

Specifications and Construction

3LEV05-Series - 60 Hz

GENERAL

The contractor shall provide labor, material, equipment, and incidentals required (QTY) sewage pumps as specified herein. The pump models covered in this specification are 1-phase model 3LEV052, and 3-phase models 3LEV053, 3LEV054, and 3LEV055 vortex pumps. The pump furnished for this application shall be model _ _ as manufactured by Liberty Pumps.

OPERATING CONDITIONS

Each submersible pump shall be rated at 5 hp, ___ 60 Hz, 1725 RPM. The unit shall produce _____ GPM at __ dynamic head.

The submersible pump shall be capable of handling residential and commercial sewage with 3" solids handling capability. The 3LEV05-Series submersible pump shall have a shut-off head of 35 feet and a max flow of 411 GPM @ 10 feet of total dynamic head.

CONSTRUCTION

Each centrifugal sewage pump shall be equal to the Certified 3LEV05-Series pumps as manufactured by Liberty Pumps, Bergen NY. The casting enclosing the motor shall be constructed of class 25 cast iron. The motor housing shall be oilfilled to dissipate heat. Air-filled motors shall not be considered equal since they do not properly dissipate heat from the motor. Mating parts shall be machined and sealed with a Buna-N O-ring. All fasteners exposed to the process fluid shall be stainless steel. The motor shall be protected on the top side with a sealed cast iron cord entry plate. The motor shall be protected on the lower side with a single mechanical seal. The seal shall be a two-piece mechanical seal with silicon carbide faces. The upper and lower bearings shall be sized to properly withstand radial and thrust loads produced throughout the full operating range of the pump.

POWER CORD

The submersible pump shall be supplied with 35, 50, or 100 feet of a multiconductor cord of type SOOW. These type SOOW power cords carry a voltage rating of 600 V, a temperature rating of 90°C, have oil-resistant insulation, are water- and weather-resistant, UL listed, and CSA approved. The power cord shall be sized for the rated full load amps of the pump for continuous duty in accordance with the NEC®.

Standard Quick-connect cord shall offer quick cord replacement without the need to send the entire pump to an authorized repair facility. This shall also allow for pump maintenance without disturbing electrical boxes or control panels.

MOTOR

The motor shall be oil-filled, Class F insulated, and rated for continuous duty. Since air-filled motors are not capable of dissipating heat efficiently, they shall not be considered equal. Pumps requiring an auxiliary cooling means shall not be considered equal.

The copper stator windings shall be insulated with moisture-resistant Class F insulation materials, rated for 155°C. The maximum continuous temperature of pumped liquids shall be 40°C. The winding operating temperature at rated horsepower shall be a maximum of 140°C @ 40°C ambient.

Motor shall have thermal protector on 1-phase model 3LEV052 to cut power to motor in thermal overheat conditions.

CONTROL PANEL

All 3LEV05-Series pumps require a control panel. The control panel shall be equipped with circuit breakers and adjustable overload devices to protect against excess current or electrical problems. 1-phase model 3LEV052 shall additionally require run capacitors. External capacitor models (ending in -C) require capacitors in the control panel. The control panel shall be sized appropriately for the pump model(s) being controlled.

Pump Model (Horizontal & Vertical models)	Voltage	Control Panel Model		
		3 Float Simplex	3 Float Duplex	4 Float Duplex
3LEV052	200/230	SXK24=3	AE24K=3	AE24K=4
3LEV052-C*	200/230	SX24KC1=3	AE24KC2=3	AE24KC2=4
3LEV053	200/230	SX34=3-611	AE34=3-611	AE34=4-611
3LEV054	460	SX34=3-191	AE34=3-191	AE34=4-191
3LEV055	575	SX54=3-405	AE54=3-405	AE54=4-405
* 1-Phase Cap Kit K001747 required				

BEARINGS AND SHAFT

The shaft shall be supported by two radial ball bearings. Both bearings shall be permanently lubricated by the oil that fills the motor housing. Pump designs requiring scheduled bearing maintenance shall not be considered equal.

The motor shaft extension shall be made of 303 stainless steel. The shaft shall be designed to withstand the maximum torque and radial loads present during start-up and normal operation.



SEAL

The pump shall have one shaft seal. The mechanical seal shall be a two-piece design that is easily serviceable. Shaft seal shall not require scheduled maintenance. Seal shall be silicon carbide on silicon carbide. Seal shall include stainless steel housings and Buna elastomers.

IMPELLER

The impeller shall be ASTM class 30 cast iron, with optional silicon bronze material available. A vortex impeller design provides an efficient path through the impeller for solids to pass without getting caught or snagged. Impeller shrouds are designed to operate in close proximity to the pump volute casing to prevent solids from entering the seal area or recirculating back to the intake. The impeller shall be keyed and bolted onto the motor shaft.

QUALITY CONTROL

The pump shall be manufactured in an ISO 8 9001 certified facility. Manufactured in the USA with US and global components.

SUPPORT

The pump shall have cast iron support legs, enabling it to be a freestanding unit. The legs shall be high enough to allow solids and long, stringy debris to enter the pump inlet.

PROTECTIVE FINISH

The exterior of the casting shall be protected with corrosion-resistant baked-on epoxy powder coat.

TESTING

The pump shall have a ground continuity check and undergo a hi-pot test for electrical integrity, moisture content, and insulation defects. The motor housing shall be pressurized, and an air leak decay test performed to ensure integrity of the assembled unit. The pump shall be run, voltage and current monitored, and checked for noise or other malfunction. Certified performance testing is available upon request.

APPLICATIONS

- Municipal Engineered Lift Stations
- Storm Water Removal
- Wastewater Transfer
- Industrial Wastewater
- Treatment Plants

MATERIAL FEATURES: PUMP

- Solids 3" Spherical Capability
- Discharge 4" Horizontal 150# ANSI
- Seal Silicon Carbide/Silicon Carbide
- Construction Cast Iron ASTM A48, Class 25, 25,000# Tensile Strength, Protected with a Corrosion-Resistant Baked-on Epoxy Powder Coating
- Hardware Stainless Steel
- O-ring Seals Buna-N
- Cast Iron Impeller Vortex
- · Standard Quick-connect Power Cord
- Thermal Protector on 1-phase Models
- · Optional:
 - · Vertical Discharge
 - Cord Length Options (feet) 35, 50, 100
 - Silicon Bronze Impeller
 - Internal or External Capacitors on 1-phase Models

MATERIAL FEATURES: MOTOR

- 1-Phase 200/230 Volt, 1725 RPM
- 3-Phase 200/230, 460, 575 Volt, 1725 RPM
- Class F Insulation
- · Oil-filled Motor Housing
- Cast Iron Housing
- Continuous Duty Operation
- · Bearings
 - Upper Single Row Deep Groove Radial Contact
 - Lower Single Row Deep Groove Radial Contact



LIMITED WARRANTY

Liberty Pumps, Inc. warrants that pumps of its Engineered Product line are free from all factory defects in material and workmanship for a period of 18 months from the date of installation or 24 months from the date of manufacture, whichever occurs first, and provided that such products are used in compliance with their intended applications as set forth in the Liberty Engineered Products specifications and technical manuals. The date of installation shall be determined by a completed pump start-up report and warranty registration form.

A pump startup report, filled out by a qualified installer, is required for warranty to take effect. The report must be submitted within 30 days from the installation date and submitted through the Liberty Pumps website. During the warranty period, the manufacturer's obligation, and at its discretion, shall be limited to the repair or replacement of any parts found by the manufacturer to be defective, provided the product is returned freight prepaid to the manufacturer or its authorized service center, and provided that none of the following warranty-voiding characteristics are evident:

The manufacturer shall not be liable under this Warranty if the product has not been properly installed or maintained in accordance with the printed instructions provided; if it has been disassembled, modified, abused or tampered with; if the pump discharge has been reduced in size; if the pump has been used in water temperatures above those shown in the specifications; if the thermal overload(s) and seal moisture probe(s) have not been properly connected (where equipped); if the pump has been used in water containing sand, lime, cement, gravel or other abrasives; if the product has been used to pump chemicals or hydrocarbons; if the product has been moved from its original installation location, or if the label bearing the serial and code number has been removed.

Liberty Pumps, Inc. shall not be liable for any loss, damage or expenses resulting from installation or use of its products, or for consequential damages, including field labor costs, travel expenses, rental equipment, costs of removal, reinstallation or transportation to and from the factory or an authorized Liberty Pumps repair facility.

There is no other express warranty. All implied warranties, including those of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose, are limited to 18 months from the date of installation or 24 months from the manufacturing date. This Warranty contains the exclusive remedy of the purchaser, and, where permitted, liability for consequential or incidental damages under any and all warranties are excluded.