

# Installation and Operating Instructions for Davey HM Series Pressure Systems with Pressure Switch

(Pressure Tank required and purchased seperately)



NOTE: Prior to installation remove the inlet and outlet pipe transport plugs & associated seals from the suction and/or discharge ports.





WARNING: The Torrium2 controller, pump and associated pipework operate under pressure. Under no circumstances should the Torrium2 controller, pump or associated pipework be disassembled unless the internal pressure of the unit has been relieved. Failure to observe this warning will expose persons to the possibility of personal injury and may also result in damage to the pump, pipework or other property.



WARNING: Failure to follow these instructions and comply with all applicable codes may cause serious bodily injury and/or property damage.

Please pass these instructions on to the operator of this equipment.

Prior to using this pump you must ensure that:

- The pump is installed in a safe and dry environment
- The pump enclosure has adequate drainage in the event of leakage
- Any transport plugs are removed
- The pipe-work is correctly sealed and supported
- The pump is primed correctly
- The power supply is correctly connected
- · All steps have been taken for safe operation

Appropriate details for all of these items are contained in the following Installation and Operating Instructions. Read these in their entirety before switching on this pump. If you are uncertain as to any of these Installation and Operating Instructions please contact your Davey dealer or the appropriate Davey office as listed on the back of this document.

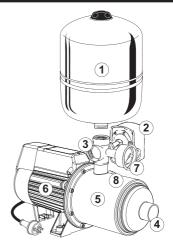
Congratulations on your purchase of a high quality, Australian built Davey pressure system. All components have been designed and manufactured to give trouble free, reliable operation.

Before installing your new pump, please read all instructions carefully as failures caused by incorrect installation or operation are not covered by the guarantee. Your Davey pressure system is designed to handle clean water. The system should not be used for any other purpose without specific referral to Davey. The use of the system to pump flammable, corrosive and other materials of a hazardous nature is specifically excluded.



NOTE: Prior to installation remove the red transport plugs from the suction and/or discharge.

- 1. Pressure Tank (purchase seperately)
- 2. Pressure Switch
- 3. Discharge Outlet
- 4. Suction Inlet
- 5. Pump Body
- 6. Motor
- 7. Pressure Gauge
- 8. Priming Plug (pump)
- 9. Non-Return Valve (not illustrated, supplied loose)



#### **Pressure Tank**

Your Davey HM Series Pressure Pump requires the connection of a Hydro Pneumatic pressure vessel. This can be connected by screwing it directly on to the top of the discharge outlet or can be connected via a hose to the side of the discharge tee.

We recommend the Davey Supercell range of tanks.

# **Pressure Switch Setting and Tank Precharge**

Your Davey HM Series Pressure Pump should have the correct pressure switch settings for zero suction lift. If your pump is installed with a suction lift you may need to have the cut out switch settings adjusted. The pressure tank(s) fitted must be air pre-charged as per the table in the maintenance section of these instructions.

# **Choosing a Site**

Choose a site with a firm base and as close to the water source as possible with correct power supply. Make sure your pressure system is always connected to an adequate, reliable source of clean water.

# **Housing your Davey Pressure System**

To protect your pressure system from the weather, make sure the pump house is both water proof, frost free and has adequate ventilation. The pump should be horizontally mounted on a firm base allowing for drainage, to avoid damage to flooring etc., that over time may occur from leaking pipe joints or pump seals. Do not mount the pump vertically. Never place flammable materials on or near your pump.





WARNING: Some insects, such as small ants, find electrical devices attractive for various reasons. If your pump enclosure is susceptible to insect infestation you should implement a suitable pest control plan.



WARNING: Do not use hydrocarbon based or hydrocarbon propelled sprays around the electrical components of this pump.

### **Power Connection**

Connect lead to power supply designated on pump label. Do not use long extension leads as they cause substantial voltage drop, poor pump performance and may cause motor overload.



The electrical connections and checks must be made by a qualified electrician and comply with applicable local standards. Poor installation or poor power supply may even result in electrical fires!



In accordance with AS 3350.2.41 we are obliged to inform you that this pump is not to be used by children or infirm persons and must not be used as a toy by children.

# **Electrical Power Surge Protection**

An electrical power surge or spike can travel on the supply lines and cause serious damage to your electrical equipment.

If the installation is subject to electrical power surges or lightning we strongly recommend the use of suitable additional surge protection devices on ALL electrical equipment.

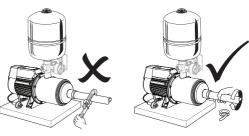
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NOTE: For protection, the Davey pump motors are fitted with an automatic reset thermal overload, constant tripping of this overload indicates a problem e.g. low voltage at pump, excessive temperature (above 50°C) in pump enclosure.

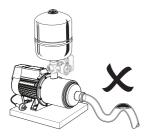
## **Pipe Connections**

For best performance use P.V.C. or polythene pipes at least the same diameter as the pump's inlet and delivery outlet openings. Larger diameter pipe may be used to minimise resistance to flow when pumping longer distances.





Do not use pipe thread sealing compounds on any part of this pump. ONLY use Teflon sealing tape.



Use unions at pipe connections to enable easy removal and servicing. Use sufficient tape to ensure airtight seal and hand tighten only. To prevent strain on pump threads always support heavy inlet and outlet pipes. If there is a likelihood the water supply may contain solid particles such as pieces of plant or vegetable matter, a filter should be installed

before the pump to avoid blocking of water ways. Lay suction pipe at a constant gradient to avoid air pockets which may reduce pump efficiency.



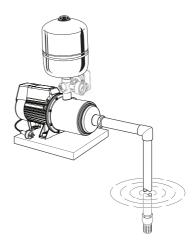
NOTE: Suction leaks are the largest cause of poor pump performance and are difficult to detect. Ensure all connections are completely sealed using thread tape only.

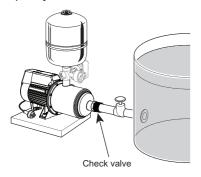


DO NOT USE THREAD SEALING COMPOUNDS, HEMP OR PIPE DOPE!

# Where to use Check Valves and Foot Valves

A check valve is required for fitting to installations with flooded or positive suction. Care should be taken to ensure that it is correctly installed in the suction line for installations with flooded or positive suction. Installations with flooded suction require a gate valve so water supply can be turned off for pump removal and servicing. On installations with a suction lift a good quality foot valve with strainer is required.





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**Abrasive Materials** 

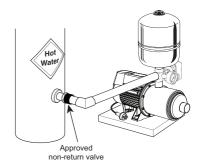
The pumping of abrasive materials will cause damage to the pressure system which will then not be covered by the guarantee.

# For Automatic Pressure Pumps Installed with a Mains Pressure Hot Water System

To protect your system from damage caused by back pressure from hot water systems. You should always have installed on the hot water inlet an approved non-return valve.

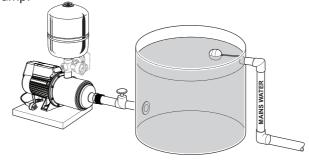


NOTE: Always ensure hot water systems are installed in compliance with manufacturers recommendations and in accordance with all local regulations.



# Connection of Mains Scheme or Town Water Supply to either Suction or Discharge of Pumps & Pressure Systems

Most Water Supply Authorities have strict regulations regarding direct connection of pumps to mains water supplies. In most cases an isolating tank is required between mains supply and pump. Davey also recommend this method. Directly applied mains pressure can exceed pump operating pressure and damage pump.

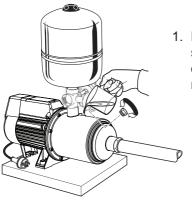


Davey Water Products Pty Ltd can not accept responsibility for loss or damage resulting from incorrect or unauthorised installations.

# **Priming and Operation**



WARNING: When servicing or attending pump, always ensure power is switched off and lead unplugged. Electrical connections should be serviced only by qualified persons. If the electrical supply lead of this pressure system is damaged, it must be replaced.



 Remove priming plug and fill casing and suction line (on flooded suction, simply open gate valve to pump). When full, replace priming plug.



2. Ensure outlet nearest to pump is open.

- 3. Ensure all valves in suction line are open and plug into electrical supply.
- 4. Switch on power and the pump will run. A full flow of water should be discharged from the open tap. Allow water to flow for 10-20 seconds, or at least until all air has been expelled from the pump and then close the outlet.



5. If the pump stops pumping (no water flow), with the tap open, stop the pump and repeat from Step 1 onwards.

If the pump motor stops with the tap open see troubleshooting checklist.

Close the open outlet or tap and the pump should stop after a few seconds. If not, stop the pump and repeat from Step 1 onwards or consult the troubleshooting checklist.

#### **Maintenance**

The only regular attention your new pressure system requires is to check the pressure tank's air charge every 6 months.

This can be checked at the air valve with a tyre gauge. Do not charge tank to a higher pressure than 14 kPa below cut-in pressure setting.

To check air pressure in tank:

- 1. Switch off pump.
- 2. Open outlet nearest to pump to release water pressure.
- 3. Remove air valve cap from top of Supercell tank and charge tank to correct pressure using air pump and check with tyre gauge.
- 4. Switch on.
- Close outlet.

#### NOTE:

Your pump is designed to operate as an automatic pressure system. The pressure tank will require a specific precharge air pressure dependent upon model.

While your pressure tank may have been precharged in manufacture, the precharge pressure should be checked upon installation and every 6 months thereafter. Follow the instructions on the tank. As a guide, the precharge settings are listed below:-

	Pressure Settings		
Pump Model	Cut Out kPa	Cut In kPa	Tank kPa
HM270-19P	300	200	180
HM60-06P	400	250	230
HM90-08P			
HM160-15P			
HM270-25P			
HM60-08P	500	300	280
HM90-11P			
HM160-19P			
HM60-10P	620	350	330
HM90-13P			



Note: The above are standard settings which may be adjusted according to site conditions. Any adjustments should only be made by a suitably qualified and experienced person.

## **Trouble Shooting Check List**

#### A) MOTOR RUNS WHEN SWITCHED ON BUT DOES NOT PUMP.

- 1. Suction line and pump body not filled with water.
- 2. Air leaks in suction lines or suction pipe not under water.
- 3. Air trapped in suction lines (also possible with flooded suction due to uneven rise in piping; eliminate humps and hollows).
- 4. No water at source or water level too low.
- 5. Valve on suction line closed.

#### B) PUMP SWITCHES ON AND OFF FREQUENTLY (CYCLING).

- 1. Check that tank air pressure is correct.
- 2. Leaking taps, float valves etc. Check plumbing.
- Leaking check valve/foot valve.
- 4. Pressure Switch may require adjustment to cater for flooded suction installations consult your Davey dealer for advice.

#### C) MOTOR DOESN'T START WHEN SWITCHED ON

- 1. Power not connected.
- 2. Supply voltage too low.
- 3. "Over temperature" cut out tripped.\*
- 4. Motor not free to turn e.g. a jammed impeller.
- 5. Internal motor fault.



NOTE: For protection, single phase Davey pump motors are fitted with an automatic "over temperature" cut-out. Constant tripping of this overload device indicates a problem e.g. Low voltage at pump, excessive temperature (above 50°C) in pump enclosure.



WARNING: When servicing or attending pump, always ensure power is switched off and lead unplugged. Electrical connections should be serviced only by qualified persons. If the electrical supply lead of this pressure system is damaged, it must only be replaced by authorised Davey service personnel as special tools are required.



Care should also be taken when servicing or disassembling pump to avoid possible injury from hot pressurised water. Unplug pump, relieve pressure by opening a tap on the discharge side of the pump and allow any hot water in the pump to cool before attempting to dismantle.



NOTE: For protection, the Davey® pump motor is fitted with an automatic "over temperature" cut-out. Constant tripping of this overload device indicates a problem e.g. low voltage at pump, excessive ambient temperature (above 50°C) in pump enclosure.



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During servicing, use only approved, non-petrochemical based oring and gasket lubrication. If unsure, consult your Davey Dealer for advice.



WARNING: Do not use hydrocarbon based or hydrocarbon propelled sprays around the electrical components of this pump.



WARNING: Automatic reset thermal overloads will allow the pump to restart without warning. ALWAYS disconnect the pump motor from the electrical supply before maintenance or repairs.

#### **Davey Warranty**

Davey Water Products come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the local country Law. You are entitled to a replacement, or refund for a major failure and compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss, or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure.

Davey Water Products Pty Ltd (Davey) of 6 Lakeview Drive Scoresby VIC 3179 provides the following warranty in relation this product. Davey warrants that, subject to the exclusions and limitations below, the product will be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of 24 months from the date of purchase (warranty period).

If a defect appears in the product before the end of the warranty period and Davey finds the product to be defective in materials or workmanship, Davey will, in its sole discretion, either:

- 1. replace or repair the product or the defective part of the product free of charge; or
- 2. arrange for the product or the defective part of the product to be repaired or replaced by a qualified repairer free of charge.

Davey reserves the right to replace defective parts of the product with parts or components of similar quality, grade and composition where an identical part or component is not available. Goods presented for repair may be replaced by refurbished goods of the same type rather than being repaired.

#### Warranty claims:

- 1. If a fault covered by the warranty occurs, Davey suggests, in the first instance, that you contact the Davey Dealer from whom you purchased the product. Alternatively, you can: phone the Davey Customer Service line on 1300 367 866 in Australia, or 0800 654 333 in New Zealand; send a written letter to Davey at the address listed above; or email sales@davev.com.au.
- Any warranty claim must be accompanied by proof of purchase and details of the alleged defect.
- On receipt of your claim, Davey will seek to resolve your difficulties, or if the product is faulty or defective, advise you on how to have your product repaired, obtain a replacement or a refund.
- 4. This warranty is limited to defects in the materials or workmanship in the product and does not cover expendable parts or the replacement of parts due to fair wear and tear.

#### **Exclusions:**

The warranty will not apply where:

- 1. The Product has been modified, repaired or serviced by someone other than Davey, or an authorised repairer.
- 2. Davey cannot establish any fault in the product after testing.
- 3. The product has been used other than for the purpose for which it was designed.
- The product has been subject to abnormal conditions, whether of temperature, water, humidity, pressure, stress or similar.
- 5. The purchaser has used or fitted non-genuine, or non-approved parts and accessories.
- 6. The Product defect has arisen due to abuse, misuse, neglect or accident.
- The Product defect has arisen due to the purchaser's failure to properly maintain or use the product.
- 8. The damage has been caused by the use of chemicals and detergents not approved by Davey.

Should your Davey product require repair or service after the warranty period, please contact your nearest Davey Dealer, or phone or email the Davey Customer Service Centre. For a complete list of Davey Dealers please visit our website.



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<sup>\*</sup> Installation and operating instructions are included with the product when purchased new. They may also be found on our website.