

Convertible Jet Pumps

Models DDJ500 & DDJ750

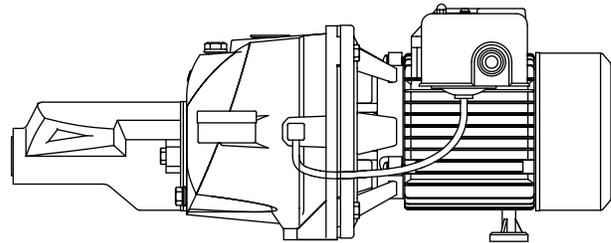
Operating & Installation Instructions

Please read these instructions carefully. Failure to comply with instructions and designed operation of this system may void the warranty.

Your pump has been carefully packaged at the factory to prevent damage during shipping. However, occasional damage may occur due to rough handling. **Carefully inspect your pump** for damage that could cause failure. Report any damage to your carrier or your point of purchase.

This pump is designed for shallow well installation for water level up to 25 feet, with injector screwed on pump body; or for deep well installation for water level up to 80 feet, with 2 pipes and injector down in the well. A pressure switch and pressure gauge are standard features. The DuroJet Convertible Jet Pump can be mounted to either a precharged horizontal pressure tank or used with a precharged free standing pressure tank. The pumps can also be used with conventional air to water tanks. For deep well applications, use #60193 control valve (sold separately).

NOTE: Pre-assembled pump and precharged pressure tank packages are also available.



General Safety Information

1. Know the pump application, limitations and potential hazards.
 - **Always install a pressure relief valve to match the system pressure rating and the maximum flow rate.**
 - **Disconnect power and relieve all pressure from the system before attempting to install, service, relocate or perform any maintenance. Lock the power disconnect in the open position. Tag the power disconnect to prevent unexpected application of power. Install a screen around the inlet pipe to prevent entrapment of swimmers (if applicable).**
2. Drain all liquids from the system before servicing.
3. Secure the discharge line before starting the pump. An unsecured discharge line will whip and possibly cause personal injury and/or property damage.
4. Check hoses for weak or worn conditions before each use. Make certain all connections are secure.
5. Periodically inspect pump and system components. Perform maintenance as required.
6. Personal Safety:
 - a. Wear safety glasses at all times when working with pumps.
 - b. Keep work area clean, uncluttered and properly lighted – replace all unused tools and equipment.
 - c. Keep visitors at a safe distance from work area.
7. When installing pump, cover the well to prevent foreign matter from falling into well and contaminating the water and damaging internal mechanical pumping components.
8. Always test the water from the well for purity before use. Check with local health department for test procedure.
9. Complete pump and piping system **MUST** be protected against freezing temperatures. Freezing temperatures could cause severe damage and void the warranty.

Pre-installation

Tanks – Conventional Storage (Air to Water Tank)

The function of the tank is to store a quantity of water under pressure. When full, the tank contains approximately 2/3 water and 1/3 compressed air. The compressed air forces the water out of the tank when a faucet is opened. An air volume control automatically replaces air lost or absorbed into the water. The usable water, or drawdown capacity, of the tank is approximately 1/6 of the tanks total volume.

NOTE: If you have a conventional tank using an air volume control, the tube to the air volume control must be connected to the pump suction pipe.

Tanks – Precharged Storage

A precharged storage tank has a flexible bladder or diaphragm that acts as a barrier between the compressed air and the water. This barrier prevents the air from being absorbed into the water and allows the water to be acted on by compressed air at initially higher than atmospheric pressures (precharged). More usable water is provided than with a conventional type tank. Precharged tanks are specified in terms of a conventional tank. For example, a 20 gallon precharged tank will provide the same usable water or drawdown capacity as a 40 gallon conventional tank, but the tank is smaller in size.

Pressure Switch

The pressure switch provides for automatic operation. The pump starts when pressure drops to a cut-in setting. The pump stops when pressure reaches a cut-out setting.

Wells

A new well should be pumped clear of sand before installing the pump. Sand will damage the pumping parts and seal. The drawdown level of the well should not exceed the maximum rated depth for the pump. The capacity of the pump will be reduced and a loss of prime may occur.

Location

Select a location as close to the water supply as possible. Be sure to comply with any provincial/state or local codes regarding the placement of the pump. The equipment must be protected from the elements. A basement, frost-proof pit or heated pump house are good locations. Make sure the pump has proper ventilation.

Piping

Piping may be copper, rigid PVC plastic or flexible polyethylene plastic.

The pipe must be clean and free of rust or scale. Use a pipe joint compound on the male threads of the metal pipe. Teflon tape should be used with plastic threads. All connections must be air tight to insure normal operation.

Slope all inlet piping upwards towards the pump to prevent trapping air. Unions or hose couplings can be installed near the pump to facilitate removal for servicing or storage.

Pipe Sizes

Long horizontal pipe runs and an abundance of fittings and couplers decrease water pressure due to friction loss.

Friction losses in the suction pipe must be taken into consideration when the horizontal offset is greater than 50 feet. The suction pipes should be increased from 1" to 1-1/4" and from 1-1/4" to 1-1/2". This will reduce friction losses and allow the pump to give maximum performance.

Never run the pump dry. Damage to the seal may occur. fill pump body and suction pipe with before turning on the power.

Motor Switch Settings

The motor is set at the factory to 230 volts. Do not change motor voltage setting if line voltage is 230 volts.

NOTE: NEVER WIRE A 115 VOLT MOTOR TO A 230 VOLT LINE.

DuroJet Convertible Shallow Well Jet Pump Application

The DuroJet Convertible Shallow Well Jet Pumps have only one pipe between the pump and the water supply. This pump is designed for pumping potable water in applications where water is located less than 25 feet vertically from the pump.

Drilled Well

1. Install a foot valve on the first section of pipe.
2. Lower the pipe into the well.
3. Add pipe until the foot valve is 5 feet below the lowest anticipated water level.
CAUTION! The foot valve should be at least 18" from the bottom of the well or sand or sediment could be drawn into the system.
4. After the proper depth is reached, install a well seal or pitless adapter to support the pipe and prevent surface water and other contaminants from entering the well.
5. Slope the horizontal pipe upward toward the pump to eliminate trapping air. Sloping the pipe will also aid in priming the pump.
6. Fasten the pump down securely in its permanent location to minimize pump vibration when operating.

Driven Well (or Sandpoint Well)

1. Drive the point several feet below the water table.

NOTE: A packer-type foot valve can be installed in the well. This type of foot valve allows the well to be filled with water when priming and makes the inlet pipe much easier to test for leaks. Follow the manufacturer's instructions when installing the packer-type foot valve. As an alternative, an in-line check valve can be used with a driven well. The pipe between the check valve and the water level will always be under vacuum. Leaking joints or couplings will allow air to leak into the pipe and cause abnormal pump operation. Make sure to use pipe joint compound on all male pipe threads.

Dug Out, Cistern, Lake and Spring Installation

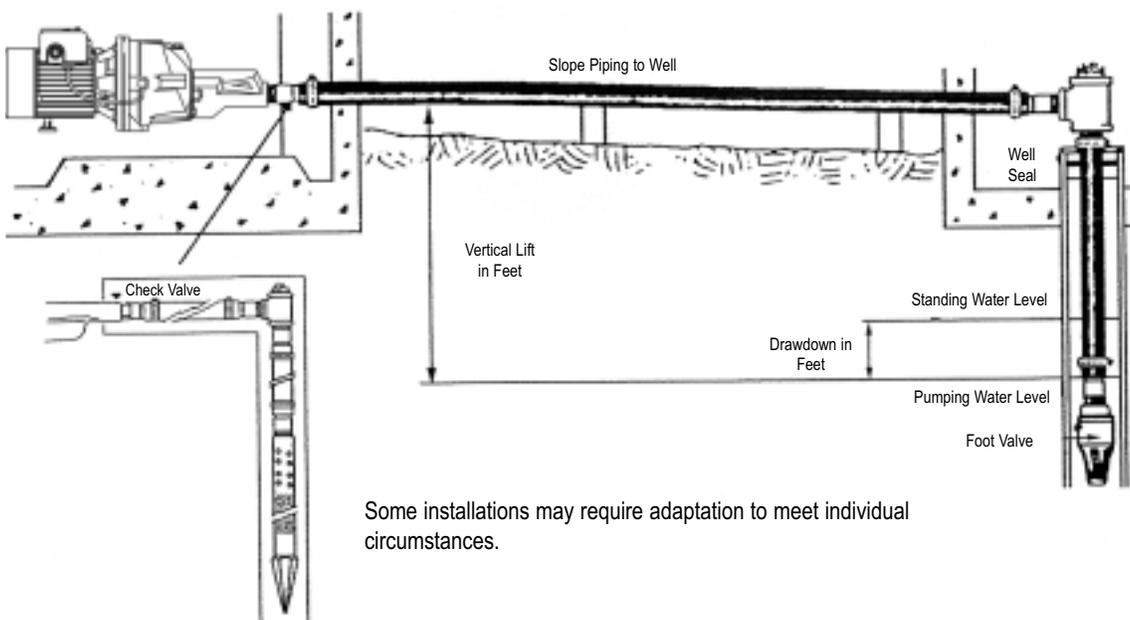
1. Install a foot valve on the inlet pipe and lower into the water.

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NOTE: When a lake is used as a water supply, make sure the inlet pipe is deep enough to be submerged at all times. Slope the horizontal piping upward toward the pump to prevent trapping air. The pipe must be removed during winter months or protected against freezing.

- Protect the pipe from damage from swimmers and boats.
- Install a screen around the inlet pipe to prevent entrapment of swimmers.

Typical DuroJet Convertible Shallow Well Jet Pump Installation



DuroJet Convertible Shallow Well Jet Pump with Conventional Storage Tank

1. Install air volume control on tank.
2. Connect the tube from the air volume control to the tee in the suction. Be sure the connections are tight. Leaking can cause the pump not to prime.
3. Install a valve and an isolator hose between the tank and the hose plumbing to aid in pump removal for servicing and for reducing the noise transmitted to the house through the piping.
4. Provide a hose bib (faucet) at the lowest point in the system to drain the system for service or storage.

DuroJet Convertible Shallow Well Jet Pump with Precharged Storage Tank

1. Shut off the power to the pump.
2. Open the faucet nearest the tank and allow all water to drain from the tank.
3. Measure the tank precharge at the valve stem using a tire pressure gauge.
4. If necessary, precharge with an air pump to 2 PSI below the cut in pressure of the pump.
5. Slope the horizontal pipes upward toward the pump to prevent trapping air. If the horizontal distance exceeds 25 ft.

DuroJet Convertible Deep Well Jet Pump Installation Instructions

The DuroJet Convertible Deep Well Jet Pumps have two pipes and the injector is down in the well. This pump is designed for pumping potable water in applications where the water level is up to 80 feet.

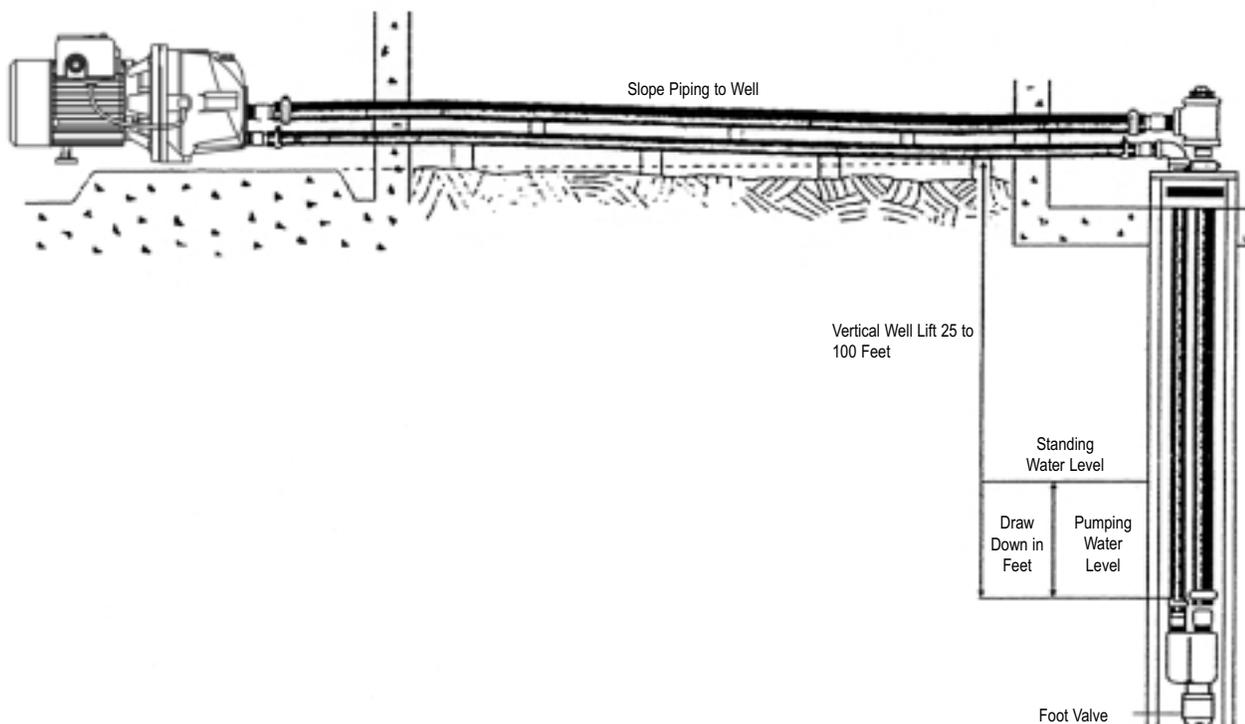
Drilled Well

1. Assemble the foot valve to the ejector.
2. Connect suction pipe and drive line to the ejector as shown in the diagram on the following page.
3. Install the assembly so foot valve is submerged at least 10 feet below pumping level. Mechanical seal could be damaged by running the pump dry.

CAUTION! The foot valve should be at least 18" from the bottom of the well or sand or sediment could be drawn into the system.

4. After the proper depth is reached, install a well seal or pitless adapter to support the pipe and prevent surface water and other contaminants from entering the well.
5. Horizontal Piping - Connect horizontal piping to the well assembly. Gradually slope pipe up to the pump location, eliminating all dips and high spots and using as few elbow connections as possible. All pipe connections should be absolutely air tight for best pump performance.
6. Fasten the pump down securely in its permanent location to minimize pump vibration when operating.

Typical DuroJet Convertible Deep Well Jet Pump Installation



Electrical

We recommend that a licensed electrician be employed to do the proper wiring to pressure switch and to permanently ground the motor in accordance to the electrical codes in your area.

From your distribution panel to the pressure switch, we recommend a wire gauge not smaller than 14 gauge. All pumps should be wired to a separate circuit through a fused disconnect switch or circuit breaker.

The 1/2 hp or 3/4 hp model may be connected to a 115 volt supply with a 20 amp fuse or to a 230 volt supply with a 15 amp fuse. Instructions for wiring 1/2 hp pumps to the power supply can be found on the motor name plate. "Slow blow" fuses are recommended in all installations.

This is a dual voltage 115V/230V pump. The Voltage Selection Switch is located inside the terminal box. **Presently the pump is factory wired for use on 230V electrical outlets.** For 230V selection, please open the terminal cover and set the switch to the proper voltage.

Pressure switch settings can be (start/stop 20/40 or 30/50).

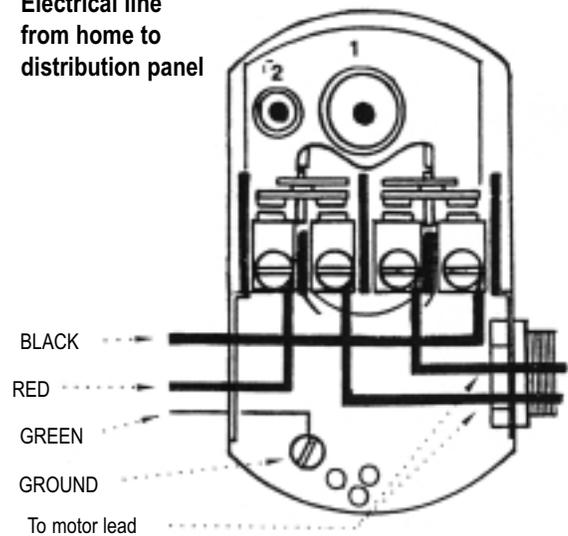
This pump is factory set to 30/50. An adjustment may be done to give other operating pressures.

Adjustment or modification of start/stop setting of pressure switch has to be done carefully. Turn adjustment nut half turn at a time.

Turn Nut 1 clockwise to raise start and stop pressure setting. **Never turn Nut 2. This will change the 20 PSI range between start and stop pressure and may damage your tank's bladder or modify the efficiency of your water system.** Check system operation after each adjustment.

All motors supplied with pumps have built-in thermal overload protection with automatic reset.

Electrical line
from home to
distribution panel



115/230V Switch

Operation

Priming the DuroJet Convertible Shallow Well Jet Pumps

To prevent damage to the pump, do not start motor until pump has been filled with water.

1. Remove prime plug.
2. Fill pump and piping completely full of cold water.
3. Replace the prime plug.
4. Open a faucet to vent the system.
5. Start the motor. Water will be pumped within a few minutes. If the pump fails to prime within 5 minutes, stop the motor and refill the pump with cold water. The priming time is proportional to the amount of air in the inlet pipe. Refill as often as necessary.
6. Let the system operate for several minutes to flush all pipes.
7. Close the faucet and allow the pump to build pressure in the tank. When the pressure reaches the cut-out setting, the motor will stop.

The system is now in operation and will automatically cycle on demand.

Disconnect power and release all pressure from the system before attempting to install, service, relocate or perform any maintenance. Lock the power disconnect in the open position. Tag the power disconnect to prevent unexpected application of power.

CAUTION! Protect pump from freezing during winter conditions.

Draining the DuroJet Convertible Shallow Well Jet Pump

Drain openings are provided on all models. To drain the pump:

1. Remove the drain fitting and the prime plug to vent the system.
2. Drain all piping to a point below the freeze line.

Priming and Setting the DuroJet Convertible Deep Well Jet Pumps

When using DuroJet pumps on deep well applications, a control valve is required. WaterGroup's part number for the Control Valve is 60193.

1. Remove prime plug from the pump discharge.
2. Fill pump and piping completely full of cold water.
3. Replace the prime plug
4. Place the control valve in the outlet port of the pump.
5. Start the pump. When the pump is properly primed, a high pressure will show immediately on the gauge.
6. If no pressure is shown, stop the pump and repeat Steps 1 - 3. Several attempts may be required before the pump is primed.
7. When the gauge shows high pressure, open two faucets on the system and slowly open the control valve until the maximum flow is obtained before pressure drops to zero. If pressure does drop to zero, close the control valve and repeat this step.
8. The pressure obtained in Step 6 will be the minimum operating pressure of the pump. The control valve should always be left in this position.
9. When the correct pressure is set, close the faucets. Pressure will rise to close the pressure switch and the pump will stop automatically.
10. With the pump primed and set, check operation by opening and closing faucets as necessary, allowing the pump to cycle automatically.

NOTE: Systems with long offset lines or driven well points may take several attempts to prime. If your pump does not prime within one or two minutes, repeat Steps 1 to 3. When the pump is primed and running, check operation by opening and closing faucets as necessary, allowing the pump to cycle automatically.

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Draining the Tank

Conventional tanks can be drained by opening an outlet at the lowest point in the system. Remove a plug or the air volume control to vent the tank.

Precharged tanks force virtually all the water from the tank when the system pressure is released. No draining is necessary.

Restarting Pump

If the pump has been serviced, drained, or has not been used for some time, be sure there is water in the pump housing (volute) and the piping to the well. There must be water in the pump housing (volute) at all times when the pump is running to avoid internal damage of seal members (see page seven for priming information).

Precharged Tank

Some air is lost through the bladder in any tank. To prevent tank failure, check the tank precharge on a yearly basis.

1. Open a faucet nearest the tank and allow all water to drain from the tank.
2. Measure the tank precharge at the valve stem using a tire gauge.
3. If necessary, adjust the precharge with an air pump to 2 PSI below the cut-in pressure of the pump.

Lubrication

The bearings used in the pumps are lifetime lubricated at the factory and require no additional lubrication.

Diagnosing Waterlogged Tanks – Conventional

When a tank system has an inadequate ratio of air and water, the pump will start and stop often and erratically.

1. Disconnect the power to the pump.
2. Open the lowest faucet in the system to release all pressurized water in the system.
3. Prime the pump.
4. Reconnect the power to the pump.

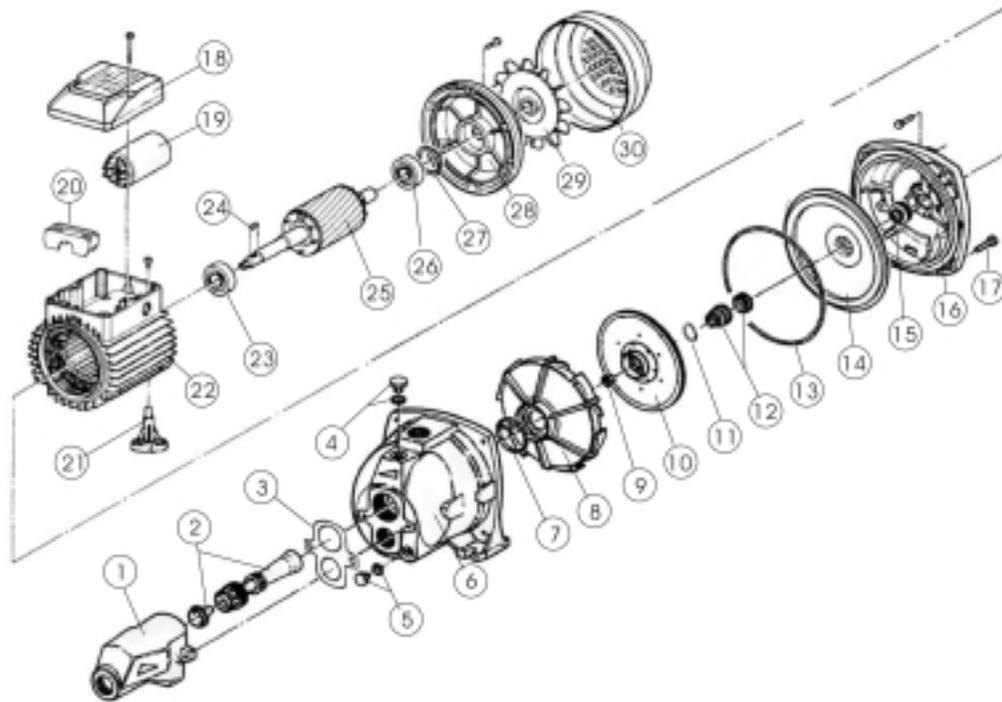
NOTE: As the pump refills the tank with water, the air volume control supplies the tank with the correct air to water ratio for the system to operate. If the air volume control is good, the pump will shut off at the desired cut-off and will be adjusted correctly.

Diagnosing Waterlogged Tanks – Precharged

If a precharged tank becomes waterlogged, the bladder is normally leaking or broken.

1. Test the tank by depressing the air valve. The air valve will expel water if the bladder is broken.
2. Replace the tank.

Disassembly for Cleaning DDJ500 (#6075) & DDJ750 (#6076)



<u>Part</u>	<u>Item Number</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Part</u>	<u>Item Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
1	302772	DDJ500, 1/2 Hp, Injector Body†	15	302744	Sand Slinger
	302729	DDJ750, 3/4 Hp, Injector Body	16	-	Pump Bracket
	302773	DDJ750, Kit, Ejector	17	-	Cap Screws
2	302772	DDJ500, 1/2 Hp, Venturi Assembly†	18	302745	Junction Box Cover
	302730	DDJ750, 3/4 Hp, Venturi Assembly	19	-	Capacitor
	302773	DDJ750, Kit, Ejector	20	-	Junction Block
3	302772	DDJ500, 1/2 Hp, Ejector Gasket†	21	302746	Motor Foot
	302731	DDJ750, 3/4 Hp, Ejector Gasket	22	-	Motor Housing & Stator
	302773	DDJ750, Kit, Ejector	23	-	Pump Side Bearing
4	302732	Priming Plug & Bowl Gasket	24	-	Impeller Shaft Key
5	302733	Drain Plug & Bowl Gasket	25	-	Rotor
6	302734	Pump Body	26	-	Fan Side Bearing
7	302735	Diffuser "O" Ring	27	-	Wavy Washer
8	302736	Diffuser	28	-	Motor End Belt
9	302737	Impeller Nut	29	-	Motor Fan
10	302738	DDJ500, 1/2 Hp, Impeller	30	302747	Fan Cover
	302739	DDJ750, 3/4 Hp, Impeller	31*	302771	Pressure Switch
11	302740	Snap Ring	32*	302748	DDJ500, 1/2 Hp, Complete Motor
12	302741	Mechanical Seal		302749	DDJ750, 3/4 Hp, Complete Motor
13	302742	Pump Body "O" Ring			
14	302743	Seal Plate			

†Parts 1-3 for DDJ500 are sold as one unit (#302772).

*These items are not shown.

Trouble Shooting Checklist

Problem	Cause	Solution
1. Motor will not run	a. Power supply failure b. Burned out motor	a. Make sure power is turned on. Check for blown fuses, loose or broken wires, low voltage supply, malfunctioning pressure switch. b. Replace. Check with dealer for warranty coverage.
2. No water supply	a. Motor not running b. Improper priming. c. Air leak in suction line d. Foot valve not submerged	a. See No. 1 above. b. Stop motor and re-prime pump. Repeat until all air is removed. A leaky foot valve could prevent proper priming in deep well pumps. c. Check by plugging pump discharge and screw Schrader valve into tapping on right hand side of pump. Raise pressure to about 80 lbs. with tire pump. If pressure falls off quickly, leak is present. Inspect all connections and pipe sections. Check with soapsuds. d. Check vertical distance to water level in well. Replace piping with longer length if necessary.
3. Motor overload - kicks out	a. Improper wiring b. Voltage too low c. Inadequate ventilation d. Pump cycling too often	a. Check wiring diagram to make sure connections are properly matched to voltage. b. Check at pump with voltmeter. Make sure wiring is heavy enough for long runs from power supply. c. Take steps to increase air flow through pump location or air circulation around motor. d. See No. 6 below.
4. Water supplied is below rated amount	a. Nozzle or impeller clogged b. Well lift too high c. Leak in piping d. Pressure control set too high e. Offset piping too small f. Failure in impeller or diffuser vanes	a. Disassemble pump and check nozzle, tube and impeller. b. Check water level in well to see actual pumping level. Measure vertical distance to pump and compare to tolerance for pump type. c. See No. 2c above. d. Compare minimum pressure on which capacity is based with operating pressure shown on gauge. e. Replace suction and drive lines with larger diameter pipe. f. Inspect for wear on impeller nose or internal blockage.
5. Pressure too low to shut off switch	a. Plugged ejector nozzle b. Switch out of adjustment c. Well lift too high d. Offset piping too small e. Foot valve partially plugged	a. Remove plug and clean out nozzle. b. Check cut-in and cut-out pressures with accurate gauge. Switch may have to be reset to lower pressure. c. See No. 4b above. d. Replace suction and drive lines with larger diameter pipe. e. Inspect foot valve screen and clear if necessary.
6. Pump cycling too often	a. Waterlogged pressure tank b. Hidden water loss	a. Check for faulty AVC or low pressure in pre-charged tank (see Diagnosing waterlogged tanks). b. Check for leaky faucets and pipes drawing from tank. Also check for leaks in foot valve bleeding water back to well.
7. Air delivered through faucet at low pressure	a. Air in pressure tank b. Leak in suction line	a. Check AVC tubing for loose fittings. b. See No. 2c above.
8. Pump is noisy	a. Suction line is plugged	a. Clear blockages from foot valve, ejector or piping.

GUARANTEE

This pump is guaranteed to do the work for which it is intended when properly installed and operated. It is warranted to be free of defects in material and workmanship for a period of two years from date of manufacture. The only exception shall be when proof of purchase or installation is provided and then the warranty period shall be from the date thereof.

How To Claim This Warranty

The dealer from whom you purchased your pump has a thorough knowledge of its operation and maintenance. If trouble develops, please consult the dealer.

If a pump or part should prove defective within 24 months, return it to your dealer, transportation charges prepaid. The repair will be made or a replacement pump or part will be supplied free of charge. The serial number of the pump must be supplied.

This warranty does not obligate the manufacturer to bear the cost of field labor or transportation in connection with the replacement or repair of defective parts or units, nor shall it apply to any product upon which repairs or alterations have been made, unless authorized by the manufacturer.

The manufacturer shall in no event be liable for consequential damages or contingent liabilities arising out of the failure of any product, its power unit or its accessories to operate properly. No express, implied or statutory warranty other than herein set forth is made authorized to be made by the manufacturer.

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