

## Ecocirc<sup>®</sup> D5solar DC pump

THE MULTI-AWARDED DC SPHERICAL MOTOR PUMP FOR DIRECT CONNECTION TO PHOTOVOLTAIC PANELS



# Ecocirc<sup>®</sup> D5solar design

Stator with high efficiency technology, integrated MPP Tracking, overtemperature protection and soft start-up



algorithm, less than 1 Watt required)

Economical and powerful

Long life, blockage free and maintenance free

RF suppressed

Protection against reverse polarity

### Design.

The principle of the spherical motor is fundamentally different from conventional canned motor pumps. The only moving part in a spherical motor is a hemispherical rotor/ impeller unit, which sits on an ultra-hard, wear-resistant ceramic ball.

There are no conventional shaft bearings or seals. This rules out, in effect, the possibility of play in the bearings and the increase in noise associated with it. These pumps are particularly robust and give exceptionally long service. The selfrealigning bearing is lubricated and cooled by the media.

Maintenance is not necessary under normal conditions and even after lengthy shutdown periods a reliable start-up is virtually guaranteed. The parts exposed to the fluid are completely corrosion resistant.



Pump housing

### Application.

The Ecocirc solar pump can be used wherever a highly efficient circulation pump is needed without a direct connection to AC power. It can be connected directly to a photovoltaic panel and is characterized by its small size, high efficiency, very low power consumption and its MPP tracking. The shaftless spherical motor technology enables a long, maintenance free and quiet service life. Areas of application are thermal solar systems for single family homes.

#### Soft start-up.

The pump has been programmed for a soft start-up. When the photovoltaic panel provides sufficient power, the pump first goes through the alignment phase, turning the rotor into the position required for startup. Then the processor waits until the builtin capacitor has recharged sufficiently. This enables a start-up with minimal power (less than one Watt). Cycling due to unsuccessful starting attempts is minimized. Even after prolonged shutdown, the pump will start reliably.

#### Integrated overtemperature protection.

The pump comes with an integrated overtemperature safety device, which shuts the pump electronics off when reaching overtemperature. Normally the temperature of the pumped media during operation at the highest speed setting is 95°C at this point.

A complete shutdown after reaching overtemperature conditions can result in adverse effects on the circulating system. Since the temperature of the electronic components is influenced by the temperature of the pumped media as well as by the speed setting, the pump will lower its speed automatically after reaching a critical temperature level in order to avoid a total shutdown. However, if the temperature continues to rise (caused e.g. by too hot pumped media), the pump will eventually shut down completely. After cooling down, the pump will restart automatically.

### Technical Data.

Motor design	Electronically commutated spherical motor with permanent magnet rotor/impeller
Voltage	8 - 24 Volt
Power consumption*	<ul> <li>min. start-up power</li> <li>consumption less than 1 Watt,</li> <li>max. power consumption 22 W</li> </ul>
Current draw	0,25 - 1,46 A
Acceptable media	domestic hot water, heating water, water/glycol mixtures, other media on request**.
Insulation class	IP 42 / Class F

Pump housing material	Brass	Noryl
Max. system pressure	1 Mpa (10 bar)	0,15 MPa (1,5 bar)
Max. system temp.***	-10 to + 95°C	+/- 0 to + 60°C
Weight	0,7 kg	0,35 kg

\* Power consumption and start may vary in different installations \*\*please check pump performance with more than 20% glycol \*\*\* non-freezing, non condensing





## Automatic performance optimization

### Maximum Power Point Tracking.

The Laing Ecocirc D5solar is the first and only spherical motor pump with selfoptimizing software (see diagram). Every three seconds, the processor will modify its operating point on the voltage-current curve of the PV panel to find the point of maximum performance. This is called the "Maximum Power Point" (MPP). At this point, the pump achieves the maximum rpm and therefore the maximum performance.

There is no need for a separate performance adaptation. The pump will always find its best operating point under any given light and temperature conditions by itself.



### MPP-Tracking.

Voltage

Typical Current-Voltage-curve of a photo-voltaic panel.

By employing MPP tracking every three seconds, the Ecocirc D5solar pumps always automatically achieve maximum performance at any given insolation.

### Product range.

Highly efficient DC pump with ECMtechnology and permanent magnetic rotor, MPP-Tracking, soft start at very low insolation (soft start algorithm, less than 1 Watt required), integrated overtemperature protection, 8-24 Volt (driven by a 12 Volt panel; if driven by a 24 Volt panel a maximum voltage limitation to 24 V is required), max. input 22 Watt, 0,25 -1,46 A current consumption, isolation IP 42 / Class F.



Model	Part number	Pump housing	max. system temperature	Housing design and length	Connection	Product category
D5solar-38/700 B	LH 60 00 403	Brass	95° C	Inline / 65 mm	1/2" female thread	
						7 K
D5solar-38/100 B	LH 60 00 413	Brass	95° C	Inline / 110 mm / RV+KH*	1 1/4" male thread**	

\* integrated check value and ball value; \*\* for connection to 3/4" union components. Housing has additionally a 1/2" female connection

### Accessories, components and spare parts.

Model	Part number	Description	Product category
RV 1/2"	LH 95 00 001	Brass check valve 1/2" male thread x 1/2" female thread	
KH 1/2"	LH 95 00 020	Chrome plated brass ball valve 1/2" male thread x 1/2" female thread	
AV 1/2" x 1/2"	LH 95 00 024	2 pieces brass union fitting 1/2" male thread x 1/2" female thread	7 K
AV 5/4" x 3/4"	LH 95 00 025	2 pieces brass union fitting 1 1/4" female thread x 3/4" female thread	
MW C	LH 95 00 041	Mounting plate for D5solar pumps	

## Pump curves and dimensional drawings.

Dimensional drawings in mm, pump curves at 12 Volt, min. start-up power consumption less than 1 Watt (12 Volt panel), max. power consumption approx. 22 Watts.







D5solar-38/100 B



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