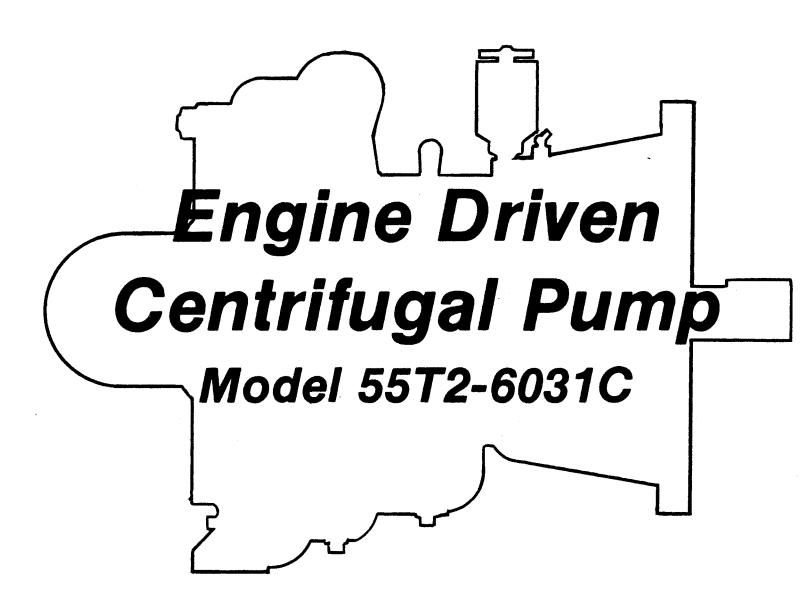
# INSTALLATION, OPERATION, PARTS LIST, AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL

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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 50 Series, enclosed impeller, centrifugal model. It is specifically designed for the pumping of clean liquids at high heads and high discharge pressures.

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:

The Gorman-Rupp Company P.O. Box 1217 Mansfield, Ohio 44902 Gorman-Rupp of Canada Limited 70 Burwell Road St. Thomas, Ontario N5P 3R7

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

Instructions to aid in installation, operation, or maintenance or which clarify a procedure.

#### CAUTION

Instructions which must be followed to avoid causing damage to the product or other equipment incidental to the installation. These describe the procedure required and the damage which could result from failure to follow the procedure.

#### WARNING

Instructions which must be followed to avoid causing injury or death to personnel. These describe the procedure required and the injury which could result from failure to follow the procedure.

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## **WARNINGS**

THESE WARNINGS APPLY TO ALL ENGINE DRIVEN PUMPS. REFER TO THE MANUAL ACCOMPANYING THE ENGINE BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO START THE ENGINE.

Before attempting to open or service the pump:

- 1. Familiarize yourself with this manual.
- 2. Disconnect the power source to ensure that the pump will remain inoperative.
- 3. Allow the pump to cool if overheated.
- 4. Vent the pump slowly and cautiously.
- 5. Close the suction and discharge valves.
- 6. Check the temperature before opening any covers, plates, or plugs.
- 7. Drain the pump.

Do not attempt to pump volatile or corrosive materials for which this pump has not been designed.

After the pump has been located in its operating position, make certain that the pump has been secured before attempting to operate it.

Do not operate the pump without shields and/or guards in place over drive shafts, belts and/or couplings, or other rotating parts. Exposed rotating parts can catch clothing, fingers, or tools, causing severe injury to personnel.

Do not operate the pump against a closed discharge valve for long periods of time. This could bring the liquid to a boil, build pressure, and cause the pump to rupture or explode.

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Overheated pumps can cause severe burns and injury. If overheating of the pump casing occurs: 1. Stop the pump immediately. 2. Allow the pump to cool. 3. Refer to instructions in this manual before restarting the pump. Do not remove plates, covers, gauges, pipe plugs, or fittings from an overheated pump. Vapor pressure within the pump can cause parts being disengaged to be ejected with great force. Allow the pump to cool before servicing. Do not operate an internal combustion engine in an explosive atmosphere. When operating internal combustion engines in an enclosed area, make certain that exhaust fumes are piped to the outside. These fumes contain carbon monoxide, a deadly gas that is colorless, tasteless and odorless. Fuel used by internal combustion engines presents an extreme explosion and fire hazard. Make certain that all fuel lines are securely connected and free of leaks. Never refuel a hot or running engine. Avoid overfilling the fuel tank. Always use the correct type of fuel.

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Never tamper with the governor to gain more power. The governor establishes safe

operating limits that should not be exceeded.



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

#### POSITIONING THE PUMP

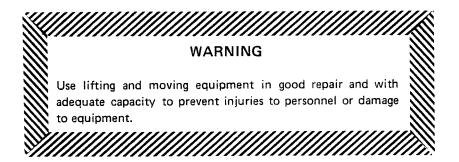
#### Mounting

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.

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#### 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.

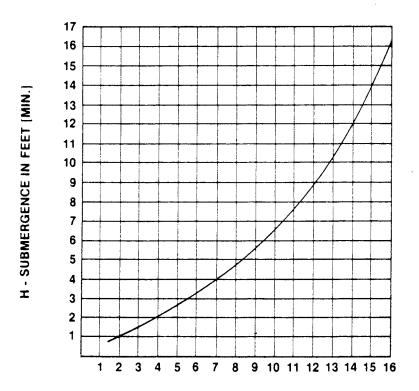
With high discharge heads, install a throttling valve and a check valve in the discharge line to protect the pump from excessive shock pressure and reverse rotation when it is stopped.



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.

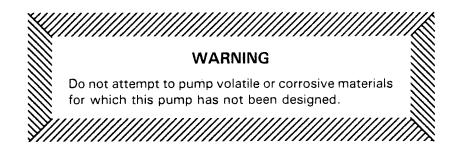


VELOCITY IN FEET PER SEC. =  $\frac{\text{QUAN. [G.P.M.] x .321}}{\text{AREA}}$  OR  $\frac{\text{G.P.M. x .4085}}{\text{D}^2}$ 

Figure 1. Recommended Minimum Suction Line Submergence Vs. Velocity



## **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 not self-priming, and will normally require an external priming device.

If this pump is equipped with a hand-operated vacuum priming pump, see below.

#### Hand-Operated Priming Pump

The hand-operated priming pump - usually mounted directly on the pump - is designed to draw air out of the suction line and the volute.

Hand-operated priming pumps can be used while the pump is either stopped or operating.

Close the discharge line throttling valve.

If this pump is equipped with a spring-loaded check valve, close the check valve before engaging the priming device.

To prime the pump, open the cock in the priming line. Operate the handle of the pump until liquid flows from the check valve (see figure 1).

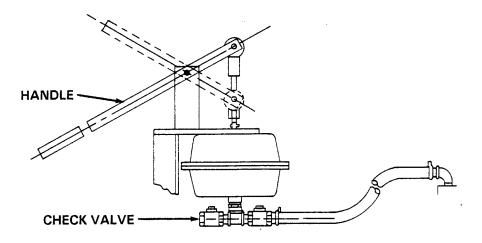


Figure 1. Hand Primer Assembly



Once the pump is fully primed, close the cock in the priming line. If this pump is equipped with a spring-loaded check valve, open the check valve after the pump has been primed.

#### **STARTING**

Starting procedures will vary slightly depending on the pump application, type of priming device, and type of drive.

Consult the operating manual furnished with the power source.

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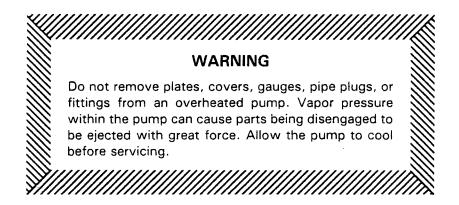
Partially open the discharge throttling valve so that the discharge line fills slowly to prevent damage to piping, gaskets, and other devices in the line which could be affected by shock resulting from rapid filling of the line. When the discharge line is completely filled, adjust the discharge throttling valve to the desired 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.



#### 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.

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#### 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 seals 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, 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°F are considered normal for intermediate bearings, and they can operate safely to at least 180°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**

### WARNING

Before attempting to open or service the pump:

- 1. Consult pump service manual.
- 2. Disconnect the power source to ensure that the pump will remain inoperative.
- 3. Allow pump to cool if overheated.
- 4. Close suction and discharge valves.
- 5. Drain pump.

Trouble	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.		
	Discharge head too high.	Install bypass line.		
	Suction lift too high.	Reduce suction lift.		

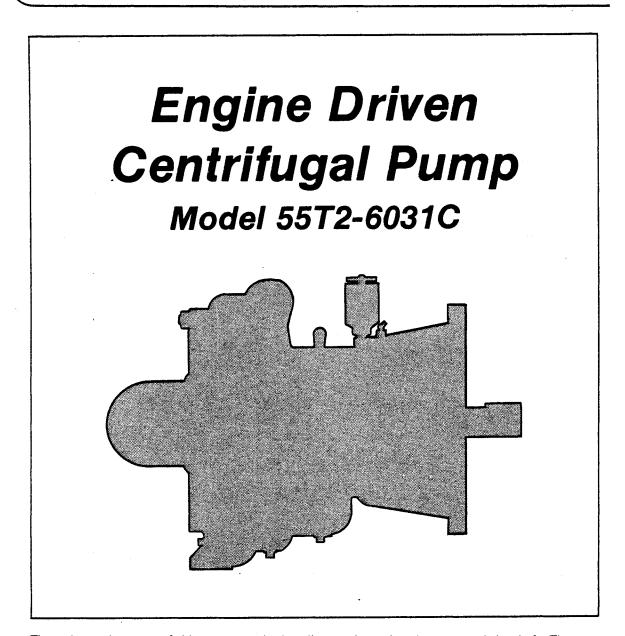
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Trouble	Possible Cause	Probable Remedy
PUMP STOPS OR FAILS TO DE- LIVER RATED	Leaking or worn seal or pump gaskets.	Check pump vacuum. Replace leaking or worn seal or pump gaskets.
FLOW OR PRESSURE (cont)	Suction strainer clogged.	Clean suction strainer.
PUMP REQUIRES TOO MUCH	Pump speed too high.	Reduce speed of power source.
POWER	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 frequently to monitor any increase.
	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.

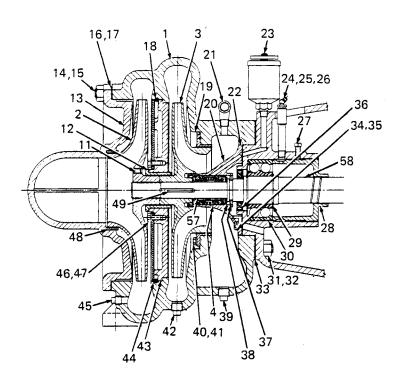




The only moving parts of this pump are the impellers, seal rotating elements, and the shaft. The wear rings, impellers, and seal, which receive the most wear, are easily accessible and can be replaced by removing the cover without disturbing the volute casing and piping. Maintenance and replacement of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



# SECTIONAL DRAWING



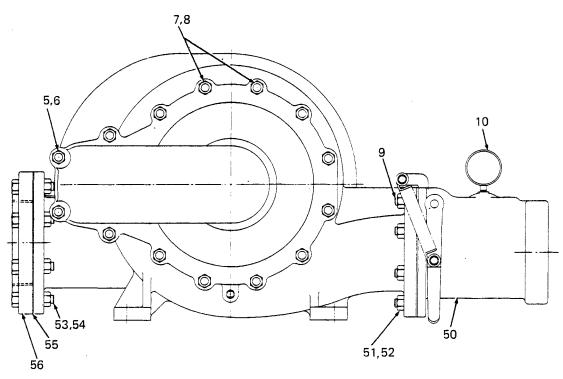


Figure 1. Pump End Only Model 55T2-6031C



# **PARTS LIST**

## **PUMP END ONLY MODEL 55T2-6031C**

(From S/N 375754 up)

NO.	PART NAME	PART NUMBER	MATL	QTY	NO.	PART NAME	PART NUMBER	MATL CODE	QTY
1	VOLUTE CASING	5007	10020	1		WOODRUFF KEY	AV-0404	15990	1
2	*IMPELLER A	5011-A	10010	1		CAPSCREW	BT-0806	15991	1
3	*IMPELLER B	2238-A	10010	1	Ī	ALLEN HEAD SETSCREW	GA-0401	15990	2
4	★ SEAL ASSEMBLY	GS-1250	-	1	ŀ	ALLEN HEAD SETSCREW	GA-0401 1/2	15990	1
5	STUD .	C-1012	15991	2	51	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	8-1010	15991	6
6	HEX NUT	D-10	15991	2	52	HEX NUT	D-10	15991	6
7	STUD	C-1010	15991	2	53	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-1011	15991	8
8	HEX NUT	<b>D</b> -10	15991	2	54	HEX NUT	D-10	15991	8
9	HEX NUT	D-10	15991	1	55	<b>★SUCTION FLANGE GASKET</b>	1679-G	18000	1
10	*PRESSURE GAUGE	S-180		1	56	SUCTION FLANGE	1758	10010	1
11	* SETSCREW	AX-0602	14990	2	1	*IMPELLER SHIM SET	37-J	17090	1
12	★ SLEEVE BUSHING	5017	14050	1	E .	*IMPELLER SHAFT	5774-A	16040	1
13	COVER PLATE	5010	10010	1	NOT S	SHOWN:			
14	STUD	C-1008	15991	10	i	STRAINER	S-1529		1
15	HEX NUT	0-10	15991	10		GMC 6031C ENGINE	206-D1	_	1
16	★ COVER GASKET	1210-G	18000	1	İ	CABLE ASSEMBLY	6926-AC	24040	2
17	★COVER GASKET	5007-G	18000	1	1	BASE	9488-B	24000	1
18	★SNAP RING	5018	17140	1	ł	FUEL LINE	12620-C	-	1
19	*IMPELLER WEAR RING	2239	14010	1	ł	FUEL LINE	12620-E	_	1
20	★SEAL HOUSING	2178	14000	1	1	BATTERY BOX ASSEMBLY	GRP40-04	_	1
21	STREET ELBOW	RS-06	11990	2	1	BATTERY BOX COVER	4896-X	24000	1
22	★SEAL HOUSING GASKET	2178-G	18000	1	i	CABLE ASSEMBLY	5795-CR	24040	1
23	★SEAL GREASE CUP	S-1509		1	l	BATTERY BOX	10478	24000	1
24	<b>★BEARING LUBE FITTING</b>	S-194		1		HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-0604	15991	1
25	PIPE COUPLING	AE-04	11990	1	1	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-0605	15991	1
26	PIPE NIPPLE	T-0412	15070	1		HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-0624	15991	2
27	★SQUARE HEAD SETSCREW	G-0604	15990	1	1	HEX NUT	D-06	15991	4
28	*BEARING RETAINING NUT	2196	10010	1	1	LOCKWASHER	J-06	15991	4
29	* BEARING RETAINING RING	S-215	-	2	}	FLAT WASHER	K-06	15991	6
30	*BALL BEARING	S-1033	_	1	1	BATTERY	S-978		2
31	STUD	C-1209	15991	8	l	HAND PRIMER ASSEMBLY	GRP43-01	_	1
32	HEX NUT	D-12	15991	8	1	PIPE NIPPLE	2434	15070	2
33	★VOLUTE GASKET	922-G	18000	1	l	PRIMER BRACKET	7580	15990	1
34	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-0603	14990	6	i				
3 <del>4</del> 35		J-0603			l	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-1005	15991	2
	LOCKWASHER		15991	6 .	1	HEX NUT	D-10	15991	2
36	★OIL SEAL	S-79	-	1	Į.	LOCKWASHER	J-10	15991	2
37	*LOCK SPRING	947-A	16030	1	1	FLAT WASHER	K-10	1 <b>5991</b>	2
38	* SEAL WASHER	37-H	15990	1	1	HOSE CLAMP	S-887	-	2
39	SEAL CAVITY DRAIN PLUG	P-08	11990	1	ł	PRIMING PUMP	S-1249	<del></del>	1
40	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-0503	14990	2		REDUCER BUSHING	AP-0806	11990	1
41	LOCKWASHER	J-05	15991	2	1	RUBBER HOSE	31412-102	_	1
42	VOLUTE DRAIN PLUG	P-08	11990	1	l	PRESSURE SWITCH	48312-004	-	1
43	<b>★DIAPHRAGM PLATE</b>	13440	10010	1	ł	WIRE ASSEMBLY	5795-DK	-	1
44	*ADAPTER PLATE	13441	15990	1		WIRE ASSEMBLY	5795-DM	-	1
45	VOLUTE DRAIN PLUG	P-06	11990	1	1	WIRE ASSEMBLY	5795-DN	-	1
46	LOCKWASHER	J-06	15991	2	i	WIRE ASSEMBLY	5795-DX	_	1
47	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-0603	14990	2		BRACKET	11274	15990	1
48	<b>★IMPELLER WEAR RING</b>	1477-A	14000	1	1	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-0402	15991	2
49	★SHAFT KEY	N-04091/2	15990	1	1	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-0703	15991	2
50	★ CHECK VALVE ASSEMBLY	GRP14-02-A		1	ł	HEX NUT	D-04	15991	2
	ADJUSTING SHIM SET	513-A	17090	1	1	HEX NUT	D-05	15991	2
	COVER BODY	3842	10010	1	1	HEX NUT	D-07	15991	2
	COVER GASKET	3842-G	18000	1	ŧ	LOCKWASHER	J-04	15991	2
	SPRING BRACKET	3844	14000	1	1	LOCKWASHER	J-07	15991	2
	ARM WEIGHT	3846-A	15990	1	1	FITTING	S-698	_	1
	PACKING NUT	3847	14100	1	1	GROMMET	\$-807		1
	SHAFT	3848	17010	1	i	FLEX HOSE ASSEMBLY	S-1033	-	1
	EXTENSION SPRING	3849	16030	1		CONNECTOR	S-1742	_	2
	SPACER	3855	15070	2	1	T-TYPE LOCKWASHER	AK-05	15990	2
	HANDLE	5364	11000	1	1	REDUCER BUSHING	AP-0402	15990	1
	BUSHING	11573	15030	1	1	HEX NUT	D#10-S	15991	2
	VALVE WEIGHT	11588	10010	i	ì	STREET ELBOW	RS-04	11990	1
	CHECK VALVE	12389	24010	1	i	T-TYPE LOCKWASHER	AK#10	15990	2
	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-0604	15991	2	1	PRESSURE GAUGE	26851-506	. 5550	1
	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW	B-0604	15991	2	1	SOLENOID SWITCH	27422-001	_	1
	HEX HEAD CAPSCREW			6	1		27422-001	-	1
		8-1010 C 1010	15991		1	MOUNTING HARDWARE	0.1000	15004	_
	STUD	C-1010	15991	2	1	MACHINE BOLT	B-1009	15991	2
	HEX NUT	D-10	15991	8	1	MACHINE BOLT	8-1208	15991	6
	LOCKWASHER	J-06	15991	4	I	HEX NUT	D-10	15991	2
	FLAT WASHER	K-06	15991	2	i	HEX NUT	D-12	15991	6
	FLAT WASHER	K-08	15991	1	1	LOCKWASHER	J-10	15991	2
	KEY	N-0208	15990	1	1	LOCKWASHER	J-12	15991	6
	PIPE PLUG	P-04	11990	2	OPTIO	NAL:			
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Above Serial Numbers Do Not Apply To Pumps Made In Canada.

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# SECTIONAL DRAWING

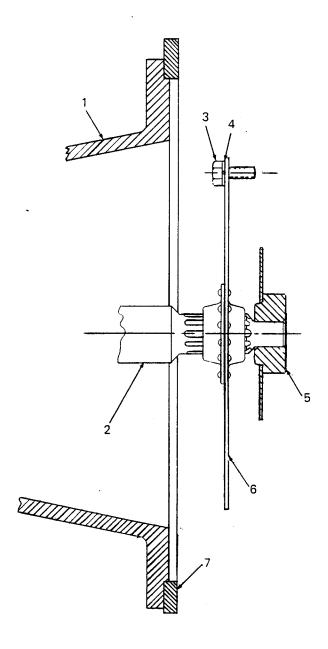


Figure 2. Drive Assembly



## PARTS LIST

ITEM NO.	DRIVE ASSEMBLY PART NAME	PART NUMBER	MATERIAL CODE	NUMBER REQUIRED
1	INTERMEDIATE	2175-C	10010	1
2	<b>☆</b> IMPELLER SHAFT	5774-A	16040	1
3	HEX HEAD CAP SCREW	B-0603	15991	8
4	LOCKWASHER	J-06	15991	8
5	<b>☆</b> PILOT BUSHING	2479	15010	1
6	DRIVE PLATE ASSEMBLY	2194	24020	1
7	<b>☆</b> ADAPTER RING	3283	10010	1

<sup>★</sup>Indicates parts recommended for stock

#### **ENGINE SEPARATION**

If it is necessary to separate the pump from the engine, disengage the hex head cap screws (3) securing the adapter ring (7) to the engine housing, and separate the assemblies.

It is not necessary to remove the drive plate assembly (6) unless the pilot bushing (5) needs replacing. To remove the drive plate assembly, disengage the attaching hex head cap screws (3).

The pilot bushing is a press fit in the flywheel assembly. If replacing the pilot bushing be certain to apply "Never-Seez" compound or equivalent to the inside diameter of the bushing before reassembling the engine and pump end.

#### CAUTION

If the drive assembly is not properly positioned on the shaft, a preload condition can occur and cause premature thrust bearing failure.



#### 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, making certain that it will remain inoperative while the pump is being serviced, and close all connecting valves. Remove the volute drain plugs (42 and 45) to drain the pump.

Remove the hex nuts (15) securing the cover plate (13) to the volute casing (1) for access to the wear rings (19 and 48), impellers (2 and 3), and seal assembly (4).

Inspect the impeller A wear ring (48), and replace it if scored or worn. If the wear ring is scored or worn, use Loctite Bearing Mount or equivalent, to secure the replacement ring to the cover plate.

To remove impeller A (2), block the shaft (58) or power source to prevent pump rotation, and using an impeller wrench, turn the impeller in the direction of pump rotation. Unscrew the impeller and replace it if cracked or badly worn.

Remove the hex head cap screw (47) and the adapter plate (44). Inspect the adapter plate, and replace it if scored or worn.

Remove the snap ring (18), diaphragm plate (43), and sleeve bushing (12). Inspect the diaphragm plate and sleeve bushing, and replace them if scored or badly worn.

Impeller B (3) is keyed onto the shaft and may require the use of an impeller puller for removal. Remove the impeller and replace it if cracked or badly worn.

Remove the impeller adjusting shims (57). For ease of reassembly, tag and tie the shims, or measure and record their thickness.

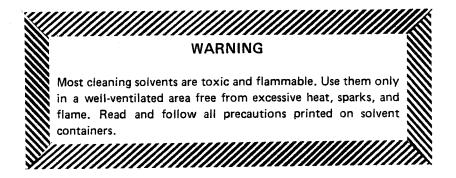
Inspect the impeller B wear ring (19), and replace it if scored or worn.

#### Seal Disassembly

Before removing the seal assembly, turn the cross arm on the seal grease cup (23) clockwise until it rests against the cover (see figure 4). This will prevent the grease in the cup from escaping after the seal is removed.

Remove the seal lock spring (37) and carefully remove the shaft sleeve and the stationary and rotating seal elements, using a stiff wire with a hooked end if necessary.

Clean the seal cavity and 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 110°F. Do not use at higher operating temperatures.

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

Lubricate the packing rings 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 3.

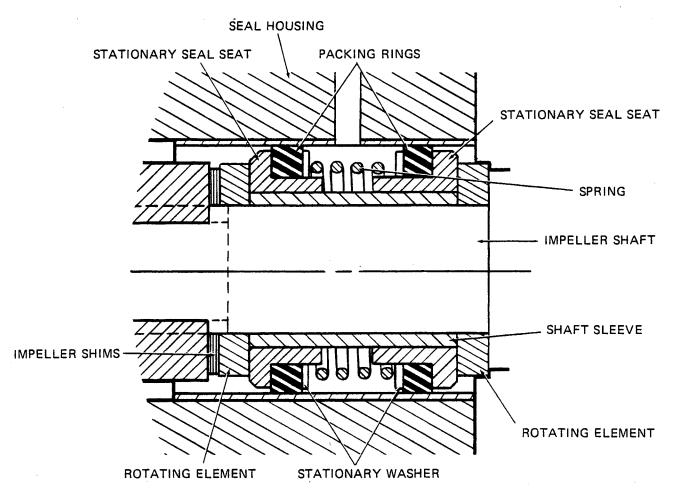


Figure 3. GS-1250 Seal Assembly



#### **Pump Reassembly**

Reinstall the impeller adjusting shims and impeller B. It is necessary for the impeller to be centered in the volute scroll for maximum pump efficiency. Measure this clearance and add or subtract impeller shims until it is reached.

Reinstall the diaphragm plate and sleeve bushing, and reinstall the adapter plate.

Reinstall impeller A, making certain that it bottoms squarely against impeller B.

Reassemble the cover plate to the volute casing, replacing the cover gaskets (16 and 17).

Before starting the pump, turn the shaft to be sure the impeller does not bind or scrape.

Clean and reinstall the volute drain plug.

#### LUBRICATION

#### Seal Assembly

Before starting the pump, fill the grease cup through the grease fitting with a good grade of No. 2 pressure gun grease until grease escapes from the relief hole. Turn the grease cup arm counterclockwise until it is at the top of the stem; this will release the spring to apply grease to the seal (see figure 4).

#### Bearings

When shipped from the factory, the pump contains sufficient grease to lubricate the bearing for approximately 5,000 operating hours. Do not lubricate sooner than required. When additional grease is required, fill the bearing cavity with 1/4 pound of No. 0 pressure gun grease through the bearing lube fitting (24).

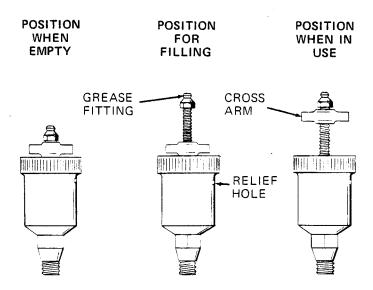


Figure 4. Automatic Lubricating Grease Cup

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