# RS Series

Multi-stage, Ring Section Pump For Pressures to 1,500 PSI





Creating Value.

# The RS Series

flanges and ANSI 600 or 900 lb. discharge flanges,

The RS is our new process duty, horizontal ring section multi-stage pump. Designed for moderate to high pressure pumping, the RS is available in five basic sizes with overall performance to 1,000 HP.

The RS is offered with ANSI 300 lb. inlet

depending on the pressures and number of stages involved. Either way, hydraulic performance extends to 1,400 GPM and 3,400 ft. TDH, which surpasses that of all

comparable pump

types and makes it ideally suited for the most demanding industrial and process services.

The RS design incorporates a product lubricated radial bearing as standard. The thrust bearings are two matched angular contact ball bearings located at the inboard (suction) end of the pump with a product lubricated, composite material with Moly/PTFE additives sleeve type radial bearing at the outboard (discharge) end. For units with an optional outboard mechanical seal, the angular contact

ball bearings move to the outboard end and a ball bearing is added at the inboard end for handling any radial loads.

The RS also offers the choice of either grease or

oil lubricated
thrust
bearings. The
greased
bearings are
the regreasable
type, and the
oil lubricated
bearings
include a

further option of external water cooling for high temperature operation. Many

other options and arrangements, such as turbine and magnetic drive units, are also available.

These options, together with all the value-added features shown on the following pages, offer the benefits of:

- maximum safety
- maximum installation flexibility
- maximum fluid compatibility
- higher efficiencies
- longer component life
- minimal down time

that together all work to lower your total costs of ownership.

#### **Hydraulics**

- Flows to 1,400 US GPM (320 m³/hr)
- Heads to 3,400 feet (1,000 m)
- Pressures to 1,500 psig (100 bar)
- Temperatures from -20°F to 300°F (-30°C to 149°C)
- Speeds to 3,500 RPM

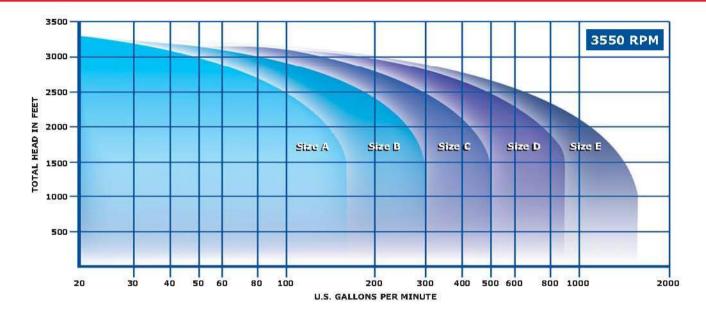


### **Applications**

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- Agriculture irrigation
- Boiler feed
- Chemical and light hydrocarbon transfer
- Coating and surface treatment
- Desalination and reverse osmosis
- High rise building sprinklers
- Large vehicle washers
- Paper mill shower water
- Pressure boosting systems
- Sanitary wash down services
- Ski resort snowmaking systems
- Rotating equipment lube and seal oil supply

## **Hydraulic Coverage**



## Why an RS?

Reasons for selecting an RS pump over a single impeller pump for higher head applications are:

- the peripheral (tip) speed required with a single impeller pump can exceed the structural limitations of the impeller material
- the radial and axial loading on a single impeller pump can be excessive
- the impeller of a single stage pump is very difficult to cast, given the large D<sub>2</sub>/B<sub>2</sub> ratio of diameter to thickness required
- the diameter required with a single impeller pump would be very difficult to balance
- the NPSH required with a high speed, single impeller pump will be significantly higher than that of a multi-stage pump



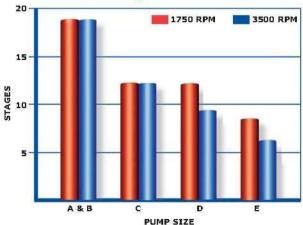
## Standard Materials

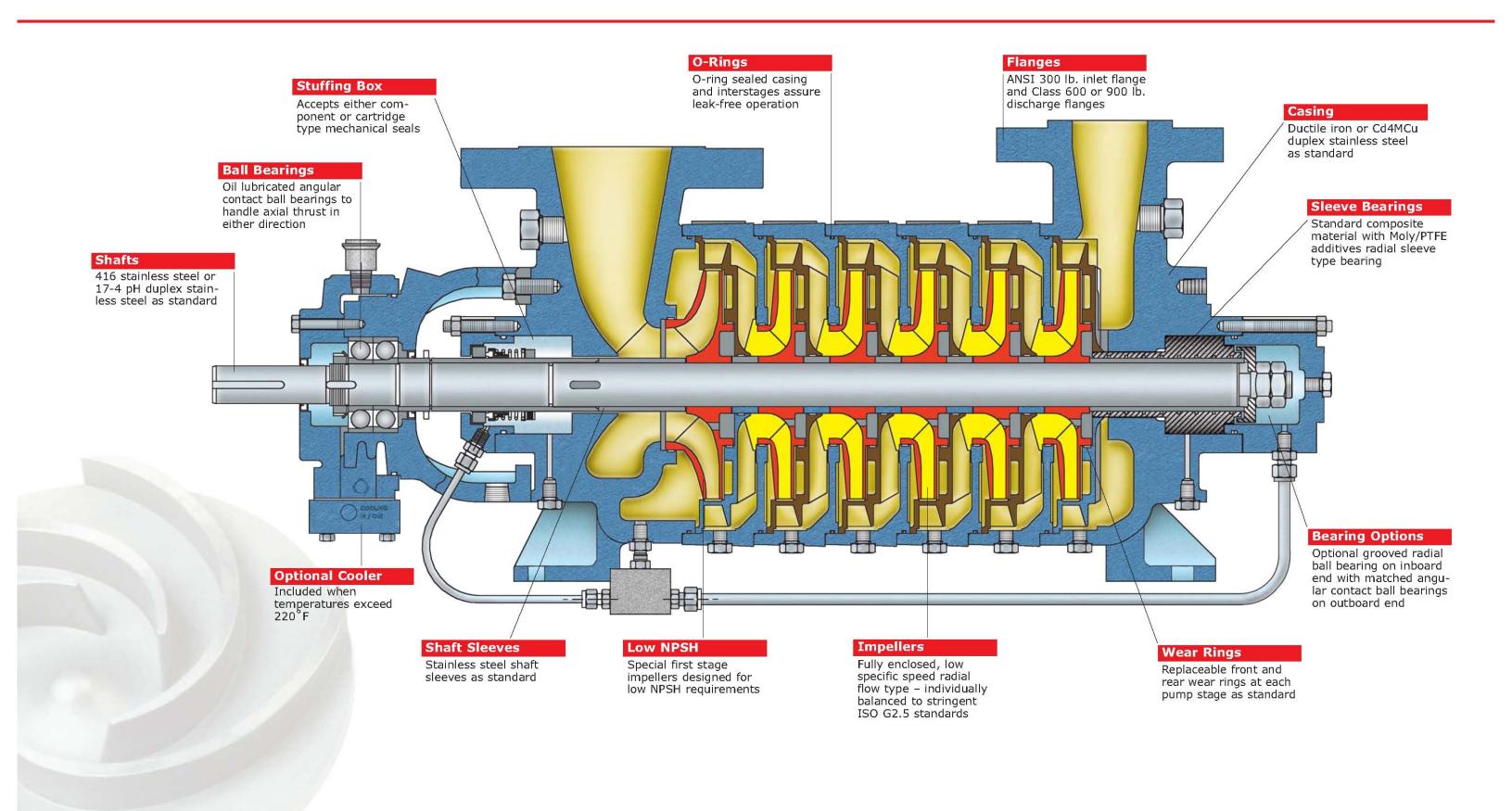
Casing	Ductile iron or CD4MCu
Impeller	.Cast iron or CD4MCu
Diffuser	.Cast iron or CD4MCu
Shaft	.416 SS or 17-4 PH SS
Sleeve Bearing	Composite material with Moly/PTFE additives

#### Mechanical Data

Rotation	Clockwise as standard
Flange Positions	3 positions for each
Suction Flange	300 lb. ANSI R.F.
Discharge Flange	600 or 900 lb. ANSI R.F.
Radial Bearing L <sub>10</sub> Life	100,000 hours
Thrust Bearing Lin Life	50,000 hours

# **Number of Stages**













Since we built our first pumps in 1938, the Carver name has become synonymous with value. Today we are recognized as one of the world's leading centrifugal pump companies, building pumps to the most demanding engineering specifications and military standards in the world.

Our company is located in Muscatine, Iowa, 25 miles southwest of the Quad Cities area. Our operations there include some of the most modern manufacturing equipment and pump development software available, and we are committed to the highest quality possible-in our products and our people. Along these lines, Carver was also one of the first American pump companies to attain ISO 9001 certification-the most recognized standard for quality in the world.

From an applications standpoint Carver has traditionally built pumps for water, oil, and chemicals for both the public and private sectors. Our product line includes both horizontal and vertical end suction, multi-stage, axial split case, self-priming, API, and solids-handling pumps that all carry the same Carver trademark: lasting value from solid, straightforward designs engineered to provide many years of service.

These pumps are also backed by unparalleled aftermarket support. Our network of stocking distributors, manufacturer's representatives and certified service centers throughout the world means that no matter where your pump may be installed, there are local sales and service people ready to support your aftermarket needs.





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