# **Dankoff Solar Force Piston Pump**



Dankoff Solar Force Piston Pump draws water from a shallow well, spring, pond, river or tank. It can push water uphill and over long distances for home, village, irrigation or livestock uses. It can use power directly from a photovoltaic array or from storage batteries to fill a storage tank or to pressurize water.

#### **Ultra-Efficient**

Uses less power than any other pump in its range

#### Franchical

Reduces power system cost by 25-75 % compared to centrifugal or AC pumps

### **Solar-Direct Application**

Starts pumping in low light conditions

## **Pressurizing Application**

DC version is most efficient. AC version uses a low-surge permanent magnet motor that greatly reduces starting surge, inverter size, and wire size requirements (when compared to conventional AC pumps).

## **Rugged and Reliable**

Proven design with a 20-year life expectancy, simple to maintain with common tools (5-10 yr. maintenance interval)

## Good Tolerance for Dirt and Dry Run

# Mechanical Drive

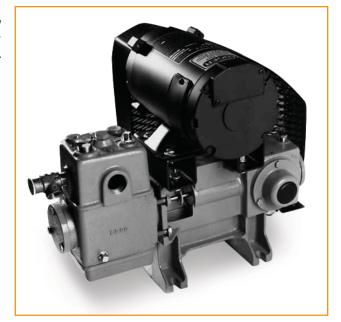
Allows engine or hand-lever backup

#### Illustrated Instruction Manual

Makes it easy for anyone to install and service, with no previous experience

#### Construction

- I Cast iron body
- | Brass cylinder and valve seats
- Leather cup piston seals
- Neoprene valve seals
- Oil-bath crankcase
- I Gear (timing) belt drive on PV models
- Standard V-belt on B models
- I Pressure relief valve
- | Permanent Magnet DC Motor
- I Surge tank included (not in photo)





## Voltages Available

- 12, 24, 48 V DC
  - Note: PV-Direct full working voltage is typically 20 % higher than nominal (example: 29 V for a 24 V system)
- 115 V or 230 V AC, 50-60 Hz



## **Suction Capacity**

25 vertical feet (7.6 m) at sea level. Subtract 1 foot for every 1000 ft. elevation (1 m for every 1,000 m). Suction capacity may be further limited by intake pipe friction.

Intake piping should be minimum 1" (3010, 3020 models) or minimum 1  $^{1}/_{4}$ " (3040). For best reliability, place the pump as close to the water source as possible.

### **System Requirements**

- I Solar-Direct Systems: Chart indicates power (w) required at the pump. The rated power of the PV array must exceed this number by 20 % or more. A pump controller (linear current booster) is required for the pump to start and run in varying light conditions. A solar tracker may be used to increase daily yield (40-55 % in summer).
- I Pressurizing Systems: battery power system, pressure switch, and pressure tank of minimum 60 gallon (230 l) size (captive-air tank, available locally)

#### **Fittings**

- Intake: 1 1/4" female pipe thread
- Outlet: 1" female pipe thread

#### **Dimensions**

- 1 22 x 13 x 16" high (56 x 33 x 41 cm)
- I With Surge Tank (not shown in photo), total height 26" (60 cm)
- Weight, max. 80 lbs (36 kg) Shipped in 2 or 3 boxes

### Warranty

2 years against defects in materials and workmanship

#### **Reading the Chart**

Total Lift = vertical Distance from surface of the water source to the pipe outlet or top of storage tank

Model Designation:

V=voltage, B=battery model, PV=PV array-direct model

## **Technical data Conergy Solar Force Piston Pump**

		V = Voltage • Specify 12, 24, 48, 115, 230 AC											
Total Vertical Lift				Model	Model # 3010 -V- B			Model # 3020 -V- B or PV			Model # 3040 -V- B or PV		
Feet	Meters	PSI	KG/sq.cm	GPM	Lpm	Watts	GPM	Lpm	Watts	GPM	Lpm	Watts	
20	6.1	8.7	0.61	5.9	22.3	77	5.2	19.7	110	9.3	35.2	168	
40	12.2	17.4	1.22	5.6	21.3	104	5.2	19.7	132	9.3	35.2	207	
60	18.3	26	1.83	5.3	20.2	123	5.1	19.3	154	9.2	34.9	252	
80	24.4	35	2.44	5.0	19.7	152	5.1	19.3	182	9.2	34.9	286	
100	30.5	43	3.05	5.1	09.2	171	5.0	18.9	202	9.1	34.5	322	
120	36.6	52	3.66	4.9	19.2	200	5.0	18.9	224	9.1	34.5	364	
140	42.7	60	4.27	4.9	18.7	226	5.0	18.9	252	9.1	34.5	403	
160	48.8	70	4.88				4.9	18.6	269				
180	54.9	78	5.49				4.9	18.6	280				
200	61.0	87	6.10				4.8	18.2	308				
220	67.1	96	6.71				4.7	17.8	314				

Available from

- | Specifications vary ±10 %
- PV Models are measured at 14, 28, or 56 V (array-direct)