



# SEALLESS LaBOUR MHL / MPL SERIES

LaBour MHL / MPL...Control fugitive emissions with superior self-priming pumps for handling many toxic, corrosive, or expensive liquids when metallic construction is required.

### MHL / MPL Features/Benefits

#### SEALLESS MAGNETIC DRIVE DESIGN

Mechanical shaft seals or packing and the inherent leakage from their use is eliminated. Seal flush is not needed so pumped product will not be diluted or contaminated. Expensive, complicated, and difficult to maintain double seal flushing systems are no longer required. Soon to be implemented EPA emissions standards necessitating monitoring for many services utilizing conventional pump designs is not required.

#### OPTIMAL DESIGN

The MHL / MPL's back pull-out design allows maintenance to be completed without removing the casing from the piping. A fully open impeller design reduces axial thrust and our proven triple-throat casing, balancing radial thrust. Both assure extended bearing life while offering improved vapor handling capabilities reducing priming times vs. conventional impeller designs. Our time proven, superior performance HYDRO-BALANCE principle self-priming design has been perfected since it's introduction in 1922 by the founder of LaBour Pump Company.

#### METALLIC CONSTRUCTION

The strength and durability of a wide range of alloys, including Ductile Iron, are available to handle the toughest applications. To extend bearing life, external and recirculated flush arrangements are available, when process fluids contain abrasive solids.



### MHL / MPL - Series Specifications

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Number of Models	7			
Model Numbers	10W, 12W, 15W,			
	20XW, & 23XW			
Size (Suction X Discharge)	2.0" X 2.0"			
	to 3.0" X 3.0"			
Impeller Type	Open			
Impeller Dia. (Max Min.)	6.13" to 10.00"			
RPM	1150 to 3500			
Max. Flow (GPM)	400			
Max. Head (Ft.)	280			
Max. Motor (HP)	30			
Motor Type	Ft Mnt NEMA			
Magnet Torque (Lb-Ft)	70			
Max. W.P. (PSI @ °F	150			
May Hadas Test (DO)	005			
Max. Hydro Test (PSI)	225 32 - 250			
Temperature Range (°F)	32 - 250			
Minimum Flow (GPM)	10			
Viscosity: up to (cp) (Max.)	154			
at specific gravity	1.2			
Solids: Particle Size (Max.)	200 microns			
Max. Concentration	5% by weight			
Diametrical Clearance:	0.10			
TEFLON¹ Bearing (In.)	.012			
GRAPHALLOY <sup>2</sup> Bearing (In.)				
STELLITE <sup>3</sup> Bearing (In.)  Axial Brg. Clearance (In.)	.006			
Axial Brg. Clearance (In.)  Materials:	Ductile Iron, 316SS,			
Casing	Elcomet K, R-55,			
Caonig	A-48, Y-17			
Impeller	316SS, Elcomet K,			
	R-55, A-48, Y-17			
Bushing Plate	316SS, Elcomet K,			
	R-55, A-48, Y-17			
Rear Casing	Y-17			
Impeller Shaft	316SS, 20SS,			
	NITRONIC <sup>4</sup> 50,			
0 1 0 1 1	HASTELLOY <sup>3</sup> C-22			
Secondary Containment	C Steel, 316SS, 20SS			
Magnet Lining	PFA			
Magnet Material	Rare Earth			
Sleeve Bearings &	RULON <sup>5</sup> #123,			
Thrust Bearings	STELLITE <sup>3</sup> ,GRAPHALLOY			
Gaskets / O-Rings	SEPCO6 6234 / FPM /			
	TEFLON¹ Encapsu-			
Welsta de la constant	lated Silicon			
Weight (bare pump in Lbs.)	420 to 880			
REMARKS:				
Ft Mnt = Foot Mounted				

# MATERIALS OF CONSTRUCTION

#### NON-METALLIC MATERIALS

#### PFA (Perfluoroalkoxytetrafluoroethylene)

PFA is virtually chemically inert. For most chemicals, the permeability is slightly lower than that of PTFE. Its tensile properties at elevated temperatures are slightly better than PTFE. Some uses are liners, rear casings, and impellers. Maximum service temperature is 450°F.

#### ◊ FPM (Also-Known-As: FKM) (Fluorocarbon)

FPM is an elastomer and is recommended for use with: petroleum oils, Di-ester base lubricants, Silicon fluids and greases, halogenated hydrocarbons, selected phosphate ester fluids and acids. FPM is not recommended for use with, ketones, skydrol fluids, amines, anhydrous ammonia, low molecular weight esters and ethers, and hot hydrofluoric or chlorosulfonic acids.

#### METALLIC MATERIALS

#### O A-48 (ASTM CD4-MCu)

A heat-treatable alloy that has outstanding corrosion, erosion, and wear resistance. A-48 has excellent resistance to sulfuric, phosphoric, nitric, formic, and many other acid and salts.

#### ♦ Elcomet K (ASTM CN-7M)

A LaBour alloy developed in 1927 for improved resistance to 10% - 40% sulfuric acid at temperatures up to 175°F. Elcomet K is more resistant to reducing conditions than standard stainless steels while also resistant to oxidizing solutions.

#### O R-55 (ASTM none)

The relatively high silicon content (4%) is the basis for R-55 alloy's excellent corrosion resistance to mineral acids at elevated temperatures. Also a nickel-base alloy, it is highly resistant to intergranular corrosion. R-55 will withstand the corrosion effects of both oxidizing and reducing agents.

#### ◊ Y-17 (ASTM CW-6M)

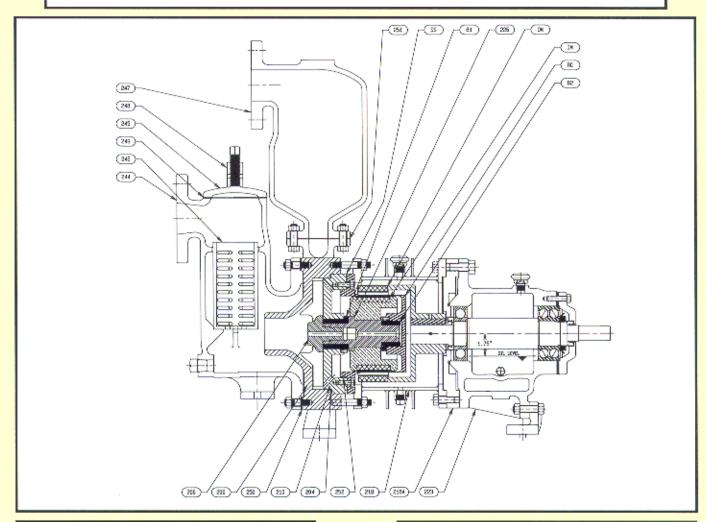
A nickel-base alloy containing significant amounts of molybdenum and chromium. Y-17 has exceptional resistance to strong oxidizing agents and bleaching solutions.

For further information on the above materials or those that are found on the table to the left please contact your local LaBour representative.

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# MHL / MPL CROSS-SECTIONAL DRAWING



No.	PART NAME	QTY.
200	Casing	1
204	Casing Gasket	1
206	Impeller	1
210	Bushing Plate	1
218	Adapter	1
218A	Adapter Cover	1
223	Bearing Housing	1
226	Impeller Shaft	1
244	Trap	1
245	Trap Cover	1
246	Strainer	1
247	Separator	1

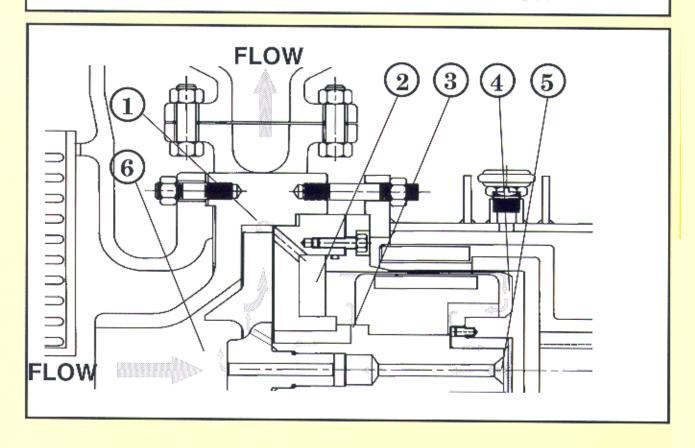
No.	PART NAME	QTY.
248	Clamp	1
249	Gasket (Trap Cover)	1
250	Gasket (Trap)	1
251	Gasket (Separator)	1
252	O-Ring (Rear Casing)	1
B1	Front Bearing	1
B2	Rear Bearing	1
IM	Inner Magnet	1
OM	Outer Magnet	1
RC	Rear Casing	1
SS	Shims	1

<sup>\* =</sup> The separator for the MHL is mounted in the horizontal position.

The drawing above is the perpendicular MPL.



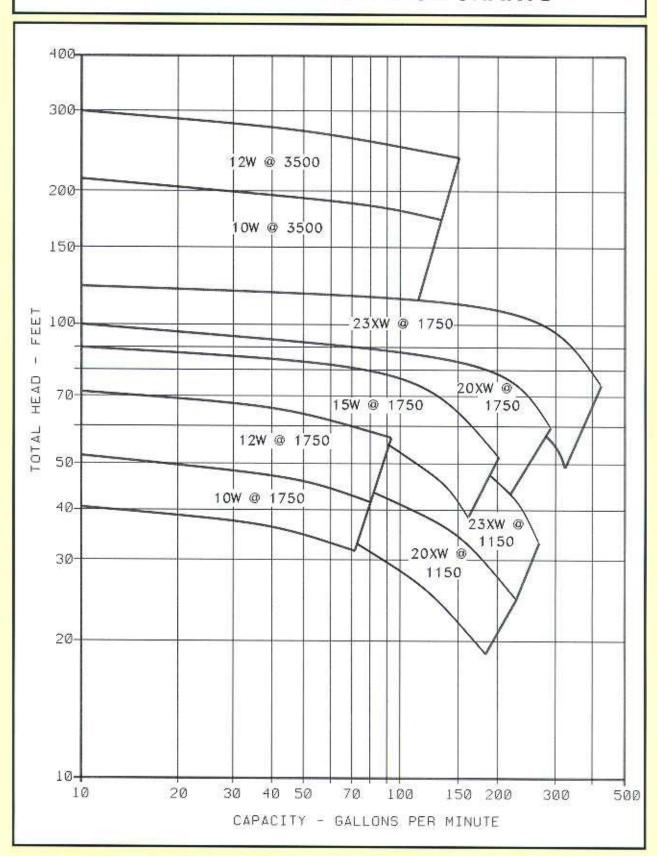
## MHL / MPL BEARING LUBRICATION



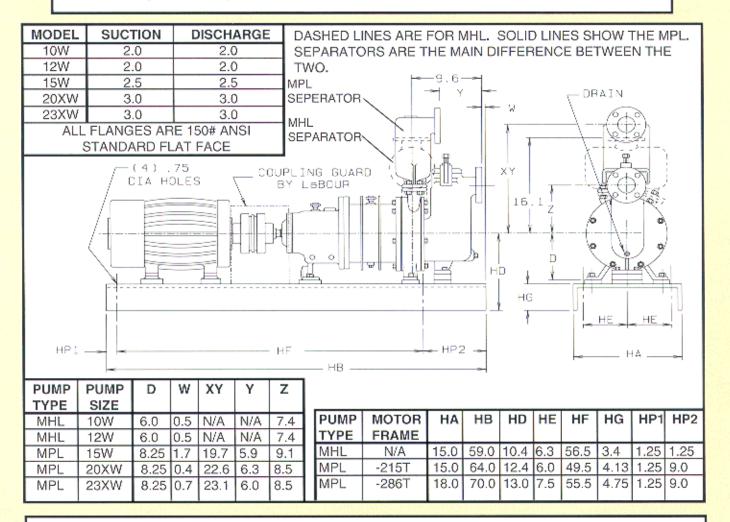
Lubrication liquid follows a path from the impeller inlet to the high pressure zone ① of the casing. Then through the two circulation holes in the bushing plate to zone ② . At this point the flow divides into two different paths. Some of the liquid flows to zone ④ where it enters the rear bearing at the thrust face and continues through the straight grooves in the bore of the bearing to zone ⑤ . It returns to the low pressure zone ⑥ at the suction inlet, through a centerline hole in the shaft and impeller. The rest of the liquid from the zone ② flows through the front thrust and radial bearing zone ③ returning to the impeller inlet through hydraulic balance holes in the impeller.



# SEALLESS MHL / MPL RANGE CHARTS



### MHL / MPL GENERAL DIMENSIONAL DRAWING



### **TYPICAL OPTIONS / ACCESSORIES**

Channel Base

Drain/Vent & Gage Connections Dry Run Protector

Flow Switch Leak Detector

Pressure Switch

Thermostat

150# or 300# Flanges

Stilt Legs Drip Rims/Pans Oil Levelers Oil Mist Lubrication

Labyrinth Oil Seals Coupling Guards

Couplings

Flushing Arrangements (Including Cyclone Separators) Non-Metallic Base Plates

Shaft w/ Wear Resistant Coatings Shaft w/ Replaceable Sleeves Corrosion Resistant Paints

Without Suction Trap & Strainer



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