

AHLSTAR NK Non-clogging and WK Wear-resistant Vertical Sump Pumps



Main Applications

AHLSTAR NK non-clogging and WK wear-resistant vertical cantilever sump pumps are used for demanding industrial applications to pump:

- abrasive liquids and/or liquids containing large solids
- abrasive fibrous slurries and/or fibrous slurries containing large solids
- abrasive non-fibrous slurries and/or non-fibrous slurries containing large solids



Features and Benefits

NPP/T and WPP/T pump casing, impeller and side plate

- Casing, impeller and side plate are interchangeable with the Sulzer AHLSTAR NPP/T non-clogging and WPP/T wear-resistant process pumps.
- Minimized spare parts inventory

2 Impeller

- Non-clogging design NK (closed or vortex impeller) with wide open channels and self-cleaning vane profile for liquids containing large solids, long fibers, clips or plastics
- Non-plugging impeller back vane design prevents plugging caused by longer fibers or plastics
- Pressure-reducing impeller front vanes and self-cleaning cutter grooves prevent fibers from entering the gap between the impeller and side plate and reduce internal flow losses
- Wear-resistant design WK (closed, open or vortex impeller) for abrasive and corrosive liquids and slurries containing solid particles

3 Suction bell

• Stainless steel suction bell with guiding and straining vanes to help prevent clogging

4 Line shaft and bearing design

- One-piece shaft guarantees straightness and easy assembly. Critical speed always above the max. operating speed
- No support bearing inside the liquid needed resulting in more reliable operation

6 Thrust bearing

• Heavy-duty roller bearing unit with angular contact ball bearings for axial load guarantees long bearing lifetime. Grease lubrication

6 Mounting plate and driver support

 Sturdy one-piece epoxy-coated carbon steel base frame and motor support/bearing housing assures accurate alignment

Discharge pipe

• Length adjustment in discharge piping and flexible sealing water hoses for proper mounting

8 Drivers and coupling

- IEC 34-7 with IM code V1 or corresponding Nema vertical motors as standard
- Flexible Rex-Viva coupling is standard. Other coupling types also available

9 Shaft seal

 No shaft seal needed resulting in more reliable operation

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* Depending on material and size

Performance ranges



Materials

Main parts	Duplex stainless steel design NK/WK	Cast iron design NK	Chromium Iron design WK
Casing	Duplex SS ASTM A890 Grade 3A	Cast Iron ASTM A48 CL 35B	Chromium Iron A532 IIIA
Impeller	Duplex SS ASTM A890 Grade 3A	Duplex SS ASTM A890 Grade 3A	Chromium Iron A532 IIIA
Shaft	Duplex SS 2324	Duplex SS 2324	Duplex SS 2324
Side plate	Duplex SS ASTM A890 Grade 3A	Duplex SS ASTM A890 Grade 3A	Chromium Iron A532 III
Casing cover	Duplex SS ASTM A890 Grade 3A	Cast Iron ASTM A48 CL 35B	Chromium Iron A532 IIIA

Other materials can be delivered on request.

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