

Cutting-edge pumping solutions for the **concentrated solar power generation**

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Taking on new challenges

Around the world, the power industry is taking on the challenge to produce clean, dependable energy from renewable resources. Concentrated Solar Power Generation (CSP) provides a sustainable solution to energy needs, today and in the future. Sulzer has been working with customers to provide reliable and cost-effective solar power since supplying pumps to a CSP plant in 1984.

Designed to your needs

- The daily start-and-stop and temperature fluctuations in CSP operations place extreme demands on all components in a system. Sulzer provides pumping solutions that give lifetime reliability with increased output, high efficiency, and improved Mean Time Between Maintenance (MTBM)
- Sulzer answers demanding needs with a full line of steam generator feed water, cooling water and condensate extraction pumps for all CSP technologies

Improvement of environmental footprint

- Sulzer's high efficient pumps and services contribute to reduce overall emissions
- Sulzer aims at maintaining the balance between economic success, sound social responsibility and environmentally friendly solutions in shortand long-term decision making

Focused on efficiency

- Selecting the right pump is one key factor for boosting operational efficiency; Sulzer is the specialist to provide efficient pumping solutions
- Thanks to leading-edge products, Sulzer contributes to improve customers' equipment efficiency



You set out the challenge, we present the solutions

Heliostat with central tower and direct steam generation

Using a central solar tower, heliostat fields involve direct steam generation provided with a certain steam storage capacity. Sulzer supports these processes with pumps for Feed Water (FWP), Hot Water Circulation (CP), Condensate Extraction (CEP) and Cooling Water (CWP).



- CEP = Condensate Extraction Pump
- CP = Hot Water Circulation Pump
- CWP = Cooling Water Pump
- FWP = Feed Water Pump
- G = Generator
- ST = Steam Turbine

Heliostat with central tower and molten salt heat storage

Using a central solar tower, heliostat fields heat up the molten salt. The molten salt is used as primary heat transfer fluid and also to store heat generated in this process. Sulzer supports these processes with pumps for Feed Water (FWP), Condensate Extraction (CEP), Cooling Water (CWP) and Molten Salt Circulation.



- CEP = Condensate Extraction Pump
- CWP = Cooling Water Pump
- FWP = Feed Water Pump
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Linear Fresnel reflector with direct steam generation

Using linear Fresnel reflector, collectors involve direct steam generation provided with a certain steam storage. Sulzer supports these processes with pumps for Feed Water (FWP), Condensate Extraction (CEP) and Cooling Water (CWP).



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Parabolic trough with molten salt heat storage

Parabolic trough collector systems are using thermal oil as primary heat transfer fluid to heat up the salt. The molten salt is used as secondary heat transfer fluid to store heat generated in this process. Sulzer equipment for these operations includes pumps for Feed Water (FWP), Condensate Extraction (CEP), Cooling Water (CWP), molten salt circulation, as well as main and auxiliary pumps for Heat Transfer Fluid (HTF).



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- CWP = Cooling Water Pump
- FWP = Feed Water Pump
- G = Generator
- HTF = Heat Transfer Fluid
- ST = Steam Turbine

Parabolic trough without heat storage

This system is using thermal oil as primary heat transfer fluid heated up to around 400°C. It is continually pumped through the solar field with high and variable flow rates and temperatures. Sulzer equipment for these operations includes pumps for Feed Water (FWP), Condensate Extraction (CEP), Cooling Water (CWP) as well as main and auxiliary pumps for Heat Transfer Fluid (HTF).



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- CWP = Cooling Water Pump
- FWP = Feed Water Pump
- G = Generator
- HTF = Heat Transfer Fluid
- ST = Steam Turbine

Hybrid integrated solar combined cycle (ISCC)

This process uses parabolic trough collectors and thermal oil as primary heat transfer fluid. Sulzer equipment includes pumps for Feed Water (FWP), Condensate Extraction (CEP), Cooling Water (CWP), as well as main and auxiliary pumps for Heat Transfer Fluid (HTF).



- CEP= Condensate Extraction PumpCWP= Cooling Water PumpFWP= Feed Water PumpG= GeneratorGT= Gas turbine
- HRSG= Heat Recovery Steam Generator
- HTF = Heat Transfer Fluid
- ST = Steam Turbine

Our comprehensive product portfolio

		Application					
	Solar island			Power island			
	HTF oil pump	Molten salt pump	Hot water circulation pump	Feed Water Pump (FWP)	Condensate Extraction Pump (CEP)	Cooling Water Pump (CWP)	Auxiliary pump
				Pump type			
Power plant type	HZB-HTF BBS ZE/ZF OHH	VEY VNY	ZE/ZF PRER/PRETR	MD MC MBN GSG	SJD-CEP ZE	SJT SMD SMN ZPP	AHLSTAR SNS
Heliostat with central tower and direct steam generation		•	•	•	•	•	•
Heliostat with central tower and molten salt heat storage		•		•	•	•	•
Linear Fresnel reflector with direct steam generation			•	•	•	•	•
Parabolic trough without heat storage	•			•	•	•	•
Parabolic trough with molten salt heat storage	•	•		•	•	•	•
Hybrid integrated solar combined cycle (ISCC)	•			•	•	•	•

Solar island product overview

HTF oil pumps

HZB-HTF double suction volute pump

Features and benefits

- Centerline mounting to allow free thermal expansion and high nozzle loads
- Minimum bearing span to minimize shaft deflection
- Single cover casing design to reduce overhaul times
- · Carbon steel or chrome steel casing with excellent mechanical properties
- Double mechanical seal provides safer operation

Applications

• HTF oil main pump

Key characteristics

Capacities Heads Pressures Temperatures

4'000 m³/h / 17'500 USgpm up to 340 m / 1'115 ft. up to 48 bar / 700 psi up to 425°C / 800°F



BBS between bearings single stage pump ISO 13709 / API 610 BB2

Features and benefits

- Centerline support for reduced thermally induced misalignment
- Double suction impeller for low Net Positive Suction Head Required (NPSHR)
- First critical speed is well above operating speed range for smooth operation
- Casing designed for 2 times API 610 nozzle loads for freedom from piping distortions
- Grouted or ungrouted, 1x or 2x nozzle load baseplates for reduced installation cost

Applications

• HTF oil main pump

Key characteristics

up to 5'000 m ³ /h / 22'000 USgpm
up to 450 m / 1'500 ft.
up to 50 bar / 740 psi
up to 425°C / 800°F



ZE/ZF and OHH end suction pumps

Features and benefits

- Designed for hot or cold water medium design pressure applications with relatively low Net Positive Suction Head (NPSH) available
- · Modular construction to provide maximum interchangeability of spares

Applications

- Condensate extraction
- Boiler circulation
- HTF oil
- Auxiliary services

Capacities	up to 2'600 m ³ /h / 11'440 USgpm
Heads	up to 300 m / 1'000 ft.
Pressures	up to 100 bar / 1'450 psi
Temperatures	up to 425°C / 800°F



Molten salt pumps

VEY and VNY vertical turbine pumps

Features and benefits

- Engineered suction design for optimized submergence
- Engineered bearing bushings for better shaft alignment and adaptation to the thermal expansion
- Main shaft sealing by throttle bushing for permanent leak-off recirculation to the molten salt tank
- Auxiliary shaft sealing deflector preventing leakage of molten salt to the atmosphere
- Efficient thermal barrier between hot/cold sections
- Muff coupling to ease dismantling
- Special design to allow thermal expansions: extended wear ring zone and clearances calculated considering all the relative expansions

Applications

Molten salt

Key characteristics

Capacities	up to 4'000 m ³ /h / 17'600 USgpm
Heads	up to 400 m / 1'300 ft
Pressures	up to 100 bar / 1'450 psi
Temperatures	up to 600°C / 1'100°F



Hot water circulation pumps

ZE/ZF and PRER/PRETR end suction pumps

Features and benefits

- Designed for hot or cold water medium design pressure applications with relatively low Net Positive Suction Head (NPSH) available
- Modular construction to provide maximum interchangeability of spares

Applications

- Condensate extraction
- Boiler circulation
- HTF oil
- Auxiliary services

Capacities	up to 2'600 m ³ /h / 11'440 USgpm
Heads	up to 300 m / 1'000 ft
Pressures	up to 300 bar / 4'350 psi
Temperatures	up to 450°C / 840°F



Power island product overview

Feed water pumps

MD high pressure stage casing pumps

Features and benefits

- Modular hydraulics for high efficiency in a wide range of operating conditions
- · Centerline mounted with large branch sizes for optimized inlet flow, low noise level and higher allowable forces and moments
- Unaffected by rapid temperature variations
- Stiff shaft design for critical speeds above the maximum operating speed
- · Multiple screws mechanical tensioners are used on large sizes to allow simpler tightening and loosening

Applications

• Feed water

Key characteristics

Capacities Heads Pressures Temperatures up to 1'200 m³/h / 5'300 USgpm up to 2'800 m / 9'200 ft. up to 350 bar/ 5'080 psi up to 210°C / 410°F



MC high pressure stage casing pump

Features and benefits

- Modular hydraulics for high efficiency in a wide range of operating conditions
- · Large branch sizes for optimized inlet flow, low noise level and higher allowable forces and moments
- Unaffected by rapid temperature variations
- Easy access to the seal cooling chambers for cleaning
- Stiff shaft design for critical speeds above the maximum operating speed
- Low pressure version with dedicated large sizes for condensate extraction service

Applications

- Feed water
- Condensate extraction

Key characteristics

 Capacities
 up to 1'700 m³/h / 8'500 USgpm

 Heads
 up to 1'750 m / 5'500 ft.

 Pressures
 up to 180 bar / 2'610 psi

 Temperatures
 up to 180°C / 355°F



MBN medium pressure stage casing pump

Features and benefits

- · Simple construction to minimize dimensions and reduce investment and maintenance costs
- High quality investment cast impellers and diffusers for better efficiency
- Fast and easy impeller mounting
- Bearing unit can be serviced without disassembling the pump
- Wide range of materials including duplex stainless steel grades

Applications

· Feed water

Key characteristics

Capacitiesup to 700 m³/h / 3'080 USgpmHeadsup to 900 m / 2'950 ft.Pressuresup to 140 bar / 2'030 psiTemperaturesup to 180°C / 355°F



GSG diffuser style barrel pump

Features and benefits

- Direct drive options to 6 MW
- · Back-to-back rotor stack allows up to 16 stages
- Multiple sizes cover a broad hydraulic range
- · Low pressure, high pressure, twistlock, and high temperature designs suit many applications

Applications

Feed water

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Capacities Heads Pressures Temperatures

up to 900 m³/h / 4'600 USgpm up to 2'600 m / 10'000 ft. up to 300 bar / 4'500 psi up to 425°C / 800°F



Condensate extraction pumps

SJD-CEP vertical can mounted turbine type pump

Features and benefits

- · Carbon graphite product lubricated bearing in bowls and columns for long maintenance-free periods
- · Removable seal housing allows servicing throttle bushing without removing the head
- · Separate fabricated driver stand allows using one suction and discharge head per pump size
- Spacer coupling allows servicing the mechanical seal and thrust bearing as needed
- · Can is provided with lateral and anti-rotational ribs uniform inlet velocity along the can length
- · Various options available for the first stage impeller hydraulics, including double suction impeller allowing optimum sizing of pump

Applications

High pressure condensate extraction

Key characteristics

Capacities Heads Pressures Temperatures

up to 4'900 m³/h / 21'560 USgpm up to 400 m / 1'300 ft. up to 94 bar / 1'360 psi up to 100°C / 212°F



ZE end suction pump

Features and benefits

- Designed for hot or cold water medium design pressure applications with relatively low Net Positive Suction Head (NPSH) available
- Modular construction to provide maximum interchangeability of spares

Applications

- Condensate extraction
- · Boiler circulation
- HTF oil

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· Auxiliary services

Capacities	up to 2'600 m ³ /h / 11'440 USgpm
Heads	up to 300 m / 1'000 ft.
Pressures	up to 100 bar / 1'450 psi
Temperatures	up to 425°C / 800°F



Cooling water pumps

SJT vertical pump

Features and benefits

- Optimized hydraulics for high efficiency
- Packed stuffing box for reliable sealing and simple maintenance; mechanical seal is optional
- Rubber-lined product-lubricated bearing in bowls and columns for long maintenance-free periods;
- other bearing materials also available
- Spacer coupling allows servicing of the seal and thrust bearing as required

Applications

- Cooling water pumps
- Auxiliary services

Key characteristics

 Capacities
 up to 12'000 m³/h / 52'840 USgpm

 Heads
 up to 1'830 m / 6'000 ft.

 Pressures
 up to 78 bar / 1'130 psi

 Temperatures
 up to 100°C / 212°F



SMD and SMN axially split casing double suction pumps

Features and benefits

- Optimum hydraulic fit with high efficiency maintained over a wider flow range
- Exceptionally low Net Positive Suction Head Required (NPSHR) value not only at the best efficiency point but also on overload
- Maintenance-friendly features; excellent interchangeability of parts
- Horizontal and vertical constructions

Applications

- Feed water
- Condensate extraction

Key characteristics

Capacities Heads Pressures Temperatures up to 25'000 m³/h / 110'000 USgpm up to 260 m / 850 ft. up to 34 bar / 490 psi up to 140°C / 280°F



ZPP double suction axially split single stage pump

Features and benefits

- Exceeds requirements of international ISO 5199 standard
- Unique, patented and superior design features minimize life cycle costs
- Quick and easy installation, reliable operation, easy maintenance and service

Applications

· Feed water

Capacities	up to 25'000 m ³ /h / 110'000 USgpm
Heads	up to 160 m / 525 ft.
Pressures	up to 20 bar / 290 psi
Temperatures	up to 120 °C / 250 °F



Auxiliary pumps

AHLSTAR end suction single stage long coupled centrifugal pump

Features and benefits

- Exceeds standard requirements of international ISO 5199 and ISO 2858 standards
- Suitable for the most demanding industrial applications
- Unique, patented and superior design features minimize life cycle costs
- Quick and easy installation, reliable operation, easy maintenance and service

Applications

- Cooling water pumps
- Auxiliary services

Key characteristics

Capacitiesup to 11'000 m³/h / 48'400 USgpmHeadsup to 160 m / 525 ft.Pressuresup to 25 bar / 360 psiTemperaturesup to 180°C / 355°F



SNS end suction single stage centrifugal pump

Features and benefits

- Designed to meet the design requirement of EN ISO 5199 international standard
- Exceeding EU's (European Union) requirements for energy-related products (ErP)
- Highest efficiency across the whole pump range, exceeding the benchmark efficiency index MEI 0.7 (Minimum Efficiency Index)
- New, state-of-the art hydraulics ensure optimum capacity with low net positive suction head required (NPSHr)
- Low energy consumption, high standardization, easy installation and unique construction also equate to lower maintenance and operating costs

Applications

· Auxiliary services

Key characteristics

Capacitiesup to 1'400 m³/h / 6'000 USgpmHeadsup to 160 m / 525 ft.Pressuresup to 16 bar / 230 psiTemperaturesup to 120°C / 250°F



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