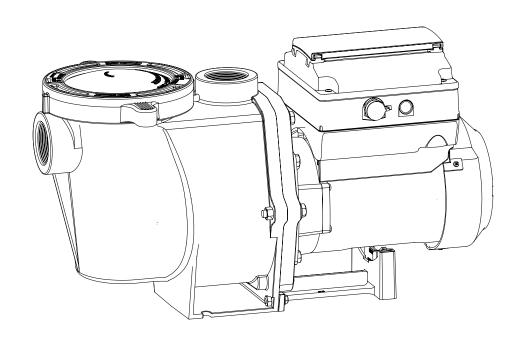


# INTELLIFLO® VARIABLE SPEED PUMP



# INSTALLATION AND USER'S GUIDE

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

READ AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS

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### **IMPORTANT PUMP WARNING AND SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**



#### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

This guide provides installation and operation instructions for this pump. Consult Pentair with any questions regarding this equipment.

**Attention Installer:** This guide contains important information about the installation, operation and safe use of this product. This information should be given to the owner and/or operator of this equipment after installation or left on or near the pump.

**Attention User:** This manual contains important information that will help you in operating and maintaining this product. Please retain it for future reference.

### READ AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS



This is the safety alert symbol. When you see this symbol on your system or in this manual, look for one of the following signal words and be alert to the potential for personal injury.



Warns about hazards that can cause death, serious personal injury, or major property damage if ignored.



Warns about hazards that may cause death, serious personal injury, or major property damage if ignored.



Warns about hazards that may or can cause minor personal injury or property damage if ignored.

NOTE

Indicates special instructions not related to hazards.

Carefully read and follow all safety instructions in this manual and on equipment. Keep safety labels in good condition; replace if missing or damaged.

When installing and using this electrical equipment, basic safety precautions should always be followed, include the following:

FAILURE TO FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS CAN RESULT IN SERIOUS BODILY INJURY OR DEATH. THIS PUMP SHOULD BE INSTALLED AND SERVICED ONLY BY A QUALIFIED POOL SERVICE PROFESSIONAL. INSTALLERS, POOL OPERATORS AND OWNERS MUST READ THESE WARNINGS AND ALL INSTRUCTIONS IN THE OWNER'S MANUAL BEFORE USING THIS PUMP. THESE WARNINGS AND THE OWNER'S MANUAL MUST BE LEFT WITH THE POOL OWNER.

**A**WARNING

Do not permit children to use this product.

**A**WARNING

RISK OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK. Connect only to a branch circuit protected by a ground-fault circuit-

interrupter (GFCI). Contact a qualified electrician if you cannot verify that the circuit is protected by a GFCI.

This unit must be connected only to a supply circuit that is protected by a ground-fault circuit-interrupter (GFCI). Such a GFCI should be provided by the installer and should be tested on a routine basis. To test the GFCI, push the test button. The GFCI should interrupt power. Push the reset button. Power should be restored. If the GFCI fails to operate in this manner, the GFCI is defective. If the GFCI interrupts power to the pump without the test button being pushed, a ground current is flowing, indicating the possibility of an electric shock. Do not use this pump. Disconnect the pump and have the problem corrected by a qualified service representative before using.

This pump is for use with permanent swimming pools and may also be used with hot tubs and spas if so marked. Do not use with storable pools. A permanently-installed pool is constructed in or on the ground or in a building such that it cannot be readily disassembled for storage. A storable pool is constructed so that it is capable of being readily disassembled for storage and reassembled to its original integrity.

#### **General Warnings**

- Never open the inside of the drive motor enclosure. There is a capacitor bank that holds a 230 VAC charge even when there is no power to the unit
- The pump is not submersible.
- The pump is capable of high flow rates; use caution when installing and programming to limit pumps performance potential with old or questionable equipment.
- Code requirements for electrical connection differ from country to country, state to state, as well as local municipalities. Install equipment in accordance with the National Electrical Code and all applicable local codes and ordinances.
- Before servicing the pump; switch OFF power to the pump by disconnecting the main circuit to the pump.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) of reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.

DANGER

SUCTION ENTRAPMENT HAZARD: STAY OFF THE MAIN DRAIN AND AWAY FROM ALL SUCTION OUTLETS! THIS PUMP IS NOT EQUIPPED WITH SAFETY VACUUM RELEASE SYSTEM (SVRS) PROTECTION AND DOES NOT PROTECT AGAINST BODY OR LIMB ENTRAPMENTS, DISEMBOWELMENTS (WHEN A PERSON SITS ON A BROKEN OR UNCOVERED POOL DRAIN) OR HAIR ENTANGLEMENTS.









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THE USE OF UNAPPROVED COVERS OR ALLOWING USE OF THE POOL OR SPA WHEN COVERS ARE MISSING, CRACKED OR BROKEN CAN RESULT IN BODY OR LIMB ENTRAPMENT, HAIR ENTANGLEMENT, BODY ENTRAPMENT, EVISCERATION AND/OR DEATH.

#### The suction at a drain or outlet can cause:

**Limb Entrapment:** When a limb is sucked or inserted into an opening resulting in a mechanical bind or swelling. This hazard is present when a drain cover is missing, broken, loose, cracked or not properly secured.

**Hair Entanglement:** When the hair tangles or knots in the drain cover, trapping the swimmer underwater. This hazard is present when the flow rating of the cover is too small for the pump or pumps.

**Body Entrapment:** When a portion of the body is held against the drain cover trapping the swimmer underwater. This hazard is present when the drain cover is missing, broken or the cover flow rating is not high enough for the pump or pumps.

**Evisceration/Disembowelment:** When a person sits on an open pool (particularly a child wading pool) or spa outlet and suction is applied directly to the intestines, causing severe intestinal damage. This hazard is present when the drain cover is missing, loose, cracked, or not properly secured.

**Mechanical Entrapment:** When jewelry, swimsuit, hair decorations, finger, toe or knuckle is caught in an opening of an outlet or drain cover. This hazard is present when the drain cover is missing, broken, loose, cracked, or not properly secured.

NOTE: ALL SUCTION PLUMBING MUST BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LATEST NATIONAL AND LOCAL CODES, STANDARDS AND GUIDELINES.

### **IMPORTANT PUMP WARNING AND SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

#### TO MINIMIZE THE RISK OF INJURY DUE TO WARNING SUCTION ENTRAPMENT HAZARD:

- A properly installed and secured ANSI/ASME A112.19.8 approved antientrapment suction cover must be used for each drain.
- Each suction cover must be installed at least three (3') feet apart, as measured from the nearest point to nearest point.
- Regularly inspect all covers for cracks, damage and advanced weathering.
- If a cover becomes loose, cracked, damaged, broken or is missing, replace with an appropriate certified cover.
- Replace drain covers as necessary. Drain covers deteriorate over time due to exposure to sunlight and weather.
- Avoid getting hair, limbs or body in close proximity to any suction cover, pool drain or outlet.
- Disable suction outlets or reconfigure into return inlets.

The pump can produce high levels of suction within the suction side of the plumbing system. These high

levels of suction can pose a risk if a person comes within the close proximity of the suction openings. A person can be seriously injured by this high level of vacuum or may become trapped and drown. It is absolutely critical that the suction plumbing be installed in accordance with the latest national and local codes for swimming pools.

**WARNING** 

A clearly labeled emergency shut-off switch for the pump must be in an easily accessible, obvious place. Make

sure users know where it is and how to use it in case of emergency.

The Virginia Graeme Baker (VGB) Pool and Spa Safety Act creates new requirements for owners and operators of commercial swimming pools and spas.

Commercial pools or spas constructed on or after December 19, 2008, shall utilize:

(A) A multiple main drain system without isolation capability with suction outlet covers that meet ASME/ANSI A112.19.8a Suction Fittings for Use in Swimming Pools, Wading Pools, Spas, and Hot Tubs and either:

- (i) A safety vacuum release system (SVRS) meeting ASME/ANSI A112.19.17 Manufactured Safety Vacuum Release systems (SVRS) for Residential and Commercial Swimming Pool, Spa, Hot Tub, and Wading Pool Suction Systems and/or ASTM F2387 Standard Specification for Manufactured Safety Vacuum Release Systems (SVRS) for Swimming pools, Spas and Hot Tubs or
- (ii) A properly designed and tested suction-limiting vent system or
- (iii) An automatic pump shut-off system.

Commercial pools and spas constructed prior to December 19, 2008, with a single submerged suction outlet shall use a suction outlet cover that meets ASME/ANSI A112.19.8a and either:

- (A) A SVRS meeting ASME/ANSI A112.19.17 and/or ASTM F2387, or
- (B) A properly designed and tested suction-limiting vent system, or
- (C) An automatic pump shut-off system, or
- (D) Disabled submerged outlets, or
- (E) Suction outlets shall be reconfigured into return inlets.

### **ACAUTION**

#### For Installation of Electrical Controls at Equipment Pad (ON/OFF Switches, Timers and Automation Load Center)



Install all electrical controls at equipment pad, such as on/off switches, timers, and control systems, etc. to allow the operation (startup, shut-down, or servicing) of any pump or filter so the user does not place any portion

of his/her body over or near the pump strainer lid, filter lid or valve closures. This installation should allow the user enough space to stand clear of the filter and pump during system start-up, shut down or servicing of the system filter.

#### **⚠** DANGER

#### HAZARDOUS PRESSURE: STAND CLEAR OF PUMP AND FILTER DURING START UP.



Circulation systems operate under high pressure. When any part of the circulating system (i.e. locking ring, pump, filter, valves, etc.) is serviced, air can enter the system and become pressurized. Pressurized air can cause the pump housing cover, filter lid, and valves to violently

separate which can result in severe personal injury or death. Filter tank lid and strainer cover must be properly secured to prevent violent separation. Stand clear of all circulation system equipment when turning on or starting up pump. Before servicing equipment, make note of the filter pressure. Be sure that all controls are set to ensure the system cannot inadvertently start during service. Turn off all power to the pump. IMPORTANT: Place filter manual air relief valve in the open position and wait for all pressure in the system to be relieved.

Before starting the system, fully open the manual air relief valve and place all system valves in the "open" position to allow water to flow freely from the tank and back to the tank. Stand clear of all equipment and start the pump.

IMPORTANT: Do not close filter manual air relief valve until all pressure has been discharged from the valve and a steady stream of water **appears.** Observe filter pressure gauge and be sure it is not higher than the pre-service condition.

#### **General Installation Information**

- · All work must be performed by a qualified service professional, and must conform to all national, state, and local codes.
- Install to provide drainage of compartment for electrical components.
- These instructions contain information for a variety of pump models and therefore some instructions may not apply to a specific model. All models are intended for use in swimming pool applications. The pump will function correctly only if it is properly sized to the specific application and properly installed.

**A** WARNING

Pumps improperly sized or installed or used in applications other than for which the pump was

intended can result in severe personal injury or death. These risks may include but not be limited to electric shock, fire, flooding, suction entrapment or severe injury or property damage caused by a structural failure of the pump or other system component.

Pumps and replacement motors that are single speed and one (1) Total HP or greater cannot be sold, offered for sale, or installed in a residential pool for filtration use in California, Title 20 CCR sections 1601-1609.

#### **CUSTOMER SERVICE / TECHNICAL SUPPORT**

If you have questions about ordering Pentair replacement parts, and pool products, please contact:

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#### **PUMP OVERVIEW**

The IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump can be programmed to run at specific speeds and time intervals for maximum operating efficiency and energy conservation for a variety of inground pools.

- The pump can operate from 450 RPM to 3450 RPM with four preset speeds of 750, 1500, 2350 and 3110 RPM
- The pump can be adjusted from the control panel to run at any speed between 450 RPM to 3450 RPM for different applications
- Up to 8 programmable speeds
- Pump control panel alarm LED and error messages warn the user against under and over voltage, high temperature, over current and freezing
- Communicates with Pentair Automation Systems or Communication Center via a two-wire RS-485 cable connection
- Programmable priming mode with automatic detection of prime for easy start-up
- Compatible with most cleaning systems, filters, and jet action spas
- WEF Values
   EC-011028: WEF 6.9 THP 3.95
   011059 and EC-011059: WEF 7.5 THP 3.95
   011060 and EC-011060: WEF 6.9 THP 3.95

#### **Drive Assembly and Control Panel**

The IntelliFlo pump drive is designed to produce maximum motor operational efficiency. The drive controls the motor's rotational speed by controlling the frequency of the supplied current. It also protects the motor and pump from operating outside of their intended operating parameters.

The control panel can be mounted on the pump in four different directions in order to provide the user the best access. The control panel can also be mounted in a more convenient location with the help of the keypad relocation kit (P/N 356904Z).

#### **External Control**

Pentair Automation Systems and Communication Centers can remotely control the IntelliFlo pump. The pump's communications address and other functions are accessible from the pump's control panel.

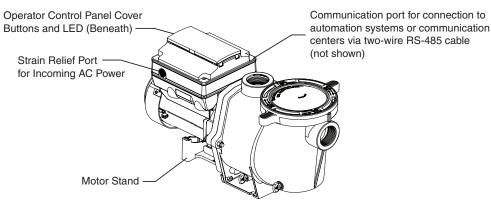
- RS-485 communication cable included
- IntelliComm® Communication Centers control one IntelliFlo pump using the 4 External Control programs.
- Refer to your automation system manual for further details on how to connect and use a Pentair Automation System with your variable speed pump(s).

#### **Motor Features**

- High-Efficiency Permanent Magnet Synchronous Motor (PMSM)
- Superior speed control
- Operates at lower temperatures due to high efficiency
- · Designed to withstand outdoor environment
- Totally Enclosed Fan Cooled (TEFC) Motor
- 56 Square Flange
- · Low noise

#### **Drive Features**

- Active Power Factor Correction
- Rotatable Keypad
- · Easy Overhead Wiring
- High Drive Operational Efficiency



#### INSTALLATION

Only a qualified plumbing professional should install the IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump. Refer to "Important Pump Warning And Safety Instructions" on pages i - ii for additional installation and safety information.

Note: The IntelliFlo pump cannot be connected in series with other pumps.

#### Location

**Note:** Do not install this pump within an outer enclosure or beneath the skirt of a hot tub or spa unless marked accordingly.

**Note:** Ensure that the pump is mechanically secured to the equipment pad.

### Be sure the pump location meets the following requirements:

- Install the pump as close to the pool or spa as possible.
   To reduce friction loss and improve efficiency, use short, direct suction piping returns.
- 2. Install a minimum of 5 feet (1.5 meters) from the inside wall of the pool and spa. Canadian installations require a minimum of 9.8 feet (3 meters) from pool water level.
- 3. Install the pump a minimum of 3 feet (0.9 meters) from the heater outlet.
- 4. Do not install the pump more than 10 feet (3.1 meters) above the water level.
- 5. Install the pump in a well ventilated location protected from excessive moisture (i.e., rain gutter downspouts, sprinklers, etc.)
- 6. Install the pump with a rear clearance of at least 3 inches (76.2 mm) so that the motor can be removed easily for maintenance and repair. See **Figure 1**.

#### **Piping**

- 1. For improved pool plumbing, it is recommended to use a larger pipe size. When installing the inlet and outlet fittings (male adaptors), use thread sealant.
- 2. Piping on the suction side of the pump should be the same or larger than the return line diameter.
- 3. Plumbing on the suction side of the pump should be as short as possible.
- 4. For most installations Pentair recommends installing a valve on both the pump suction and return lines so that the pump can be isolated during routine maintenance. However, it is recommended that a valve, elbow or tee installed in the suction line should be no closer to the front of the pump than five (5) times the suction line pipe diameter. See Figure 2.

#### **Example:**

A 2 inch pipe requires a 10 inch (254 mm) straight run in front of the suction inlet of the pump). This will help the pump prime faster and last longer.

**Note:** DO NOT install 90° elbows directly into the pump inlet or outlet.

#### **Electrical Requirements**

- Install all equipment in accordance with the National Electrical Code and all applicable local codes and ordinances.
- A means for disconnection must be incorporated in the fixed wiring in accordance with the wiring rules.

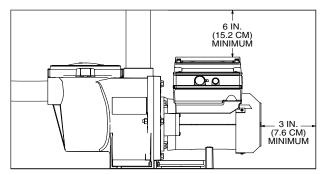


Figure 1: Pump Rear and Overhead Clearance

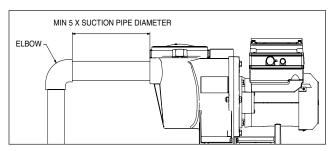


Figure 2: Recommended Piping

#### **Optional Keypad Relocation Kit**

In special cases when the user lacks easy or convenient access to the IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump, a Keypad Relocation Kit (P/N 356904Z [Almond] or P/N 356905Z [Black]) may be purchased from your local pool equipment supplier. This kit allows the user to remove the keypad cover from the top of the drive and mount the keypad in a fixed location with better access.

For installation instructions refer to the *Keypad Relocation Kit Installation Instructions* provided with the kit.

#### **Fittings and Valves**

- 1. Do not install 90° elbows directly into pump inlet.
- Flooded suction systems should have gate valves installed on suction and discharge pipes for maintenance, however, the suction gate valve should be no closer than five times the suction pipe diameter as described in this section.
- Use a check valve in the discharge line when using this pump for any application where there is significant height to the plumbing after the pump.
- 4. Be sure to install check valves when plumbing in parallel with another pump. This helps prevent reverse rotation of the impeller and motor.

#### **Electrical Installation**

### **A**WARNING



RISK OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK OR ELECTROCUTION. This pump must be installed by a licensed or certified electrician or a qualified service professional in accordance with the National Electrical Code and all applicable local codes and ordinances. Improper installation will create an electrical hazard which could result in death or serious injury to users, installers, or others due to electrical shock, and may also cause damage to property.

Always disconnect power to the pump at the circuit breaker before servicing the pump. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury to service people, users or others due to electric shock.

Read all servicing instructions before working on the pump.

**Note:** ALWAYS reinstall the drive lid onto the field wiring compartment when leaving the pump unsupervised during servicing. This will prevent foreign matter (i.e. rainwater, dust, etc.) from accumulating in the drive.

**Note:** When connecting the pump to a Pentair Automation System, continuous power must be supplied to the pump by connecting it directly to the circuit breaker. When using an automation system, be sure that no other lights or appliances are on the same circuit.

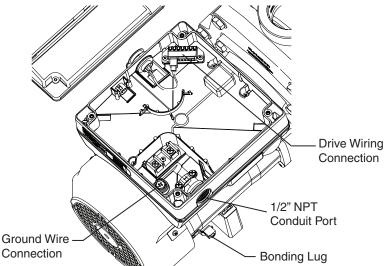
#### Wiring

 Be sure all electrical breakers and switches are turned off before wiring motor.



- 2. Be sure that the supply voltage meets the requirements listed on the motor nameplate. If these requirements are not met, permanent motor damage may occur.
- For wiring sizes and general guidelines for proper electrical installation, please follow the specifications defined in the National Electric Code and any local codes as required.
- 4. Use strain relief and be sure all electrical connections are clean and tight.
- 5. Cut the wires to the appropriate length so they do not overlap or touch when connected.
- 6. Reinstall the keypad cover after wiring the pump by plugging the cover back into the drive wiring connection and re-seating the keypad cover in the desired orientation with the four (4) corner screws.

**Note:** Ensure that the keypad cable is not pinched between the drive and keypad cover during re-seating.



**Field Wiring Compartment** 

#### Grounding

- Permanently ground the motor using the green ground screw, as shown below. Use the correct wire size and type specified by National Electrical Code. Be sure the ground wire is connected to an electrical service ground.
- 2. The pump should be permanently connected to either a circuit breaker, 2-pole timer or 2-pole relay.

Note: If AC power is supplied by a GFCI circuit breaker, the pump should be wired on its own independent circuit unless the pump is operated in tandem with a Pentair salt chlorine generator.

#### **Bonding**

- Bond the motor to the structure in accordance with the National Electrical Code. Use a solid copper bonding conductor not smaller than 8 AWG. For Canadian installations, a 6 AWG or larger solid copper bonding conductor is required. Run a wire from the external bonding screw or lug to the bonding structure.
- 2. Connect the wire from the accessible bonding lug on the motor to all metal parts of the swimming pool, spa, or hot tub structure and to all electrical equipment, metal conduit, and metal piping within 5 feet (1.52 meters) of the inside walls of the swimming pool, spa, or hot tub. Run a wire from the external bonding screw or lug to the bonding structure.

**Note:** When the pump is started and stopped by removing power with a relay or timer, a two-pole device should be used to apply and remove power to both POWER LINE TERMINALS.

Pentair offers 2-Pole 20 Amp GFCI breakers (P/N PA220GF) which offer personnel protection while meeting 2008 to current NEC Standards for Pool Pumps.

#### **Connecting to an Automation System**

All IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pumps are compatible with Pentair Automation Systems.

An RS-485 communication cable is provided with the pump and will be used to connect the pump to a Pentair automation system.

Refer to the automation system manual for further details on how to connect and use the system with your variable speed pump.

#### OPERATING THE PUMP

NOTE: Speed 1 is the default filtration speed.

NOTE: When setting up the IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump, the user must set the pump's internal clock and establish an operation schedule by following the steps in this manual. Please refer to user's guide sections: 'Set Time' (page 9) and 'Set Speeds 1-8 in Schedule Mode' (page 12) to schedule a time to run the pump.

This pump is shipped with Priming mode ENABLED. Unless the Priming settings are changed in the menu, be aware **A**CAUTION that the pump will speed up to the maximum speed when the pump is powered on for the first time, and the Start/Stop button is pressed. To change the maximum speed of the pump, refer to page 9.

Before turning the pump ON, be sure the following conditions are met:

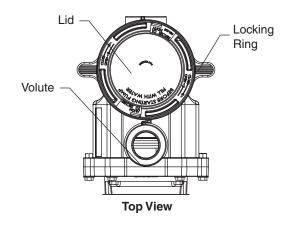
- 1. Open filter air relief valve.
- 2. Open valves.
- 3. Pool return is completely open and clear of any blockages.
- 4. Water in the pump basket.
- 5. Stand clear of the filter or other pressurized vessels.

#### **Priming the Pump**

Prime the pump before starting the pump for the first time. Remove the lid and fill the basket with water. The pump basket must be filled with water before initial start up or after servicing.

#### Follow the steps below to prime the pump for start up:

- 1. Press **Start/Stop** to stop the pump. Disconnect the pump main power supply and communication cable.
- 2. Close all valves in suction and discharge pipes. Relieve all pressure from the system.
- 3. Remove the pump lid and locking ring.
- 4. Fill the pump strainer pot with water.
- 5. Reassemble the pump lid and locking ring onto the strainer basket. The pump is now ready to prime.
- 6. Open all valves in suction and discharge pipes.
- 7. Open the filter air relief valve and stand clear of the filter.
- 8. Connect power to the pump. Be sure green power light is on.
- Press **Start/Stop** to start the pump. The pump will enter into priming mode (if enabled) and speed up to the maximum speed set in the pump menu settings.
- 10. When water comes out of the filter air relief valve, close the valve. The system should now be free of air and recirculating water to and from the pool.
- 11. Do not allow your pump to run longer than 30 minutes time without developing full flow. If the pump does not prime, check your priming settings on the control panel or see the "Troubleshooting" section on pages 22-24.



#### **Priming Features**

The default priming setting is ENABLED. The pump also allows you to set the following from the operator control panel:

- Priming speed
- Priming range (1-10)
- Priming delay

Set up instructions on page 16.

**A**CAUTION

Do not add chemicals to the system directly in front of pump suction. Adding undiluted chemicals may damage the pump and will void the warranty.

**A**CAUTION

This is a variable speed pump. Typically the lower speeds are used for filtration and

heating. The higher speeds can be used for spa jets, water features, and priming.

DO NOT run the pump dry. If the pump is run dry, the mechanical seal will be damaged and the pump will start leaking. **A**CAUTION If this occurs, the damaged seal must be replaced. ALWAYS maintain proper water level in your pool (half way up skimmer opening). If the water level falls below the skimmer opening, the pump will draw air through the skimmer, losing the prime and causing the pump to run dry, resulting in a damaged seal. Continued operation in this manner could cause a loss of pressure, resulting in damage to the pump case, impeller and seal and may cause property and personal injury.

#### **Using the Operator Control Panel**

Use the operator control panel to start and stop the IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump, program, set, and change speeds (RPM), and access pump features and settings.

#### Controls and LEDs on Keypad

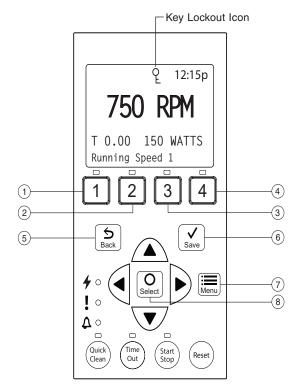
- 1 **Button 1:** Press to select Speed 1 (750 RPM). LED on indicates Speed 1 is active.
- 2 Button 2: Press to select Speed 2 (1500 RPM). LED on indicates Speed 2 is active.
- 3 **Button 3:** Press to select Speed 3 (2350 RPM). LED on indicates Speed 3 is active.
- 4 **Button 4:** Press to select Speed 4 (3110 RPM). LED on indicates Speed 4 is active.
- (5) **Back:** Goes one step back in menu; exits without saving current setting.
- 6 **Save:** Saves current menu item setting. When a parameter has been adjusted the "Save?" icon will be displayed.
- (7) **Menu:** Accesses the menu items when and if the pump is stopped.
- 8 **Select:** Press to select the currently displayed option on the screen.

#### (9) Arrow buttons:

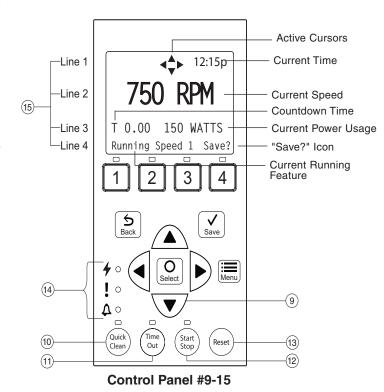
- Up arrow: Move one level up in the menu or increase a digit when editing a setting.
- Down arrow: Move one level down in the menu or decrease a digit when editing a setting.
- Left arrow: Move cursor left one digit when editing a setting.
- Right arrow: Move cursor right one digit when editing a setting.
- (10) Quick Clean: Pump increases to a higher RPM (for vacuuming, cleaning, adding chemicals, etc.). LED light is on when active.
- (1) **Time Out:** Allow the pump to remain in a stopped state for a set period of time before resuming normal operation. LED is on when active.
- (2) Start/Stop button: To start or stop the pump. When LED is on, the pump is running or in a mode to start automatically.
- (13) Reset button: Reset alarm or alert.
- (14) LEDs:
  - **♦ On:** Green light when pump is powered on.
  - **Warning:** On if warning condition is present.
  - Alarm: Red LED on if alarm condition occurs. See "Alerts and Warnings" on page 22.

#### (15) Control Panel LCD Screen:

- Line 1: Key icon indicates password protection mode is active. If password protect is not enabled, no key icon is displayed. Also shows current time of day. Active cursors display when arrow key input is available.
- Line 2: Displays current pump speed (RPM).
- Line 3: Countdown time and watts
- Line 4: Current pump status and current feature. "Save?" will display on this line when a parameter adjustment can be saved.



Control Panel #1-8



**Note:** Always close the keypad cover after using the keypad.

**Note:** Using screwdrivers or pens to program the pump will damage the keypad overlay. Use your fingers only when programming the pump.

#### **Stopping and Starting the Pump**

#### Starting the Pump

- Be sure the pump is powered on and the green power LED is on.
- Select one of the speed buttons, then press the Start/Stop button (LED on) to start the pump. The pump will go into priming mode if priming feature is enabled.

#### Stopping the Pump

1. Press **Start/Stop** to stop the pump.

When servicing equipment (filters, heaters, chlorinators etc.), disconnect the communication cable, and switch OFF circuit breaker to remove power from the pump.

**Note:** The pump can automatically restart if the communication cable is connected.

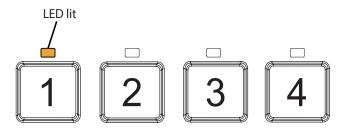
#### **Adjusting and Saving a Pump Speed**

- 1. While the pump is running, press the **Up** or **Down** arrow to adjust to desired speed setting.
- Press and hold down a **Speed** button (1-4) for three
   seconds to save speed to the button or press
   **Save** to save the speed.

#### **Operating the Pump at Preset Speeds**

The pump is programmed with four default speeds of 750, 1500, 2350 and 3110 RPM. Speed buttons 1-4 are for each of the preset speeds as shown below.

- 1. Be sure the pump is powered on and the green power LED is on.
- Press the Speed button (1- 4) corresponding to the desired preset speed and release quickly. The LED above the button will turn on.
- 3. Press **Start/Stop**. The pump will quickly change to the selected preset speed.

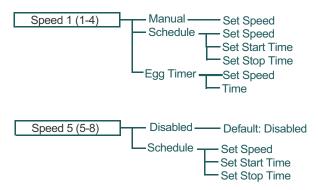


#### **Pump Operating Modes**

The IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump can be programmed in three different modes:

#### Manual, Schedule, and Egg Timer.

Speeds 1-4 can be programmed in all three modes. Speeds 5-8 can only be programmed in Schedule mode since there are no buttons on the control panel for Speeds 5-8. The default setting for Speeds 5-8 is "Disabled".



Speed Menu Tree Options

#### Manual

Assigns a speed to one of the four Speed buttons on the control panel. This mode can only be used for speeds 1-4.

To operate in Manual mode, press one of the four speed buttons and then press the **Start/Stop** button. The pump will run the assigned speed for that speed button.

#### **Egg Timer**

Speeds 1-4 can be programmed to run at a certain speed and for a duration of time once a speed button is pressed.

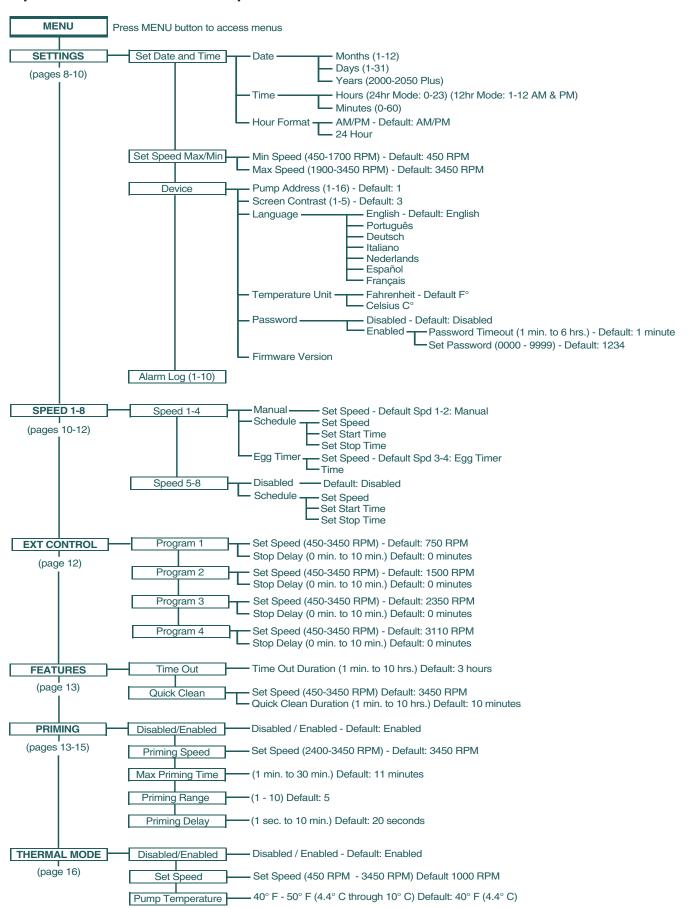
Speeds 3 and 4 are Egg Timers by default. This prevents the pump from running at a speed higher than half of the maximum speed indefinitely. If you desire a different method of operation, speeds 3 and 4 can be changed to Manual mode in the control menu.

To operate in Egg Timer mode, press a speed button and then press **Start/Stop**. The pump will run that speed for the set amount of time and then turn off

#### Schedule

Program speeds 1-8 start and stop at a specific time during a 24 hour period. Speeds programmed in Schedule mode will override any manually selected speed (speeds set by manually pressing any of the speed buttons on the control panel).

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#### **Set Date and Time**

The time controls all scheduled times, functions, and programmed cycles and stores the correct time for up to 96 hours after power is turned off. Reset if the power is off longer than 96 hours.

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press Select to select "Settings".
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Date and Time" and press **Select**.
- Press Select again and use Up or Down arrows to set the date.
- Press Save to save user input and return to "Date and Time."
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Time" and press **Select**.
- Use the Up or Down arrows to scroll to set the time.
   Note: To set AM/PM or a 24 hour clock see the next section "Set AM/PM or 24 Hour Clock."
- Press Save to save. To cancel any changes, press Back to exit without saving.
- 10. Press Back to exit.

#### Set AM/PM or 24 Hour Clock

To change the time from a 12 hour clock (AM/PM) to a 24 hour clock:

- 1. Press Menu.
- Press Select to select "Settings".
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Date and Time" and press **Select**.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "AM/PM" and press **Select**.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to choose between 24 hr. and AM/PM.
- Press Save to save. To cancel any changes, press Back to exit without saving.
- 7. Press Back to exit.

#### **Set Minimum Speed (RPM)**

The minimum pump speed can be set from 450 RPM to 1700 RPM. The default setting is 450 RPM.

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press Select to select "Settings".
- 4. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Min/Max".
- 5. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Set Min Spd".
- 6. Press **Select** to change the setting. The cursor will appear in the first number column (ones).

- Press the **Up** or **Down** arrows to change the minimum speed setting from 450 to 1700 RPM.
- 8. Press **Save** to save. To cancel, press **Back** to exit edit mode without saving.
- Press Back to exit.

#### **Set Maximum Speed (RPM)**

The maximum speed can be set from 1900 RPM to 3450 RPM (default is 3450). Use this setting to set the maximum running speed of the IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump.

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press Select to select "Settings".
- 4. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Min/Max".
- 5. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Set Max Spd".
- 6. Press **Select** to change. The cursor will appear in the first number column (ones).
- 7. Press **Up** or **Down** arrows to change the maximum speed setting from 1900 to 3450 RPM.
- Press Save to save. Press Back to exit. To cancel, press the Back to exit without saving.

**Note:** Maximum Speed will limit Priming Speed, except in one case. If the Maximum Speed is set below the lowest available Priming Speed (2350 RPM) then the pump will exceed the Maximum Speed while the priming feature is running. This prevents the pump from having trouble priming if the Maximum Speed is set this low. If this is a problem, priming can be disabled in the Priming Menu (see "Priming" section on page 14).

#### **Pump Address**

Use this setting if your pump is connected via the RS-485 COM port to a Pentair automation system.

The default pump address is #1 and only needs to be changed when there is more than one pump on an automation system. When multiple pumps are on the same system, you may change each pump's address to allow the automation system to send a command to the correct pump. The pump address can be set from 1-16.

Refer to the automation system manual for further details on how to connect and use an automation system with your variable speed pump.

- Be sure the green power LED is on and the pump is stopped.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press **Select** to select "Settings".
- 4. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Device" and press **Select**.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Pump Address" and press **Select**.



#### Pump Address (cont.)

- Press **Up** or **Down** arrows to change the address number from 1-16.
- 7. Press **Save** to save. To cancel any changes, press **Back** to exit without saving.
- 8. Press Back to exit.

#### **Set Screen Contrast**

The default setting for the LCD screen is 3. Screen contrast levels can be adjusted from 0 to 7 units for low or high lighting conditions.

**Note:** Changes to the contrast setting do not update instantaneously. Changes to this setting must be saved before the contrast level changes.

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press Select to select "Settings".
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Device" and press **Select**.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Contrast Level."
- Press Select. Screen will show current contrast setting number. Use Up or Down to change number.
- 7. Press **Save** to save. To cancel any changes, press **Back** to exit without saving.
- 8. Press the Back button to exit.

#### **Set Control Panel Language**

To access the language menu:

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu and press Select to select "Settings".
- Use the Up or Down arrows and scroll to "Device" and press Select.
- 4. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Select Language and press **Select**.
- 5. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to choose the desired language.
- 6. Press **Save** to select the control panel language. To cancel any changes, press **Back** to exit without saving.
- 7. Press Back to exit.

#### **Set Temperature Unit**

The default setting is Fahrenheit (°F). The pump can be set to either Celsius (°C) or Fahrenheit (°F).

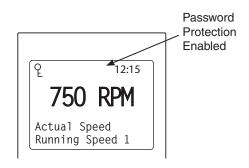
- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- Press Select to select "Settings".
- Use the Up or Down arrows to scroll to "Device" menu item. Press Select.
- 5. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Temperature Units" and press **Select**.
- 6. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to choose Celsius (°C) or Fahrenheit (°F).
- 7. Press **Save** to save. To cancel any changes, press **Back** to exit without saving.
- 8. Press Back to exit.

#### **Password Protection**

The default setting for password protection is disabled. When this feature is enabled, the pump display will prompt for the password before allowing access to the control panel and buttons.

The entered password is any combination of four (4) digits.

- The pump can always be stopped by pressing Start/ Stop, even when password protection is enabled.
- Password protection cannot be turned back on with Start/Stop while running in manual mode.
- Pressing Start/Stop when the pump is off will return it back to the Running Cycles Mode and run at the next scheduled run time. If the present time is within the scheduled run time, the pump will run the scheduled speed.
- All functions including programming are disabled in Password Protection Mode.
- Screen will read "Enter Password" if any button other than the **Start/Stop** button is pressed
- Key icon displayed in the upper left side of the screen when Password Protection is on.





#### **Setting Password**

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu. Press Select to select "Settings".
- 3. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Device".
- 4. Press Select.
- 5. Press **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Password". The default setting is "Disabled".
- 6. Press Select.
- 7. Press **Up** or **Down** arrow to change the setting to "Enabled". Press **Save** to save.
- 8. Press the **Down** arrow. "Password Timeout" will be displayed. The factory default time is 1 minute. This means the IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump will go into Password Protection mode 1 minute after the last control panel key is pressed.
- 9. Press **Select** to change time setting from 1 minute to 6 hours and press **Save** to save.
- 10. Press the **Down** arrow and then press **Select** on "Enter Password" to change the setting.
- 11. Press the **Left** or **Right** arrows to move cursor and press the **Up** or **Down** arrow to change the password number to desired setting.
- 12. Press **Save** to save. To cancel any changes, press **Back** to exit without saving.

#### **Entering Password**

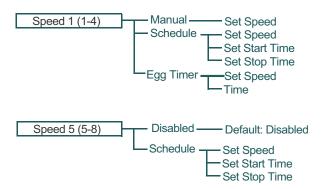
- 1. Press any button (besides the speed button) to prompt the screen for a password.
- To enter password, use the Left and Right arrows to move the cursor and the Up and Down arrow button to scroll through the digit then press Save to confirm.



#### **Pump Operating Modes**

The IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump can be programmed in three different modes:

Manual, Schedule, and Egg Timer. Speeds 1-4 can be programmed in all three modes. Speeds 5-8 can only be programmed in Schedule mode since there are no buttons on the control panel for Speeds 5-8. The default setting for Speeds 5-8 is "Disabled".



**Speed Menu Tree Options** 

#### Manual

Assigns a speed to one of the four Speed buttons on the control panel. This mode can only be used for speeds 1-4.

To operate in Manual mode, press one of the four speed buttons and then press the **Start/Stop** button. The pump will run the assigned speed for that speed button.

#### **Egg Timer**

Speeds 1-4 can be programmed to run at a certain speed and for a duration of time once a speed button is pressed.

Speeds 3 and 4 are Egg Timers by default. If you desire a different method of operation, speeds 3 and 4 can be changed to Manual mode in the control menu.

To operate in Egg Timer mode, press a speed button and then press **Start/Stop**. The pump will run that speed for the set amount of time and then turn off.

#### Schedule

Program speeds 1-8 start and stop at a specific time during a 24 hour period. Speeds programmed in Schedule mode will override any manually selected speed (speeds set by manually pressing any of the speed buttons on the control panel).



Pump Menu: Speeds 1-8

### Set Speeds in Manual Mode (Speeds 1-4 Only)

- 1. Press Menu.
- 2. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Speed 1-8", then press **Select**.
- 3. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to find the speed (1-4) you wish to program, then press **Select**.
- Speeds 1-2 default setting is Manual. Speeds 3-4 default setting is Egg Timer. To set a speed in Manual mode, press the **Down** arrow ("Set Speed" will display) and press **Select** to change. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to adjust speed.
- 5. Press Save to save the new speed setting.

### Set Speeds in Egg-Timer Mode (Speeds 1-4 Only)

- 1. Press Menu.
- Use Up or Down arrows to scroll to "Speed 1-8", the press Select.
- 3. Use **Up** or **Down** arrow to find the speed (1-4) you wish to program, then press **Select**.
- 4. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Egg-Timer", then press **Select**.
- To set a speed in Egg-Timer mode, press the **Down** arrow ("Set Speed" will display) and press **Select** to change. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to adjust speed.
- 6. Press Save to save the new speed setting.
- Now press the **Down** arrow ("Set Time" will display) and press **Select** to change. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to adjust the time.
- 8. Press **Save** to save the new time setting.



Manual Mode Menu Screen



**Egg Timer Menu Screen** 

#### Set Speeds 1-8 in Schedule Mode

In Schedule mode, Speeds 1-8 can be programmed to run a certain speed at a certain time of day. To run a scheduled speed, press **Start/Stop**. The screen will display "Running Schedules" when it is ready to run a scheduled speed. If **Start/Stop** is pressed while a scheduled speed is running, the pump will stop running the scheduled speed. The pump will not continue to run the scheduled speed until the **Start/Stop** button is pressed again.

- 1. Press Menu.
- 2. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Speed 1-8", then press **Select**.
- 3. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows and press **Select** for the speed you wish to set and schedule.
- Press Select (display will be highlighted) and scroll to "Schedule".
- 5. Press Save.
- Press Down arrow ("Set Speed" will display) and press Select to change. Use the Up or Down arrow to adjust speed.
- 7. Press **Save** to save the new speed.
- 8. Press the **Down** arrow again, "Set Start Time" will display. Press **Select** the cursor will highlight the minute column.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to change the time and the **Left** or **Right** arrow to move cursor from minutes to hours.
- 10. Press **Save** to save the new start time setting.
- 11. Press **Down** arrow "Set Stop Time" will display. Press **Select**. Repeat Steps 8-9 to set stop time.
- 12. Press **Save** to save the new stop time setting.
- 13. Press Start/Stop.

The IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump will prime and begin to run the programmed schedule at the specified start time.

When running in Schedule or Egg Timer mode, the countdown time (T 00:01) showing the hours and minutes remaining is displayed.



#### Set Speeds 1-8 in Schedule Mode (cont.)

#### **Programming Schedule for Constant Run**

A speed cannot be programmed with the same start and stop times. To run a speed without stopping, set the Start time one minute after the stop time.

**Example:** A single speed will run non stop if programmed with a Start Time of 8:00 AM and a Stop time of 7:59 AM.





**Note:** The pump will not run the scheduled speeds until the **Start/Stop** button is pressed (LED on) to place the pump in Schedule mode.

**Note:** When two speeds are scheduled during the same run time the pump will run the higher RPM Speed regardless of Speed # in use.

**Note:** The most recent command, Manual or Schedule, takes priority regardless of speed number RPM.



#### **External Control**

This function is for programming speeds that will run when the automation control system sends it a command. For example, Terminal 3 and 4 in the automation system will correspond to External Control Program #1. (5 and 6 to Ext Ctrl #2).

The Stop Delay feature allows the user to program the pump to run a Program Speed after the External Control has been deactivated. This feature can be used to provide a cooling down period for the pump after a trigger signal from an installed heater has been deactivated. Each individual Program Speed can have a Stop Delay of 1 to 10 minutes programmed.

Use the External Control feature to program the IntelliComm system power center.

#### To access the External Control menu:

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press the Menu button.
- 3. Use **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Ext. Ctrl.".
- 4. Press Select. "Program 1" is displayed.
- 5. Press **Select**. "750 RPM' is displayed.
- Press Select. The "RPM" number will highlight.
- 7. Press **Up** or **Down** arrow to change the RPM setting.
- 8. Press **Save** to save the setting.
  - **Note:** To cancel any changes, press the **Back** button to exit without saving.
- If you do not wish to program a Stop Delay, continue to step 13. If you do wish to program a Stop delay press **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Stop Delay".
- 10. Press Select to set Stop Delay.
- Press Up or Down arrows to change the Stop Delay setting. Stop Delay can be set from 0 minutes (disabled) to 10 minutes.
- 12. Press **Save** to save the setting.
  - **Note:** To cancel any changes, press the **Back** button to exit without saving.
- 13. Press Back to return to set Program 2.
- 14. Use **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Program 2".
- 15. Repeat Steps 5 through 13 to set Program 2, 3, and 4.



#### Time Out

The Time Out feature keeps the pump from running it's programmed speeds for a set duration adjustable in the menu. The Time Out feature is displayed in hours and minutes (Hrs:Mins).

Once Time Out is finished, the pump will return to its previous mode of operation, the Start/Stop LED will be lit and ready to turn on at the next scheduled run time.

#### To access the Time Out menu:

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Features", then press **Select**.
- 4. Press Select to choose "Timeout".
- 5. Then press **Select** again to choose "Timeout Duration".
- 6. Press **Select** to change the time. The cursor will highlight the minutes column.
- 7. Press the **Left** arrow to move cursor to the hours column. Time out can be set from 1 minute to 10 hours.
- 8. Press **Save** to save the setting.
  - **Note:** To cancel any changes, press **Back** to exit without saving.
- 9. Press Back to exit the menu.

#### **Quick Clean**

Note: Quick Clean is the only high-speed override feature of the IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump.

This feature can be used to increase the pump speed for vacuuming, cleaning, adding chemicals, after a storm for extra skimming capability.

Press the **Quick Clean** button (LED on) and then **Start/Stop** to start. When the Quick Clean cycle is over, the pump will resume regular schedules and be in "Running Schedule" mode.

#### To access the Quick Clean menu:

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on and the pump is stopped.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Features", then press **Select**.
- Press the **Down** arrow and press **Select** for "Quick Clean".
- 5. Press **Select** to choose "Set Speed".
- 6. Press **Select** to highlight the "RPM" first (ones) column and change the speed.
- 7. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to change the speed.
- 8. Press **Save** to save the speed.

- Press the **Down** arrow again, and press **Select** for "Time Duration".
- 10. Press **Select** to change the time. The cursor will highlight the minutes column.
- 11. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to change the time from 1 minute to 10 hours.
- 12. Press Save to save the time.
- 13. Press Back to exit the menu.



The default setting for Priming is ENABLED. This setting allows the pump to automatically detect if it is primed for startup.

The priming feature increases the pump speed to 1800 RPM and pauses for three (3) seconds. If there is sufficient water flow in the pump basket, the pump will go out of priming mode and run its commanded speed.

If the water flow is not sufficient, the pump speed will increase to the "Max Speed" setting and remain for the priming delay time (default 20 seconds). If there is sufficient water flow in the pump basket at this time, it will exit priming mode and transition to the commanded speed.

If there is still insufficient flow in the pump basket, as determined by the Priming Range setting, the pump will try to prime at the "Priming Speed" for the amount of time set in the "Maximum Priming Time" menu, unless the set "Maximum Speed" is lower than the set "Priming Speed". Once the pump achieves prime, it will resume normal operation after the preset priming delay.

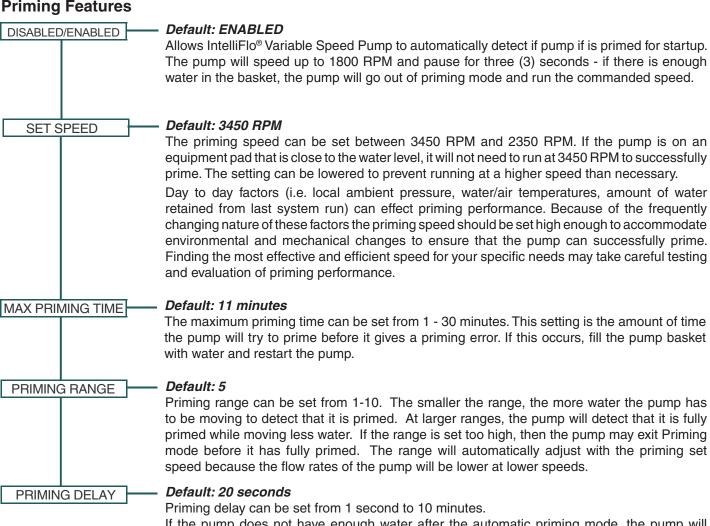
**Note:** It is possible to set "Maximum Speed" too low for the pump to properly prime. Maximum Speed will limit Priming Speed, except in one case. If the Maximum Speed is set below the lowest available Priming Speed (2350 RPM) then the pump will exceed the Maximum Speed while the priming feature is running. This prevents the pump from having trouble priming if the Maximum Speed is set this low. If this is a problem, priming can be disabled in the Priming Menu.



Display during priming



#### **Priming Features**



If the pump does not have enough water after the automatic priming mode, the pump will increase to the Maximum Speed (under "Pump Settings" on page 9) and run for 20 seconds (or for the time set).

You may need to increase the priming delay to allow the system to stabilize before the pump starts running speeds. If pump continues to show a priming error, increasing the priming delay time might correct this issue.

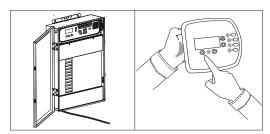


#### **Setting Priming Features**

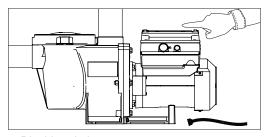
**Note:** Priming features are only accessible if priming is "Enabled".

- 1. Press Menu.
- Use **Down** arrow to scroll to "Priming" and press **Select.**
- 3. The factory default is set to priming "Enabled". To disable, press **Select**.
- 4. Press **Save** if you have changed the setting this will save the selection.
- 5. Press the **Down** arrow the screen will read "Max Priming Time".
- 6. To change from factory default, press **Select**. The cursor will highlight.
- 7. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to change the time from 1 minute to 30 minutes.
- 8. Press Save to save.
- 9. Press the **Down** arrow the screen will read "Priming Range". Default is "5".
- 10. Press **Select** to change the priming range. The cursor will highlight the number.
- 11. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to change from 1 to 10. Increasing the number allows the drive to detect prime with less water flow.
- 12. Press Save to save.
- 13. Press the **Down** arrow the screen will read "Priming Delay". Default is 20 seconds.
- 14. Press **Select** to change the priming delay time.
- 15. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to change from 1 second to 10 minutes.

**CAUTION:** Increasing the time causes the pump to stay in the priming mode longer.



1. Disable priming on automation control system.



3. Disable priming on pump.

- 16. Press Save to save the setting.
- 17. Press Back to exit.

## Disabling Priming with an Automation System

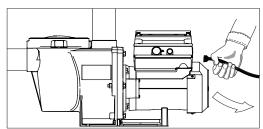
When the IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump is connected to an automation control system, the priming feature on the pump cannot be disabled by the external automation control system only. It must also be disabled on the pump itself.

If priming is enabled on start up, the pump responds to its internal settings *before* responding to commands from an automation control system.

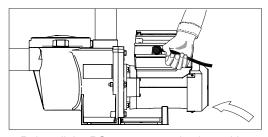
If the pump is connected to an automation control system and priming is not desired, disable the priming feature on both the pump and the automation control system.

#### To disable priming with an automation system:

- Disable the priming feature on the automation control system at the load center or using a system remote. (Refer to the automation control system user's guide for additional information).
- 2. Temporarily disconnect the RS-485 communication cable.
- Open the lid to the control panel to disable priming on the pump. Press Menu, use the Arrow buttons to scroll and select "Priming", then select "Disabled" (the factory default is set to "Enabled"). Press Back to exit the menu.
- 4. Once priming is disabled, reinstall the RS-485 communication cable.



2. Disconnect the RS-485 communication cable.



4. Reinstall the RS-485 communication cable.



The sensor for Thermal Mode is in the drive, on top of the motor. This feature allows you to set a speed (450 RPM - 3450 RPM) that runs when the IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump goes into Thermal Mode. The temperature level that you wish Thermal Mode to start can also be set.

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** This feature is for protection of the pump. Do not depend on the Thermal Mode feature for freeze protection of the pool. Certain situations could cause the pump to sense a different temperature than actual air temperature.

Your automation systems air temperature sensor should be used to sense actual temperature. For example, if the pump is located indoors, the temperature of the room does not indicate the outdoor temperature. The pump does not sense the water temperature.

#### To access the Thermal Mode menu:

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Use the **Down** arrow to scroll to "Thermal Mode" and press **Select**.
- 4. The factory default for Thermal Mode is "Enabled". To disable Thermal Mode, press **Select** to highlight "Enabled".
- 5. Press the **Up** arrow "Disabled" is displayed.
- 6. Press Save to save.

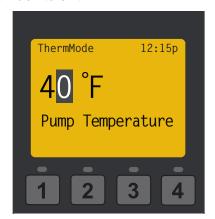


**Setting the Thermal Mode Pump Speed** 

### To Set Thermal Mode Speed and Pump Temperature:

**Note:** Thermal Mode features are only accessible if Thermal Mode is "Enabled".

- With "Thermal Mode" displayed on the screen, press the **Down** arrow - "Set Speed" is displayed. The factory default is 1000 RPM.
- 2. Press **Select** to change the speed. The cursor will highlight the first column (ones).
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to set speed (450 -3450 RPM).
- 4. Press **Save** to save the speed.
- 5. Press the **Down** arrow to Pump Temperature (the temperature the pump will activate Thermal Mode, default is 40° F/4.4° C).
- 6. Press **Select** to change the setting. The cursor will highlight the first column. Can be set 40° F to 50° F (4.4° C 10° C).
- Press Save to save the temperature setting.
   Note: To cancel any changes, press Back to exit without saving.
- 8. Press Back to exit.



**Setting the Thermal Mode Pump Temperature** 



**Thermal Mode Menu Options** 

#### **MAINTENANCE**

DO NOT open the strainer pot if IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump fails to prime or if pump has been operating without water in the **A**WARNING strainer pot. Pumps operated in these circumstances may experience a build up of vapor pressure and may contain scalding hot water. Opening the pump may cause serious personal injury. In order to avoid the possibility of personal injury, be sure the suction and discharge valves are open and strainer pot temperature is cool to touch, then open with extreme caution.

ACAUTION To prevent damage to the pump and for proper operation of the system, clean pump strainer and skimmer baskets regularly.

#### **Pump Strainer Basket**

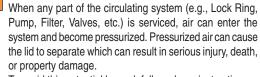
The strainer basket (or 'strainer pot'), is located in front of the pump housing. The strainer basket must be kept clean and free of debris. Inspect basket through the lid on the top of the housing. Be sure to visually inspect the strainer basket at least once a week. Dirty strainer baskets reduce filter and heater efficiency and put abnormal stress on the pump motor.

#### Cleaning the Pump Strainer Basket

- 1. Press Start/Stop button on the pump and turn off the pump at the circuit breaker. Disconnect communication cable from pump.
- 2. Relieve pressure in the system.
- 3. Turn the lid and clamp counter-clockwise and remove from the pump.
- 4. Remove debris and rinse out the basket. Replace the basket if it is cracked.
- 5. Put the basket back into the housing. Be sure to align the notch in the bottom of the basket with the rib in the bottom of the volute.
- 6. Fill the pump pot and volute up to the inlet port with water.
- 7. Clean the lid and clamp, O-ring, and sealing surface of the pump pot.
  - Note: It is important to keep the lid O-ring clean and well lubricated.
- 8. Reinstall the lid by placing the clamp and lid on the pot. Be sure the lid O-ring is properly placed.
  - Seat the clamp and lid on the pump then turn clockwise until the locking ring handles are perpendicular to the
- 9. Turn the power "ON" at the circuit breaker. Reconnect communication cable from pump.
- 10. Open the manual air relief valve on the top of the filter. Stand clear of the filter.
- 11. Wait until all pressure is relieved. Start the pump.
- 12. Bleed air from the filter until a steady stream of water comes out of the filter air relief valve. Close the manual air relief valve.

#### WARNING

#### THIS SYSTEM OPERATES UNDER HIGH PRESSURE.



To avoid this potential hazard, follow above instructions.

#### Winterizing

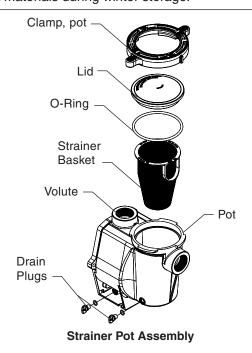
To protect the pump electronics from freeze damage, the pump will switch on to generate internal heat as the temperature drops below freezing if Thermal Mode is enabled. The Thermal Mode feature on the pump is not intended to protect the system plumbing from freezing.

- In mild climate areas, when temporary freezing conditions may occur, run your filtering equipment all night to prevent freezing.
- You are responsible for determining when freezing conditions may occur. If freezing conditions are expected, take the following steps to reduce the risk of freeze damage. Freeze damage is not covered under warranty.

#### To prevent freeze damage, follow the procedures below:

- 1. Shut off electrical power for the pump at the circuit breaker.
- 2. Drain the water out of the pump housing by removing the two thumb-twist drain plugs from the housing. Store the plugs in the pump basket.
- 3. Cover the motor to protect it from severe rain, snow and ice.

**Note:** The motor may be covered during a storm, winter storage, etc., but never when operating or expecting operation. Never wrap motor with plastic or other air tight materials during winter storage.



#### **SERVICING**

**▲** WARNING

Always disconnect power to the IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump at the circuit breaker and disconnect the communication cable before servicing the pump. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury to service people, users or others due to electric shock. Read all servicing instructions before working on the pump.

DO NOT open the strainer pot if pump fails to prime or if pump has been operating without water in the strainer pot. Pumps operated in these circumstances may experience a build up of vapor pressure and may contain scalding hot water. Opening the pump may cause serious personal injury. In order to avoid the possibility of personal injury, be sure the suction and discharge valves are open and strainer pot temperature is cool to touch, then open with extreme caution.

**A**CAUTION

Be sure not to scratch or mar the polished shaft seal faces; seal will leak if faces are damaged. The polished and lapped faces of the seal could be damaged if not handled with care.

#### **Motor and Drive Care**

#### Protect from heat

- 1. Shade the motor from the sun.
- 2. Any enclosure must be well ventilated to prevent overheating.
- 3. Provide ample cross ventilation.
- 4. Provide a minimum clearance of three (3) inches behind the motor fan for proper circulation.

#### Protect against dirt

- 1. Protect from any foreign matter.
- 2. Do not store (or spill) chemicals on or near the motor.
- 3. Avoid sweeping or stirring up dust near the motor while it is operating.
- 4. If a motor has been damaged by dirt it may void the motor warranty.

#### Protect against moisture

- 1. Protect from continuous splashing or continuous sprayed water.
- 2. Protect from extreme weather such as flooding.
- 3. If motor internals have become wet let it dry before operating. Do not allow the pump to operate if it has been flooded.
- 4. If a motor has been damaged by water it may void the motor warranty.
- 5. Be sure to close the keypad cover after every use.

#### **Shaft Seal Replacement**

The Shaft Seal consists primarily of two parts, a rotating ceramic seal housed in the impeller and a stationary spring seal in the sealplate. The pump requires little or no service other than reasonable care, however, a shaft seal may occasionally become damaged and must be replaced.

Note: The polished and lapped faces of the seal could be damaged if not handled with care.

#### **Pump Disassembly**

#### **Tools required:**

- 3/32 inch Allen head wrench
- Two (2) 9/16 inch open end wrenches
- 1/4 inch Allen head wrench
- No. 2 Phillips head screwdriver
- Adjustable wrench

#### To remove and repair the motor subassembly, follow the steps below:

- 1. Turn off the pump circuit breaker at the main panel.
- Disconnect the RS-485 communication cable from the pump (if connected to pump).
- 3. Drain the pump by removing the drain plugs. No tools are required.
- 4. Remove the four (4) Phillips head screws from the outer corners of the drive top cover.
- Disconnect the keypad top cover from the drive and set it to the side in a safe place.
- 6. Remove the three (3) Phillips head screws, located inside the drive, that anchor the drive to the motor.
- Remove the drive by lifting upwards to separate it 7. from the motor.
- 8. Use the 9/16 inch wrenches to remove the six (6) bolts that hold the housing (strainer pot/volute) to the rear subassembly.
- 9. Gently pull the two pump halves apart, removing the rear subassembly.
- 10. Use a 3/32 inch Allen head wrench to loosen the two (2) holding screws located on the diffuser.
- 11. Hold the impeller securely in place and remove the impeller lock screw by using a Phillips head screwdriver. The screw is a left-handed thread and loosens in a clockwise direction.

**A**CAUTION

The pump impeller may have sharp edges that could potentially cut or scratch the user's

hands. Pentair recommends that safety gloves be worn when holding the impeller during disassembly and reassembly.

- 12. Use a 1/4 inch Allen head wrench to hold the motor shaft. The motor shaft has a hex-shaped socket on the end which is accessible through the center of the fan cover.
- 13. To unscrew the impeller from the shaft, twist the impeller counterclockwise.
- 14. Remove the four (4) bolts from the seal plate to the motor, using a 9/16 inch wrench.
- 15. Place the seal plate face down on a flat surface and tap out the carbon spring seat.
- 16. Clean the seal plate, seal bore, and the motor shaft.
  - Pump illustrated parts view on the next page -

#### **Pump Reassembly**

1. When installing the replacement shaft seal, use silicone sealant on the metal portion before pressing into the seal plate as shown.

**Note:** Use extreme care when applying sealant. Be sure no sealant contacts the seal plate surface or the ceramic seal. Allow sealant to cure overnight before reassembling.

- Before installing the rotating portion of the seal into the impeller, be sure the impeller is clean. Use a light density soap and water to lubricate the inside of the seal. Press the seal into the impeller with your thumbs and wipe off the ceramic and carbon faces with a clean cloth.
- 3. Remount the seal plate to the motor.
- 4. Screw in the impeller lock screw (counterclockwise to tighten).
- Remount the diffuser onto the seal plate. Be sure the plastic pins and holding screw inserts are aligned.
   Note: Ensure that the seal plate o-ring is clean and free of debris.
- 6. Grease the diffuser o-ring and seal plate gasket prior to reassembly.
- 7. Assemble the motor subassembly to the pump housing by using the two (2) through bolts for proper alignment. Do not tighten the through bolts until all six (6) bolts are in place and finger tightened.

**Note:** Ensure that the seal plate gasket is properly seated inside of the pump assembly. The seal gasket can be pinched between the seal plate and the pump housing while tightening these six (6) screws, preventing a proper seal and producing a slow leak when the pump is restarted.

- 8. Reinstall the drive onto the top of the motor.
- 9. Fill the IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump with water.

- Reinstall the pump lid and plastic clamp. See "Cleaning the Pump Strainer Basket" on page 18 for details
- 11. Reconnect the RS-485 communication cable to the pump.
- 12. Prime the pump; refer to "Priming the Pump" on page 5.

#### **Drive Assembly Removal and Installation**



To avoid dangerous or fatal electrical shock hazard, switch OFF power to motor before working on pump or motor.



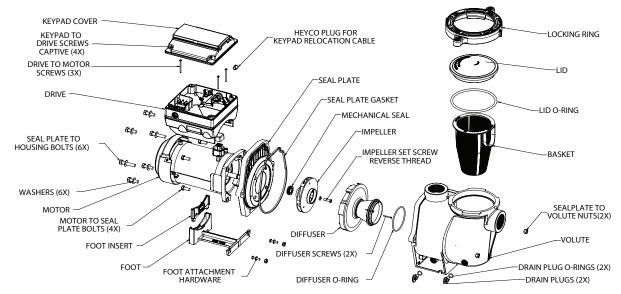
To avoid electrical hazard, never remove the four torx-head screws from the intermediate drive

cover. There is a capacitor bank that holds an electrical charge even when there is no power supplied to the pump.

### To remove the drive and control panel from the motor assembly:

- 1. Be sure all electrical breakers and switches are turned off before removing the control panel.
- 2. Disconnect the RS-485 communication cable from the pump.
- 3. Remove the four (4) Phillips head screws from the outer corners of the drive top cover.
- 4. Unplug the keypad top cover from the drive and set it to the side in a safe place.
- Remove the three (3) Phillips head screws, located inside the drive, that anchor the drive to the motor.
- 6. Lift up the drive assembly and remove it from the motor adapter located on top of the motor assembly.

**Note:** Be careful not to remove the gasket between the drive and motor, it is critical in keeping moisture out of the drive and motor. Replace the gasket if damaged. Do not reassemble with a damaged or missing gasket.



**Pump Illustrated Parts View** 

#### **Drive Assembly Removal and Installation**, (cont.)

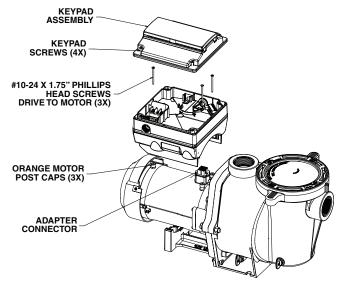


Before installing this product, read and follow all warning notices and instructions on page i - ii.

#### To install the drive assembly onto the motor assembly:

- 1. Be sure all electrical breakers and switches are turned off before installing the drive.
- Be sure that the gasket between the drive and motor is in place. It is critical in keeping moisture out of the drive and motor. Replace the gasket if damaged. Do not reassemble with a damaged or missing gasket.
- 3. Verify that the three (3) orange motor post caps are in position before placing the drive on the motor assembly.
- 4. Align the drive assembly with the motor adapter and seat the drive on the motor assembly.
- 5. Secure and tighten the drive assembly with the three (3) Phillips head screws.
- 6. Plug the keypad cover back into the drive.
- 7. Place the keypad cover in the desired orientation on the drive and reattach the four (4) screws in the corners of the drive.

**Note:** Ensure that the keypad cable is not being pinched between the drive and keypad cover.



**Drive Assembly and Removal** 

FIRE and BURN HAZARD - The pump motor may run at a high temperatures. To reduce the risk of fire, do not allow leaves, debris, or foreign matter to collect around the pump motor. To avoid burns when handling the motor, shut off the motor and allow it to cool for 20 minutes before servicing. The pump provides an automatic internal cutoff switch to protect the motor from heat damage during operation.

#### **TROUBLESHOOTING**



Always disconnect power to the IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump at the circuit breaker and disconnect the communication cable before servicing the pump. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury to serviceman, pool users or others due to electric shock. DO NOT attempt to adjust or service without consulting your dealer or a qualified pool technician. Read the entire Installation & User's Guide before attempting to use, service, or adjust the pool filtering system or heater.

#### **Alerts and Warnings**

The IntelliFlo® Variable Speed Pump displays all alarms and warnings on the control panel display. When an alarm or warning condition exists, the corresponding light will be lit on the display.

All control panel buttons are disabled until the alarm or warning is acknowledged with the **Reset** button. Pressing the **Reset** button will clear the alarm once the fault condition has been resolved.

**Note:** The pump will not start if the impeller is rotating.

#### Power Out/OFF

The incoming supply voltage is less than 170 VAC. The drive faults to protect itself from over current. The drive contains capacitors that keep it powered up long enough to save the current run parameters. If power is restored during this process, approximately 20 seconds, the drive will not restart until completed.

#### **Priming Failure**

If the pump is not defined as primed within the "Max Priming Time" it will stop and generate a "Priming Alarm" for 10 minutes, then attempt to prime again. The "Max Priming Time" is set by the user on the priming menu as discussed on page 16. If the pump cannot prime within five attempts it will generate a permanent alarm that must be manually reset.

#### **Overheat**

If the drive temperature gets above  $54.4^{\circ}$  C ( $130^{\circ}$  F) the pump will slowly reduce speed until the over temperature condition clears.

#### **Thermal Mode**

When active, the motor will run at the preset RPM until the drive internal temperature increases above the minimum. The pump's internal thermal protection is disabled when connected to an automation system. Thermal protection is provided by selecting YES at the ON WITH FREEZE portion of the circuit function menu in the automation control system. To re-enable the internal thermal protection, the power to the drive must be cycled off then back on. **Important: See explanation of Thermal Mode on page 17.** 

#### **Over Current**

Indicated that the drive is overloaded or the motor has an electrical problem. The drive will restart 20 seconds after the over current condition clears.

#### Over Voltage

Indicates excessive supply voltage or an external water source is causing the pump and motor to rotate thereby generating an excessive voltage on the drives internal DC buss. The drive will restart 20 seconds after the over voltage condition clears.

#### **Internal Error**

Indicates that the self-monitoring motor control software has encountered an error. Clear the alarm and restart the pump. If this alarm persists, contact Pentair Technical Service at 1-800-831-7133.

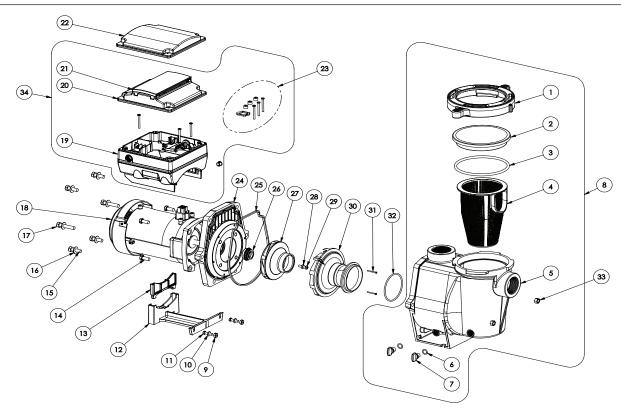
### **Troubleshooting Chart**

Problem	Possible Cause	Corrective Action	
Pump failure. (For alert display messages, refer to Alerts and Warnings on page 22).	Pump will not prime - Air leak in suction. PRIME ERROR may be displayed.	Check suction piping and valve glands on any suction gate valves. Secure lid on pump strainer pot and be sure lid gasket is in place. Check water level to be sure skimmer is not drawing air.	
	Pump will not prime - Not enough water.	Be sure the suction lines, pump, strainer, and pump volute are full of water.	
	Pump does not come out of priming mode.	Adjust priming range to a higher setting (default setting is 5).	
	Pump completes priming mode too early, and/or there is still a large amount of air in the housing	Adjust priming range to a lower setting (default setting is 5).	
	Pump stainer basket is clogged.	Clean pump strainer pot.	
	Pump strainer gasket is defective.	Replace gasket.	
Reduced capacity and/ or head.	Air pockets or leaks in suction line. PRIMING FAILURE may be displayed.	Check suction piping and valve glands on any suction gate valves.	
(For alert display messages, refer to Alerts and Warnings on page 22).	Clogged impeller. PRIMING FAILURE may be displayed.	Turn off electrical power to the pump. Remove the (6) bolts that holds the housing (strainer pot/volute) to seal plate. Slide the motor and seal plate away from the volute.	
		Clean debris from impeller. If debris cannot be removed, complete the following steps:  1. Remove diffuser and o-ring.  2. Remove reverse-thread impeller screw and o-ring.  3. Remove, clean and reinstall impeller.  4. Reinstall reverse-thread impeller screw and o-ring.	
		Reinstall diffuser, and o-ring.	
		Reinstall motor and seal plate into volute.	
		Reinstall seal plate nuts and volute and tighten securely.	
	Pump strainer pot clogged.	Clean suction trap.	
	PRIMING FAILURE may be displayed.	Clean pump strainer pot.	
Inadequate circulation. (For alert display	Filter or pump basket dirty.	Check trap basket; if plugged, turn pump off and clean basket.	
messages, refer to Alerts		Check and clean pool filter.	
and Warning on page 22).	Suction/discharge piping is too small.	Increase piping size.	
	Speed is set too slow for proper filtration cycle.	Increase filtration run time.	

### Troubleshooting Chart, (continued)

Problem	Possible Cause	Corrective Action
Electrical problem. (For alert display messages, refer to Alerts	Could appear as a "Low Voltage" alarm.	Check voltage at motor terminals and at panel while pump is running. If low, see wiring instructions or consult power company.
and Warning on page 22).		Check for loose connections.
	Could appear as "Over Heat" alert.	Check line voltage; if less than 90% or more than 110% of rated voltage consult a licensed electrician.
		Increase ventilation.
		Reduce ambient temperature.
		Tighten any loose wiring connections.
		Motor runs too hot. Turn power to motor off. Check for proper voltage. Check for proper impeller or impeller rubbing.
Control panel LCD screen displays sporadically or flickers on/off.	Loose drive wiring connection.	Check the connection between the drive and keypad. See image on page 3. The drive wiring connection should be tight.
Mechanical troubles and noise.	The pump motor is running but with loud noise.	If suction and discharge piping are not adequately supported, pump assembly will be strained. Do not mount pump on a wooden platform! Securely mount on concrete platform for quietest performance.
	Foreign matter (gravel, metal, etc.) in pump impeller.	Disassemble pump, clean impeller, follow pump service instructions for reassembly.
	Cavitation.	Improve suction conditions.
		Increase pipe size.
		Decrease number of fittings.
		Increase discharge pressure.
	Speaking noise, especially evident at pump start- up or slow down.	Inspect motor slinger and motor shaft seal behind the slinger (NOT the pump's mechanical seal). Apply lubrication to the motor shaft rubber seals.
Pump does not respond to automation system	Improper automation setup.	Be sure that the communication cable is connected at both ends.
commands.		2. Check that the pump local address matches with the address used in the automation control system.
		3. Check that the pump has been assigned a circuit name on the automation control system.
		4. Ensure that the pump display says "DISPLAY NOT ACTIVE".
	Communication network inoperative.	A defective device on the network can inhibit the proper operation of other network device. Devices should be disconnected sequentially until the network starts working.

### **REPLACEMENT PARTS**



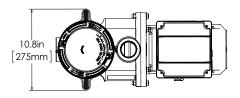
Item No.	Description	Almond Part #	Black Part #
1	Clamp, Cam and Ramp	357199	357150
2	See Through Lid	3571	51
3	Lid O-ring	350013	
4	Stainer Basket	070387	
5	Volute	350015	357157
6	O-ring 112 for Drain Plug (Qty2)	1921	15
7	Drain Plug (Qty2)	071131	357161
8	Volute Kit (Includes Item #1-7)	357243	357244
9	Nut, 1/4-20 Hex. SS (Qty2)	071406	
10	Washer, Flat 1/4" ID x 5/8" OD (Qty2)	072183	
11	Screw, 1/4-20 x 1" Hex Cap SS (Qty2)	071657	
12	Foot	070927	357159
13	Foot Insert, Pump Motor Support	070929	357160
14	Bolt, Hex Head 3/8-16 x .875" (Qty4)	070429	
15	Bolt, Hex Head 3/8-16 x 1.25" (Qty4)	070430	
16	Washer, Flat 3/8" ID x 7/8" OD (Qty6)	072184	
17	Bolt, Hex Head 3/8-16 x 2" (Qty2)	0704	31
18	Motor, 3.2kW 10 Pole	350305S	350306S
19	Drive, Variable Speed	356878Z	356892Z
20	Drive Cover Kit (Includes Item #21)	357527Z	358527Z
21	Keypad Cover	400100	401100
22	Keypad Relocation Kit (Includes Keypad Relocation Cable and Blank Drive Cover)	356904Z	356905Z
23	Drive Hardware Kit (Includes Drive Screws, Drive Gasket and Screw Caps)	355685	

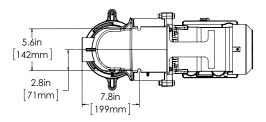
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24	Seal Plate	074564	357158
25	Seal Plate Gasket	357100	
26	Mechanical Seal	071734S	
20	Mechanical Seal, Ozone/Salt Resistant	ical Seal, Ozone/Salt Resistant 071732S	
	Impeller, 3 HP (Mfg. before 11/20) 073131		31
27	Impeller, 3 HP (Mfg. after 11/20)	3562	237
21	Impeller, IntelliFlo i1	073128	
	Impeller, IntelliFlo i2	073131A	
28	Rubber Washer, Impeller Set Screw	075713	
29	Impeller Set Screw, 1/4-20 LH Thread	071652	
	Diffuser, 3 HP (Mfg. before 11/20)	072928	
20	Diffuser, 3 HP (Mfg. after 11/20)	356238	
30	Diffuser, i1 072930		930
	Diffuser, i2	r, i2 072927	
31	Diffuser Set Screw, 4-40 x 1-1/8 (Qty2)	071660	
32	Diffuser O-ring	355227	
33	Nut, 3/8-16 Brass, Nickel Plated (Qty2)	071403	
34	Drive Kit Assembly (Includes Item #19-21 & 23)	356879Z	356893Z
-	50 Ft. Communication Cable	350122	
-	Seal Plate Kit w/ Mechanical Seal (Includes Item #24-26) 350202 350203		350203
-	Power End, 3HP	354044	N/A
-	Volute and Seal Plate Kit (Includes Item #1-7 & 24-26)	357149	N/A

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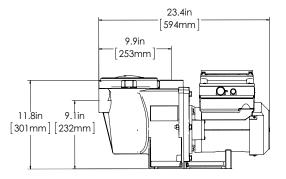
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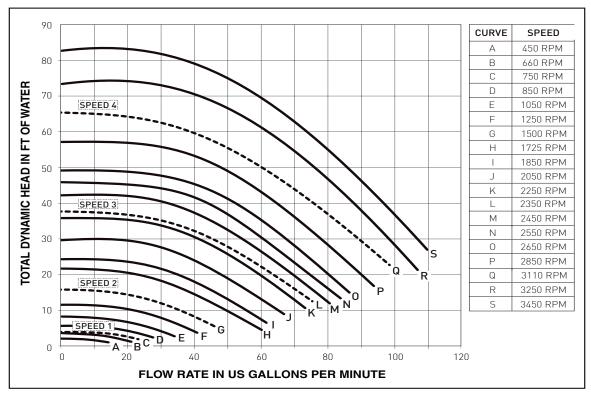
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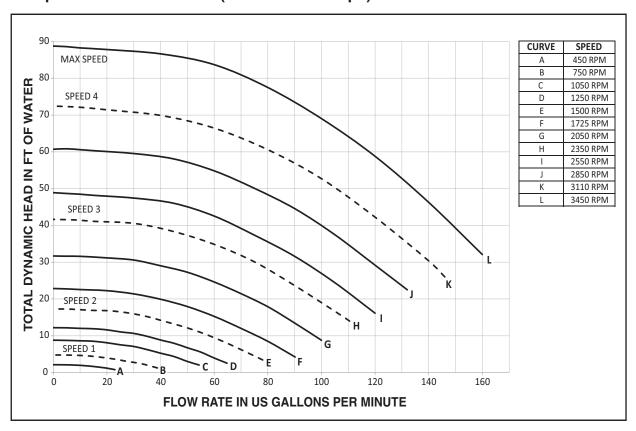
**Note**: Refer to the pump motor label, and all national and local electrical codes, for specific electrical requirements and specifications.

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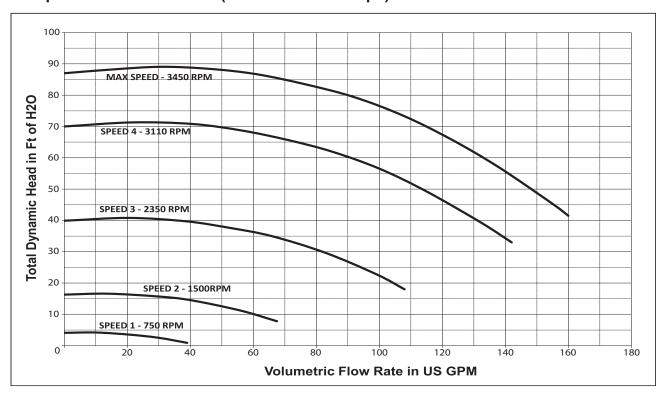
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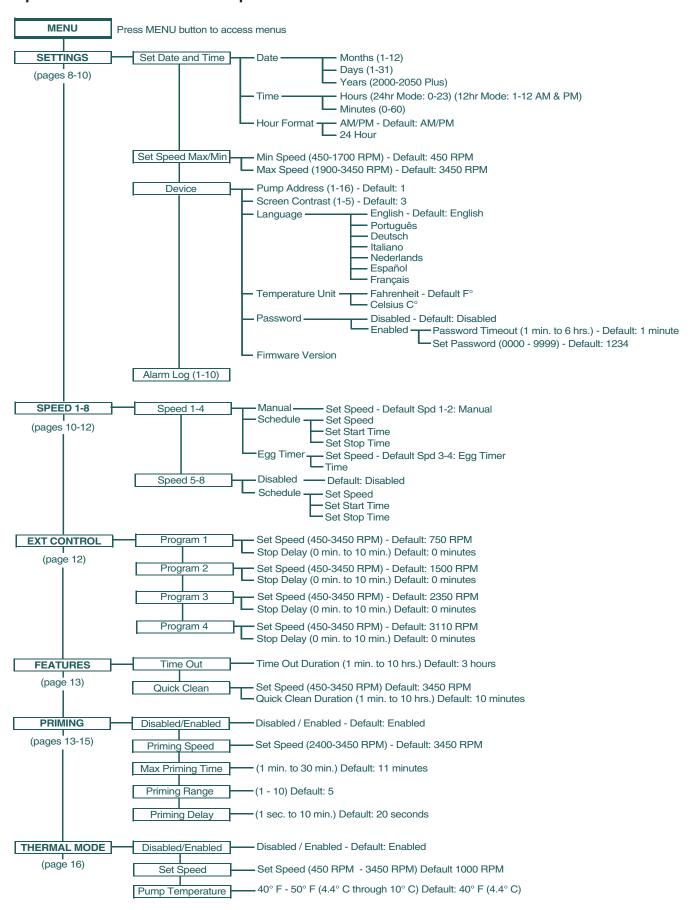
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#### **Operator Control Panel: Pump Menu Quick Reference Guide**



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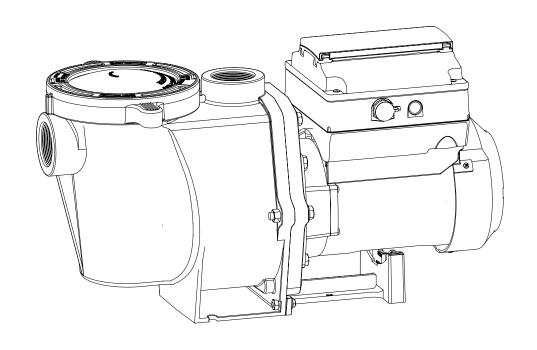
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# IMPORTANT PUMP WARNING AND SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



#### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

This guide provides installation and operation instructions for this pump. Consult Pentair with any questions regarding this equipment.

Attention Installer: This guide contains important information about the installation, operation and safe use of this product. This information should be given to the owner and/or operator of this equipment after installation or left on or near the pump.

Attention User: This manual contains important information that will help you in operating and maintaining this product. Please retain it for future reference.

# READ AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS



This is the safety alert symbol. When you see this symbol on your system or in this manual, look for one of the following signal words and be alert to the potential for personal injury.

**⚠** DANGER

Warns about hazards that can cause death, serious personal injury, or major property damage if ignored.

**A**WARNING

Warns about hazards that may cause death, serious personal injury, or major property damage if ignored.

**A**CAUTION

Warns about hazards that may or can cause minor personal injury or property damage if ignored.

NOTE

Indicates special instructions not related to hazards.

Carefully read and follow all safety instructions in this manual and on equipment. Keep safety labels in good condition; replace if missing or damaged.

When installing and using this electrical equipment, basic safety precautions should always be followed, include the following:

**AWARNING** Do not permit children to use this product.

**AWARNING** 

RISK OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK. Connect only to a branch circuit protected by a ground-fault circuit-

interrupter (GFCI). Contact a qualified electrician if you cannot verify that the circuit is protected by a GFCI.

This unit must be connected only to a supply circuit **A**WARNING that is protected by a ground-fault circuit-interrupter (GFCI). Such a GFCI should be provided by the installer and should be tested on a routine basis. To test the GFCI, push the test button. The GFCI should interrupt power. Push the reset button. Power should be restored. If the GFCI fails to operate in this manner, the GFCI is defective. If the GFCI interrupts power to the pump without the test button being pushed, a ground current is flowing, indicating the possibility of an electric shock. Do not use this pump. Disconnect the pump and have the problem corrected by a qualified service representative before using.

**A**CAUTION

This pump is for use with permanent swimming pools and may also be used with hot tubs and spas

if so marked. Do not use with storable pools. A permanently-installed pool is constructed in or on the ground or in a building such that it cannot be readily disassembled for storage. A storable pool is constructed so that it is capable of being readily disassembled for storage and reassembled to its original integrity.

#### **General Warnings**

- · Never open the inside of the drive motor enclosure. There is a capacitor bank that holds a 230 VAC charge even when there is no power to the unit.
- The pump is not submersible.
- The pump is capable of high flow rates; use caution when installing and programming to limit pumps performance potential with old or questionable equipment.
- Code requirements for electrical connection differ from country to country, state to state, as well as local municipalities. Install equipment in accordance with the National Electrical Code and all applicable local codes and ordinances.
- Before servicing the pump; switch OFF power to the pump by disconnecting the main circuit to the pump.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) of reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.

**▲** DANGER

FAILURE TO FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS CAN RESULT IN SERIOUS BODILY

INJURY OR DEATH. THIS PUMP SHOULD BE INSTALLED AND SERVICED ONLY BY A QUALIFIED POOL SERVICE PROFESSIONAL. INSTALLERS, POOL OPERATORS AND OWNERS MUST READ THESE WARNINGS AND ALL INSTRUCTIONS IN THE OWNER'S MANUAL BEFORE USING THIS PUMP. THESE WARNINGS AND THE OWNER'S MANUAL MUST BE LEFT WITH THE POOL OWNER.

**DANGER** 

SUCTION ENTRAPMENT HAZARD: STAY OFF THE MAIN DRAIN AND AWAY FROM ALL SUCTION **OUTLETS!** 











THIS PUMP PRODUCES HIGH LEVELS OF SUCTION AND CREATES A STRONG VACUUM AT THE MAIN DRAIN AT THE BOTTOM OF THE BODY OF WATER. THIS SUCTION IS SO STRONG THAT IT CAN TRAP ADULTS OR CHILDREN UNDER WATER IF THEY COME IN CLOSE PROXIMITY TO A DRAIN OR A LOOSE OR BROKEN DRAIN COVER OR GRATE.

THE USE OF UNAPPROVED COVERS OR ALLOWING USE OF THE POOL OR SPA WHEN COVERS ARE MISSING, CRACKED OR BROKEN CAN RESULT IN BODY OR LIMB ENTRAPMENT, HAIR ENTANGLEMENT, BODY ENTRAPMENT, EVISCERATION AND/OR DEATH.

The suction at a drain or outlet can cause:

**Limb Entrapment:** When a limb is sucked or inserted into an opening resulting in a mechanical bind or swelling. This hazard is present when a drain cover is missing, broken, loose, cracked or not properly secured.

Hair Entanglement: When the hair tangles or knots in the drain cover, trapping the swimmer underwater. This hazard is present when the flow rating of the cover is too small for the pump or pumps.

Body Entrapment: When a portion of the body is held against the drain cover trapping the swimmer underwater. This hazard is present when the drain cover is missing, broken or the cover flow rating is not high enough for the pump or pumps.

Evisceration/Disembowelment: When a person sits on an open pool (particularly a child wading pool) or spa outlet and suction is applied directly to the intestines, causing severe intestinal damage. This hazard is present when the drain cover is missing, loose, cracked, or not properly secured.

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**Mechanical Entrapment:** When jewelry, swimsuit, hair decorations, finger, toe or knuckle is caught in an opening of an outlet or drain cover. This hazard is present when the drain cover is missing, broken, loose, cracked, or not properly secured.

NOTE: ALL SUCTION PLUMBING MUST BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LATEST NATIONAL AND LOCAL CODES, STANDARDS AND GUIDELINES.

# **A**WARNING

TO MINIMIZE THE RISK OF INJURY DUE TO SUCTION ENTRAPMENT HAZARD:

- A properly installed and secured ANSI/ASME A112.19.8 approved anti-entrapment suction cover must be used for each drain.
- Each suction cover must be installed at least three (3') feet apart, as measured from the nearest point to nearest point.
- Regularly inspect all covers for cracks, damage and advanced weathering.
- If a cover becomes loose, cracked, damaged, broken or is missing, replace with an appropriate certified cover.
- Replace drain covers as necessary. Drain covers deteriorate over time due to exposure to sunlight and weather.
- Avoid getting hair, limbs or body in close proximity to any suction cover, pool drain or outlet.
- Disable suction outlets or reconfigure into return inlets.

**AWARNING** 

A clearly labeled emergency shut-off switch for the pump must be in an easily accessible, obvious place.

Make sure users know where it is and how to use it in case of emergency.

The Virginia Graeme Baker (VGB) Pool and Spa Safety Act creates new requirements for owners and operators of commercial swimming pools and spas.

Commercial pools or spas constructed on or after December 19, 2008, shall utilize:

- (A) A multiple main drain system without isolation capability with suction outlet covers that meet ASME/ANSI A112.19.8a Suction Fittings for Use in Swimming Pools, Wading Pools, Spas, and Hot Tubs and either:
- (i) A safety vacuum release system (SVRS) meeting ASME/ANSI A112.19.17 Manufactured Safety Vacuum Release systems (SVRS) for Residential and Commercial Swimming Pool, Spa, Hot Tub, and Wading Pool Suction Systems and/or ASTM F2387 Standard Specification for Manufactured Safety Vacuum Release Systems (SVRS) for Swimming pools, Spas and Hot Tubs or
- (ii) A properly designed and tested suction-limiting vent system or
- (iii) An automatic pump shut-off system.

Commercial pools and spas constructed prior to December 19, 2008, with a single submerged suction outlet shall use a suction outlet cover that meets ASME/ANSI A112.19.8a and either:

- (A) A SVRS meeting ASME/ANSI A112.19.17 and/or ASTM F2387, or
- (B) A properly designed and tested suction-limiting vent system, or
- (C) An automatic pump shut-off system, or
- (D) Disabled submerged outlets, or
- (E) Suction outlets shall be reconfigured into return inlets.

For Installation of Electrical Controls at Equipment Pad (ON/OFF **Switches, Timers and Automation Load Center)** 





Install all electrical controls at equipment pad, such as on/off switches, timers, and control systems, etc. to allow the operation (startup, shut-down, or servicing) of any pump or filter so the user does not place any portion of his/her body over or near the pump strainer lid, filter lid or valve closures. This installation should allow the user enough space to stand clear of the filter and pump during system start-up, shut down or servicing of the system filter.

# **⚠** DANGER

#### HAZARDOUS PRESSURE: STAND CLEAR OF PUMP AND FILTER DURING START UP



Circulation systems operate under high pressure. When any part of the circulating system (i.e. locking ring, pump, filter, valves, etc.) is serviced, air can enter the system and become pressurized.

Pressurized air can cause the pump housing cover, filter lid, and valves to violently separate which can result in severe personal injury or death. Filter tank lid and strainer cover must be properly secured to prevent violent separation. Stand clear of all circulation system equipment when turning on or starting up pump.

Before servicing equipment, make note of the filter pressure. Be sure that all controls are set to ensure the system cannot inadvertently start during service. Turn off all power to the pump. IMPORTANT: Place filter manual air relief valve in the open position and wait for all pressure in the system to be relieved.

Before starting the system, fully open the manual air relief valve and place all system valves in the "open" position to allow water to flow freely from the tank and back to the tank. Stand clear of all equipment and start the pump.

IMPORTANT: Do not close filter manual air relief valve until all pressure has been discharged from the valve and a steady stream of water appears. Observe filter pressure gauge and be sure it is not higher than the pre-service condition.

#### **General Installation Information**

- · All work must be performed by a qualified service professional, and must conform to all national, state, and local codes.
- Install to provide drainage of compartment for electrical components.
- These instructions contain information for a variety of pump models and therefore some instructions may not apply to a specific model. All models are intended for use in swimming pool applications. The pump will function correctly only if it is properly sized to the specific application and properly installed.

Pumps improperly sized or installed or used in **▲** WARNING applications other than for which the pump was intended can result in severe personal injury or death. These risks may include but not be limited to electric shock, fire, flooding, suction entrapment or severe injury or property damage caused by a structural failure of the pump or other system component.

**A**WARNING

The pump can produce high levels of suction within the suction side of the plumbing system. These

high levels of suction can pose a risk if a person comes within the close proximity of the suction openings. A person can be seriously injured by this high level of vacuum or may become trapped and drown. It is absolutely critical that the suction plumbing be installed in accordance with the latest national and local codes for swimming pools.

Warnings and safety instructions for Pentair Aquatic Systems pumps and other related products are available at: http://www.pentairpool.com/pool-owner/safety-warnings/ or call (800) 831-7133 for additional free copies of these instructions.

Please refer to http://www.pentairpool.com/pool-owner/ safety-warnings/ for warning and safety instructions related to the this product.

# SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

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# PUMP OVERVIEW

The IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump can be programmed to run at a speed or a constant flow rate over set time intervals for maximum operating efficiency and energy conservation for a variety of inground pools.

- The pump can operate from 450 RPM to 3450 RPM with four preset speeds of 750, 1500, 2350 and 3110 RPM, or the pump can be set to control its own speed and maintain a constant flow rate.
- The pump can adapt to applications between 20 and 140 GPM. Simply program the pump to the desired flow rate, and the pump will automatically adjust to operating conditions to maintain that specific flow rate.
- Up to 8 customizable programs that can be set for constant flow or speed in either Manual, Egg Timer or Schedule modes.
- Pump control panel alarm LED and error messages warn the user of improper operation.
- Programmable priming mode with automatic detection of prime for easy start-up and automatic detection of loss of prime.
- Compatible with most cleaning systems, filters, and jet action spas.
- UL/CUL/NSF

## **Drive Assembly and Control Panel**

The IntelliFlo VSF pump drive is designed to produce maximum motor operational efficiency. The drive controls the motor's rotational speed by controlling the frequency of the supplied current. It also protects the motor and pump from operating outside of their intended operating parameters.

The control panel can be mounted on the pump in four different directions in order to provide the user the best access. The control panel can also be mounted in a more convenient location with the help of the keypad relocation kit (P/N 356904Z).

#### **External Control**

Most Pentair automation systems and IntelliComm® Communication Centers can remotely control the IntelliFlo VSF pump. The pump's communications address and other functions are accessible from the pump's control panel.

- RS-485 communication cable included
- IntelliComm systems control one IntelliFlo pump using the 4 External Control programs.

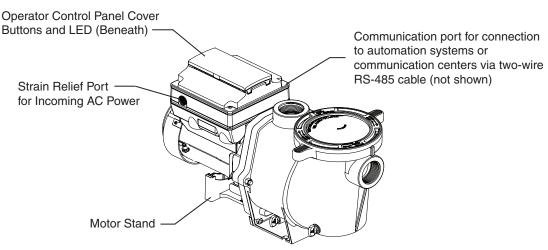
Refer to the automation system manual for further details on how to connect and use the system with your variable speed pump.

#### **Motor Features**

- High Efficiency Permanent Magnet Synchronous Motor (PMSM)
- Superior speed control
- Operates at lower temperatures due to high efficiency
- · Designed to withstand outdoor environment
- Totally Enclosed Fan Cooled (TEFC) Motor
- 56 Square Flange
- Low noise

#### **Drive Features**

- · Active Power Factor Correction
- UL 60730 Compliant
- Rotatable Keypad
- Easy Overhead Wiring
- High Drive Operational Efficiency
- Sensorless Flow and Pressure Control Technology
- · Loss of Prime Detection



Variable Speed and Flow Drive Assembly

# INSTALLATION

Only a qualified plumbing professional should install the IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump. Refer to "Important Pump Warning And Safety Instructions" on pages ii - iii for additional installation and safety information.

Note: The IntelliFlo VSF pump cannot be connected in series with other pumps.

#### Location

**Note:** Do not install this pump within an outer enclosure or beneath the skirt of a hot tub or spa unless marked accordingly.

**Note:** Ensure that the pump is mechanically secured to the equipment pad.

# Be sure the pump location meets the following requirements:

- Install the pump as close to the pool or spa as possible.
   To reduce friction loss and improve efficiency, use short, direct suction piping returns.
- 2. Install a minimum of 5 feet (1.52 meters) from the inside wall of the pool and spa. Canadian installations require a minimum of 9.8 feet (3 meters) from pool water level.
- 3. Install the pump a minimum of 3 feet (.9 meters) from the heater outlet.
- 4. Do not install the pump more than 10 feet (3.1 meters) above the water level.
- 5. Install the pump in a well ventilated location protected from excessive moisture (i.e., rain gutter downspouts, sprinklers, etc.)
- Install the pump with a rear clearance of at least 3-inches (76.2 mm) so that the motor can be removed easily for maintenance and repair. See Figure 1.

#### **Piping**

- 1. For improved pool plumbing, it is recommended to use a larger pipe size. When installing the inlet and outlet fittings (male adaptors), use thread sealant.
- 2. Piping on the suction side of the pump should be the same or larger than the return line diameter.
- 3. Plumbing on the suction side of the pump should be as short as possible.
- 4. For most installations Pentair recommends installing a valve on both the pump suction and return lines so that the pump can be isolated during routine maintenance. We also recommend a valve, elbow or tee installed in the suction line should be no closer to the front of the pump than five (5) times the suction line pipe diameter. See **Figure 2**.

**Example:** A 2-inch pipe requires a 10-inch (254 mm) straight run in front of the suction inlet of the pump). This will help the pump prime faster and last longer.

**Note:** DO NOT install 90° elbows directly into the pump inlet and outlet.

#### **Electrical Requirements**

- Install all equipment in accordance with the National Electrical Code and all applicable local codes and ordinances.
- A means for disconnection must be incorporated in the fixed wiring in accordance with the wiring rules.

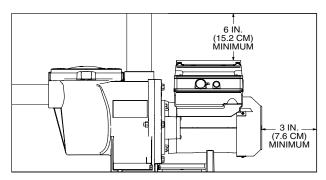


Figure 1: Pump Rear and Overhead Clearance

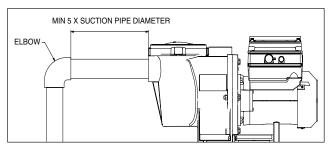


Figure 2: Recommended Piping

# **Optional Keypad Relocation Kit**

In special cases when the user lacks easy or convenient access to the IntelliFlo VSF pump, a Keypad Relocation Kit (P/N 356904Z) may be purchased from your local pool equipment supplier. This kit allows the user to remove the keypad from the top of the drive and mount the keypad in a fixed location with better access.

For installation instructions refer to the *Keypad Relocation Kit Installation Instructions* provided with the kit.

#### **Fittings and Valves**

- 1. Do not install 90° elbows directly into pump inlet.
- Flooded suction systems should have valves installed on suction and discharge pipes for maintenance, however, the suction valve should be no closer than five times the suction pipe diameter as described in this section.
- 3. Use a check valve in the discharge line when using this pump for any application where there is significant height to the plumbing after the pump.
- Be sure to install check valves when plumbing in parallel with another pump. This helps prevent reverse rotation of the impeller and motor.

#### **Electrical Installation**

# **A**WARNING

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RISK OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK OR ELECTROCUTION. This pump must be installed by a licensed or certified electrician or a qualified service professional in accordance with the National Electrical Code and all applicable local codes and ordinances. Improper installation will create an electrical hazard which could result in death or serious injury to users, installers, or others due to electrical shock, and may also cause damage to property.

Always disconnect power to the pump at the circuit breaker before servicing the pump. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury to service people, users or others due to electric shock.

Read all servicing instructions before working on the pump.

**Note:** ALWAYS reinstall the drive lid onto the field wiring compartment when leaving the pump unsupervised during servicing. This will prevent foreign matter (i.e. rainwater, dust, etc.) from accumulating in the drive.

**Note:** When connecting the pump to an automation system, continuous power must be supplied to the pump by connecting it directly to the circuit breaker. When using an automation system, be sure that no other lights or appliances are on the same circuit.

#### Wiring

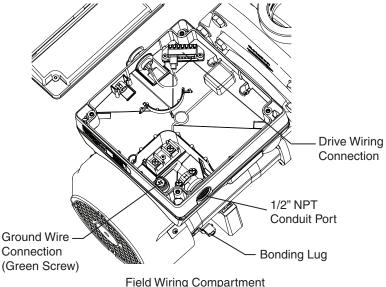
 Be sure all electrical breakers and switches are turned off before wiring motor.



**STORED CHARGE** - Wait at least sixty (60) seconds before servicing.

- 2. Be sure that the supply voltage meets the requirements listed on the motor nameplate. If these requirements are not met, permanent damage may occur.
- For wiring sizes and general guidelines for proper electrical installation, please follow the specifications defined in the National Electric Code and any local codes as required.
- 4. Use strain relief and be sure all electrical connections are clean and tight.
- 5. Cut the wires to the appropriate length so they do not overlap or touch when connected.
- 6. Reinstall the keypad after wiring the pump by plugging the cover back into the drive wiring connection and re-seating the keypad in the desired orientation with the four (4) corner screws.

**Note:** Ensure that the keypad cable is not pinched between the drive and keypad during re-seating.



# Grounding

- Permanently ground the drive using the green ground screw, as shown below. Use the correct wire size and type specified by National Electrical Code. Be sure the ground wire is connected to an electrical service ground.
- The pump should be permanently connected to either a circuit breaker, 2-pole timer or 2-pole relay.

Note: If AC power is supplied by a GFCI circuit breaker, the pump should be wired on its own independent circuit unless the pump is operated in tandem with a Pentair salt chlorine generator.

#### **Bonding**

- Bond the motor to the structure in accordance with the National Electrical Code. Use a solid copper bonding conductor not smaller than 8 AWG. For Canadian installations, a 6 AWG or larger solid copper bonding conductor is required. Run a wire from the external bonding screw or lug to the bonding structure.
- Connect the wire from the accessible bonding lug on the motor to all metal parts of the swimming pool, spa, or hot tub structure and to all electrical equipment, metal conduit, and metal piping within 5 feet (1.52 meters) of the inside walls of the swimming pool, spa, or hot tub. Run a wire from the external bonding screw or lug to the bonding structure.

**Note:** When the pump is started and stopped by removing power with a relay or timer, a two-pole device should be used to apply and remove power to both POWER LINE TERMINALS.

Pentair offers 2-Pole 20 Amp GFCI breakers (P/N PA220GF) which offer personnel protection while meeting 2008 to current NEC Standards for Pool Pumps.

#### **Connecting to an Automation System**

All IntelliFlo and IntelliPro pumps, including the IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump, are compatible with Pentair Automation Systems.

An RS-485 communication cable is provided with the pump and will be used to connect the pump to a Pentair automation system.

Refer to the automation system manual for further details on how to connect and use the system with your variable speed pump.

An IntelliTouch® Control System with firmware 1.170 or earlier will display "VSF+SVRS" in the pump type/selection. While you will choose this option, the IntelliFlo VSF pump DOES NOT incorporate SVRS entrapment protection.

# OPERATING THE PUMP

NOTE: When setting up the IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump, the user must set the pump's internal clock and establish an operation schedule by following the steps in this manual. Please refer to user's guide sections: 'Set Time' (page 10) and 'Set Programs 1-8 in Schedule Mode' (page 15) to schedule a time to run the pump.

# **A**CAUTION

This pump is shipped with Priming mode ENABLED. Unless the Priming settings are changed in the menu, be aware that the pump will speed up to the maximum speed when the pump is powered on for the first time, and the Start/Stop button is pressed. To change the maximum speed of the pump, refer to page 10.

Before turning the pump ON, be sure the following conditions are met:

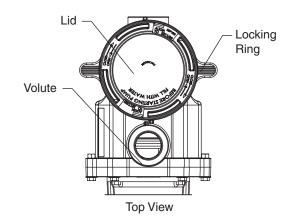
- 1. Open filter air relief valve.
- 2. Open valves.
- 3. Pool return is completely open and clear of any blockages.
- 4. Water in the pump basket.
- 5. Stand clear of the filter or other pressurized vessels.

## **Priming the Pump**

Prime the pump before starting the pump for the first time. Remove the lid and fill the basket with water. The pump basket must be filled with water before initial start up or after servicing.

#### Follow the steps below to prime the pump for start up:

- 1. Press **Start/Stop** to stop the pump. Disconnect the pump main power supply and communication cable.
- 2. Close all valves in suction and discharge pipes. Relieve all pressure from the system.
- 3. Remove the pump lid and locking ring.
- 4. Fill the pump strainer pot with water.
- 5. Reassemble the pump lid and locking ring onto the strainer basket. The pump is now ready to prime.
- 6. Open all valves in suction and discharge pipes.
- 7. Open the filter air relief valve and stand clear of the filter.
- 8. Connect power to the pump. Be sure green power light is on.
- Press Start/Stop to start the pump. The pump will enter into priming mode (if enabled) and speed up to the maximum speed set in the pump menu settings.
- 10. When water comes out of the filter air relief valve, close the valve. The system should now be free of air and recirculating water to and from the pool
- 11. Do not allow your pump to run longer than 30 minutes time without developing full flow. If the pump does not prime, check your priming settings on the control panel or see the "Troubleshooting" section on pages 25-27.



#### **Priming Features**

The default priming setting is ENABLED. The pump also allows you to set the following from the operator control panel:

- Priming speed
- Priming range (1-10)
- Priming delay

Set up instructions on page 19.

Do not add chemicals to the system directly in front of pump suction. Adding undiluted chemicals may damage the pump and will void the warranty.

This is a variable speed pump. Typically the lower speeds are used for filtration and

heating. The higher speeds can be used for spa jets, water features, and priming.

DO NOT run the pump dry. If the pump is run dry, the mechanical seal will be damaged and the pump will start leaking. If this occurs, the damaged seal must be replaced. ALWAYS maintain proper water level in your pool (half way up skimmer opening). If the water level falls below the skimmer opening, the pump will draw air through the skimmer, losing the prime and causing the pump to run dry, resulting in a damaged seal. Continued operation in this manner could cause a loss of pressure, resulting in damage to the pump case, impeller and seal and may cause property and personal injury.

#### **Using the Operator Control Panel**

Use the operator control panel to start and stop the IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump, set, and change programs, and access pump features and settings.

#### Controls and LEDs on Keypad

- 1 **Button 1:** Press to select Program 1 (750 RPM). LED on indicates Program 1 is active.
- (2) **Button 2:** Press to select Program 2 (1500 RPM). LED on indicates Program 2 is active.
- (3) **Button 3:** Press to select Program 3 (2350 RPM). LED on indicates Program 3 is active.
- 4 **Button 4:** Press to select Program 4 (3110 RPM). LED on indicates Program 4 is active.
- 5 **Back:** Goes one step back in menu; exits without saving current setting.
- 6 Save: Saves current menu item setting. When a parameter has been adjusted the "Save?" icon will be displayed.
- 7 Menu: Accesses the menu items when and if the pump is stopped.
- 8 Select: Press to select the currently displayed option on the screen.
- (9) Arrow buttons:
  - **Up arrow:** Move one level up in the menu or increase a digit when editing a setting.
  - Down arrow: Move one level down in the menu or decrease a digit when editing a setting.
  - Left arrow: Move cursor left one digit when editing a setting.
  - Right arrow: Move cursor right one digit when editing a setting.
- (10) Quick Clean: Pump increases to a higher RPM (for vacuuming, cleaning, adding chemicals, etc.). LED light is on when active.
- (1) **Time Out:** Allow the pump to remain in a stopped state for a set period of time before resuming normal operation. LED is on when active.
- (12) **Start/Stop button:** To start or stop the pump. When LED is on, the pump is running or in a mode to start automatically.
- (13) **Reset button:** Reset alarm or alert.
- (14) LEDs:

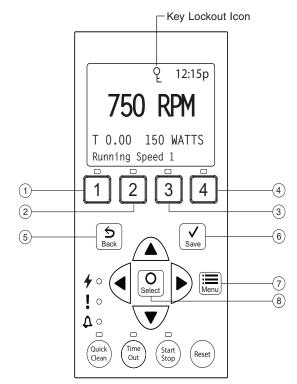
**On:** Green light when pump is powered on.

Warning: On if warning condition is present. See"Alerts and Warnings" on page 25.

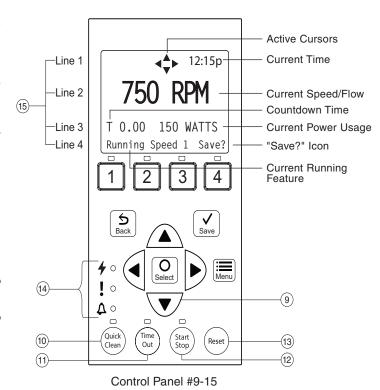
Alarm: Red LED on if alarm condition occurs. See "Alerts and Warnings" on page 25.

#### (15) Control Panel LCD Screen:

- Line 1: Key icon indicates password protection mode is active. If password protect is not enabled, no key icon is displayed. Also shows current time of day. Active cursors display when arrow key input is available.
- Line 2: Displays current pump speed/flow (RPM/GPM).
- Line 3: Countdown time and watts
- Line 4: Current pump status and current feature. "Save?" will display on this line when a parameter adjustment can be saved.



Control Panel #1-8



**Note:** Always close the keypad cover after using the keypad.

**Note:** Using screwdrivers or pens to program the pump will damage the keypad overlay. Use your fingers only when programming the pump.

## **Stopping and Starting the Pump**

#### Starting the Pump

- 1. Be sure the pump is powered on and the green power LED is on.
- Select one of the program buttons, then press the Start/Stop button (LED on) to start the pump. The pump will go into priming mode if priming feature is enabled.

#### Stopping the Pump

1. Press **Start/Stop** to stop the pump.

When servicing equipment (filters, heaters, chlorinators etc.), disconnect the communication cable, and switch OFF circuit breaker to remove power from the pump.

**Note:** The pump can automatically restart if the communication cable is connected.

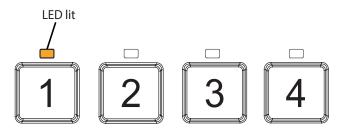
## Adjusting and Saving a Pump Speed/Flow

- 1. While the pump is running, press the **Up** or **Down** arrow to adjust to desired speed or flow setting.
- Press and hold down a **Program** button (1-4) for three (3) seconds to save speed/flow to the button or press **Save** to save the speed/flow.

## **Operating the Pump at Preset Speeds**

The pump is programmed with four default speeds of 750, 1500, 2350 and 3110 RPM. Program buttons 1-4 are for each of the preset speeds as shown below.

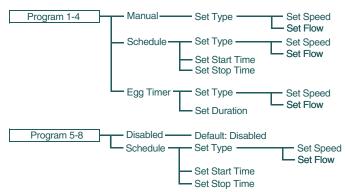
- 1. Be sure the pump is powered on and the green power LED is on.
- Press the **Program** button (1- 4) corresponding to the desired preset speed and release quickly. The LED above the button will turn on.
- 3. Press **Start/Stop**. The pump will quickly change to the selected preset speed.



#### **Pump Operating Modes**

The IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump can be programmed in three different modes:

Programs 1-4 can be programmed in all three modes. Programs 5-8 can only be programmed in Schedule mode since there are no buttons on the control panel for Programs 5-8. The default setting for Programs 5-8 is "Disabled".



Program Menu Tree Options

#### Manual

Assigns a speed or flow to one of the four Program buttons on the control panel. This mode can only be used for programs 1-4. Programs 1 and 2 are Manual by default.

To operate in Manual mode, press one of the four program buttons and then press the **Start/Stop** button. The pump will run the assigned speed or flow assigned to that program button.

#### **Egg Timer**

Programs 1-4 can be programmed to run at a certain speed or flow and for a duration of time once a program button is pressed.

Programs 3 and 4 are Egg Timers by default. If you desire a different method of operation, programs 3 and 4 can be changed to Manual mode in the control menu.

To operate in Egg Timer mode, press a program button and then press **Start/Stop**. The pump will run that setting for the set amount of time and then turn off.

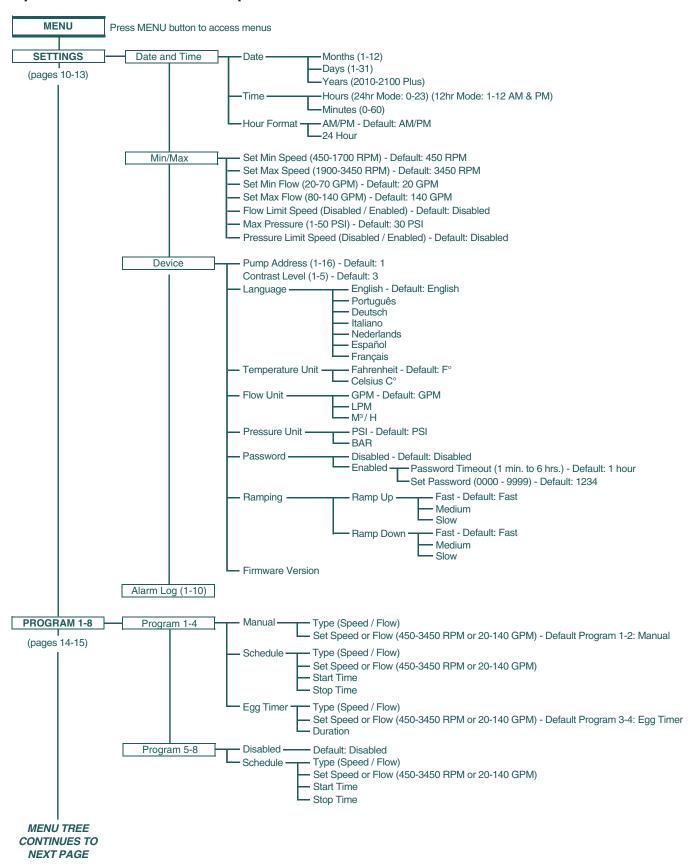
#### **Schedule**

Programs 1-8 start and stop at a specific time during a 24 hour period. Speeds or flows programmed in Schedule mode will override any manually selected speed or flow once the next Schedule command commences.

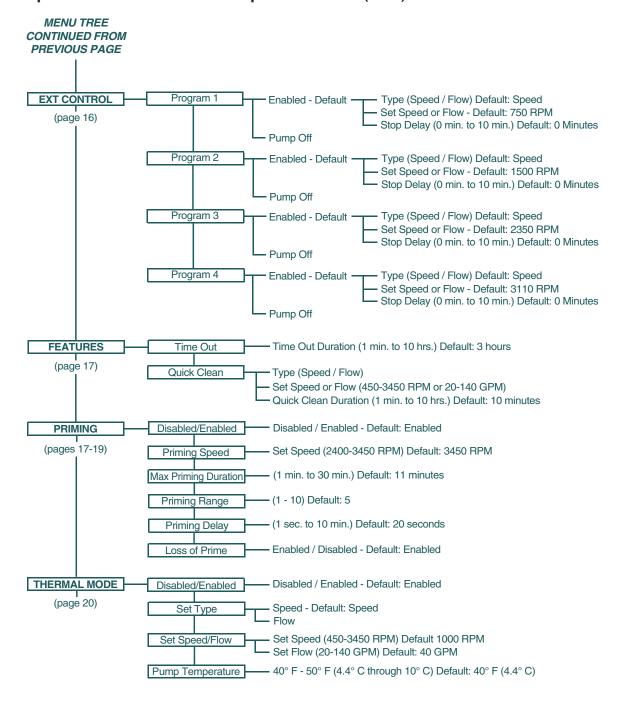
# **Program Types**

This pump can run saved programs at either constant speeds or constant flow rates. This gives the user the ability to precisely assign the output from the pump so that no energy is wasted and the job is completed accurately.

#### **Operator Control Panel: Pump Menu Guide**



#### Operator Control Panel: Pump Menu Guide (cont.)





#### **Set Date and Time**

The time controls all scheduled times, functions, and programmed cycles and stores the correct time for up to 96 hours after power is turned off. Reset if the power is off longer than 96 hours.

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press **Select** to select "Settings".
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Date and Time". Press **Select**.
- 5. Press **Select** again and use **Up** or **Down** arrows to set the date.
- Press Save to save user input and return to "Date and Time."
- 7. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Time". Press **Select**.
- Use the Up or Down arrows to scroll to edit the time.
   Note: To set AM/PM or a 24 hour clock see the next section "Set AM/PM or 24 Hour Clock."
- Press Save to save. To cancel any changes, press Back to exit without saving.
- 10. Press Back to exit.

#### Set AM/PM or 24-Hour Clock

To change the time from a 12 hour clock (AM/PM) to a 24 hour clock:

- 1. Press Menu.
- 2. Press **Select** to select "Settings".
- 3. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Date and Time". Press **Select**.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "AM/PM". Press **Select**.
- 5. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to choose between 24 hr. and AM/PM.
- Press Save to save. To cancel any edits, press Back to exit without saving.
- 7. Press Back to exit.

# **Set Minimum Speed (RPM)**

The minimum pump speed can be set from 450 RPM to 1700 RPM. The default setting is 450 RPM.

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press **Select** to select "Settings".
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Min/Max". Press **Select**.
- 5. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Set Min Spd".
- 6. Press **Select** to change the setting. The cursor will appear in the first number column (ones).

- 7. Press the **Up** or **Down** arrows to edit the minimum speed setting from 450 to 1700 RPM.
- 8. Press **Save** to save. To cancel, press **Back** to exit edit mode without saving.
- 9. Press Back to exit.

#### **Set Maximum Speed (RPM)**

The maximum speed can be set from 1900 RPM to 3450 RPM (default is 3450). Use this setting to set the maximum running speed of the IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump.

**Note**: Maximum and minimum speed settings, and the associated alarms, remain active when in Flow mode.

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press Select to select "Settings".
- Use the Up or Down arrows to scroll to "Min/Max". Press Select.
- 5. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Set Max Spd".
- 6. Press **Select** to change. The cursor will appear in the first number column (ones).
- 7. Press **Up** or **Down** arrows to edit the maximum speed setting from 1900 to 3450 RPM.
- 8. Press **Save** to save. Press **Back** to exit. To cancel, press the **Back** to exit without saving.

**Note:** Maximum Speed will limit Priming Speed, except in one case. If the Maximum Speed is set below the lowest available Priming Speed (2400 RPM) then the pump will exceed the Maximum Speed while the priming feature is running. This prevents the pump from having trouble priming if the Maximum Speed is set this low. If this is a problem, priming can be disabled in the Priming Menu (see "Priming" section on page 17).

# **Set Minimum Flow Rate (GPM)**

The minimum programmed flow rate can be set from 20 GPM to 70 GPM.

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press **Select** to select "Settings".
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Min/Max" and press **Select**.
- 5. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Set Minimum Flow".
- 6. Press **Select** to change the setting. The cursor will appear in the first number column (ones).
- 7. Press the **Up** or **Down** arrows to edit the minimum flow rate setting from 20 to 70 GPM.
- 8. Press **Save** to save. To cancel, press **Back** to exit edit mode without saving.
- 9. Press Back to exit.



## **Set Maximum Flow Rate (GPM)**

The maximum programmed flow rate can be set from 80 GPM to 140 GPM.

**Note**: Maximum and minimum speed settings, and the associated alarms, remain active when in Flow mode.

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press Select to select "Settings".
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Min/Max". Press **Select**.
- 5. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Set Maximum Flow".
- 6. Press **Select** to change the setting. The cursor will appear in the first number column (ones).
- Press the **Up** or **Down** arrows to edit the maximum flow rate setting from 80 to 140 GPM.
- 8. Press **Save** to save. To cancel, press **Back** to exit edit mode without saving.
- 9. Press Back to exit.

#### **Set Flow Limit for Speed Program**

The flow limit in constant speed program type is disabled by default. This setting allows the user to ensure that the drive does not exceed the flow rate output that is set when they are operating in a constant speed mode. The system may change during a run at a constant speed that would increase the flow rate, it this feature is enabled then the pump will automatically limit itself to keep below the previously set Maximum Flow Rate.

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press **Select** to select "Settings".
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Min/Max" and press **Select**.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Flow Limit (Speed)".
- 6. Press **Select** to move the cursor over the "Disabled".
- Press and the **Up** or **Down** arrows to change it to "Enabled".
- 8. Press **Save** to save. To cancel, press **Back** to exit edit mode without saving.
- 9. Press Back to exit.

## **Set Maximum System Pressure**

The maximum pressure can be set using the drive, so that the pump does not exceed a set system pressure level when it is asked to do a high power job, or if the system changes during normal operation. This gives the user a better way than Maximum Speed to limit the output of their pump. If the system is less restrictive, then the pump is still capable of the higher flow rates than it would have been if the user had used a speed limit, but the pressure is still limited where the user needed it to be limited.

The pressure is the total system head, so it is a product of the suction pressure and the discharge pressure. The calculated value is equivalent to Total Dynamic Head (TDH). This value may not correspond with the filter's pressure reading, because it is the TDH across the pump and not the local pressure of the filter.

When the pump is running a Flow Program, it will always attempt to reach the set flow no matter what the system setup is. If the system pressure changes during the run (such as from filter dirt loading, or manually changing a valve position), the drive adjusts motor RPM to maintain a consistent flow rate.

In some cases the newly requested motor speed will increase the discharge pressure in order to maintain the requested flow rate. While maintaining the flow rate, the drive will remain within the pressure and speed limits set within the Min/Max menu. If the pump meets one of the limits, it will continue to run at the limit and the warning light will illuminate. The limit warning will be displayed on the bottom of the drives' keypad screen indicating that the requested flow rate is not being achieved and which limit that the drive is running into.

When the pump is running a Speed Program, the drive is not monitoring the flow or pressure limits by default. These features need to be Enabled in the Min/Max menu.

#### **To Set Maximum System Pressure:**

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press **Select** to select "Settings".
- Use the Up or Down arrows to scroll to "Min/Max". Press Select.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Set Maximum Pressure".
- 6. Press **Select** to change the setting. The cursor will appear in the first number column (ones).
- Press the **Up** or **Down** arrows to edit the maximum flow rate setting from 1 to 50 PSI.
- 8. Press **Save** to save. To cancel, press **Back** to exit edit mode without saving.
- 9. Press Back to exit.



#### **Set Pressure Limit for Speed Program**

While Pressure Limit is active whenever the pump is operating a Flow type of program, the pressure limit is disabled by default when running the pump in a constant speed mode. Enabling this feature will make sure that the drive is monitoring the system pressure when operating in constant speed mode also.

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press Select to select "Settings".
- Use the Up or Down arrows to scroll to "Min/Max". Press Select.
- 5. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Press Limit (Speed)".
- 6. Press **Select** to move the cursor over the "Disabled".
- Press and the **Up** or **Down** arrows to change it to "Enabled".
- 8. Press **Save** to save. To cancel, press **Back** to exit edit mode without saving.
- 9. Press Back to exit.

## **Pump Address**

Use this setting if your pump is connected via the RS-485 COM port to a Pentair automation system.

The default pump address is #1 and only needs to be changed when there is more than one pump on an automation system. Change the address to allow the automation system to send a command to the correct pump. The pump address can be set from 1-16.

Refer to the automation system manual for further details on how to connect and use an automation system with your variable speed pump.

- Be sure the green power LED is on and the pump is stopped.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press Select to select "Settings".
- Use the Up or Down arrows to scroll to "Device". Press Select.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Pump Address". Press **Select**.
- 6. Press **Up** or **Down** arrows to change the address number from 1-16.
- 7. Press **Save** to save. To cancel any changes, press **Back** to exit without saving.
- 8. Press Back to exit.

#### **Set Screen Contrast**

The default contrast setting for the LCD screen is 3. Screen contrast levels can be adjusted from 1 to 5 units for low or high lighting conditions.

**Note:** Changes to the contrast setting do not update instantaneously. Changes to this setting must be saved before the contrast level changes.

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press **Select** to select "Settings".
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Device". Press **Select**.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Contrast Level."
- Press Select. Screen will show current contrast setting number. Use Up or Down to change number.
- 7. Press **Save** to save. To cancel any changes, press **Back** to exit without saving.
- 8. Press the Back button to exit.

#### **Set Control Panel Language**

To access the language menu:

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- Press Menu and press Select to select "Settings".
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows and scroll to "Device". Press **Select**.
- 4. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Select Language". Press **Select**.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to choose the desired language.
- 6. Press **Save** to select the control panel language. To cancel any changes, press **Back** to exit without saving.
- 7. Press Back to exit.

#### **Set Temperature Unit**

The default setting is Fahrenheit (°F). The pump can be set to either Celsius (°C) or Fahrenheit (°F).

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press **Select** to select "Settings".
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Device" menu item. Press **Select**.
- Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Temperature Units". Press **Select**.
- Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to choose Celsius (°C) or Fahrenheit (°F).
- Press Save to save. To cancel any changes, press Back to exit without saving.
- 8. Press Back to exit.

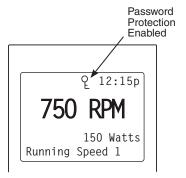


#### **Password Protection**

The default setting for password protection is disabled. When this feature is enabled, the pump display will prompt for the password before allowing access to the control panel and buttons.

The entered password is any combination of four (4) digits.

- The pump can always be stopped by pressing Start/ Stop, even when password protection is enabled.
- If the pump is stopped, the pump cannot be turned back on with **Start/Stop** while running in manual mode.
- Pressing Start/Stop when the pump is off will return it back to the Running Cycles Mode and run at the next scheduled run time. If the present time is within the scheduled run time, the pump will run the scheduled speed.
- All functions including programming are disabled in Password Protection Mode.
- Screen will read "Enter Password" if any button other than the Start/ Stop button is pressed
- Key icon displayed in the upper left side of the screen when Password Protection is on.



#### **Setting Password**

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- Press Menu. Press Select to select "Settings".
- Use the Up or Down arrow to scroll to "Device". Press Select.
- Press Up or Down arrow to scroll to "Password". Press Select.
- 5. The default setting is "Disabled". Press **Up** or **Down** arrow to change the setting to "Enabled". Press **Save** to save.
- 6. Press the **Down** arrow. "Password Timeout" will be displayed. The factory default time is 1 hour. This means the IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump will go into Password Protection mode 1 hour after the last control panel key is pressed.
- 7. Press **Select** to enter edit mode. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to edit the time setting from 1 minute to 6 hours and press **Save** to save setting.
- 8. Press the **Down** arrow and then press **Select** on "Set Password" to change the setting.

- Press the Left or Right arrows to move cursor and press the Up or Down arrow to change the password number to desired setting.
- 10. Press **Save** to save. To cancel any changes, press **Back** to exit without saving.

#### **Entering Password**

- Press any button (besides the program buttons) to prompt the screen for a password.
- To enter password, use the Left and Right arrows to move the cursor and the Up and Down arrow button to scroll through the digit then press Save to confirm.

## Set Ramping Rate

The rate that the drive changes the motor speed can be reduced for smoother operation. This setting increases or decreases how quickly the pump can ramp up or down between two speeds. Rates can be set and adjusted for ramping up and ramping down individually.

If the **Start/Stop** button is ever pressed, the motor will immediately stop and will not follow the programmed ramping rate. The default setting is Fast, which is the traditional IntelliFlo ramping rate. Medium will take twice as long to change speeds, and Slow will take three times as long.

#### To Set Ramping Rate:

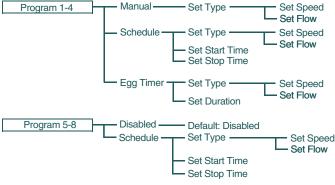
- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Press Select to select "Settings".
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Device". Press **Select**.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Ramping". Press **Select**.
- Use the Up or Down arrow to scroll to "Ramp Up". Press Select and use the Up or Down arrow to choose between "Fast", Medium or "Slow". Press Save.
- Use the Up or Down arrow to scroll to "Ramp Down". Press Select and use the Up or Down arrow to choose between "Fast", Medium or "Slow". Press Save.



#### **Pump Operating Modes**

This pump can be programmed in three different modes:

Programs 1-4 can be programmed in all three modes. Programs 5-8 can only be programmed in Schedule mode since there are no buttons on the control panel for Programs 5-8. The default setting for Programs 5-8 is "Disabled".



Program Menu Tree Options

#### **Manual**

Assigns a speed or flow to one of the four Program buttons on the control panel. This mode can only be used for programs 1-4. Programs 1 and 2 are Manual by default.

To operate in Manual mode, press one of the four program buttons and then press the **Start/Stop** button. The pump will run the assigned speed or flow assigned to that program button.

#### Egg Timer

Programs 1-4 can be programmed to run at a certain speed or flow and for a duration of time once a program button is pressed.

Programs 3 and 4 are Egg Timers by default. If you desire a different method of operation, programs 3 and 4 can be changed to Manual mode in the control menu.

To operate in Egg Timer mode, press a program button and then press **Start/Stop**. The pump will run that setting for the set amount of time and then turn off.

#### Schedule

Programs 1-8 start and stop at a specific time during a 24 hour period. Speeds or flows programmed in Schedule mode will override any manually selected speed or flow once the next Schedule command commences.

# Set Programs in Manual Mode (Programs 1-4 Only)

- 1. Press Menu.
- Use Up or Down arrows to scroll to "Program 1-8", then press Select.
- 3. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to find the program (1-4) you wish to edit, then press **Select**.
- "Operation Mode" will display. Press Select and use the Up or Down arrow to scroll to "Manual". Press Save.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Set Type".
   Press **Select** and use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to choose between "Speed" or "Flow". Press **Save**.
- 6. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Set Speed/Flow". Press **Select** and use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to adjust the speed or flow settings.
- 7. Press **Save** to save the new speed or flow setting.

# Set Programs in Egg-Timer Mode (Programs 1-4 Only)

- 1. Press Menu.
- Use Up or Down arrows to scroll to "Program 1-8", then press Select.
- 3. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to find the program (1-4) you wish to edit, then press **Select**.
- "Operation Mode" will display. Press Select and use the Up or Down arrow to scroll to "Egg Timer". Press Save.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Set Type".
   Press **Select** and use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to choose between "Speed" or "Flow". Press **Save**.
- Use the Up or Down arrow to scroll to "Set Speed/ Flow". Press Select and use the Up or Down arrow to adjust the speed or flow settings. Press Save.
- Now press the **Down** arrow ("Egg Timer Duration" will display) and press **Select** to change. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to adjust the time.
- 8. Press **Save** to save the new time setting.



Menu Screen



Egg Timer Menu Screen



#### **Set Programs 1-8 in Schedule Mode**

In Schedule mode, Programs 1-8 can be programmed to run a certain speed or flow at a certain time of day. To run a scheduled speed or flow, press **Start/Stop**. The screen will display "Running Schedules" when it is ready to run a scheduled speed/flow. If **Start/Stop** is pressed while a scheduled speed/flow is running, the pump will stop running the scheduled speed/flow. The pump will not continue to run the scheduled speed/flow until the **Start/Stop** button is pressed again.

- 1. Press Menu.
- 2. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Program 1-8", then press **Select**.
- 3. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows and press **Select** for the speed you wish to set and schedule.
- "Operation Mode" will display. Press Select and use the Up or Down arrow to scroll to "Schedule". Press Save.
- Use the Up or Down arrow to scroll to "Set Type".
   Press Select and use the Up or Down arrow to choose between "Speed" or "Flow". Press Save.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Set Speed/ Flow". Press **Select** and use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to adjust the speed or flow settings.
- 7. Press **Save** to save the new speed or flow setting.
- 8. Press the **Down** arrow again, "Start Time" will display. Press **Select** the cursor will highlight the minute column.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to change the time and the **Left** or **Right** arrow to move cursor from minutes to hours.
- 10. Press Save to save the new start time setting.
- 11. Press **Down** arrow "Stop Time" will display. Press **Select**. Repeat Steps 8-9 to set stop time.
- 12. Press **Save** to save the new stop time setting.
- 13. Press Start/Stop.

The IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump will prime and begin to run the programmed schedule at the specified start time.

When running in Schedule or Egg Timer mode, the countdown time (T 00:01) showing the hours and minutes remaining is displayed.

#### **Programming Schedule for Constant Run**

Two programs cannot be programmed with the same start and stop times. To run a program without stopping, set the Start time one minute after the stop time.

**Example:** A single program will run non-stop if programmed with a Start Time of 8:00 AM and a Stop time of 7:59 AM.





**Note:** The pump will not run the scheduled speeds or flows until the **Start/Stop** button is pressed (LED on) to place the pump in Schedule mode.

#### **Scheduled Program Priority**

When operating the pump in Schedule mode it is important to keep each program within its own individual run time. If program run times overlap the pump will prioritize programs as explained below:

Schedule priorities are in descending order as follows: Highest Flow » Lowest Flow » Highest Speed » Lowest Speed

- When two speed OR two flow program schedules overlap, the pump will run the higher RPM Speed or GPM Flow regardless of program in use.
- When both a speed AND flow program schedule overlap the pump will run the flow program first.
- A manual or egg timer command takes precedent over a running schedule. The manual or egg timer command will operate until completed, unless the next schedule program takes place or another command is given.



#### **External Control**

This function is for programming speeds or flows that will run when the IntelliComm® Communication Center sends it a command. For example, Terminal 3 and 4 in the IntelliComm system will correspond to External Control Program #1. (5 and 6 to Ext Ctrl #2).

The Stop Delay feature allows the user to program the pump to run a Program after the External Control has been deactivated. This feature can be used to provide a cooling down period for the pump after a trigger signal from an installed heater has been deactivated. Each individual Program can have a Stop Delay of 1 to 10 minutes programmed.

Use the External Control feature to program the IntelliComm system power center.

External Control can also be used for disabling the pump by choosing "Pump Off" when selecting an operation mode. If this program is triggered via external control the pump will stop running for as long as the program is active. This feature could be useful for demand response systems using an IntelliComm to communicate with the pump.

#### To access the External Control menu:

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press the Menu button.
- 3. Use **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Ext. Ctrl.". Press **Select**.
- 4. "Program 1" will display. Press **Select** to enter the Program 1 menu.
- 5. "Operation Mode" will display. Press **Select** and use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to choose between "Enabled" or "Pump Off". Press **Save**.

**Note:** The program you are attempting to edit must be enabled in order to proceed further into the menu.

- 6. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Set Type". Press **Select.**
- 7. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to choose between "Speed" or "Flow". Press **Save**.
- Use the Up or Down arrow to scroll to "Set Speed/Flow". Press Select and use the Up or Down arrow to adjust the speed or flow settings. Press Save.
- If you do not wish to program a Stop Delay, continue to step 11. If you do wish to program a Stop delay press **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Stop Delay". Press **Select**.
- Use the Up or Down arrows to change the Stop Delay setting. Stop Delay can be set from 0 minutes (disabled) to 10 minutes.
- 11. Press Save to save the settings.
- 12. Press Back to return to set Program 2.
- 13. Use **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Program 2".
- 14. Repeat Steps 4 through 11 to set Program 2, 3, and 4.



#### **Time Out**

The Time Out feature keeps the IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump from running it's programmed speeds or flows for a set duration adjustable in the menu. The Time Out feature is displayed in hours and minutes (Hrs:Mins).

Once Time Out is finished, the pump will return to its previous mode of operation, the Start/Stop LED will be lit and ready to turn on at the next scheduled run time.

#### To access the Time Out menu:

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- Use Up or Down arrows to scroll to "Features", then press Select.
- 4. Press Select to choose "Timeout".
- 5. "Timeout Duration" will display. Press **Select** to highlight the minutes column.
- Press the Left arrow to move cursor to the hours column. Time out can be set from 1 minute to 10 hours.
- 7. Press **Save** to save the setting.
  - **Note:** To cancel any changes, press **Back** to exit without saving.
- 8. Press Back to exit the menu.

#### **Quick Clean**

This feature can be used to increase the pump speed or flow for the purposes of vacuuming, cleaning, adding chemicals, after a storm for extra skimming capability.

Press the **Quick Clean** button (LED on) and then **Start/Stop** to start. When the Quick Clean cycle is over, the pump will resume regular schedules and return to "Schedule" mode.

#### To access the Quick Clean menu:

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on and the pump is stopped.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Use **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Features", then press **Select**.
- Press the **Down** arrow and press **Select** for "Quick Clean".
- Press Select to choose "Set Type". Use the Up or Down arrow to choose between "Speed" or "Flow". Press Save.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Set Speed/ Flow". Press **Select** and use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to adjust the speed or flow settings. Press **Save**.

- 7. Press Save to save the speed or flow setting.
- 8. Press the **Down** arrow and press **Select** for "Time Duration".
- The cursor will highlight the minutes column. Use
   Up or Down arrows to change the time from 1 minute to 10 hours.
- 10. Press **Save** to save the time.
- 11. Press Back to exit the menu.



The default setting for Priming is ENABLED. This setting allows the pump to automatically detect if it is primed for startup.

The priming feature increases the pump speed to 1800 RPM and pauses for three (3) seconds. If there is sufficient water flow in the pump basket, the pump will go out of priming mode and run its commanded speed.

If the water flow is not sufficient, the pump speed will increase to the "Priming Speed" setting and remain for the priming delay time (default 20 seconds). If there is sufficient water flow in the pump basket at this time, it will exit priming mode and transition to the commanded speed.

If there is still insufficient flow in the pump basket, as determined by the Priming Range setting, the pump will try to prime at the "Priming Speed" for the amount of time set in the "Maximum Priming Time" menu. Once the pump achieves prime, it will resume normal operation after the preset priming delay.

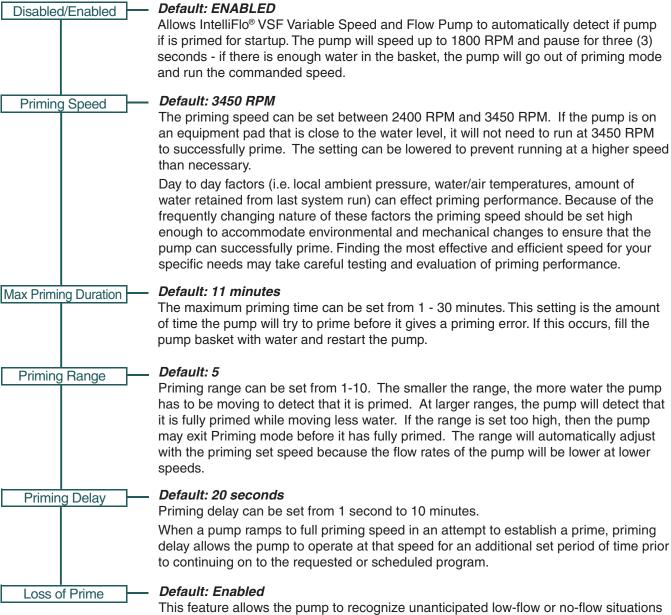
Note: It is possible to set "Maximum Speed" too low for the pump to properly prime. Maximum Speed will limit Priming Speed, except in one case. If the Maximum Speed is set below the lowest available Priming Speed (2400 RPM) then the pump will exceed the Maximum Speed while the priming feature is running. This prevents the pump from having trouble priming if the Maximum Speed is set this low. If this is a problem, priming can be disabled in the Priming Menu.



Display during priming



#### **Priming Features**



This feature allows the pump to recognize unanticipated low-flow or no-flow situations while running a program.

For example, the pump will pause for one (1) minute after detecting that it has lost its prime unexpectedly. After this pause the pump will attempt to prime, and if prime is successful it will continue programmed operation. If priming is not successful the pump will continue attempting to prime, per normal priming operation, until a prime is achieved or priming error occurs and is displayed.



# **Setting Priming Features**

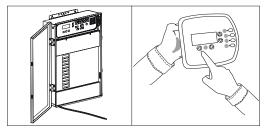
- 1. Press Menu.
- Use **Down** arrow to scroll to "Priming" and press **Select.**
- 3. The factory default is set to priming "Enabled". To disable, scroll to "Disabled" and press **Select**.

**Note:** All priming features are only accessible if priming is "Enabled".

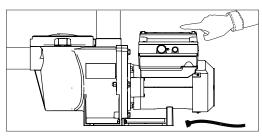
- 4. Press **Save** if you have changed the setting this will save the selection.
- Press the **Down** arrow to scroll to "Set Speed". Press **Select** to edit.
- 6. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to change the speed settings. Press **Save**.
- Press the **Down** to scroll to "Max Priming Duration".
   Press **Select** to edit.
- 8. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to change the time from 1 minute to 30 minutes. Press **Save**.
- Press the **Down** arrow to scroll to "Priming Range". Press **Select** to edit.
- 10. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to change from 1 to 10. Increasing the number allows the drive to detect prime with less water flow.
- 11. Press Save.
- 12. Press the **Down** arrow to scroll to "Priming Delay". Press **Select** to edit.
- 13. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to change from 1 second to 10 minutes. Press **Save**.



Increasing the time causes the pump to stay in the priming mode longer.



1. Disable priming on automation control system.



3. Disable priming on pump.

- 14. Press the **Down** arrow to scroll to "Loss of Prime".
- 15. The factory default is "Enabled". To disable, press **Select** to edit and use the **Down** arrow to scroll to "Disabled". Press **Save**.
- 16. Press **Back** to exit the priming menu.

# Disabling Priming with an Automation System

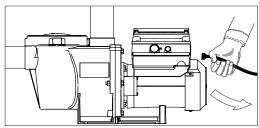
When the IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump is connected to an automation control system, (IntelliTouch®, EasyTouch® or SunTouch® Control Systems), the priming feature on the pump cannot be disabled by the external automation control system only. It must also be disabled on the pump itself.

If priming is enabled on start up, the pump responds to its internal settings *before* responding to commands from an automation control system.

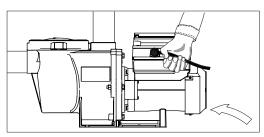
If the pump is connected to an automation control system and priming is not desired, disable the priming feature on both the pump and the automation control system.

#### To disable priming with an automation system:

- Disable the priming feature on the automation control system at the load center or using an IntelliTouch or EasyTouch system remote. (Refer to the automation control system user's guide for additional information).
- 2. Temporarily disconnect the RS-485 communication cable.
- Open the lid to the control panel to disable priming on the pump. Press Menu, use the Arrow buttons to scroll and select "Priming", then select "Disabled" (the factory default is set to "Enabled"). Press Back to exit the menu.
- 4. Once priming is disabled, reinstall the RS-485 communication cable.



2. Disconnect the RS-485 communication cable.



4. Reinstall the RS-485 communication cable.



The sensor for Thermal Mode is in the drive, on top of the motor. This feature allows you to set a speed (450-3450 RPM) or flow (20-140 GPM) that runs when the IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump goes into Thermal Mode. The temperature level that you wish Thermal Mode to start can also be set.

**IMPORTANT:** This feature is for protection of the pump. Do not depend on the Thermal Mode feature for freeze protection of the pool. Certain situations could cause the pump to sense a different temperature than actual air temperature.

Your automation systems air temperature sensor should be used to sense actual temperature. For example, if the pump is located indoors, the temperature of the room does not indicate the outdoor temperature. The pump does not sense the water temperature.

#### To access the Thermal Mode menu:

- 1. Check that the green power LED is on.
- 2. Press Menu.
- 3. Use the **Down** arrow to scroll to "Thermal Mode" and press **Select**.
- 4. The factory default for Thermal Mode is "Enabled". To disable Thermal Mode, press **Select** to highlight "Enabled".
- 5. Press the **Up** arrow "Disabled" is displayed.
- 6. Press Save to save.



Setting the Thermal Mode Pump Speed

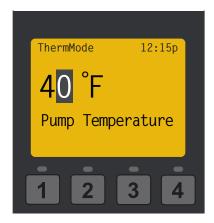
# To Set Thermal Mode Speed/Flow and Pump Temperature:

**Note:** Thermal Mode features are only accessible if Thermal Mode is "Enabled".

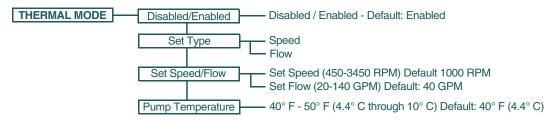
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrows to scroll to "Set Type". Press **Select.**
- 2. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to choose between "Speed" or "Flow". Press **Save**.
- Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to scroll to "Set Speed/Flow". Press **Select.**
- 4. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to adjust the speed or flow settings. Press **Save**.
- 5. Press the **Down** arrow. "Temperature" will display. (This value will determine at what temperature the pump will activate Thermal Mode, default is 40° F/4.4° C).
- 6. Press **Select** to edit. Use the **Up** or **Down** arrow to adjust the settings.
- 7. Press **Save** to save the temperature setting.

**Note:** To cancel any changes, press **Back** to exit without saving.

8. Press Back to exit.



Setting the Thermal Mode Pump Temperature



Thermal Mode Menu Options

# **MAINTENANCE**

**A**WARNING

**DO NOT** open the strainer pot if IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump fails to prime or if pump has been operating without water in the strainer pot. Pumps operated in these circumstances may experience a build up of vapor pressure and may contain scalding hot water. Opening the pump may cause serious personal injury. In order to avoid the possibility of personal injury, be sure the suction and discharge valves are open and strainer pot temperature is cool to touch, then open with extreme caution.

**A**CAUTION

To prevent damage to the pump and for proper operation of the system, clean pump strainer and skimmer baskets regularly.

#### **Pump Strainer Basket**

The strainer basket (or 'strainer pot'), is located in front of the pump housing. The strainer basket must be kept clean and free of debris. Inspect basket through the lid on the top of the housing. Be sure to visually inspect the strainer basket at least once a week. Dirty strainer baskets reduce filter and heater efficiency and put abnormal stress on the pump motor.

#### **Cleaning the Pump Strainer Basket**

- 1. Press **Start/Stop** button on the pump and turn off the pump at the circuit breaker. Disconnect communication cable from pump.
- 2. Relieve pressure in the system.
- 3. Turn the lid and locking ring counter-clockwise and remove from the pump.
- 4. Remove debris and rinse out the basket. Replace the basket if it is cracked.
- 5. Put the basket back into the housing. Be sure to align the notch in the bottom of the basket with the rib in the bottom of the volute.
- 6. Fill the pump pot and volute up to the inlet port with water.
- Clean the lid and locking ring, O-ring, and sealing surface of the pump pot.

**Note:** It is important to keep the lid O-ring clean and well lubricated.

- Reinstall the lid by placing the locking ring and lid on the pot. Be sure the lid O-ring is properly placed.
   Seat the locking ring and lid on the pump then turn clockwise until the locking ring handles are perpendicular to the inlet.
- 9. Turn the power "ON" at the circuit breaker. Reconnect communication cable from pump.
- 10. Open the manual air relief valve on the top of the filter. Stand clear of the filter.
- 11. Wait until all pressure is relieved. Start the pump.
- 12. Bleed air from the filter until a steady stream of water comes out of the filter air relief valve. Close the manual air relief valve.

# **A**WARNING

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#### THIS SYSTEM OPERATES UNDER HIGH PRESSURE.

When any part of the circulating system (e.g., Lock Ring, Pump, Filter, Valves, etc.) is serviced, air can enter the system and become pressurized. Pressurized air can cause the lid to separate which can result in serious injury, death, or property damage.

To avoid this potential hazard, follow above instructions.

#### Winterizing

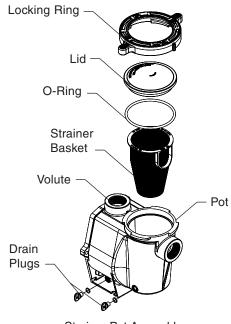
To protect the pump electronics from freeze damage, the pump will switch on to generate internal heat as the temperature drops below freezing if Thermal Mode is enabled. The Thermal Mode feature on the pump is not intended to protect the system plumbing from freezing.

- In mild climate areas, when temporary freezing conditions may occur, run your filtering equipment all night to prevent freezing.
- You are responsible for determining when freezing conditions may occur. If freezing conditions are expected, take the following steps to reduce the risk of freeze damage. Freeze damage is not covered under warranty.

To prevent freeze damage, follow the procedures below:

- 1. Shut off electrical power for the pump at the circuit breaker.
- Drain the water out of the pump housing by removing the two thumb-twist drain plugs from the housing. Store the plugs in the pump basket.
- Cover the motor to protect it from severe rain, snow and ice.

**Note:** The motor may be covered during a storm, winter storage, etc., but never when operating or expecting operation. Never wrap motor with plastic or other air tight materials during winter storage.



# **SERVICING**

**▲** WARNING

Always disconnect power to the IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump at the circuit breaker and disconnect the communication cable before servicing the pump. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury to service people, users or others due to electric shock. Read all servicing instructions before working on the pump.

DO NOT open the strainer pot if pump fails to prime or if pump has been operating without water in the strainer pot. Pumps operated in these circumstances may experience a build up of vapor pressure and may contain scalding hot water. Opening the pump may cause serious personal injury. In order to avoid the possibility of personal injury, be sure the suction and discharge valves are open and strainer pot temperature is cool to touch, then open with extreme caution.

**A**CAUTION

Be sure not to scratch or mar the polished shaft seal faces; seal will leak if faces are damaged. The polished and lapped faces of the seal could be damaged if not handled with care.

#### **Motor and Drive Care**

#### Protect from heat

- 1. Shade the motor from the sun.
- 2. Any enclosure must be well ventilated to prevent overheating.
- 3. Provide ample cross ventilation.
- 4. Provide a minimum clearance of 3-inches behind the motor fan for proper circulation.

#### Protect against dirt

- 1. Protect from any foreign matter.
- 2. Do not store (or spill) chemicals on or near the motor.
- 3. Avoid sweeping or stirring up dust near the motor while it is operating.
- 4. If a motor has been damaged by dirt it may void the motor warranty.

#### Protect against moisture

- 1. Protect from continuous splashing or continuous sprayed water.
- 2. Protect from extreme weather such as flooding.
- 3. If motor internals have become wet let it dry before operating. Do not allow the pump to operate if it has been flooded.
- 4. If a motor has been damaged by water it may void the motor warranty.
- 5. Be sure to close the keypad cover after every use.

#### Shaft Seal Replacement

The Shaft Seal consists primarily of two parts, a rotating ceramic seal housed in the impeller and a stationary spring seal in the sealplate. The pump requires little or no service other than reasonable care, however, a shaft seal may occasionally become damaged and must be replaced.

Note: The polished and lapped faces of the seal could be damaged if not handled with care.

#### **Pump Disassembly**

Tools required:

- 3/32-inch Allen head wrench
- Two (2) 9/16-inch open end wrenches
- 1/4-inch Allen head wrench
- No. 2 Phillips head screwdriver
- Adjustable wrench

To remove and repair the motor subassembly, follow the steps below:

- 1. Turn off the pump circuit breaker at the main panel.
- Disconnect the RS-485 communication cable from the pump (if connected to pump).
- Drain the pump by removing the drain plugs. No tools are required.
- 4. Remove the four (4) Phillips head screws from the outer corners of the keypad.
- 5. Disconnect the keypad from the drive and set it to the side in a safe place.
- 6. Remove the three (3) Phillips head screws, located inside the drive, that anchor the drive to the motor.
- 7. Remove the drive by lifting upwards to separate it from the motor.
- Use the 9/16-inch wrenches to remove the six (6) bolts that hold the housing (strainer pot/volute) to the rear subassembly.
- 9. Gently pull the two pump halves apart, removing the rear subassembly.
- 10. Use a 3/32-inch Allen head wrench to loosen the two (2) holding screws located on the diffuser.
- 11. Hold the impeller securely in place and remove the impeller lock screw by using a Phillips head screwdriver. The screw is a left-handed thread and loosens in a clockwise direction.

**A**CAUTION

The pump impeller may have sharp edges that could potentially cut or scratch the user's

hands. Pentair recommends that safety gloves be worn when holding the impeller during disassembly and reassembly.

- 12. Use a 1/4-inch Allen head wrench to hold the motor shaft. The motor shaft has a hex-shaped socket on the end which is accessible through the center of the fan cover.
- 13. To unscrew the impeller from the shaft, twist the impeller counterclockwise.
- 14. Remove the four (4) bolts from the seal plate to the motor, using a 9/16-inch wrench.
- 15. Place the seal plate face down on a flat surface and tap out the carbon spring seat.
- 16. Clean the seal plate, seal bore, and the motor shaft.
  - Pump illustrated parts view on the next page -

#### **Pump Reassembly**

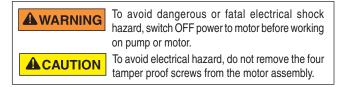
- When installing the replacement shaft seal, use silicone sealant on the metal portion before pressing into the seal plate as shown. Note: Use extreme care when applying sealant. Be sure no sealant contacts the seal plate surface or the ceramic seal. Allow sealant to cure overnight before reassembling.
- Before installing the rotating portion of the seal into the impeller, be sure the impeller is clean. Use a light density soap and water to lubricate the inside of the seal. Press the seal into the impeller with your thumbs and wipe off the ceramic and carbon faces with a clean cloth.
- 3. Remount the seal plate to the motor.
- 4. Screw in the impeller lock screw (counterclockwise to tighten).
- Remount the diffuser onto the seal plate. Be sure the plastic pins and holding screw inserts are aligned.
   Note: Ensure that the seal plate o-ring is clean and free of debris.
- 6. Grease the diffuser o-ring and seal plate gasket prior to reassembly.
- 7. Assemble the motor subassembly to the pump housing by using the two (2) through bolts for proper alignment. Do not tighten the through bolts until all six (6) bolts are in place and finger tightened.

**Note:** Ensure that the seal plate gasket is properly seated inside of the pump assembly. The seal gasket can be pinched between the seal plate and the pump housing while tightening these six (6) screws, preventing a proper seal and producing a slow leak when the pump is restarted.

- 8. Reinstall the drive onto the top of the motor.
- Fill the IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump with water.

- Reinstall the pump lid and plastic locking ring. See "Cleaning the Pump Strainer Basket" on page 21 for details
- 11. Reconnect the RS-485 communication cable to the pump.
- 12. Turn on the pump circuit breaker at the main panel.
- 13. Prime the pump; refer to "Priming the Pump" on page 5.

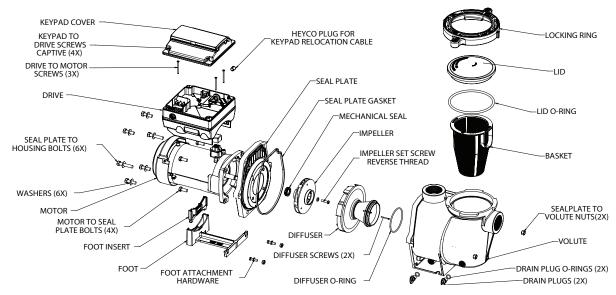
## **Drive Assembly Removal and Installation**



# To remove the drive and control panel from the motor assembly:

- 1. Be sure all electrical breakers and switches are turned off before removing the control panel.
- 2. Disconnect the RS-485 communication cable from the pump.
- 3. Remove the four (4) Phillips head screws from the outer corners of the keypad.
- 4. Unplug the keypad from the drive and set it to the side in a safe place.
- 5. Remove the three (3) Phillips head screws, located inside the drive, that anchor the drive to the motor.
- Lift up the drive assembly and remove it from the motor adapter located on top of the motor assembly.

**Note:** Be careful not to remove the gasket between the drive and motor, it is critical in keeping moisture out of the drive and motor. Replace the gasket if damaged. Do not reassemble with a damaged or missing gasket.



Pump Illustrated Parts View

# Drive Assembly Removal and Installation, (continued)

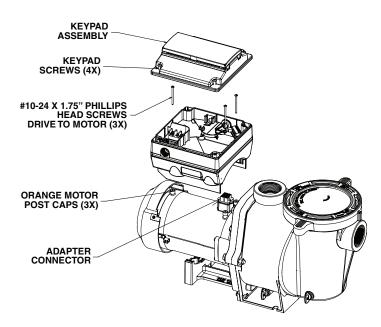


Before installing this product, read and follow all warning notices and instructions on page ii - iii.

# To install the drive assembly onto the motor assembly:

- 1. Be sure all electrical breakers and switches are turned off before installing the drive.
- Be sure that the gasket between the drive and motor is in place. It is critical in keeping moisture out of the drive and motor. Replace the gasket if damaged. Do not reassemble with a damaged or missing gasket.
- 3. Verify that the three (3) orange motor post caps are in position before placing the drive on the motor assembly.
- 4. Align the drive assembly with the motor adapter and seat the drive on the motor assembly.
- 5. Secure and tighten the drive assembly with the three (3) Phillips head screws.
- 6. Plug the keypad back into the drive.
- 7. Place the keypad in the desired orientation on the drive and reattach the four (4) screws in the corners of the drive.

**Note:** Ensure that the keypad cable is not being pinched between the drive and keypad.



Drive Assembly and Removal

FIRE and BURN HAZARD - The pump motor may run at a high temperatures. To reduce the risk of fire, do not allow leaves, debris, or foreign matter to collect around the pump motor. To avoid burns when handling the motor, shut off the motor and allow it to cool for 20 minutes before servicing. The pump provides an automatic internal cutoff switch to protect the motor from heat damage during operation.

## TROUBLESHOOTING



Always disconnect power to the IntelliFlo VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump at the circuit breaker and disconnect the communication cable before servicing the pump. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury to serviceman, pool users or others due to electric shock. DO NOT attempt to adjust or service without consulting your dealer or a qualified pool technician. Read the entire Installation & User's Guide before attempting to use, service, or adjust the pool filtering system or heater.

#### **Alerts and Warnings**

The IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump displays all alarms and warnings on the control panel display. When an alarm or warning condition exists, the corresponding light will be lit on the display.

In the event of an alarm: The alarm light " $\Delta$ " will illuminate and all control panel buttons will be disabled until the alarm is cleared. Pressing the **Reset** button will clear the alarm once the fault condition has been resolved.

In the event of a warning: The warning light "! " will illuminate, but the pump will continue to run. The speed, flow or pressure limit that is causing the warning must be adjusted in order to correct the warning.

**Note:** The pump will not start if the impeller is rotating.

#### Power Out/OFF

The incoming supply voltage is less than required. The drive faults to protect itself from over current. The drive contains capacitors that keep it powered up long enough to save the current run parameters. If power is restored during this process, approximately 20 seconds, the drive will not restart until completed.

#### **Priming Failure**

If the pump is not defined as primed within the "Max Priming Duration" it will stop and generate a "Priming Alarm" for 10 minutes, then attempt to prime again. The "Max Priming Duration" is set by the user on the priming menu as discussed on page 19. If the pump cannot prime within five attempts it will generate a permanent alarm that must be manually reset.

#### **Overheat**

If the drive temperature gets above 54.4° C (130° F) the pump will slowly reduce speed until the over temperature condition clears.

#### **Thermal Mode**

When active, the motor will run at the preset RPM until the drive internal temperature increases above the minimum. The pump's internal thermal protection is disabled when connected to an automation system. Thermal protection is provided by selecting YES at the ON WITH FREEZE portion of the circuit function menu in the IntelliTouch® Control System. To re-enable the internal thermal protection, the power to the drive must be cycled off then back on. **IMPORTANT: See explanation of Thermal Mode on page 20.** 

#### **Over Current**

Indicated that the drive is overloaded or the motor has an electrical problem. The drive will restart 20 seconds after the over current condition clears.

#### **Over Voltage**

Indicates excessive supply voltage or an external water source is causing the pump and motor to rotate thereby generating an excessive voltage on the drives internal DC buss. The drive will restart 20 seconds after the over voltage condition clears.

#### **Internal Error**

Indicates that the self-monitoring motor control software has encountered an error. Clear the alarm and restart the pump. If this alarm persists, contact Pentair Technical Service at 1-800-831-7133.

#### Speed Limit (Warning)

The pump has detected that it has met the maximum allowed speed set in the Min/Max menu. The pump will continue to run, but it will not achieve the desired speed.

#### **Pressure Limit (Warning)**

The pump has detected that it has met the maximum system pressure set in the Min/Max menu. The pump will continue to run, but it is not achieving the desired flow rate or speed because of the pressure limit. The feature is enabled by default while running a program at a constant flow rate, but must be enabled manually if the user wants the drive to monitor maximum pressure while running a constant speed program.

#### Flow Limit (Warning)

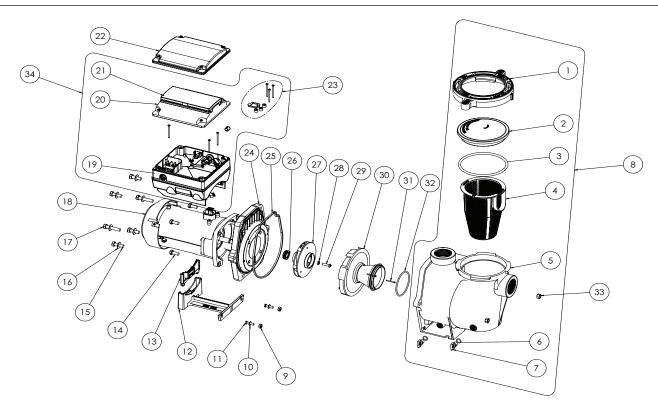
The pump has detected that it has met the maximum flow rate set in the Min/Max menu. The pump will continue to run, but it is not achieving the desired speed because it is running at the maximum flow rate. The Maximum Flow can be set in the Max/Min menu. This feature must be enabled in the Min/Max menu to be active while running a speed program.

# **Troubleshooting Chart**

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Problem	Possible Cause	Corrective Action	
Pump failure. (For alert display messages, refer to Alerts and Warnings on page 25).	Pump will not prime - Air leak in suction. PRIME ERROR may be displayed.	Check suction piping and valve glands on any suction gate valves. Secure lid on pump strainer pot and be sure lid gasket is in place. Check water level to be sure skimmer is not drawing air.	
	Pump will not prime - Not enough water.	Be sure the suction lines, pump, strainer, and pump volute are full of water.	
	Pump does not come out of priming mode.	Adjust priming range to a higher setting (default setting is 5).	
	Pump completes priming mode too early, and/or there is still a large amount of air in the housing	Adjust priming range to a lower setting (default setting is 5).	
	Pump stainer basket is clogged.	Clean pump strainer pot.	
	Pump strainer gasket is defective.	Replace gasket.	
Reduced capacity and/ or head.	Air pockets or leaks in suction line. PRIMING FAILURE may be displayed.	Check suction piping and valve glands on any suction gate valves.	
(For alert display messages, refer to Alerts and Warnings on page 25).	Clogged impeller. PRIMING FAILURE may be displayed.	Turn off electrical power to the pump. Remove the (6) bolts that holds the housing (strainer pot/volute) to seal plate. Slide the motor and seal plate away from the volute.	
		Clean debris from impeller. If debris cannot be removed, complete the following steps:  1. Remove diffuser and o-ring.  2. Remove reverse-thread impeller screw and o-ring.  3. Remove, clean and reinstall impeller.  4. Reinstall reverse-thread impeller screw and o-ring.	
		Reinstall diffuser, and o-ring.	
		Reinstall motor and seal plate into volute.	
		Reinstall seal plate nuts and volute and tighten securely.	
	Pump strainer pot clogged.	Clean suction trap.	
	PRIMING FAILURE may be displayed.	Clean pump strainer pot.	
Inadequate circulation. (For alert display	Filter or pump basket dirty.	Check trap basket; if plugged, turn pump off and clean basket.	
messages, refer to Alerts		Check and clean pool filter.	
and Warning on page 25).	Suction/discharge piping is too small.	Increase piping size.	
	Speed is set too slow for proper filtration cycle.	Increase filtration run time.	
Electrical problem. (For alert display messages, refer to Alerts	Could appear as a "Low Voltage" alarm.	Check voltage at motor terminals and at panel while pump is running. If low, see wiring instructions or consult power company.	
and Warning on page 25).		Check for loose connections.	
	Could appear as "Over Heat" alert.	Check line voltage; if less than 90% or more than 110% of rated voltage consult a licensed electrician.	
		Increase ventilation.	
		Reduce ambient temperature.	
		Tighten any loose wiring connections.	
		Motor runs too hot. Turn power to motor off. Check for proper voltage. Check for proper impeller or impeller rubbing.	

Problem	Possible Cause	Corrective Action
Control panel LCD screen displays sporadically or flickers on/off.	Loose drive wiring connection.	Check the connection between the drive and keypad. See image on page 3. The drive wiring connection should be tight.
Mechanical troubles and noise.	The pump motor is running but with loud noise.	If suction and discharge piping are not adequately supported, pump assembly will be strained. Do not mount pump on a wooden platform! Securely mount on concrete platform for quietest performance.
	Foreign matter (gravel, metal, etc.) in pump impeller.	Disassemble pump, clean impeller, follow pump service instructions for reassembly.
	Cavitation.	Improve suction conditions.
		Increase pipe size.
		Decrease number of fittings.
		Increase discharge pressure.
	Speaking noise, especially evident at pump start- up or slow down.	Inspect motor slinger and motor shaft seal behind the slinger (NOT the pump's mechanical seal). Apply lubrication to the motor shaft rubber seals.
Pump does not respond to IntelliTouch,	Improper automation setup.	Be sure that the communication cable is connected at both ends.
EasyTouch, SunTouch, IntelliComm system commands.		Check that the pump local address matches with the address used in the IntelliTouch control system.
		Check that the pump has been assigned a circuit name on the IntelliTouch control system.
		4. Ensure that the pump display says "DISPLAY NOT ACTIVE".
	Communication network inoperative.	A defective device on the network can inhibit the proper operation of other network device. Devices should be disconnected sequentially until the network starts working.

# **REPLACEMENT PARTS**



IntelliFlo® VSF Variable Speed and Flow Pump Replacement Parts

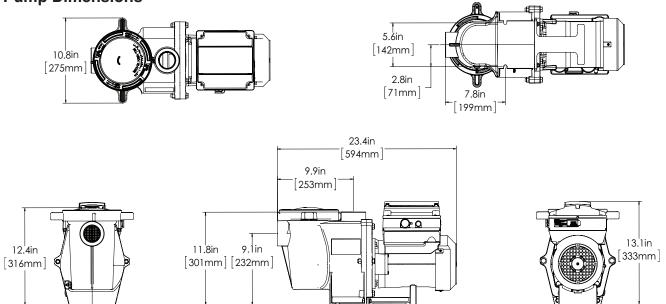
Item No.	Description	Almond Part #	Black Part #
1	Clamp, Cam and Ramp	357199	357150
2	See Through Lid	357151	
3	Lid O-Ring	350013	
4	Stainer Basket	070387	
5	Volute WF	350015	357157
6	O-Ring 112 for Drain Plug (Qty2)	192115	
7	Drain Plug WF (Qty2)	071131	357161
8	Volute Kit (Includes Item #1-7)	357243	357244
9	Nut, 1/4-20 Hex. SS (Qty2)	071406	
10	Washer, Flat 1/4" ID x 5/8" OD (Qty2)	072183	
11	Screw, 1/4-20 x 1" Hex Cap SS (Qty2)	071657	
12	Foot WF	070927	357159
13	Foot Insert WFE, Pump Motor Support	070929	357160
14	Bolt, Hex Head 3/8-16 x .875" (Qty4)	070429	
15	Bolt, Hex Head 3/8-16 x 1.25" (Qty4)	070430	
16	Washer, Flat 3/8" ID x 7/8" OD (Qty6)	072184	
17	Bolt, Hex Head 3/8-16 x 2" (Qty2)	070431	
18	Motor, 3.2kW 10 Pole	350305S	350306S
19	Drive, Variable Speed	356880Z	356894Z
20	Drive Cover Kit (Includes Item #21)	357527Z	358527Z
21	Keypad Cover	400100	401100
22	Keypad Relocation Kit (Includes Keypad Relocation Cable and Blank Drive Cover)	356904Z	356905Z

Item No.	Description	Almond Part #	Black Part #
23	Drive Hardware Kit (Includes Drive Screws, Drive Gasket and Screw Caps)	355685	
24	Seal Plate	074564	357158
25	Seal Plate Gasket	357100	
26	Mechanical Seal	071734S	
27	Impeller	073131	
28	Rubber Washer, Impeller Set Screw	075713	
29	Impeller Set Screw, 1/4-20 LH Thread	071652	
30	Diffuser	072928	
31	Diffuser Set Screw, 4-40 x 1-1/8 (Qty2)	071660	
32	Diffuser O-Ring	355227	
33	Nut, 3/8-16 Brass, Nickel Plated (Qty2)	071403	
34	Drive Kit Assembly (Includes Item #19-21 & 23)	356922Z	355868Z
-	50 Ft. Communication Cable	350122	
-	Seal Plate Kit w/ Mechanical Seal (Includes Item #24-26)	350202	350203
-	Union Kit (Contains 2 Complete Unions for 1 Pump - Not Included w/ Pump)	1 36/603	
-	Seal Plate Kit, Ozone/Salt Resistant	350199	350198

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# **TECHNICAL DATA**

# **Pump Dimensions**

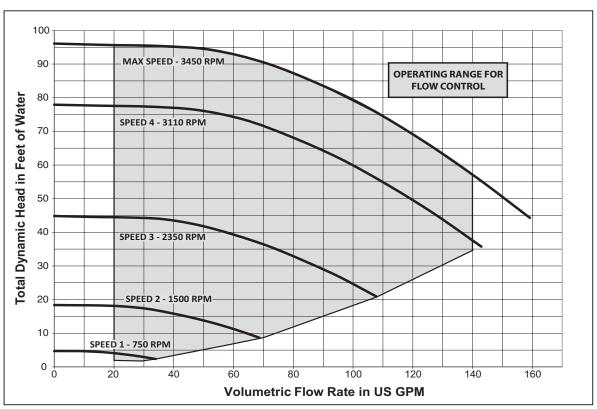


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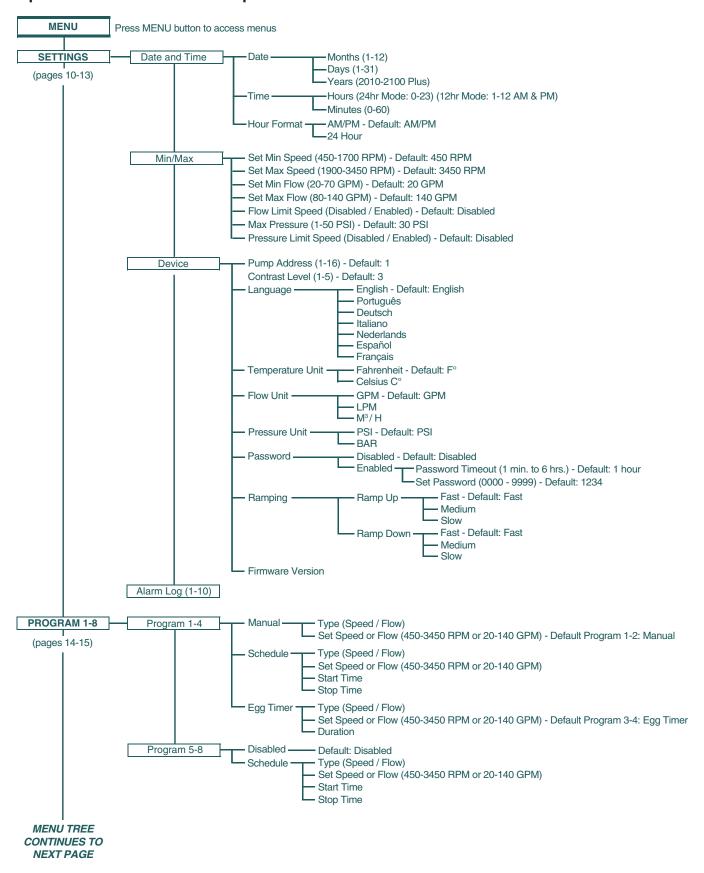
Circuit Protection: Two-pole 20 AMP device at the Electrical Panel.

Input: 230 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 3200 Watts Maximum, 1 phase

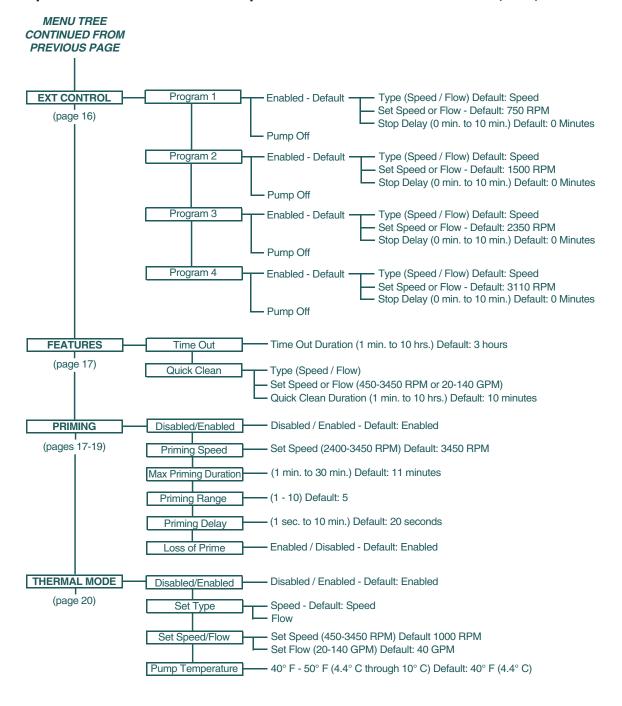
# **Pump Performance Curves**



#### Operator Control Panel: Pump Menu Quick Reference Guide



#### Operator Control Panel: Pump Menu Quick Reference Guide (cont.)







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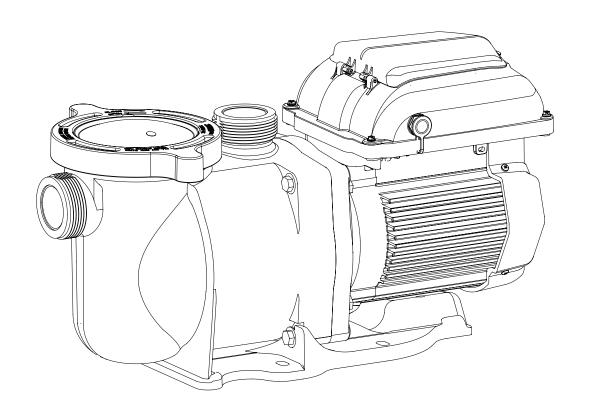
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# INSTALLATION AND USER'S GUIDE



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# IMPORTANT PUMP WARNING AND SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



This guide provides installation and operation instructions for this pump. Consult Pentair with any questions regarding this equipment.

Attention Installer: This guide contains important information about the installation, operation and safe use of this product. This information should be given to the owner and/or operator of this equipment after installation or left on or near the pump.

Attention User: This manual contains important information that will help you in operating and maintaining this product. Please retain it for future reference.

#### READ AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS



This is the safety alert symbol. When you see this symbol on your system or in this manual, look for one of the following signal words and be alert to the potential for personal injury.



Warns about hazards that can cause death, serious personal injury, or major property damage if ignored.



Warns about hazards that may cause death, serious personal injury, or major property damage if ignored.



Warns about hazards that may or can cause minor personal injury or property damage if ignored.

NOTE

Indicates special instructions not related to

Carefully read and follow all safety instructions in this manual and on equipment. Keep safety labels in good condition; replace if missing or damaged.

When installing and using this electrical equipment, basic safety precautions should always be followed, include the following:

**AWARNING** Do not permit children to use this product.

**AWARNING** 

RISK OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK. Connect only to a branch circuit protected by a ground-fault circuit-

interrupter (GFCI). Contact a qualified electrician if you cannot verify that the circuit is protected by a GFCI.

This unit must be connected only to a supply circuit that is protected by a ground-fault circuit-interrupter (GFCI). Such a GFCI should be provided by the installer and should be tested on a routine basis. To test the GFCI, push the test button. The GFCI should interrupt power. Push the reset button. Power should be restored. If the GFCI fails to operate in this manner, the GFCI is defective. If the GFCI interrupts power to the pump without the test button being pushed, a ground current is flowing, indicating the possibility of an electric shock. Do not use this pump. Disconnect the pump and have the problem corrected by a qualified service representative before using.

This pump is for use with permanent swimming **A**CAUTION pools and may also be used with hot tubs and spas if so marked. Do not use with storable pools. A permanently-installed pool is constructed in or on the ground or in a building such that it cannot be readily disassembled for storage. A storable pool is constructed so that it is capable of being readily disassembled for storage and reassembled to its original integrity.

#### **General Warnings**

- · Never open the inside of the drive motor enclosure. There is a capacitor bank that holds a 230 VAC charge even when there is no power to the unit.
- The pump is not submersible.
- The pump is capable of high flow rates; use caution when installing and programming to limit pumps performance potential with old or questionable equipment.
- Code requirements for electrical connection differ from country to country, state to state, as well as local municipalities. Install equipment in accordance with the National Electrical Code and all applicable local codes and ordinances.
- Before servicing the pump; switch OFF power to the pump by disconnecting the main circuit to the pump.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) of reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.

**⚠** DANGER

FAILURE TO FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS CAN RESULT IN SERIOUS BODILY

INJURY OR DEATH. THIS PUMP SHOULD BE INSTALLED AND SERVICED ONLY BY A QUALIFIED POOL SERVICE PROFESSIONAL. INSTALLERS, POOL OPERATORS AND OWNERS MUST READ THESE WARNINGS AND ALL INSTRUCTIONS IN THE OWNER'S MANUAL BEFORE USING THIS PUMP. THESE WARNINGS AND THE OWNER'S MANUAL MUST BE LEFT WITH THE POOL OWNER.

**DANGER** 

SUCTION ENTRAPMENT HAZARD: STAY OFF THE MAIN DRAIN AND AWAY FROM ALL SUCTION **OUTLETS!** 











THIS PUMP PRODUCES HIGH LEVELS OF SUCTION AND CREATES A STRONG VACUUM AT THE MAIN DRAIN AT THE BOTTOM OF THE BODY OF WATER. THIS SUCTION IS SO STRONG THAT IT CAN TRAP ADULTS OR CHILDREN UNDER WATER IF THEY COME IN CLOSE PROXIMITY TO A DRAIN OR A LOOSE OR BROKEN DRAIN COVER OR GRATE.

THE USE OF UNAPPROVED COVERS OR ALLOWING USE OF THE POOL OR SPA WHEN COVERS ARE MISSING, CRACKED OR BROKEN CAN RESULT IN BODY OR LIMB ENTRAPMENT, HAIR ENTANGLEMENT, BODY ENTRAPMENT, EVISCERATION AND/OR DEATH.

The suction at a drain or outlet can cause:

**Limb Entrapment:** When a limb is sucked or inserted into an opening resulting in a mechanical bind or swelling. This hazard is present when a drain cover is missing, broken, loose, cracked or not properly secured.

Hair Entanglement: When the hair tangles or knots in the drain cover, trapping the swimmer underwater. This hazard is present when the flow rating of the cover is too small for the pump or pumps.

**Body Entrapment:** When a portion of the body is held against the drain cover trapping the swimmer underwater. This hazard is present when the drain cover is missing, broken or the cover flow rating is not high enough for the pump or pumps.

Evisceration/Disembowelment: When a person sits on an open pool (particularly a child wading pool) or spa outlet and suction is applied directly to the intestines, causing severe intestinal damage. This hazard is present when the drain cover is missing, loose, cracked, or not properly secured.

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Mechanical Entrapment: When jewelry, swimsuit, hair decorations, finger, toe or knuckle is caught in an opening of an outlet or drain cover. This hazard is present when the drain cover is missing, broken, loose, cracked, or not properly secured.

NOTE: ALL SUCTION PLUMBING MUST BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LATEST NATIONAL AND LOCAL CODES. STANDARDS AND GUIDELINES.

# **▲** WARNING

TO MINIMIZE THE RISK OF INJURY DUE TO SUCTION ENTRAPMENT HAZARD:

- A properly installed and secured ANSI/ASME A112.19.8 approved anti-entrapment suction cover must be used for each drain.
- Each suction cover must be installed at least three (3') feet apart, as measured from the nearest point to nearest point.
- Regularly inspect all covers for cracks, damage and advanced weathering.
- If a cover becomes loose, cracked, damaged, broken or is missing, replace with an appropriate certified cover.
- Replace drain covers as necessary. Drain covers deteriorate over time due to exposure to sunlight and weather.
- Avoid getting hair, limbs or body in close proximity to any suction cover, pool drain or outlet.
- Disable suction outlets or reconfigure into return inlets.

**A**WARNING

A clearly labeled emergency shut-off switch for the pump must be in an easily accessible, obvious place.

Make sure users know where it is and how to use it in case of emergency.

The Virginia Graeme Baker (VGB) Pool and Spa Safety Act creates new requirements for owners and operators of commercial swimming pools and spas.

Commercial pools or spas constructed on or after December 19, 2008, shall utilize:

- (A) A multiple main drain system without isolation capability with suction outlet covers that meet ASME/ANSI A112.19.8a Suction Fittings for Use in Swimming Pools, Wading Pools, Spas, and Hot Tubs and either:
- (i) A safety vacuum release system (SVRS) meeting ASME/ANSI A112.19.17 Manufactured Safety Vacuum Release systems (SVRS) for Residential and Commercial Swimming Pool, Spa, Hot Tub, and Wading Pool Suction Systems and/or ASTM F2387 Standard Specification for Manufactured Safety Vacuum Release Systems (SVRS) for Swimming pools, Spas and Hot Tubs or
- (ii) A properly designed and tested suction-limiting vent system or
- (iii) An automatic pump shut-off system.

Commercial pools and spas constructed prior to December 19, 2008, with a single submerged suction outlet shall use a suction outlet cover that meets ASME/ANSI A112.19.8a and either:

- (A) A SVRS meeting ASME/ANSI A112.19.17 and/or ASTM F2387, or
- (B) A properly designed and tested suction-limiting vent system, or
- (C) An automatic pump shut-off system, or
- (D) Disabled submerged outlets, or
- (E) Suction outlets shall be reconfigured into return inlets.

#### For Installation of Electrical Controls at Equipment Pad (ON/OFF Switches, Timers and Automation Load Center)





Install all electrical controls at equipment pad, such as on/off switches, timers, and control systems, etc. to allow the operation (startup, shut-down, or servicing) of any pump or filter so the user does not place any portion of his/her body over or near the pump strainer lid, filter lid or valve closures. This installation should allow the user enough space to stand clear of the filter and pump during system start-up, shut down or servicing of the system filter.

# **⚠** DANGER

#### HAZARDOUS PRESSURE: STAND CLEAR OF PUMP AND FILTER DURING START UP



Circulation systems operate under high pressure. When any part of the circulating system (i.e. locking ring, pump, filter, valves, etc.) is serviced, air can enter the system and become pressurized.

Pressurized air can cause the pump housing cover, filter lid, and valves to violently separate which can result in severe personal injury or death. Filter tank lid and strainer cover must be properly secured to prevent violent separation. Stand clear of all circulation system equipment when turning on or starting up pump.

Before servicing equipment, make note of the filter pressure. Be sure that all controls are set to ensure the system cannot inadvertently start during service. Turn off all power to the pump. IMPORTANT: Place filter manual air relief valve in the open position and wait for all pressure in the system to be relieved.

Before starting the system, fully open the manual air relief valve and place all system valves in the "open" position to allow water to flow freely from the tank and back to the tank. Stand clear of all equipment and start the pump.

IMPORTANT: Do not close filter manual air relief valve until all pressure has been discharged from the valve and a steady stream of water appears. Observe filter pressure gauge and be sure it is not higher than the pre-service condition.

#### **General Installation Information**

- · All work must be performed by a qualified service professional, and must conform to all national, state, and local codes.
- Install to provide drainage of compartment for electrical components.
- These instructions contain information for a variety of pump models and therefore some instructions may not apply to a specific model. All models are intended for use in swimming pool applications. The pump will function correctly only if it is properly sized to the specific application and properly installed.

**▲** WARNING

Pumps improperly sized or installed or used in applications other than for which the pump was

intended can result in severe personal injury or death. These risks may include but not be limited to electric shock, fire, flooding, suction entrapment or severe injury or property damage caused by a structural failure of the pump or other system component.

The pump can produce high levels of suction within the suction side of the plumbing system. These high

levels of suction can pose a risk if a person comes within the close proximity of the suction openings. A person can be seriously injured by this high level of vacuum or may become trapped and drown. It is absolutely critical that the suction plumbing be installed in accordance with the latest national and local codes for swimming pools.

Warnings and safety instructions for Pentair Aquatic Systems pumps and other related products are available at: http://www.pentairpool.com/pool-owner/safety-warnings/ or call (800) 831-7133 for additional free copies of these instructions.

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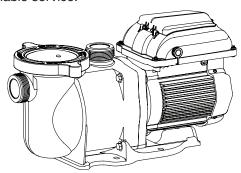
#### **PUMP OVERVIEW**

#### **Pump Overview**

The perfect choice for all types of pools, the SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump was specifically designed to be your best choice for a variety of in-ground pools.

Thick walled body parts, a heavy duty TEFC motor, and highly engineered hydraulics make this rugged and tested design perfect for any pool, spa, water feature, or fountain.

All pumps from Pentair Aquatic Systems incorporate innovative hydraulic engineering that has been refined for over 40 years. Compact, rugged, and easy to maintain, the SuperFlo VS pump will deliver years of reliable service.



SuperFlo VS Pump

#### General Features

- Extremely quiet operation
- Unionized fittings (1.5" and 2") for simple replacement
- Cam and Ramp™ Lid for easy cleaning and maintenance
- Super-duty totally enclosed fan cooled (TEFC) motor for long life
- Integral volute and pot reduce hydraulic noise
- See-through lid permits easy inspection of strainer basket
- Self-priming for quick, easy start-up
- UL/CUL/NSF Listed

#### **Controller Features**

- Simple user interface
- IPX6 certified UV and rain-proof enclosure
- · Onboard time of day schedule
- · Adjustable priming mode
- Programmable quick clean mode
- Diagnostic alarm display and retention
- Active power factor correction

- Accepts 99-253V, 50/60Hz input power
- Auto power limiting protection circuit
- 24hr. clock retention for power outages
- Keypad lockout mode
- Accepts low voltage digital inputs from external controls

#### **Controller Overview**

The SuperFlo VS Variable Speed Pump uses a premium efficiency variable speed motor that provides tremendous program flexibility in terms of motor speed and duration settings. The pump is intended to run at the lowest speeds needed to maintain a sanitary environment, which in turn minimizes energy consumption. Pool size, the presence of additional water features, chemicals used to maintain sanitary conditions, and local environmental factors will impact optimal programming necessary to maximize energy conservation.



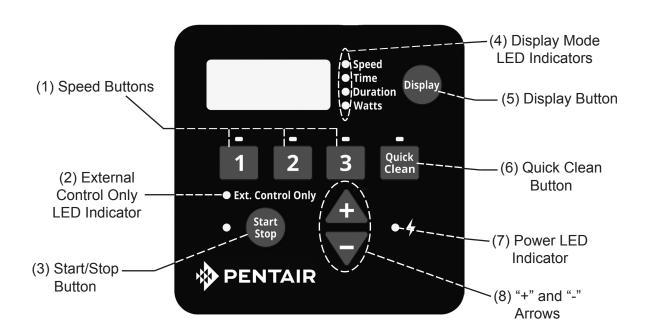
This pump is for use with 115/208-230 Vrms nominal, and in pool pump applications ONLY.

Connection to the wrong voltage, or use in other application may cause damage to equipment or personal injury.

The integrated electronics interface controls the speed settings as well as the run durations. The pump can operate at speeds ranging between 300 and 3450 RPM and will operate within the voltage range of 99-253 Vrms at either 50 or 60Hz input frequency. Program customization may require some trial-and-error to determine the most satisfactory settings as dictated by the conditions. In most cases, setting the pump at the lowest speed for the longest duration is the best strategy to minimize energy consumption. However, conditions may require running the pump at a higher speed for some duration of time each day to maintain proper filtration to achieve satisfactory sanitation.

**Note:** Optimize the pump to suit individual pool conditions. Specific conditions including pool size, other devices, features and environmental factors can all impact the optimal settings.

#### **CONTROL PANEL OVERVIEW**



# **A**CAUTION

If power is connected to the SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump motor, pressing any of the following buttons referred to in this section could result in the motor starting. Failure to recognize this could result in personal injury or damage to equipment.

# **Keypad Navigation**

- 1. **Speed Buttons** Used to select the run speed desired. The LED above the Speed Buttons will illuminate when that speed is selected or is currently running. A flashing LED indicates that an External Control is active on that speeds channel.
- 2. External Control Only LED Indicator Indicates that the pump is operating in External Control Only mode. When LED is illuminated the schedule is disabled and the only input is from the low voltage external controls.
- **3. Start/Stop Button -** Used to Start and Stop the pump. When the pump is stopped and the LED is not illuminated, the pump is unable to run from any type of input.
- **4. Display Mode LED Indicators -** An illuminated LED indicates the information being displayed on the screen at any specific point. A flashing LED indicates that the parameter is currently being edited.
- **5. Display Button -** Used to toggle between the different available display modes. This button is also used to set the 24-hour clock and screen resolution.
- **6. Quick Clean Button -** Used to run a selected speed and duration programmed for Quick Clean. When the LED is illuminated the Quick Clean schedule is active.
- 7. Power LED Indicator An illuminated LED indicates that there is live power being supplied to the pump.
- **8.** "+" and "-" Arrows Used to make on screen adjustments to the pump settings. The "+" arrow increases the value of a given setting, while "-" decreases the value of a given setting. Pressing and holding down either arrow button will increase or decrease the incremental changes faster.

Only a qualified plumbing professional should install the SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump. Refer to "Pump Warning And Safety Instructions" on pages ii-iii for additional installation and safety information.

#### Location

**Note:** Do not install this pump within an outer enclosure or beneath the skirt of a hot tub or spa unless marked accordingly.

**Note:** Ensure that the pump is mechanically secured to the equipment pad.

# Be sure the pump location meets the following requirements:

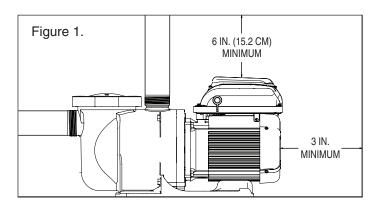
- 1. Install the pump as close to the pool or spa as possible. To reduce friction loss and improve efficiency, use short, direct suction and return piping.
- 2. Install a minimum of 5 feet (1.52 meters) from the inside wall of the pool and spa. Canadian installations require a minimum of 9.8 feet (3 meters) from the inside wall of the pool.
- 3. Install the pump a minimum of 3 feet (.9 meters) from the heater outlet.
- 4. Do not install the pump more than 10 feet (3.1 meters) above the water level.
- Install the pump in a well ventilated location protected from excess moisture (i.e. rain gutter downspouts, sprinklers, etc.).
- 6. Install the pump with a rear clearance of at least 3 inches (7.6 cm) so that the motor can be removed easily for maintenance and repair. See **Figure 1.**

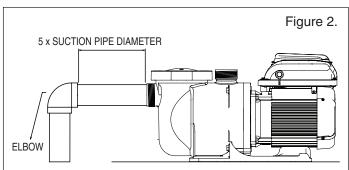
# **Piping**

- 1. For improved pool plumbing, it is recommended to use a larger pipe size.
- 2. Piping on the suction side of the pump should be the same or larger than the return line diameter.
- 3. Plumbing on the suction side of the pump should be as short as possible.
- 4. For most installations Pentair recommends installing a valve on both the pump suction and return lines so that the pump can be isolated during routine maintenance. However, we also recommend that a valve, elbow or tee installed in the suction line should be no closer to the front of the pump than five (5) times the suction line diameter. See **Figure 2**.

**Example:** A 2.5 inch pipe requires a 12.5 inch (31.8 cm) straight run in front of the suction inlet of the pump. This will help the pump prime faster and last longer.

**Note:** DO NOT install  $90^{\circ}$  elbows directly into the pump inlet or outlet.





# **Fittings and Valves**

- 1. Do not install 90° elbows directly into pump inlet.
- Flooded suction systems should have gate valves installed on suction and discharge pipes for maintenance, however, the suction gate valve should be no closer than five times the suction pipe diameter as described in this section.
- Use a check valve in the discharge line when using this pump for any application where there is significant height to the plumbing after the pump.
- Be sure to install check valves when plumbing in parallel with another pump. This helps prevent reverse rotation of the impeller and motor.

# **Electrical Requirements**

- Install all equipment in accordance with the National Electrical code and all applicable local codes and ordinances.
- A means for disconnection must be incorporated in the fixed wiring in accordance with the wiring rules.

## **AWARNING**



RISK OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK OR ELECTROCUTION. The SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump must be installed by a licensed or certified electrician or a qualified service professional in accordance with the National Electrical Code and all applicable local codes and ordinances. Improper installation will create an electrical hazard which could result in death or serious injury to users, installers, or others due to electrical shock, and may also cause damage to property.

Always disconnect power to the pump at the circuit breaker before servicing the pump. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury to service people, pool users or others due to electric shock and/or property damage.

Read all servicing instructions before working on the pump.

# Wiring Overview and Installation

**AWARNING** 

Power should be turned off when installing, servicing, or repairing electrical components.

Observe all warning notices posted on the existing equipment, pump, and in these installation instructions.

The pump must be wired according to the local electrical codes and standards. Always refer to the National Electrical Code. This pump should be installed by a licensed electrician.

The pump accepts 99-253V, 50 or 60Hz single phase input power. The terminal block connections are capable of handling up to 10AWG solid or stranded wire. There are also fast-on type quick connectors, however, check the local electrical codes for the desired connection method. The connections must be permanently made to the grounding terminal (see **Figure 3**) in the field wiring compartment according to the local electrical code. The motor controller will automatically regulate the pump's speed when running on lower voltage to keep the current below 13.2A. There is no wiring change required to run the pump on 110V nominal power, the same terminals are used as with high voltage wiring.

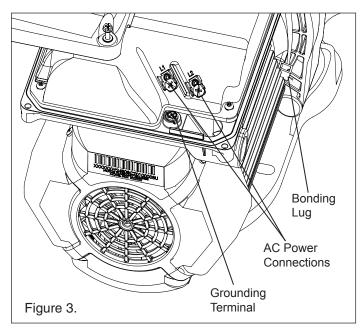
The drive will operate on 2-phase Line-Line-Ground electrical systems as well as Line-Neutral-Ground systems. This pump must be permanently connected by a circuit breaker as specified in the local electrical code.

- Be sure all electrical breakers and switches are turned off before wiring motor. Always wait five (5) minutes after disconnecting the power from the pump before opening or servicing the drive.
- Choose a wire size for the pump in accordance with the current National Electrical Code and all applicable local codes and ordinances. When in doubt use a heavier gauge (larger diameter) wire. Be sure the wiring voltage is within the operating range.
- 3. Be sure all electrical connections are clean and tight.
- 4. Cut wires to the appropriate length so they do not overlap or touch when connected to the terminal board.
- 5. Permanently ground the motor using the ground screw located on the inside rear of the controller interface (see Figure 3). Use the correct wire size and type specified by the current National Electrical Code. Be sure the ground wire is connected to an electrical service ground.

6. Bond the motor to all metal parts of the pool structure and to all electrical equipment, metal conduit and metal pipping within 5 feet (1.5 M) of the inside walls of the swimming pool, spa or hot tub in accordance with the current National Electrical Code. UL requires use of a solid copper bonding conductor not smaller than 8 AWG. See Figure 3.

**Note:** For Canada, a 6 AWG or larger solid copper bonding conductor is required.

- The pump should be permanently connected to either a circuit breaker, 2-pole timer or 2-pole relay. If AC power is supplied by a GFCI circuit breaker, use a dedicated circuit breaker that has no other electrical loads.
- Connect the pump permanently to a circuit. Make sure no other lights or appliances are on the same circuit.



The field wiring compartment has a 1/2" NPT threaded conduit port for the liquid tight fitting.

The bonding lug should be used to bond the motor frame to the equipment pad.

#### **Control with External Control and Digital Inputs**

The user can run the SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump with automation external controls, allowing all four programmed Speeds to be controlled remotely. The pump has a sealed connector that can be used with Pentair External Control Wiring Kit (Pentair P/N 353129Z) to run the Speeds using digital input signals. When there is an external low voltage signal present on the Speed Digital Input line, the pump will run the speed programmed for that Digital Input. The supplied +5V signal is the recommended input used for external control and Speed Digital Inputs.

# **Connecting to External Controls**Using the Supplied Low Voltage Signal for Digital Control

The SuperFlo VS provides a low voltage output signal that can be used to trigger its own Digital Inputs. This signal will need to be switched via the External Control system to engage the speed that it is connected to as in **Figure 4**. This could be an automation relay or switch in another piece of equipment. This feature could be useful for ensuring that the pump is running a certain program when a specific speed is needed to perform a task.

The wire included with the External Control Wiring Kit (Pentair P/N 353129Z) will need to be cut to length for the installation. Do not leave excess wire around the installation, and the wire should be supported by something rigid if conduit is not used. At one end of the cable is a custom molded, watertight connection that plugs into the panel connection on the side of the drive. The opposite end has 6 wires that are defined by **Table 1** below. When using the +5V signal supplied by the drive, the speeds should be wired as shown in **Figure 4**.

When there is a low voltage signal present on the Speed Digital Input line the pump will run the speed that is programmed for the speed that is being triggered. The +5V signal supplied via the (red) wire is the suggested input for the Speed Digital Inputs. See **Figure 4**.

**Note:** Any relay can be associated to any Digital Input. **Figure 4** shows one of many potential wiring options available to the installer, allowing you to install External Controls in the way that best suits your needs.

# Note: This +5V Signal (red wire) is output from the drive only, and should never be wired to another power supply!

When a Speed Digital Input is triggered, the LED above the **Speed** button will begin to blink and the display will toggle between the display parameter and "EC" indicating an External Control is running. The pump will run this speed as long as the Digital Input trigger is present. This will override the schedule or any user inputs for Speed selections via the keypad. The **Display** button is still functional along with the **Start/Stop** button. Once the Digital Input trigger is removed from all of the Speed Digital Input wires, the pump will resume the programmed schedule.

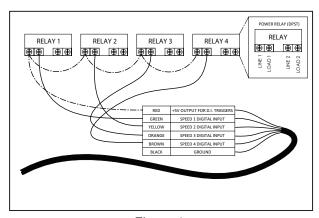


Figure 4: External Control Kit Wiring Diagram

Definition	Signal Range	Wire Color
+5V Output for Digital Inputs	0 - 20mA	Red
Speed 1 Digital Input	0, 5 - 30V AC/DC	Green
Speed 2 Digital Input	0, 5 - 30V AC/DC	Yellow
Speed 3 Digital Input	0, 5 - 30V AC/DC	Orange
Quick Clean Digital Input	0, 5 - 30V AC/DC	Brown
Common Ground	0V	Black

Table 1: Automation Control System Input Wiring Chart

#### Using an Externally Supplied Low Voltage Signal for External Control

When using an externally supplied low voltage signal as the Digital Input trigger, the wire should be connected as shown in **Figure 5**. The low voltage input needs to be within the range of 5-30V AC or DC. In this case the red +5V supply from the motor control will not be used.

# Note: This +5V signal (red wire) is output from the drive only and should never be wired to a voltage supply!

The external low voltage signal can be regulated by switches or relays to activate the desired Digital Input. If more than one Digital Input is active at one time then they will be resolved by priority.

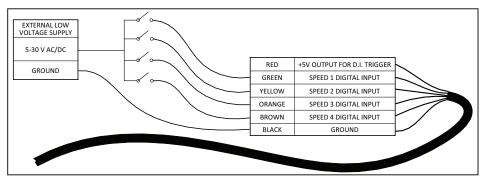


Figure 5: Low Voltage Power Supply Wiring Diagram

**Note:** If the pump has been stopped via the **Start/Stop** button, the pump will not run until the pump is turned back on by pressing the **Start/Stop** button. If the **Start/Stop** LED is illuminated, that indicates the pump is on and will run via Digital Inputs.

**Note:** If multiple low voltage triggers are present it will be resolved by this priority: Quick Clean, Speed 3, Speed 2, and then Speed 1.

#### **External Control Only Mode**

External Control Only mode will only allow the pump to run from external controls/inputs. When this mode is active the programmed pump schedule is deactivated, and user speed requests from the keypad will not be accepted. If the pump is stopped a user can still program the speeds for all four **Speed** buttons.

#### To activate External Control Only mode:

- 1. Stop the pump by pressing the **Start/Stop** button.
- 2. Activate External Control Only mode by pressing and holding the **Start/Stop** button for 3 seconds.
- 3. If successful the LED next to Ext. Control Only will illuminate. See **Figure 6**.
- 4. The **Start/Stop** button must be pressed again to allow the pump to run.

#### To deactivate External Control Only mode:

- 1. Stop the pump by pressing the **Start/Stop** button.
- Deactivate External Control Only mode by pressing and holding the **Start/Stop** button for 3 seconds.
- If successful the LED next to Ext. Control Only will turn off. See Figure 6.
- 4. The **Start/Stop** button must be pressed again to allow the pump to run.



Figure 6: Activating External Control Only

#### OPERATING THE PUMP

#### Setting the Clock

When the pump is first plugged in, the clock will blink to indicate that is has not been set. Any daily schedule set by the user will be based on this clock setting, so it will be necessary to set the clock first.

#### To Set the Clock:

- 1. Press and hold the **Display** button for 3 seconds.
- 2. Use the "+" and "-" arrows to choose between a 12 or 24 hour time format.
- 3. Press **Display** to advance in the Clock Setup menu
- 4. Use the "+" and "-" arrows to change the time to the correct time of day. In the 12 hour time format AM/PM will display in the bottom right corner.
- 5. Press **Display** to advance.
- 6. Use the "+" and "-" arrows to adjust the screen backlight brightness.
- Press **Display** to exit the Clock Setup menu. The clock is now set.

During a power outage, the drive will retain the clock setting in memory for as long as 24 hours. If the power is out longer than 24 hours the clock will have to be set again. If the drive has lost the user set time, the clock will continuously blink until the time is reset. Once the time is reset the clock will stop blinking.

**Note:** When power is returned to the pump after a prolonged outage (24+ hours) the clock will automatically set itself to the Speed 1 start time, blink and advance. The pump will also run the associated schedule from that start time.

## Using the Default Schedule

The default schedule is designed to provide enough daily turnover to service a typical pool. See **Table 2** for default schedule.

	Duration (Hours)	Speed (RPM)
SPEED 1	2	3000
SPEED 2	10	1400
SPEED 3	2	2200

Table 2: Default Schedule.

SPEED 1 is set to begin at 8:00am and run at 3000 RPM for a duration of 2 hours. When SPEED 1 is complete the pump immediately begins running the default SPEED 2. SPEED 2 is factory default to 1400 RPM and will last for 10 hours. When SPEED 2 has completed its run the pump will run SPEED 3 at 2200 RPM for a duration of two hours.

After 14 hours of run time and completing its run of SPEED 3, the pump will enter a stationary/paused state for the next 10 hours. The pump will restart at 8:00am the next morning and cycle through the default schedule again. The pump will continue to run in this in this manner until a custom schedule is programmed into the drive by the user.

**Note:** The **Start/Stop** button must be pressed, and the LED lit, for the pump to run.

#### **Custom Schedules**

To customize the run schedule for your SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump, the pump must be stopped. Be sure that the **Start/Stop** button LED is not illuminated.

#### **Programming a Custom Schedule:**

**Note:** When programming, the LED light next to the parameter ("Speed", "Time" and "Duration") you are setting will blink.

- 1. Stop the pump if it is running by pressing the **Start/Stop** button.
- 2. Press the "1" button. The LED above the selected SPEED will begin to blink and the "Speed" parameter LED will blink while editing. See **Figure 7**.



Figure 7: Setting Speed

3. Use the "+" and "-" arrows to adjust the speed in RPM for SPEED 1.

**Note:** Speed is adjusted up or down by increments of 10 RPM.

 Press the "1" button again and the display will change to SPEED 1 start time. The "Time" parameter LED will begin to blink. See Figure 8.



Figure 8: Setting Start Time

5. Use the "+" and "-" arrows to adjust the daily start time for SPEED 1.

6. Press the "1" button again and the display will change to SPEED 1 duration. The "Duration" parameter LED will begin to blink. See **Figure 9**.



Figure 9: Setting Duration

7. Use the "+" and "-" arrows to adjust the duration for SPEED 1 in hours and minutes.

**Note:** The duration parameter is adjusted in 15 minute increments.

- 8. Pressing the "1" button will continue to cycle through these parameters, but the changes are immediately saved as they are adjusted.
- 9. Press the "2" button. The LED above SPEED 2 will begin to flash and the corresponding parameter LED will flash while editing.
- 10. Use the "+" and "-" arrows to adjust the speed in RPM for SPEED 2.
- 11. Press the "2" button again and the display will change to SPEED 2 duration.

**Note:** SPEEDs 2 and 3 do not have a start time, as they begin their duration immediately after the previous SPEED finishes.

- 12. Use the "+" and "-" arrows to adjust the duration for SPEED 2 in hours and minutes.
- 13. Repeat steps 9-12 to program SPEED 3 and QUICK CLEAN.

**Note:** Remember that the duration allowed for SPEED 3 will be limited to the remaining time in a 24 hour day. Any time in the 24 hour day not programmed into SPEEDs 1-3, the pump will remain in a stationary state.

[SPEED 1 + SPEED 2 + SPEED  $3 \le 24$  Hours ]

14. Press the **Start/Stop** button and ensure the LED is lit. The pump is now on and will run the custom user-programmed schedule.

**Note:** If the pump has been stopped via the **Start/ Stop** button, the pump will not run until the pump is turned back on by the **Start/Stop** button. If the **Start/Stop** LED is illuminated then the pump is on and will run the programmed schedule.

**Note:** If a user wants to have a period of time during the day when the pump is not running, any of the SPEEDs can be programmed to 0 RPM. This will cause the pump to remain stationary/paused throughout the duration of that SPEED.

#### **Speed Priorities (Non-External Control)**

For schedule duration settings, SPEEDs are prioritized as follows: SPEED 1 -> SPEED 2 -> SPEED 3. SPEED 1 is the highest priority, while SPEED 3 is the lowest.

The drive will not allow a user to program a schedule of more than 24 hours. When the 24th hour of duration is programmed it will take time from the lower priority speeds in order to add them to the SPEED currently being adjusted.

#### Example:

Starting Schedule (Before Adjustment)

SPEED 1 duration = 20 hours

SPEED 2 duration = 2 hours

SPEED 3 duration = 2 hours

If the user reprograms SPEED 1 to run for 23 hours, SPEED 2 (lower priority speed) will automatically adjust to a 1 hour duration and SPEED 3 (lowest priority speed) will adjust to a 0 hour duration.

End Schedule (After Adjustment)

SPEED 1 duration = 23 hours

SPEED 2 duration = 1 hour

SPEED 3 duration = 0 hours

# **Operating the Pump While Running**

# **A**CAUTION

If power is connected to the pump motor, pressing any of the following buttons referred to in this section could result in the motor starting. Failure to recognize this could result in personal injury or damage to equipment.

Pressing the **Display** button will cycle through the current parameters.

- Speed current run speed
- Time current time of day
- Duration amount of time remaining at the current run speed
- Watts amount of watts currently being consumed

Pressing any of the Speed Buttons ("1", "2", "3", "Quick Clean") while the pump is running will act as temporary override. It will run the speed and duration that is programmed for that button. Once completed it will default back to the appropriate point in the programmed schedule.

**Note:** If you adjust the speeds of the schedule while the pump is running, it will run the adjusted speed for the rest of the current duration, but will not save the adjustments. *Exception: Speed and Duration adjustments to QUICK CLEAN will always be immediately saved.* 

#### **Quick Clean**

If running Quick Clean, pressing the "+" or "-" arrows will change the speed accordingly. Pressing the **Quick Clean** button again within 10 seconds of pressing the "+" or "-" arrows will allow you to adjust the duration of Quick Clean via the "+" and "-" arrows. These changes will be saved immediately and are the new defaults for Quick clean. Pressing the **Quick Clean** button again will cycle through the two Quick Clean settings. The pump will exit out of editing mode if no additional buttons are pressed within 10 seconds.

If Quick Clean is running and you wish to stop the Quick Clean prior to the duration being completed you can press and hold the **Quick Clean** button for 3 seconds and the pump will return to the appropriate point in the programmed schedule.

#### **Priming**

#### **A**CAUTION

This pump is shipped with Priming mode ENABLED. Unless the Priming settings are changed in the menu, be aware that the pump will speed up to the priming speed when the pump is powered on for the first time, and the start/stop button is pressed.

Before turning the pump ON, be sure the following conditions are met:

- 1. Open filter air relief valve.
- 2. Open valves.
- 3. Pool return is completely open and clear of any blockages.
- 4. Water in the pump basket.
- 5. Stand clear of the filter or other pressurized vessels.

DO NOT run the pump dry. If the pump is run dry, the mechanical seal will be damaged and the pump will start leaking. If this occurs, the damaged seal must be replaced. ALWAYS maintain proper water level in your pool (half way up skimmer opening). If the water level falls below the skimmer opening, the pump will draw air through the skimmer, losing the prime and causing the pump to run dry, resulting in a damaged seal. Continued operation in this manner could cause a loss of pressure, resulting in damage to the pump case, impeller and seal and may cause property and personal injury.

Priming will automatically run when the SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump is started from a stopped state, except when running in Quick Clean mode. Priming will run at 3450 RPM by default, and will last for 5 minutes. The drive's screen will display and cycle through the following things "Pr! - Priming Speed, Pr! -- Remaining Time".

Once priming has begun, the speed can be adjusted between 3450 and 1700 RPM using the "+" and "-" arrows. If it is adjusted below 1700 RPM, Priming mode will be disabled and the pump will immediately begin to run the scheduled speed.

When priming is disabled and the pump is started from a stopped state, the screen will display, "Pr! - DFF" for 10 seconds while running the scheduled speed (See **Figure 10**). This allows the user time to enable priming mode by pressing the "+" arrow. If the user chooses to re-enable priming mode, the pump will then transition from the scheduled speed to 1700 RPM. The user can increase the priming speed from 1700 RPM by pressing the "+" arrow. The 5 minute priming countdown timer starts when priming is first engaged.

The installer should set the priming speed to be sufficient for priming the pump from a fresh install, but not so fast that there is a substantial waste of energy during the 5 minute priming window. The time the pump needs to achieve prime can change based on local environmental conditions such as water temperature, atmospheric pressure, and your pool's water level. All of these things should be taken into consideration when setting the priming speed, however in most cases the pump will not need to run at 3450 RPM to successfully prime itself.

Please test and verify chosen priming speeds more than once, letting the water drain from the system in between each test.

**Note**: The pump strainer basket should always remain full to the bottom of the inlet in order to prevent air from entering the system.





Figure 10: Priming Deactivation

#### **Quick Clean**

The SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump is equipped with a Quick Clean feature, which can be engaged to temporarily run at higher or lower speeds ranging between 300 to 3450 RPM. Once the Quick Clean duration has elapsed, the pump will automatically return to the programmed schedule.

#### **Programming Quick Clean:**

- 1. Stop the pump if it is running by pressing the **Start/Stop** button.
- Press the Quick Clean button. The LED above the Quick Clean button and the "Speed" parameter LED will flash while editing. See Figure 11.



Figure 11: Setting Speed for Quick Clean

- 3. Use the "+" and "-" arrows to adjust the speed in RPM for Quick Clean.
- 4. Press the **Quick Clean** button again and the display will change to Quick Clean duration. The "Duration" parameter LED will flash while editing. See **Figure 12**.

**Note:** The Quick Clean feature does not have a start time.



Figure 12: Setting Duration for Quick Clean

- 5. Use the "+" and "-" arrows to adjust the duration in hours and minutes for Quick Clean.
- 6. Press the **Start/Stop** button and ensure the LED is illuminated. The pump is now on and will run the speed and duration set for Quick Clean.

**Note:** When the Quick Clean duration ends, the pump resumes the 24 hour schedule at the point where it normally would be running at that time. The Quick Clean duration will not affect the start or stop times of the 24 hour schedule. For example, if Quick Clean runs during a period overlapping with a later part of SPEED 1 and an early part of SPEED 2, the start time of SPEED 3 is not affected.

**Note:** Pressing/Holding Quick Clean key for more than three (3) seconds will cancel Quick Clean mode.

**Note:** During the Quick Clean mode, the pump will not start with the priming sequence.

**Note:** It is recommended that you do not set the Quick Clean duration to 0 HRS. Setting the Quick Clean duration to 0 HRS will not allow you to change the duration setting while the motor is running. The motor will have to be stopped in order to change the Quick Clean settings if the duration is set to 0 HRS.

## **Keypad Lockout**

# **A**CAUTION

Key lockout will not prevent the motor from being stopped by pressing the Start/Stop button. It will then be unable to be restarted until the keypad has been unlocked. If the motor is operating in Keypad Lockout mode, and being controlled through external controls, it can only run when the Start/Stop LED is illuminated.

The SuperFlo VS Variable Speed Pump user interface has a Keypad Lockout feature to prevent unwanted changes to the settings. When locked, the keypad will only accept input from pressing the **Display** button to cycle the displayed information on the screen and input to stop the motor from a press of **Start/Stop** button.

The keypad can be locked by pressing and holding the "1" button and the **Quick Clean** button at the same time for at least three seconds. "Loc On" will be displayed if successful.

To unlock the keypad press and hold the "1" button and the **Quick Clean** button at the same time for at least three seconds. "Loc DFF" will be displayed if successful.

**Note**: While operating in Keypad Lockout mode the motor can still be stopped by pressing the **Start/Stop** button. However, the motor can not be started again until the user unlocks the keypad.

#### **Factory Reset**

The drive can be reset to factory settings if necessary. A Factory Reset will wipe out all of the saved user settings that have been programmed, except for the time of day. Be sure that it is necessary before performing a Factory Reset, as the results are immediate.

#### To perform a Factory Reset:

- 1. Stop the pump if necessary by pressing the **Start/Stop** button.
- Record all of the custom schedule settings using Table 3. You can find these setting by pressing the "1", "2", "3", and "Quick Clean" buttons and cycling through all the screens. Also write down the Priming Speed.
- 3. Press and hold the "1", "2", "3", and "Quick Clean" buttons for 3 seconds.
- 4. The screen will display "FALL r5L" if factory reset is successful. See **Figure 13**.
- 5. Be sure to reprogram the schedule and priming speed after the factory reset. The pump must be turned back on with the **Start/Stop** button before it will run again. The pump will run the programmed schedule upon initial start-up.

**Note**: Factory Reset can not be performed from a Keypad Lockout state.

FACE	<ul> <li>Speed</li> <li>Time</li> <li>Duration</li> <li>Watts</li> </ul>
1 2	Quick Clean
• Ext. Control Only  Start Stop	• •
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Figure 13: Drive Factory Reset

	Speed (RPM)	Duration (Hours)	Start Time (Time Clock)
SPEED 1			
SPEED 2			
SPEED 3			
QUICK CLEAN			
Priming Speed			

Table 3: User Programmed Schedules

#### **MAINTENANCE**

**A**WARNING

DO NOT open the strainer pot if SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump fails to prime or if pump has been operating without water in the strainer pot. Pumps operated in these circumstances may experience a build up of vapor pressure and may contain scalding hot water. Opening the pump may cause serious personal injury. In order to avoid the possibility of personal injury, make sure the suction and discharge valves are open and strainer pot temperature is cool to touch, then open with extreme caution.

**A**CAUTION

To prevent damage to the pump and for proper operation of the system, clean pump strainer and skimmer baskets regularly.

#### **Pump Strainer Basket**

The pump strainer basket (or 'strainer pot', 'hair and lint pot'), is located in front of the volute. Inside the chamber is the basket which must be kept clean of leaves and debris at all times. View basket through the 'See Through Lid' to inspect for leaves and debris.

Regardless of the length of time between filter cleaning, it is most important to visually inspect the basket at least once a week.

#### **Cleaning the Pump Strainer Basket**

- 1. Press the **Start/Stop** button to stop the pump and turn off the pump at the circuit breaker.
- Relieve pressure in the system by allowing the water to cool.
- 3. Gently tap the clamp in a counter-clockwise direction to remove the clamp and lid.
- 4. Remove debris and rinse out the basket. Replace the basket if it is cracked.
- 5. Put the basket back into the housing. Be sure to align the notch in the bottom of the basket with the rib in the bottom of the volute.
- Fill the pump pot and volute up to the inlet port with water.
- 7. Clean the cover, O-ring, and sealing surface of the pump pot. **Note:** It is important to keep the lid O-ring clean and well lubricated.
- 8. Reinstall the lid by placing the lid on the pot. Be sure the lid O-ring is properly placed. Seat the clamp and lid on the pump then turn clockwise until the handles are horizontal.
- 9. Turn the power on at the house circuit breaker. Reset the pool time clock to the correct time, if applicable.
- 10. Open the manual air relief valve on top of the filter.
- 11. Stand clear of the filter. Start the pump.
- 12. Bleed air from the filter until a steady stream of water comes out. Close the manual air relief valve.

# **A**WARNING



THIS SYSTEM OPERATES UNDER HIGH PRESSURE. When any part of the circulating system (e.g., Lock Ring, Pump, Filter, Valves, etc.) is serviced, air can enter the system and become pressurized. Pressurized air can cause the lid to separate which can result in serious injury, death, or property damage. To avoid this potential hazard, follow above instructions.

#### Winterizing

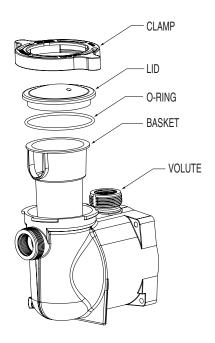
You are responsible for determining when freezing conditions may occur. If freezing conditions are expected, take the following steps to reduce the risk of freeze damage. *Freeze damage is not covered under warranty.* 

To prevent freeze damage, follow the procedures below:

- Press the **Start/Stop** button to stop the pump and shut off electrical power for the pump at the circuit breaker.
- 2. Drain the water out of the pump housing by removing the two thumb-twist drain plugs from the housing. Store the plugs in the pump basket.
- 3. Cover the motor to protect it from severe rain, snow and ice.

**Note:** Do not wrap motor with plastic or other air tight materials during winter storage. The motor may be covered during a storm, winter storage, etc., but never when operating or expecting operation.

**Note:** In mild climate areas, when temporary freezing conditions may occur, run your filtering equipment all night to prevent freezing.



Strainer Pot Assembly

## **SERVICING**

**▲**WARNING

Always disconnect power to the SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump at the circuit breaker and disconnect the communication cable before servicing the pump. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury to service people, users or others due to electric shock. Read all servicing instructions before working on the pump.

DO NOT open the strainer pot if pump fails to prime or if pump has been operating without water in the strainer pot. Pumps operated in these circumstances may experience a build up of vapor pressure and may contain scalding hot water. Opening the pump may

cause serious personal injury. In order to avoid the possibility of personal injury, make sure the suction and discharge valves are open and strainer pot temperature is cool to touch, then open with extreme caution.

**A**CAUTION

Be sure not to scratch or mar the polished shaft seal faces; seal will leak if faces are damaged. The polished and lapped faces of the seal could be damaged if not handled with care.

#### **Electric Motor Care**

#### **Protect from heat**

- 1. Shade the motor from the sun.
- 2. Any enclosure must be well ventilated to prevent overheating.
- 3. Provide ample cross ventilation.

#### Protect against dirt

- 1. Protect from any foreign matter.
- 2. Do not store (or spill) chemicals on or near the motor.
- 3. Avoid sweeping or stirring up dust near the motor while it is operating.
- 4. If a motor has been damaged by dirt it may void the motor warranty.
- 5. Clean the lid and clamp, O-ring, and sealing surface of the pump pot.

#### Protect against moisture

- 1. Protect from splashing or sprayed water.
- 2. Protect from extreme weather such as flooding.
- 3. If motor internals have become wet let them dry before operating. Do not allow the pump to operate if it has been flooded.
- 4. If a motor has been damaged by water it may void the motor warranty.

#### Shaft Seal Replacement

The Shaft Seal consists primarily of two parts, a rotating member and a ceramic seal.

The pump requires little or no service other than reasonable care, however, a Shaft Seal may occasionally become damaged and must be replaced.

Note: The polished and lapped faces of the seal could be damaged if not handled with care.

#### **Pump Disassembly**

All moving parts are located in the rear sub-assembly of this pump.

Tools required:

- 1/4 inch socket or open end wrench.
- 3/8 inch socket or open end wrench.
- 9/16 inch open end wrench.
- 1/4 inch Allen Key
- Flat blade screwdriver.

To remove and repair the motor subassembly, follow the steps below:

- 1. Press the **Start/Stop** button to stop the pump and turn off the pump circuit breaker at the main panel.
- Drain the pump by removing the drain plugs.
- 3. Remove the 4 bolts that hold the main pump body (strainer pot/volute) to the rear sub-assembly.
- 4. GENTLY pull the two pump halves apart, removing the rear sub-assembly.
- 5. Remove the three hex head screws holding the diffuser in position.
- 6. Hold the impeller securely in place and remove the impeller lock screw by using a flat blade screwdriver or wrench. The screw is a left-handed thread and loosens in a clockwise direction.
- 7. To unscrew the impeller from the shaft, insert a 1/4 inch Allen key into the center of the motor fan cover and twist the impeller counter-clockwise.
- 8. Remove the four bolts from the seal plate to the motor using a 9/16 inch wrench.
- 9. Place the seal plate face down on a flat surface and tap out the ceramic seal.
- 10. Clean the seal plate, seal housing, and the motor shaft.

**CAUTION**DO NOT run the pump dry. If the pump is run dry, the mechanical seal will be damaged and the pump will start leaking. If this occurs, the damaged seal must be replaced. ALWAYS maintain proper water level. If the water level falls below the suction port, the pump will draw air through the suction port, losing the prime and causing the pump to run dry, resulting in a damaged seal. Continued operation in this manner could cause a loss of pressure, resulting in damage to the pump case, impeller and seal and may cause property damage and personal injury.

#### **Pump Reassembly**

- When installing the replacement seal into the seal plate, use soapy water to wet the rubber boot before pressing it into the seal plate.
- 2. Remount the seal plate to the motor.
- 3. Before installing the rotating portion of the seal on the motor shaft, wet the motor shaft with soapy water and slide the seal onto the motor shaft. Ensure that the carbon face contacts the ceramic face of the stationary seat. Press the seal into the seal plate with your thumbs and wipe off the ceramic with a clean cloth.
- 4. Screw impeller onto the motor shaft (clockwise to tighten).
- 5. Screw in the impeller lock screw (counter-clockwise to tighten).

**Note:** Insert a 1/4" hex Allen wrench into the motor shaft through the hole in the rear motor fan cover. This will prevent the motor shaft from rotating and you screw in the impeller lock screw.

- Remount the diffuser onto the seal plate. Make sure the plastic pins and holding screw inserts are aligned.
- 7. Grease the diffuser quad ring and seal plate O-ring prior to reassembly.
- Assemble the motor sub-assembly to the strainer pot-pump body. Tighten the bolts until all 4 bolts are in place and finger tightened.
- 9. Fill the pump with water.

Reinstall the pump lid and plastic clamp; see the next section, 'Restart Instructions'.

#### **Restart Instructions**

If SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump is installed below the water level of the pool, close return and suction lines prior to opening hair and lint pot on pump. Make sure to re-open valves prior to operating.

#### **Priming the Pump**

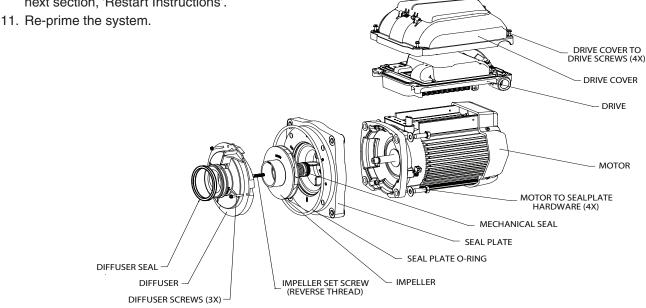
The pump strainer pot must be filled with water before the pump is initially started.

Follow these steps to prime the pump:

- Remove the pump lid plastic clamp. Remove the pump lid.
- 2. Fill the pump strainer pot with water.
- 3. Reassemble the pump cover and plastic clamp onto the strainer pot. The pump is now ready to prime.
- Open the air release valve on the filter, and stand clear of the filter.
- 5. Turn on the power to the pump.
- Press the **Start/Stop** button on the drive keypad. If the pump is currently scheduled to run it will start.

**Note:** If the pump is not schedule to start, press a **Speed** button to begin a manual override that will start the pump.

When water comes out of the air release valve, close the valve. The system should now be free of air and recirculating water to and from the pool.



# **TROUBLESHOOTING**

Diagnosing certain symptoms may require close interaction with, or in close proximity to, components that are energized with electricity. Contact with electricity can cause death, personal injury, or property damage. When trouble shooting the pump, diagnostics involving electricity should be cared for by a licensed professional.

Problem	Possible Cause	Corrective Action
Pump failure.	Pump will not prime - Air leak, too much air.	Check suction piping and valve glands on any suction gate valves. Secure lid on pump strainer pot and be sure lid gasket is in place. Check water level to be sure skimmer is not drawing air.
	Pump will not prime - Not enough water.	Be sure the suction lines, pump, strainer, and pump volute are full of water. Be sure valve on suction line is working and open (some systems do not have valves). Check water level to make sure water is available through skimmer.
	Pump stainer gasket is clogged.	Clean pump strainer pot.
	Pump strainer gasket is defective.	Replace gasket.
Reduced capacity and/or head.	Air pockets or leaks in suction line.	Check suction piping and valve glands on any suction gate valves. Secure lid on pump strainer pot and be sure lid gasket is in place. Check water level to be sure skimmer is not drawing air.
	Clogged impeller.	Turn off electrical power to the pump. Disassemble (see page 14, 'Pump Disassembly')
		Clean debris from impeller. If debris cannot be removed, complete the following steps:  1. Remove left hand thread anti-spin bolt and o-ring.  2. Remove, clean, and reinstall impeller.  Reassemble (see page 15, 'Pump Reassembly')
	Pump strainer clogged.	Clean suction trap.
Pump fails to start.	Mains Voltage is not present	Replace fuse, reset breaker/GFCI.     Tighten mains wire connections.
	Pump shaft is locked	Check if the pump can be rotated by hand and remove any blockage.
	Pump shaft is damaged	Replace pump.
Pump runs then stops.	Over temperature FAULT	Check that back of pump is free from dirt and debris. Use compressed air to clean.
	Over current FAULT	Pump will automatically restart after one (1) minute.
Pump is noisy.	Debris in contact with fan	Check that back of pump is free from dirt and debris. Use compressed air to clean.
	Debris in strainer basket	Clean strainer basket.
	Loose mounting	Check that mounting bolts of pump and pump are tight.

## **Troubleshooting (Cont.)**

Problem	Possible Cause	Corrective Action
Pump runs without flow.	Impeller is loose	Check that pump is spinning by looking at fan on back of SuperFlo VS Variable Speed Pump. If so, check that pump impeller is correctly installed.
	Air leak	Check plumbing connections and verify they are tight.
	Clogged or restricted plumbing	Check for blockage in strainer or suction side piping.
		Checked for blockage in discharge piping including partially closed valve or dirty pool filter.

#### **Errors and Alarms**

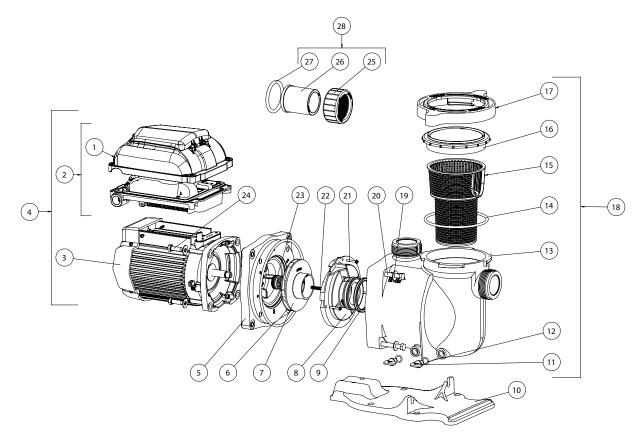
If an alarm is triggered the drive's LCD screen will display the fault code text and the SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump will stop running. Disconnect power to the pump and wait until the keypad LEDs have all turned off. At this point, reconnect power to the pump. If the error has not cleared then proper troubleshooting will be required. Use the error description table below to begin troubleshooting.

Fault Code	Description	
21	Communication link between HMI and motor control has been lost	
IA	Power Module over current detected	
П	Phase Current Offset out of range	
ΙЬ	Phase Current Imbalance detected	
0F	Absolute AC under voltage detected	
02	Absolute Phase current limit exceeded	
08	Absolute Diode Bridge temperature limit exceeded	
집닉 Absolute Power Module temperature limit exceeded		
Absolute Power Factor Correction (PFC) temperature limit exceeded		
09	DC bus over voltage detected	
0A	☐☐ DC bus under voltage detected	

- ☐ I Communication Link between the HMI and Motor control has been lost: Check the jacketed wire on the back side of the keypad inside the drive top cover. Ensure that the 5 pin connector is properly plugged into the socket and that there is no damage to the cable.
- IF Power Module over current detected: If this error displays multiple times, then there may be a problem with the pump's rotating assembly. Please disassemble the pump and investigate to see if there is a problem with the impeller or mechanical seal. See page 14 "Pump Disassembly" for instructions for disassembling the pump.
- $\square$ F **Absolute AC Under Voltage Detected**: This indicates that the supply voltage has dropped below the operating range of 99v. This could be caused by normal voltage variation and will clear itself. Otherwise there could be excess voltage sag caused by improper installation or improper supply voltage.
- 17, 16, 02, 08, 04, 06, 09, 09 Internal Errors: These errors can occur based on operating conditions and the UL 60730 required self-diagnostic safety software. If they do not clear after multiple restart attempts the drive should undergo a hard power cycle. Disconnect main power by turning off the breaker long enough for the keypad LEDs to turn off. After power is reconnected if one of these errors continues to reappear, the drive may need service.

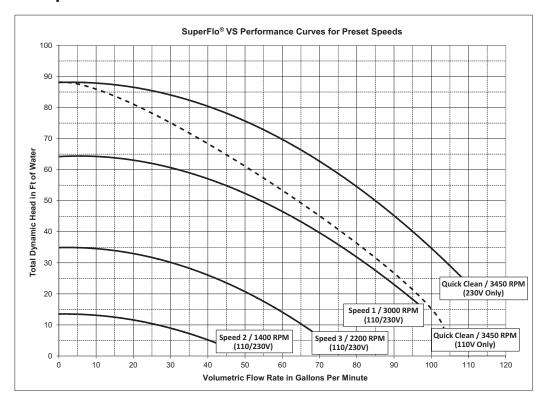
# **REPLACEMENT PARTS**

## SuperFlo® VS Variable Speed Pump Replacement Parts List



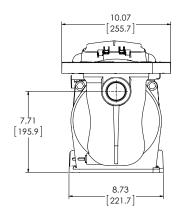
Item No.	Part No.	Description	Item No.	Part No.	Description
1	353123	DRIVE COVER	16	350091	LID, SEE THROUGH
2	353127	DRIVE ASSEMBLY	17	350090	CLAMP, CAM AND RAMP
3	353134S	MOTOR	18	353010	VOLUTE ASSEMBLY (INCLUDES ITEMS 11-17)
4	353132S	MOTOR/DRIVE ASSEMBLY	19	072184	WASHER 3/8 IN. SS, 8 REQ.
5	356012	SEALPLATE	20	355621	SCREW 3/8-16 X 2 1/4 HEX HEAD, 4 REQ.
6	355619	SEALPLATE GASKET	21	355334	SCREW #8-32 HEX WASHER HEAD, 3 REQ.
7	355074	IMPELLER	22	355389	SCREW, IMPELLER LOCKING
8	355618	DIFFUSER	23	354545S	SEAL SET
9	355030	DIFFUSER SEAL	24	354290	HEX HEAD SCREW 3/8-16, 4 REQ.
10	350094	BASE	25	350092	NUT, 2 REQ.
11	071131	DRAIN PLUG	26	350093	ADAPTER, 2 REQ.
12	192115	O-RING, DRAIN PLUG	27	6020018	O-RING ADAPTER #2-226, 2 REQ.
13	350089	VOLUTE	28	350157	SUPERFLO UNION KIT (CONTAINS 2X ITEMS 26-28)
14	357255	O-RING, LID #2-357	*	353129Z	KIT DIG INPUT 25' SUPERFLO/SUPERMAX
15	355667	RASKET			

# **Pump Performance Curves**

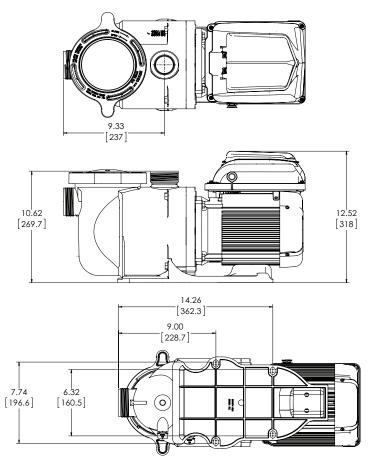


# **Pump Specifications**

verall Ratings		
Input Voltage	115-230 Vrms nominal	
Input Current	13.2/12.0-11.5 A	
Input Frequency	Single phase, 50 or 60 Hz	
Control Terminals	18-30V AC (24V AC+/- 20%) or	
	9-30V DC (12/24V DC +/- 20%)	
Maximum Continuous Load	2.0 THP (Total Horse Power)	
Speed Range	300 - 3450 RPM	
Environmental Rating	NEMA Type 3	
Ambient Conditions		
Storage	-40°C to +85°C (-40°F to +185°)	
Operating	0°C to +50°C (+32°F to +122°F)	
Humidity	Delative 0 to 05 % non condensi	



# **Pump Dimensions**





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