

Specifications - PFSE, 1/2, 3/4 & 1HP - Single Seal, 2" Discharge

General:

Furnish and install a quantity of ____ Power-Flo® Pumps & Systems submersible sewage pump(s), Model PF_____, ____ HP, ____ RPM, _____ phase, 60 Hz, _____ volts, with a 2 inch (optional 3 inch) vertical bolt-on discharge flange connection. Each pump shall be capable of delivering the following performance, _____ U.S. GPM at _____ Ft. Total Dynamic Head, with a shut off head of _____ Ft. TDH minimum.

Pump Design:

The centrifugal sewage pump(s) shall be capable of handling 2 inch diameter spherical solids of raw, unscreened domestic sewage consisting of water, fibrous materials. The pump(s) shall be capable of handling liquids with temperatures to 104 degrees F continuous, and shall be capable of running dry for extended periods.

Pump Construction:

Castings: The volute, seal plates, impeller and motor housing shall be constructed of ASTM A-48 class 30 cast iron.

Coating/Hardware: Exterior surfaces shall have an industrial grade powder coating. All exposed hardware shall be 300 series stainless steel.

Gaskets: All gaskets shall be of the compression square ring type eliminating critical slip fits and the possibility of damage during service associated with sliding o-ring sealing arrangements.

Impeller: The impeller shall be of 2 vane, open type, non-clog design with pump out vanes on the back side. Impellers shall be capable of being trimmed to meet specific performance characteristics. The impeller shall be dynamically balanced to ISO G6.3 specifications.

Mechanical seal: A dual seal arrangement shall consist of a Buna-N exclusion seal and a single mechanical design operating in an oil-filled seal cavity. The seal construction shall be carbon for the rotating face and ceramic for the stationary face, 300 series stainless steel hardware, and all elastomer parts to be of Buna-N. The seal shall be commercially available and not a manufacturers proprietary design.

Motor: Design shall be of the split capacitor design for single phase units. The pump shall be designed to be non-overloading throughout the entire pump curve. The rotor and stator assembly shall be of the standard frame design and secured to the pump seal plate by four threaded fasteners allowing for easy serviceability.

The motor windings shall be of Class B insulation and operate in a sealed environment containing clean dielectric oil, making it capable of operating in a totally, partially or non-submerged condition for extended periods of time without damage due to the heat being generated. The used dielectric oil must be disposed of as non-hazardous waste. The motor shall meet the standard NEMA design L for single phase and NEMA B for three phase.

Thermal Protection: All single phase motors shall have thermal overload protection with automatic reset. Three phase shall be equipped with a thermal switch embedded in the stator windings to monitor temperature and shall be used in conjunction with external overload protection in the control panel.

Shaft: The pump shaft shall be of a one-piece design and shall be of 416 stainless steel.

Bearings: The lower bearing shall be of the single row ball type to accept radial and thrust loads, and the upper bearing of the single ball type for radial loads. Bearings shall operate in an oil bath atmosphere for superior life.

Power Cord: Shall be _____ ft. of type SJTOW on 115 volt and SOW on all other voltages and connected to the motor via Fast-Disconnect plug. Pin receptacles shall be crimped and molded to the power cord in a PVC plug. The plug shall be secured with a stainless steel compression plate to prevent water from entering the housing and to provide strain relief at the point of cord entry. A clamp shall compress the PVC molding against the cord jacket to prevent water from entering the jacket. A terminal block with brass pin inserts shall connect the power cord leads with the motor leads. The ground pin shall be longer than the other pins such that the ground connection is the first connection made and the last connection broken when the plug is inserted and removed, respectively. A Buna-N o-ring shall provide isolation sealing between the terminal block and the motor housing when the cord plug is removed. A three prong, grounded, 115 volt plug shall be molded to power cord for automatic operation.

Tests and inspections: Shall be performed by the pump manufacture.

1. A ground continuity check and motor chamber shall be Hi-potted to test for electrical integrity.
2. Check that motor voltage and frequency matches name plate.
3. The pump shall be pressurized and a air leak test is performed to ensure the integrity of the motor housing.
4. The pump is submerged and operated to determine the unit meets hydraulic performance requirements.

