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General Applications

The Gatorgrinder reduces all forms of sanitary waste to a non-clogging slurry and pumps it through a network of small-diameter pipes. Since gravity is replaced by the power of the pump, sewer systems need not run downhill nor require large-diameter pipes, deep trenches, multiple lift stations – or their associated costs. Designed specifically for operation in warmer climates, the Gatorgrinder is an efficient, economic station for single dwelling service.

Features

The Gatorgrinder is a complete unit that includes: the grinder pump, check valve, fiberglass tank and controls. The fiberglass tank is supplied complete with discharge fitting installed, simplifying installation of the grinder pump and plumbing.

All solids are ground into fine particles, allowing them to pass easily through the pump, check valve and small diameter pipelines. Even objects that are not normally disposed of through sewer lines, such as plastic, rubber, fiber, and wood, are ground into fine particles by the Gatorgrinder.

The 1-1/4" discharge fitting is adaptable to any piping material, thereby allowing us to meet your local code requirements.

The 24" diameter tank is constructed of laminated fiberglass and is available in several depths to accommodate capacity and site requirements. Other tank sizes are available upon request.

The integral grinder pump check valve assembly is custom designed for nonclog, trouble-free operation. Automatic grinder pump activation is provided by the Gatorgrinder level control system. The Gatorgrinder is designed to run infrequently, for very short periods of time. The annual energy consumption is typically that of a 40-watt light bulb.

Operational Information

Motor

1 HP, 1,725 RPM, high torque, capacitor start, thermally protected, 120/240V, 60 Hz, single phase.

Inlet Connection

4" inlet grommet standard for DWV pipe. Field penetration and installation of inlet grommet allows site plumbing flexibility.

Discharge Connections

Tank is equipped with a factory installed discharge fitting. Tank discharge terminates in a 1-1/4" female NPT thread. Field connection of pump discharge to tank bulkhead is easily accomplished using the supplied discharge assembly or other material required by local code.

Discharge*

15 gpm at 0 pig 11 gpm at 40 psig 9 gpm at 60 psig

Overload Capacity

The maximum pressure generated by the pump is limited by the motor characteristics and overload protection. The motor/pump combination generates a pressure well below the rating of the pipe and appurtenances. The automatic reset feature of the motor does not require manual operation following overload.

*Discharge data includes minimal losses through the check valve.











