**INTRODUCTION TO** 

PUMPS



Engineering for the Petroleum and Process Industries

### WHAT ARE PUMPS?

Pumps are machines that are used to increase the total energy level of liquid stream

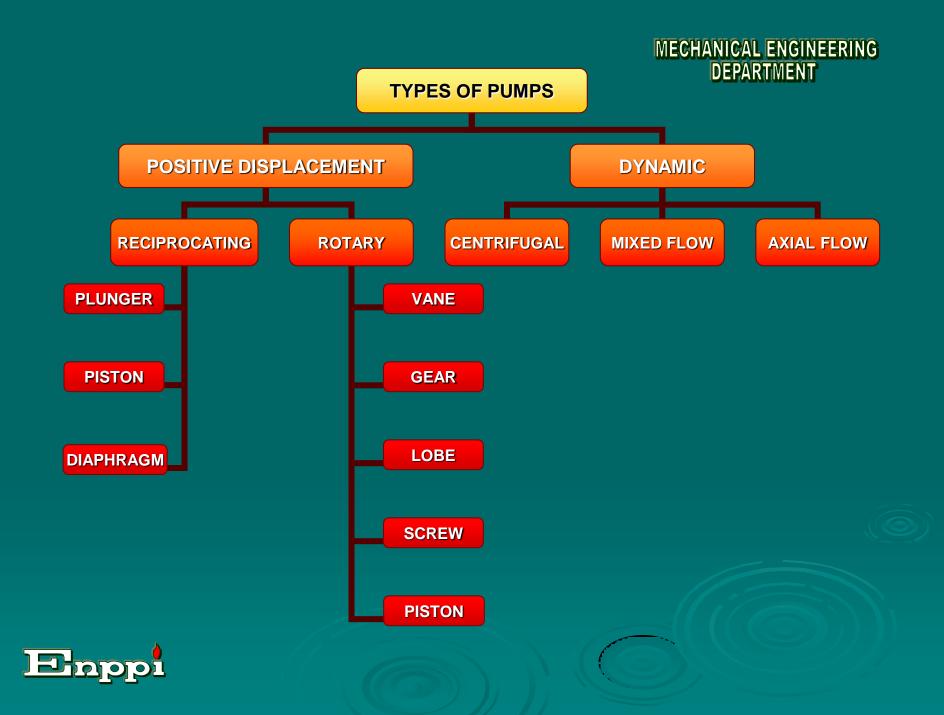


### **CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS**

### **PUMPS ARE USED FOR**

- Moving large volumes of liquid from/to storage tanks or into pipeline
- Moving process fluid and circulating cooling water
- Providing water for fire fighting...etc.









**Products Storage Area** 



**Main Process Area** 

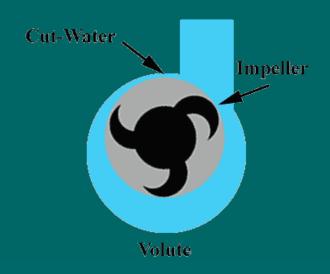


### **CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS**



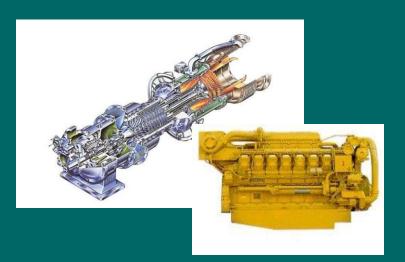
#### CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS OPERATING PRINCIPAL

- The two main components of a centrifugal pump are the *impeller* and the *volute*.
- The impeller produces liquid velocity and the volute forces the liquid to discharge from the pump converting velocity to pressure.





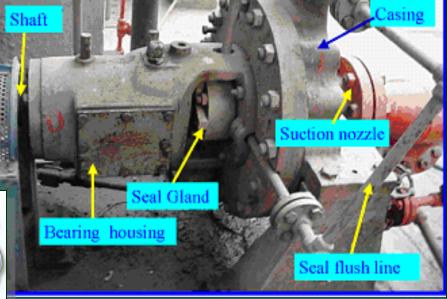
#### **CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS EXTERNAL COMPONENTS**









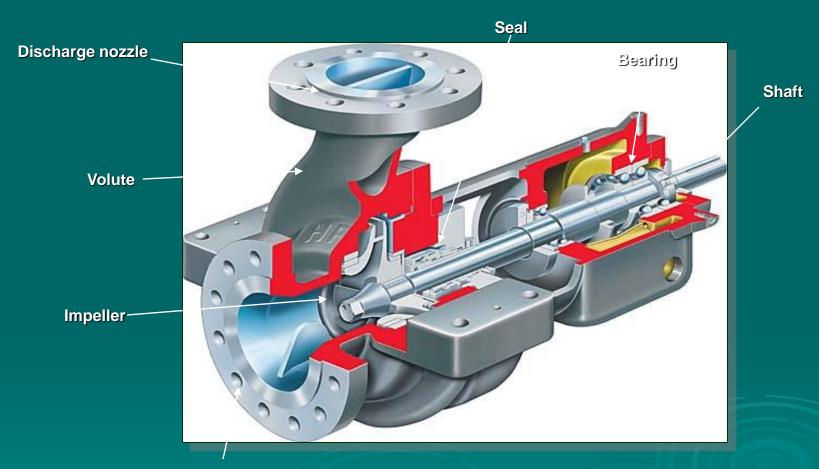


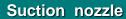
Discharge nozzle

EXTERNAL COMPONENTS OF PUMP



### **CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS INTERNAL COMPONENTS**





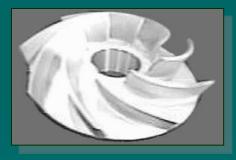


# CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS INTERNAL COMPONENTS CONT'D

### **Different Types Of Impellers**



**CLOSED IMPELLER** 



**SEMI-OPEN IMPELLER** 



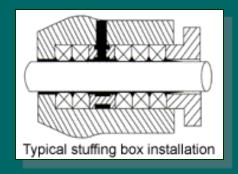
**OPEN IMPELLER** 



# CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS INTERNAL COMPONENTS CONT'D

Leakage along pump shaft cane be minimized by *Packing* and *Mechanical Seal*.

**Packing** is used to minimize leakage along the shaft by filling the stuffing box but it can't prevent leakage by 100%.





Packing on shaft sleeve



Lantern ring



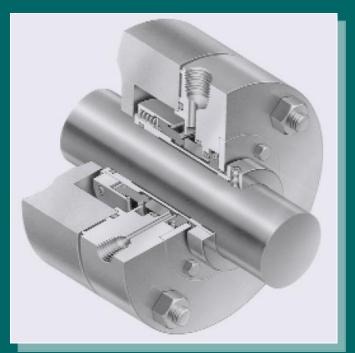
### CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS INTERNAL COMPONENTS CONT'D

## MECHANICAL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

Mechanical Seal is used when NO leakage is required specially in hazard cases mechanical seal shall be used.



Cross section view of mechanical seal

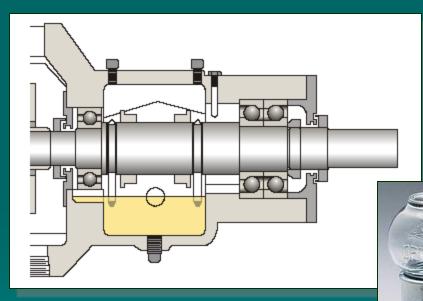






#### **CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS BEARING LUBRICATION**

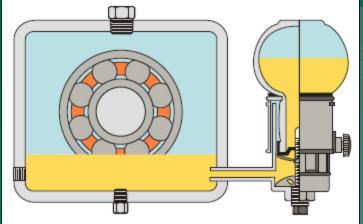
Proper *Bearing Iubrication* is important to prevent overheat, rust and corrosion



**OIL RING LUBRICATION** 





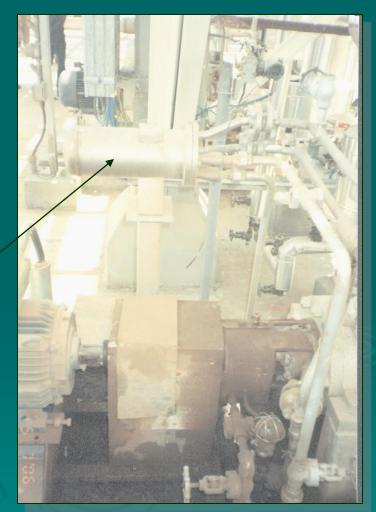


**CONSTANT LEVEL OILER** 

# CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS STUFFING BOX & BEARING HOUSING COOLING

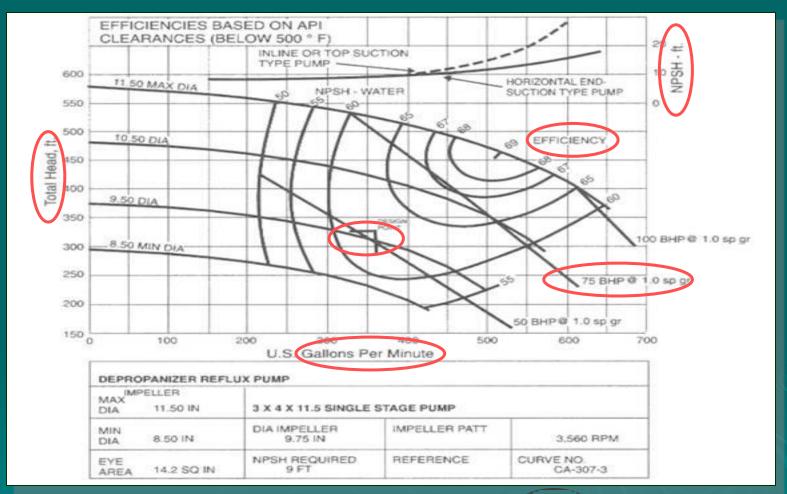
Heat generation is a problem in centrifugal pump particularly in pumps moving high temperature fluids, excessive heat is most damaging at bearing locations, water jackets are used here.

Heat exchanger





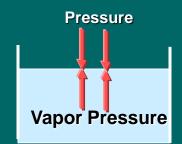
#### **CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS PERFORMANCE CURVES**





#### **VAPOR PRESSURE, CAPITATION & NPSH**

*Vapor pressure* is the pressure required to keep a liquid in the liquid state.



**Cavitation** occurs when a fluid's operational pressure drops below it's vapor pressure causing gas pockets and bubbles to form and collapse.

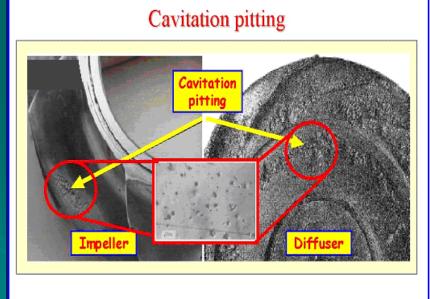
Collapse of a vapor bubble

Microjet

Pit

Initial Initiation of bubble collapse

Forming of liquid microjet metal extrusion





NPSH stands for Net Positive Suction Head, and reflects the energy left in a fluid when the fluid is captured by the impeller and flung out to the casing. There are two expressions for NPSH: NPSH<sub>Available</sub> and NPSH<sub>Required</sub>

NPSH<sub>Available</sub> is a function of the system in which the pump operates.

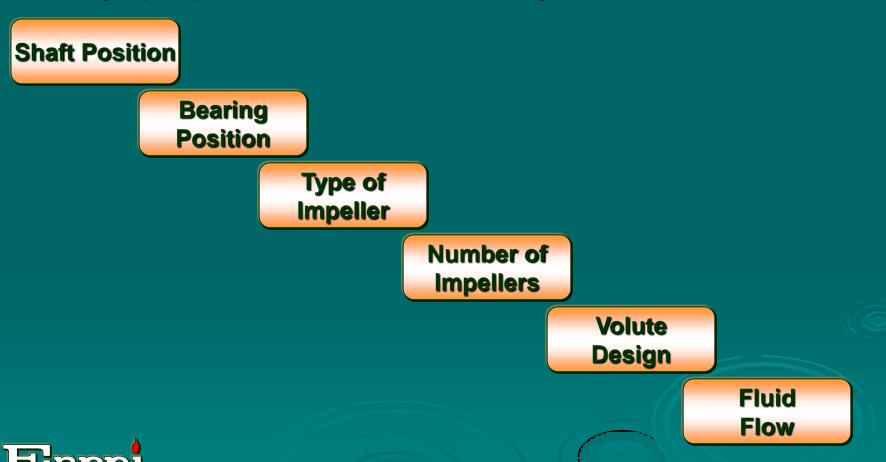
$$NPSH_{avail} = hs - h_{vpa} + h_{st} - h_{fs}$$

NPSH<sub>Required</sub> is a function of the pump design.



#### **CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS CLASSIFICATION**

Centrifugal pumps can be classified according to:-



#### **CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS CLASSIFICATION CONT'D**

# MECHANICAL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

#### **Shaft Position**



**Horizontal pump** 



**Vertical turbine pump** 





Vertical in-line pump Sump pump

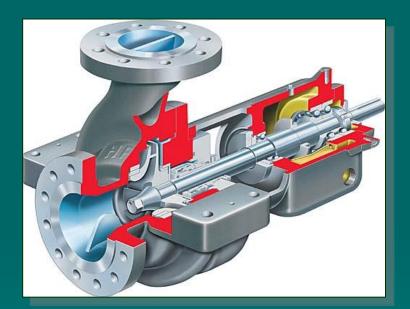


**Vertical pumps** 

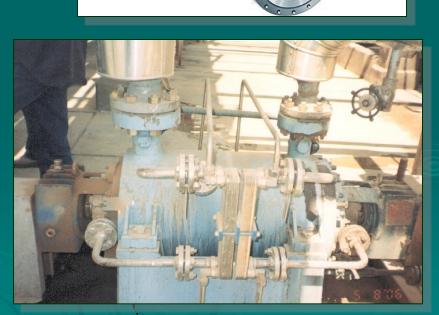
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# MECHANICAL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

### **Bearing Position**



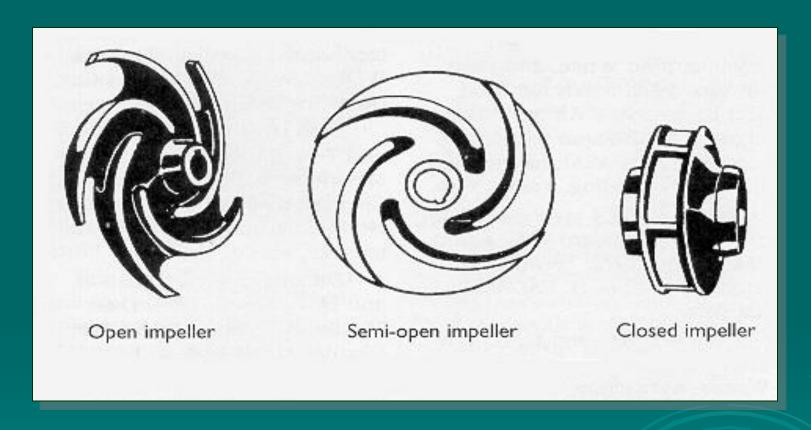
Overhung pump



**Between bearing pump** 

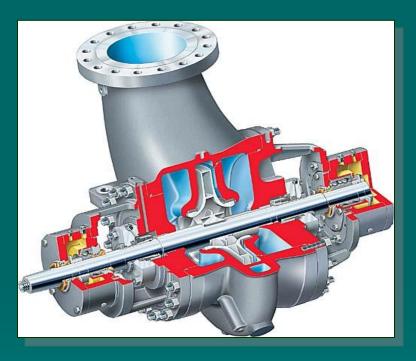


### Type Of Impeller

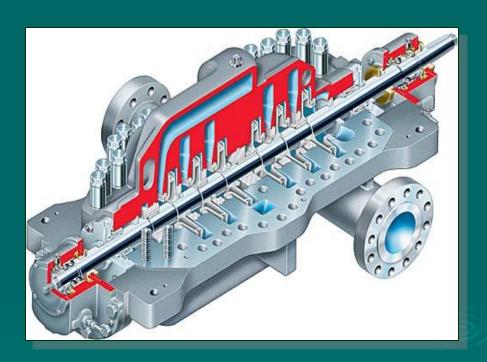




### **Number Of Impellers**



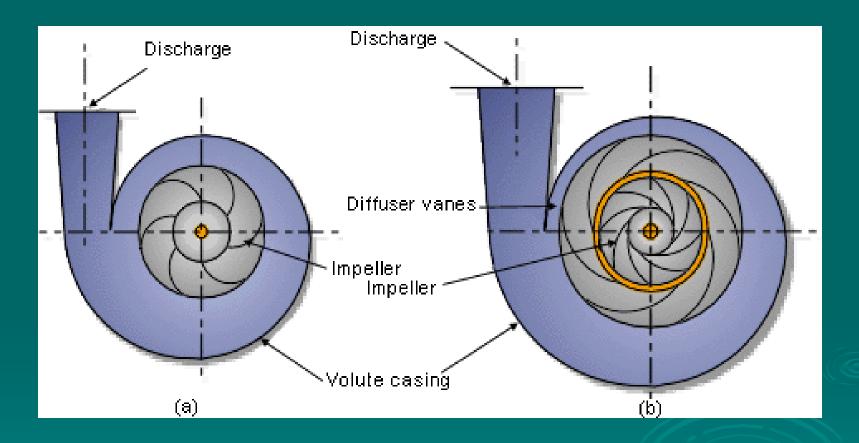
Single stage pump



Multi stage pump



### **Volute Design**

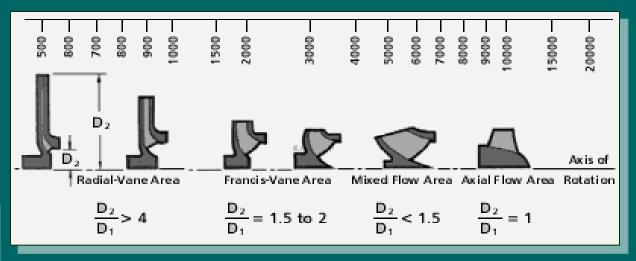


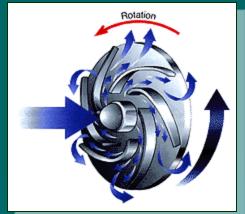


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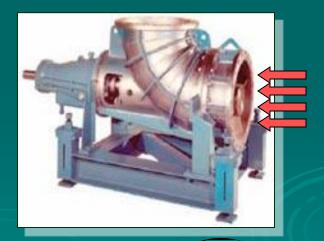
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#### Fluid Flow



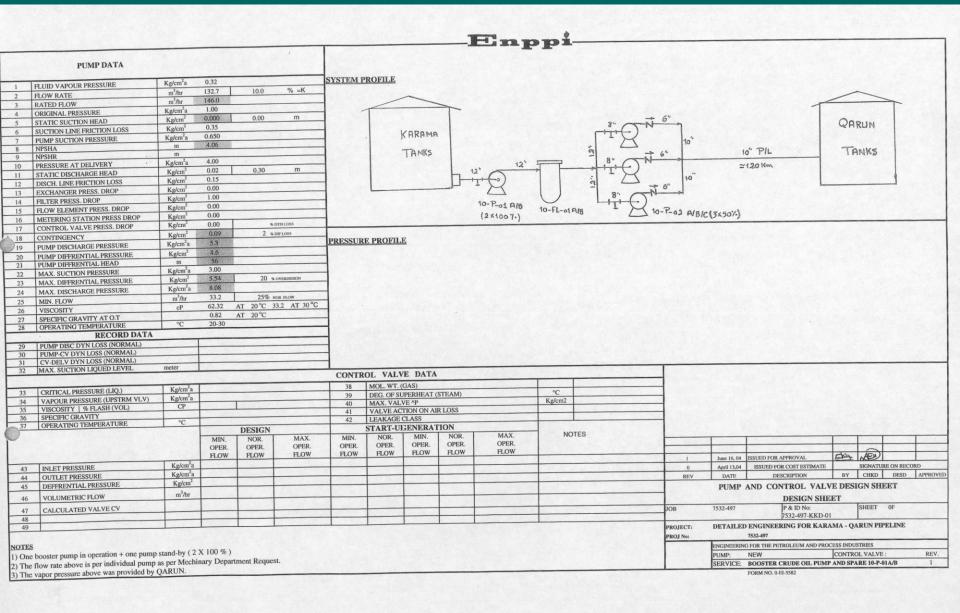


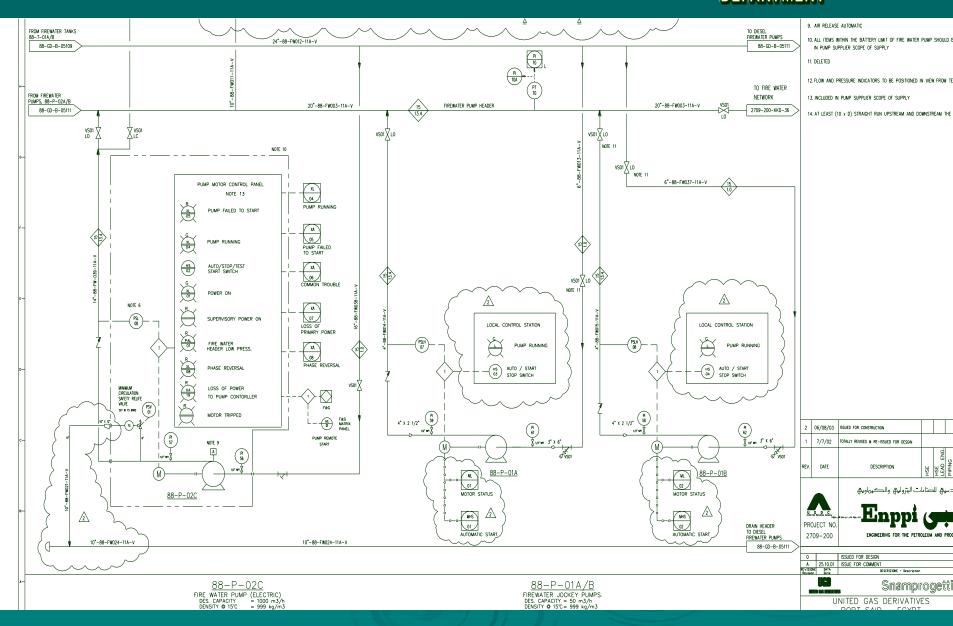
**Radial Flow** 

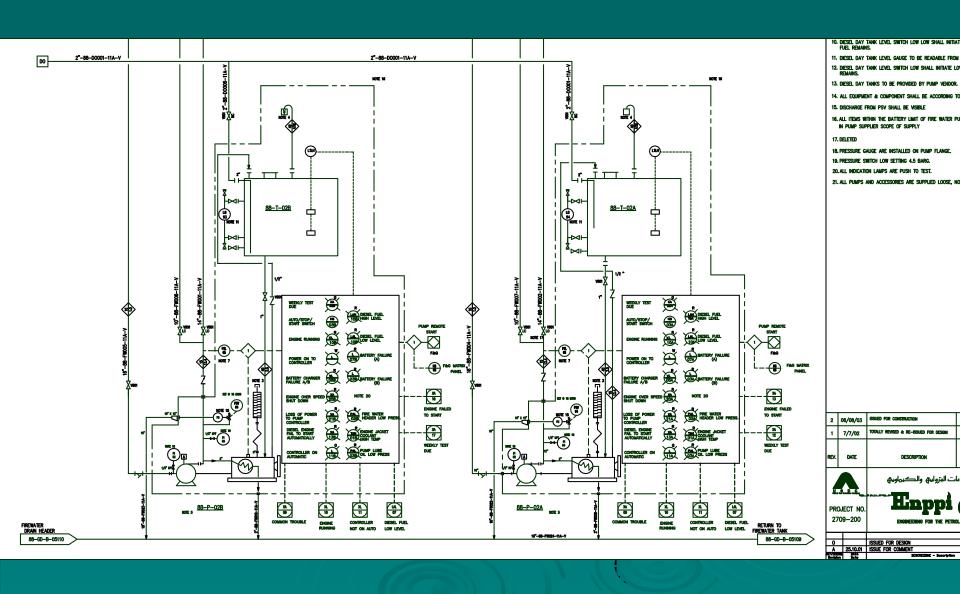


**Axial Flow Pump** 









## POSITIVE DISPLACEMENT PUMPS



### Positive displacement pumps are used for:-

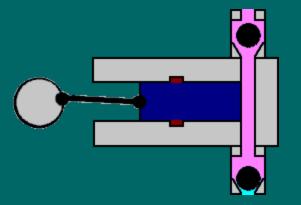
- Low volume applications.
- High pressures are required to move fluids.



#### POSITIVE DISPLACEMENT PUMPS OPERATING PRINCIPAL

A positive displacement pump has an expanding cavity on the suction side of the pump and a decreasing cavity on the discharge side.

Liquid is allowed to flow into the pump as the cavity on the suction side expands and the liquid is forced out of the discharge as the cavity collapses.

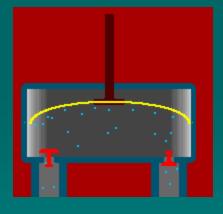




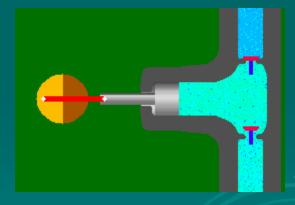
#### **RECIPROCATING PUMPS**

### **Reciprocating pumps** types are :-

- Piston Pumps
- Plunger Pumps
- Diaphragm Pumps



Diaphragm pump



**Piston pump** 



Safety relief valve

Pulsation dampener



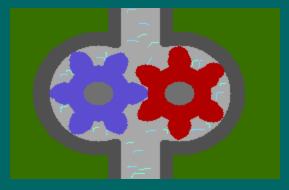
Plunger pump



**Chemical injection pumps** 

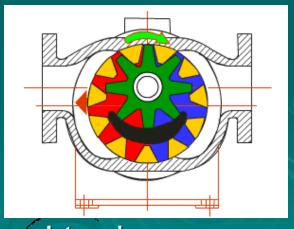
### **Rotary Pumps**

**External gear pump** - Fluid is carried between gear teeth and is expelled by the meshing of the gears which cooperate to provide continuous sealing between the pump inlet and outlet.



**External gear pump** 

Internal gear pump - The outer gear (rotor) drives the inner or idler gear on a stationary pin. The gears create voids as they come out of mesh and liquid flows into the cavities. As the gears come back into mesh, the volume is reduced and the liquid is forced.



Internal gear pumps

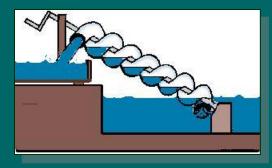


#### Screw pumps

Screw pumps carry fluid in the spaces between the screw threads. The fluid is displaced axially as the screws mesh.

Single screw pumps - are commonly called progressive cavity pumps. They have a rotor with external threads and a stator with internal threads. The rotor threads are eccentric to the axis of rotation.

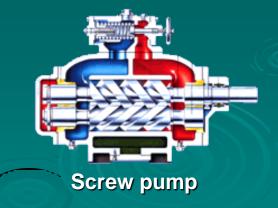
Multiple screw pumps - have multiple external screw threads. These pumps may be timed or un-timed



**Archimedes Screw** 



**Progressive cavity pump** 





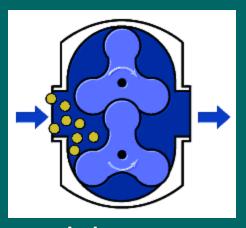
#### Lobe pumps

Fluid is carried between rotor lobes which cooperate to provide continuous sealing between the pump inlet and outlet.

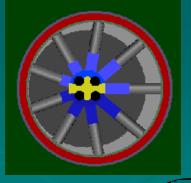
#### **Piston pumps**

Axial piston pump - depends on beveled "wobble" plate or equivalent off-center linkage system to reciprocating pistons.

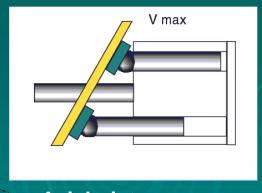
Radial piston pump – depends on eccentric stator (or rotor) to give reciprocating action.



Lobe pump







**Axial piston pump** 

