

# CARE AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAGNETIC DRIVE 120V / 60HZ 9.5, 12 & 18 PUMPS AND 230V /50HZ 3600 LPH PUMPS

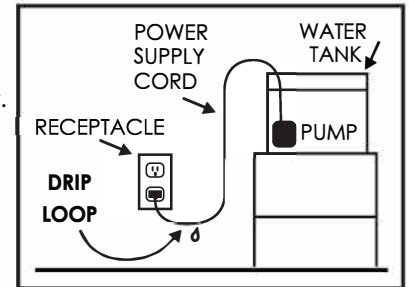
## IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

WARNING – To guard against injury, basic safety precautions should be observed, including the following:

### a) READ AND FOLLOW ALL SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS.

b) DANGER – To avoid possible electric shock, special care should be taken since water is employed in the use of aquarium equipment. For each of the following situations, do not attempt repairs by yourself; return the appliance to an authorized service facility for service or discard the appliance:

- 1) If the appliance shows any sign of abnormal water leakage, immediately unplug it from the power source. (Immersible equipment only)
  - 2) Carefully examine the appliance after installation. It should not be plugged in if there is water on parts not intended to be wet.
  - 3) Do not operate any appliance if it has a damaged cord or plug, or if it is malfunctioning or has been dropped or damaged in any manner.
  - 4) When used with an aquarium, to avoid the possibility of the appliance plug or receptacle getting wet, position aquarium stand and tank to one side of a wall-mounted receptacle to prevent water from dripping onto the receptacle or plug. A "drip loop," shown in the figure below, should be arranged by the user for each cord connecting an aquarium appliance to a receptacle. The "drip loop" is that part of the cord below the level of the receptacle, or the connector if an extension cord is used, to prevent water traveling along the cord and coming in contact with the receptacle. If the plug or receptacle does get wet, DON'T unplug the cord. Disconnect the fuse or circuit breaker that supplies power to the appliance. Then, unplug and examine for presence of water in the receptacle.
- c) Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- d) To avoid injury, do not contact moving parts or hot parts.
- e) Always unplug an appliance from an outlet when not in use, before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning. Never yank cord to pull plug from outlet. Grasp the plug and pull to disconnect.
- f) Do not use an appliance for other than intended use. The use of attachments not recommended or sold by the appliance manufacturer may cause an unsafe condition.
- g) Do not install or store the appliance where it will be exposed to the weather or to temperatures below freezing.
- h) Make sure an appliance mounted on a tank is securely installed before operating it.
- i) Read and observe all the important notices on the appliance.
- j) If an extension cord is necessary, a cord with a proper rating should be used. A cord rated for less amperes or watts than the appliance rating may overheat. Care should be taken to arrange the cord so that it will not be tripped over or pulled.



## SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

### INSTALLATION INSTRUCTION

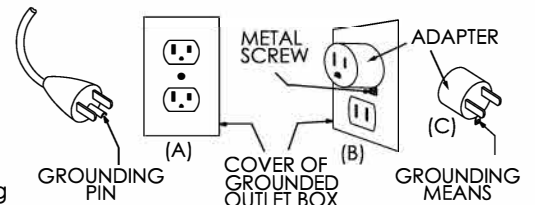
The pump is a magnetically driven centrifugal water pump. It has no seals to wear and contains no oil. The pump can be used submerged or inline. Inline means connections are made directly to the pump inlet and outlet ports, which have 3/4" NPT threads. All electrical components are encapsulated in epoxy. The prefilter is provided for use in situations where debris in the water could clog or damage the pump. This helps to give uninterrupted service. Pump can be used submerged to a maximum depth of 36" when used in aquarium applications; no depth requirements for pond use. When used with inline piping note the following: Centrifugal pumps cannot pull water from a lower level. In order to start, pump must be below water level and filled with water. Unless the air can escape from the outlet, the pump will not start. Do not use glues or solvents to connect the pumps threaded fittings. Use Teflon pipe tape. The pump cover is not designed to support long pipe runs or to correct pipe misalignment.

### CAUTION

The pump is intended to pump water only. It cannot be used to pump oil, solvents, or gasoline. Although the pump will continue to run if there is no water, after 30 minutes damage may occur if allowed to run dry.

### GROUNDING INSTRUCTIONS

This appliance should be grounded to minimize the possibility of electric shock. This appliance is equipped with an electric cord having an equipment grounding conductor and a grounding type plug (Some models). The plug must be plugged into an outlet that is installed and grounded in accordance with all appropriate codes and ordinances. For 120 VAC models: This appliance is for use on a nominal 120-volt circuit, and has a grounding plug that looks like the plug illustrated in (A) below. A temporary adapter which looks like the adapter illustrated in (B) and (C) below may be used to connect this plug to a two-pole receptacle as shown in (B) if a grounded outlet is not available. The temporary adapter should be used only until a grounded outlet can be installed by a qualified electrician. The green-colored rigid ear (lug, and the like) extending from the adapter must be fastened to a permanent ground such as a grounded outlet box.



### SERVICE AND MAINTENANCE

The pump volute should occasionally be removed to clean and inspect the impeller assembly. The impeller is the only serviceable item and can be pulled out of the body. Do not take the impeller apart except for cleaning when used in salt water or hard water applications; see below. If it is worn or broken the entire impeller assembly should be replaced. This will restore the pump to original capacity. Pumps taken out of service for an extended period with fluid inside run the risk of forming a crust which may prevent subsequent starting. Saltwater should be flushed out with fresh water. Always check cord for sharp bends which can cause premature cracking. Do not use power cord to lift or move pump. Other than impeller maintenance, this appliance has no user serviceable parts. Magnet impeller assembly must be routinely cleaned to remove accumulations of scale or calcium. This procedure should be done at least once every three months - or more often if the water conditions require it. Salt water and hard water environments require more frequent cleaning. Pondmaster® PUMPGUARD™ WATER PUMP MAINTENANCE SOLUTION (sold separately) will instantly loosen scale, lime, rust and other detritus from moving parts and impeller chamber. Most build-up can be removed without disassembling the pump. See instructions on next page.

### IMPORTANT: FOR PUMPS USED IN SALTWATER OR HARD WATER

Magnet impeller assembly must be routinely removed for cleaning in white vinegar to remove accumulations of scale or calcium. This procedure should be done at least once every three months - or more often if the water conditions require it. Disassemble magnet from impeller by pulling them apart (it may take a strong pull). One end cap will come off. To clean the calcium scale off the shaft and bearing inside of the magnet, soak in white vinegar for a few hours and scrape it off. Reassemble magnet / impeller assembly. Do not lose any washers located between the end cap and impeller.

**PUMPGUARD™ easy maintenance solution will keep water pumps running like new when used regularly.**

PUMPGUARD™ pump maintenance solution is available in three sizes:  
 4 oz. ---- Impeller/Volute Treatment -----Item # 03905  
 32 oz. --- Soak/Dunk & Impeller Treatment --Item # 03907  
 128oz. --Commercial Size-----Item # 03909

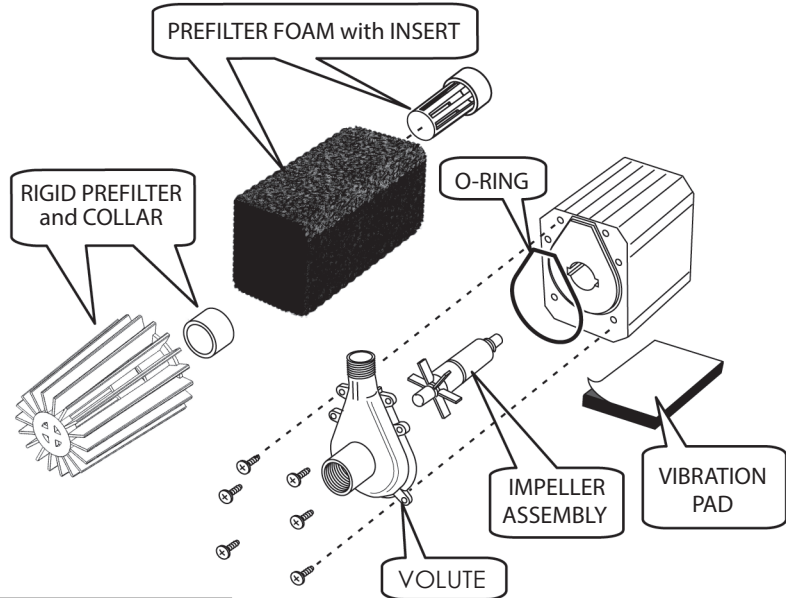
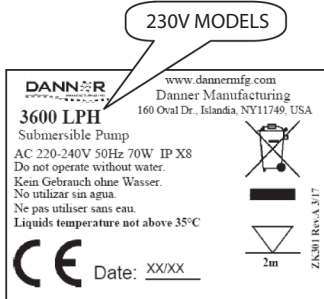
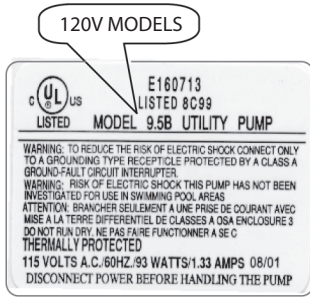
**PUMP GUARD INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1) Disconnect power to pump
- 2) Remove pump from water.
- 3) Position pump with volute inlet facing upwards
- 4) Pour Pumpguard into volute inlet until full.
- 5) Allow to soak for 2 to 3 minutes.
- 6) Thoroughly rinse with clean water.
- 7) Place pump back into service.

**PARTS LIST AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR MAGNETIC DRIVE 120v/60Hz 9.5/12/18 PUMPS and 230V/50Hz 3600 PUMPS**

YOUR PUMP MODEL # IS IMPRINTED DIRECTLY ON THE PUMP OR ON THE LABEL NEAR THE ELECTRICAL CORD

PARTS ILLUSTRATED BELOW VARY WITH DIFFERENT MODELS AND ARE NOT INCLUDED WITH ALL MODELS.



**PUMP PARTS LIST**

PUMP MODEL	IMPELLER ASSEMBLY	PUMP VOLUTE with O-RING	PREFILTER FOAM with INSERT	RIGID PREFILTER
9.5A	12745	12733	12730	12785
9.5B, 3600LPH	12746	12733	12730	12785
12A	12755	12741	12730	12785
12B	12756	12741	12730	12785
18A	12775	12741	12730	12785
18B	12776	12741	12730	12785

**LIMITED WARRANTY**

Danner pumps are warranted against failure due to defects in materials and/or workmanship as follows: Pump body and cover within five years, impeller and included accessories within one year of original purchase. This warranty does not cover any replaceable filtering material supplied with the pump or filter as it is considered expendable. This warranty covers defects occurring under normal use. The warranty and remedies set forth herein are conditional upon proper installation, use, maintenance, storage, and conformance with the applicable use. It will be based upon Danner Mfg. discretion as to whether the defects are of manufacturing origin. For warranty repair, return only the part that is defective to our factory. Please include a dated proof of purchase and \$5.00 for postage and handling. Any damages due to improper installation are not covered by this warranty. This warranty does not apply to appearance or aftermarket accessory items. This warranty does not include damage due to handling, transportation, unpacking, setup, installation, repair or replacement of parts supplied by any other than Danner Mfg.; improper maintenance, modification or repairs by the purchaser; abuse, misuse, neglect, accident, fire, flood, or other acts of God. Any oral statements about this product made by the seller, the manufacturer, their representatives or any other parties do not constitute warranties and shall not be relied upon by the user and are not part of this contract. Neither the seller nor the manufacturer shall be liable for any injury, loss or damages, direct, incidental, or consequential, including but not limited to incidental or consequential damage for lost profits, lost sales, injury, and inability to use the product and the user agrees that no other remedy is available. Before using, the user shall determine the suitability of the product for their intended use and the user shall assume all risk liability whatsoever in connection therewith. TO VALIDATE THIS WARRANTY, KEEP YOUR PROOF OF PURCHASE (COPY OF SALES RECEIPT FROM A CERTIFIED PONDMASTER OR SUPREME DEALER). Warranty covers the repair or prorated replacement of the Danner Mfg. products. Danner Mfg. denies all liability for any other loss including but not limited to loss of equipment, income, livestock, vegetation or personal injury. THE FOLLOWING VOIDS WARRANTY: LINE CORD OR PLUG IS ALTERED OR CUT, PRODUCT LABELS ARE DEFACTED OR REMOVED, PRODUCT IS IMPROPERLY INSTALLED OR MAINTAINED BY USER OR THEIR AGENT, PRODUCT IS ABUSED, MISUSED, OR DAMAGED BY USER OR THEIR AGENT. PRODUCT IS NOT REMOVED FROM SERVICE AND DRIED DURING FREEZING CONDITIONS.