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KINNEY AUTOMATIC SELF-CLEANING STRAINER

FOR LIGHTER DUTY APPLICATIONS

APPLICATIONS

Light duty strainer, designed for continuous removal of suspended particles from all types of liquids. Applications are in industrial plants using river, lake, well or sea water for cooling, descaling, bearing lubrication, spraying, quenching, and similar purposes. Pipeline sizes: 2"–48"

Liquids other than water, such as chemicals, acids, white water (paper mills), sewage plants, and ammonia flushing liquor (coke plants) can also be strained.

INSTALLATION

Installation is made on the discharge side of a pump or in any piping system operating under a positive pressure. The minimum working pressure required to effectively clean the straining media is 20 psi. The strainer is compact with small face-to-face, width, and height dimensions. Installation can be made in a horizontal or vertical pipeline.

DESIGN

Similar to many of the automatic strainers on the market, this design consists of a one-piece stainless steel cylindrical well screen drum with slotted openings ranging from .005" thru .075". Within the drum is contained a rotor, which is essentially a hollow rotating shaft–supporting two pads extended on each side. These pads are flush with the inside of the drum surface.

OPERATION

The liquid to be strained enters the inlet connection located in the lower portion of the body and flows upward into the inner surface of the drum. The suspended particles are retained in the media and the clean liquid passes through the media–leaving the body at the outlet connection located diametrically opposite the inlet.

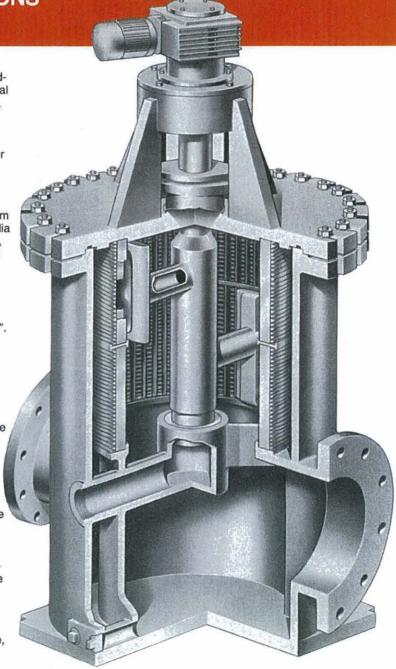
BACKWASH

As the rotor sweeps past the straining media, a reversal of flow occurs, flushing the suspended particles from the media into the rotor and out through the backwash opening. This reversal of flow is caused by a pressure differential between the interior of the strainer and atmosphere. The backwash flow rate is exceptionally low and will vary, depending on the amount of suspended particles in the liquid. The backwash piping should discharge downward into an open funnel immediately after the backwash valve.

AUTOMATIC BACKWASH CONTROL

In lieu of a manually operated valve on the backwash outlet line, an automatic control can be furnished to permit intermittent backflushing. This control consists of a motor or pneumatic cylinder-operated ball valve actuated by a timer or a pressure differential switch (or both).





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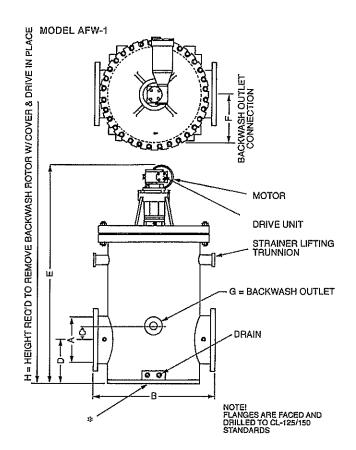
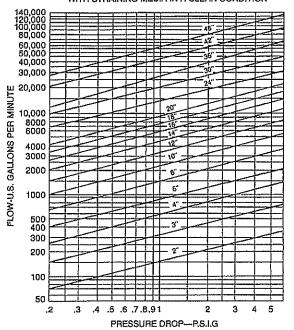


CHART INDICATING FLOW VS. PRESSURE DROP WITH STRAINING MEDIA IN A CLEAN CONDITION



The above chart is typical and may vary upon specific application

			MODEL	AFW-1 ST	RAINERS					
STRAINER SIZE - A	DIMENSIONS (INCHES)									
	В	С	D	E	F	G	H	HP	- SHIP. WT. LBS.	
2▲	18	*	4	27	*	11⁄4▲	34	1/3	370	
3▲	18½	a)¢	41/2	291/2	*	1½▲	39	1/3	420	
4	181⁄2	*	5	327/8	冰	2 🛦	46	<i>ነ</i> ⁄3	560	
6	21	2	6	401/2	81/2	2 🛦	551/2	1/3	950	
8	24	3	71/4	48¾	91/2	2 🛦	68	1/3	1,200	
10	26	21/2	81/2	511/4	11	3 ▲	721/9	1/3	1,560	
12	31	31/2	10½	571/8	13	3 ▲	78%	1/3	2,000	
14	38	41/2	141/2	70%	15¾	3 🛦	99%	1/3	3,570	
16	38	5½	131/2	70%	15¾	3 🛦	99%	1∕5	3,620	
18	45	4	181/4	901/4	191//8	4	130	1/2	5,520	
20	45	5	171/4	891/4	191/8	4	129	1/2	5,775	
24	56	7	17½	991/2	25¾	4	1421/2	1/2	7,200	
30	62	9¾	20	1121/6	29	4	1631/6	1/2	9,540	
36	72	63/4	27	130½	331/2	6	181	1/2	16,000	

[▲] Pipe tap Do not use for construction—certified prints will be furnished

^{*} Bottom discharge

. CONSTRUCTION									
PART	STANDARD	SEA WATER	WHITE WATER	AMMONIACAL LIQUOR					
BODY	Cast Iron or Fab. Stl.	Cast Iron	Cast Iron/Stainless Steel	Cast Iron					
DRUM - Wedge Wire	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel					
MEDIA (Straining Opening)	As Specified	As Specified	As Specified	As Specified					
ROTOR	Cast Iron	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel	Cast Iron					

NOTE: Dimensions for larger units available upon request.

