30 psi
Head in Feet	0'	11'	23'	35'	46'	58'	70'
BP20X	15	12	9	6	4	2	-
BP21X	28	21	16	13	9	6	2

# **SPECIFICATIONS**

Bronze Composition	85-5-5-5
Impeller Shaft_	#416 Stainless Steel
Rubber Impeller	Epichlorohydrin
Fasteners_	Stainless Steel
Motor	90000 - GE ½ HP TEFC 90100 - Franklin ½ HP Explosion Proof (See motor for further information)
Liquid Temperature Range	32°-180° F (0°-82° C)
Solids Handling	1/4"
Discharge Size	3/4" NPT – BP20 & BP20X 1" NPT– BP21 & BP21X
Warranty Impeller Bronze Parts	

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