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- · Drinking water supply by waterworks
- · Drainage in mines and civil engineering
- Irrigation plants
- Process water supply in power stations and industries
- Pressure rising in systems
- · Utilisation of geothermal energy
- Environmental technology

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• Frequency: 50 and 60 Hz

Degree of protection:
switching frequency:
max. 20 / h

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- higher temperature
- voltage up to 1000 V
- · other fluid medium quality
- · other construction materials
- with suction jacked
- as booster pump
- · different discharge connections

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- Motor starters, autotransformer, frequency transformer
- Microprocessor controlled motor monitoring
- · Submersible cable
- · Heat-shrinkable hose coupling
- Cast-resin connectors
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- · Rising pipes
- Reducers
- Supporting clips



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## Frequency transformer operation

Every **oddesse** motor is usable for frequency transformer operations. Following items should be considered:

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- the maximal working range from 30 Hz up to 60 Hz, corresponding speed from 1.740 up to 3.460 1/min,
- the using of a sine-wave generator protect against high voltage peaks
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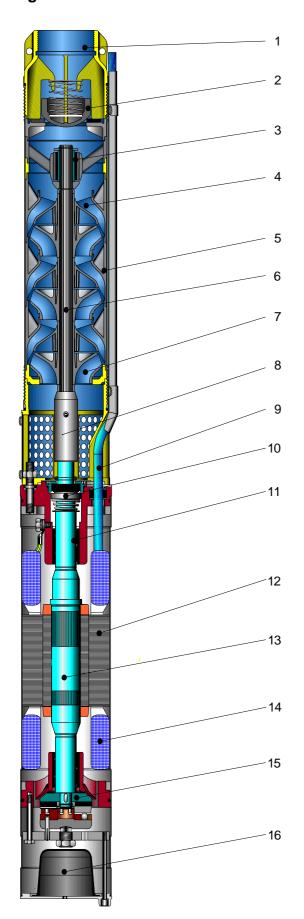
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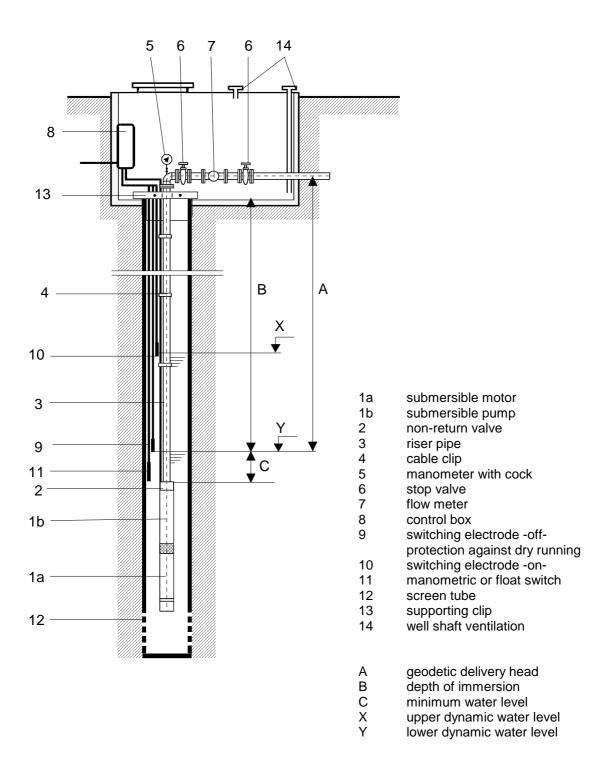
## Design:



- 1 pipe connection
- 2 non-return valve
- 3 bearing
- 4 diffuser
- 5 stage casing
- 6 shaft
- 7 impeller
- 8 coupling
- 9 cable
- 10 mechanical seal
- 11 motor bearing
- 12 stator
- 13 rotor
- 14 windings
- 15 thrust bearing
- 16 breather diaphragm



## Mounting example





## Design of pump installation (calculation, friction losses)

## **Determination of flow**

The pumping capacity depends on the maximum water requirement. This requirement is the result of the type and number of consumers and their max. requirements (max. Q [m³/h]).

If these values are not known, information may be taken from water engineering literature.

#### **Determination of head:**

$$H[m] = H_{geo} + H_V + p_2 \cdot 10.2$$

•  $H_{geo}$  [m] geodetic pumping head:  $H_{geo} = H_1 + H_2$ 

height difference H<sub>1</sub> [m]: Water level in the well (tank) at capacity Q to Top of well

height difference H<sub>2</sub> [m]: Top of the well / bore hole to highest water level in elevated

tank or highest point of pipe system (in case of open

discharge).

• H<sub>V</sub> [m] Pipe friction loss in the rising main and the fittings, see also table here after

• p2 [bar] Discharge pressure required at the end of the pipe line or cut-off pressure in the pressure tank

## Example

water requirement:  $Q = 60 \text{ m}^3\text{/h}$ height difference  $H_1$ :  $H_1 = 80 \text{ m}$ height difference  $H_2$ :  $H_2 = 50 \text{ m}$ cut-of pressure in the pressure tank:  $p_2 = 6 \text{ bar}$ 

pipeline of rolled steel clear dim. of pipe 4", length 250 m

## Calculation:

 $H_V$  = Friction loss from table/100 · length of pipe

 $H_V = 4.595/100 \cdot 250 = 11.49 \text{ m}$ 

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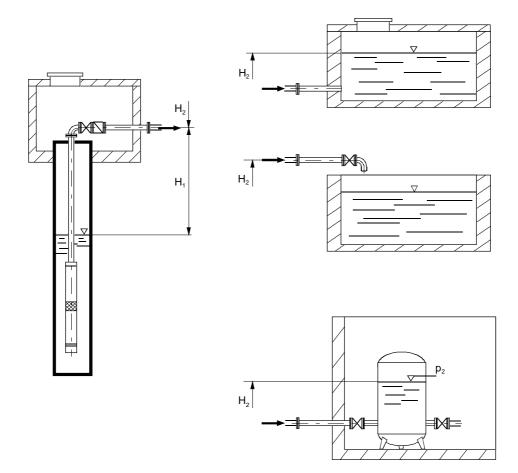
 $H[m] = 130 + 11.49 + 6 \cdot 10.2$ 

H[m] = 202.69 m

Remark: Calculation next side



## Installations for pumping water from wells - calculation



Geodetic pumping head and discharge pre-			
Height difference H₁: Water level in the well at well	H <sub>1</sub> =	m	
Height difference H <sub>2</sub> : Top of well to highest wa tank or highest point of pipe system in case of	H <sub>2</sub> =	m	
Discharge pressure required at the end of the pressure in the pressure tank	P <sub>2</sub> [bar] · 10.2 =	m	
Pipe friction losses			
Length of rising pipe: DN	m	H <sub>V1</sub> =	m
Length of pressure pipe: DN	m	H <sub>V2</sub> =	m
Number of hydraulic accessories: DN	piece		
Equivalent length of m in straight pipe work	H <sub>V3</sub> =	m	
Number of fittings: DN			
Equivalent length of m in straight pipe work	H <sub>V4</sub> =	m	
Total height: Amount H:		H =	m

Remark: Clean Water  $\gamma = 1$ 

Values of friction losses see table



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## Friction losses for steel pipes

Upper figures - velocity of flow in m/s

Lower figures - friction losses in meters for 100 m new steel pipeline

	Flow						Frict	ion losse	s of steel	pipes				
						Nomin	al diamete	er in inch	and inside	diameter	in mm			
m³/h	l/min	l/s	1/2"	3/4"	1"	1 1/4"	1 1/2"	2"	2 ½"	3"	3 ½"	4"	5"	6"
			15.75 0.855	21.25 0.470	27.00 0.292	35.75	41.25	52.50	68.00	80.25	92.50	105.0	130.0	155.5
0.6	10	0.16	9.910	2.407	0.784	0.040								
0.9	15	0.25	<b>1.282</b> 20.11	<b>0.705</b> 4.862	<b>0.438</b> 1.570	<b>0.249</b> 0.416								
1.2	20	0.33	<b>1.710</b> 33.53	<b>0.940</b> 8.035	<b>0.584</b> 2.588	<b>0.331</b> 0.677	<b>0.249</b> 0.346							
1.5	25	0.42	2.138	1.174	0.730	0.415	0.312							
			49.93 <b>2.565</b>	11.91 <b>1.409</b>	3.834 <b>0.876</b>	1.004 <b>0.498</b>	0.510 <b>0.374</b>	0.231						
1.8	30	0.50	69.34	16.50	5.277	1.379	0.700	0.223						
2.1	35	0.58	<b>2.993</b> 91.54	<b>1.644</b> 21.75	<b>1.022</b> 6.949	<b>0.581</b> 1.811	<b>0.436</b> 0.914	<b>0.269</b> 0.291						
2.4	40	0.67		<b>1.879</b> 27.66	<b>1.168</b> 8.820	<b>0.664</b> 2.290	<b>0.499</b> 1.160	<b>0.308</b> 0.368						
3.0	50	0.83		2.349	1.460	0.830	0.623	0.385	0.229					
3.6	60	1.00		41.40 <b>2.819</b>	13.14 <b>1.751</b>	3.403 <b>0.996</b>	1.719 <b>0.748</b>	0.544 <b>0.462</b>	0.159 <b>0.275</b>					
				57.74 <b>3.288</b>	18.28 <b>2.043</b>	4.718 <b>1.162</b>	2.375 <b>0.873</b>	0.751 <b>0.539</b>	0.218 <b>0.321</b>	0.231				
4.2	70	1.12		76.49	24.18	6.231	3.132	0.988	0.287	0.131				
4.8	80	1.33			<b>2.335</b> 30.87	<b>1.328</b> 7.940	<b>0.997</b> 3.988	<b>0.616</b> 1.254	<b>0.367</b> 0.363	<b>0.263</b> 0.164				
5.4	90	1.50			2.627	1.494	1.122	0.693	0.413	0.269				
6.0	100	1.67			38.30 <b>2.919</b>	9.828 <b>1.660</b>	4.927 <b>1.247</b>	1.551 <b>0.770</b>	0.449 <b>0.459</b>	0.203 <b>0.329</b>	0.248			
					46.49 <b>3.649</b>	11.90 <b>2.075</b>	5.972 <b>1.558</b>	1.875 <b>0.962</b>	0.542 <b>0.574</b>	0.244 <b>0.412</b>	0.124 <b>0.310</b>	0.241		
7.5	125	2.08			70.41	17.93	8.967	2.802	0.809	0.365	0.185	0.101		
9.0	150	2.50				<b>2.490</b> 25.11	<b>1.870</b> 12.53	<b>1.154</b> 3.903	<b>0.668</b> 1.124	<b>0.494</b> 0.506	<b>0.372</b> 0.256	<b>0.289</b> 0.140		
10.5	175	2.92				<b>2.904</b> 33.32	<b>2.182</b> 16.66	<b>1.347</b> 5.179	<b>0.803</b> 1.488	<b>0.576</b> 0.670	<b>0.434</b> 0.338	<b>0.337</b> 0.184		
12	200	3.33				3.319	2.493	1.539	0.918	0.659	0.496	0.385	0.251	
						42.75 <b>4.149</b>	21.36 <b>3.117</b>	6.624 <b>1.924</b>	1.901 <b>1.147</b>	0.855 <b>0.823</b>	0.431 <b>0.620</b>	0.234 <b>0.481</b>	0.084 <b>0.314</b>	
15	250	4.71				64.86	32.32 <b>3.740</b>	10.03 <b>2.309</b>	2.860	1.282 <b>0.988</b>	0.646 <b>0.744</b>	0.350 <b>0.577</b>	0.126 <b>0.377</b>	0.263
18	300	5.00					45.52	14.04	<b>1.377</b> 4.009	1.792	0.903	0.488	0.175	0.074
24	400	6.67					<b>4.987</b> 78.17	<b>3.078</b> 24.04	<b>1.836</b> 6.828	<b>1.317</b> 3.053	<b>0.992</b> 1.530	<b>0.770</b> 0.829	<b>0.502</b> 0.294	<b>0.351</b> 0.124
30	500	8.33						3.848	2.295	1.647	1.240	0.962	0.628	0.439
36	600	10.0						36.71 <b>4.618</b>	10.40 <b>2.753</b>	4.622 <b>1.976</b>	2.315 <b>1.488</b>	1.254 1.155	0.445 <b>0.753</b>	0.187 <b>0.526</b>
								51.84	14.62 <b>3.212</b>	6.505 <b>2.306</b>	3.261 <b>1.736</b>	1.757 <b>1.347</b>	0.623 <b>0.879</b>	0.260 <b>0.614</b>
42	700	11.7							19.52	8.693	4.356	2.345	0.831	0.347
48	800	13.3							<b>3.671</b> 25.20	<b>2.635</b> 11.18	<b>1.984</b> 5.582	<b>1.540</b> 3.009	<b>1.005</b> 1.066	<b>0.702</b> 0.445
54	900	15.0							<b>4.130</b> 31.51	<b>2.964</b> 13.97	<b>2.232</b> 6.983	<b>1.732</b> 3.762	<b>1.130</b> 1.328	<b>0.790</b> 0.555
60	1000	16.7							4.589	3.294	2.480	1.925	1.256	0.877
									38.43	17.06 <b>4.117</b>	8.521 <b>3.100</b>	4.595 <b>2.406</b>	1.616 <b>1.570</b>	0.674 <b>1.097</b>
75	1250	20.8								26.10	13.00	7.010	2.458	1.027
90	1500	25.0								<b>4.941</b> 36.97	<b>3.720</b> 18.42	<b>2.887</b> 9.892	<b>1.883</b> 3.468	<b>1.316</b> 1.444
105	1750	29.2									<b>4.340</b> 24.76	<b>3.368</b> 13.30	<b>2.197</b> 4.665	<b>1.535</b> 1.934
120	2000	33.3									4.960	3.850	2.511	1.754
											31.94	17.16 <b>4.812</b>	5.995 <b>3.139</b>	2.496 <b>2.193</b>
150	2500	41.7	1							1		26.26	9.216 <b>3.767</b>	3.807 <b>2.632</b>
180	3000	50.0	1										13.05	5.417
240	4000	66.7											<b>5.023</b> 22.72	<b>3.509</b> 8.926
300	5000	83.3												4.386
90°beno	l d, stop valve	9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	2.0	14.42 2.5
Branch valve	piece, none	-return	4.0	4.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	7.0	8.0	9.0

Friction losses in bends, stop valves, branch pieces and none return valves conforms to length of straight pipework as printed in the last lines of table. Friction losses in foot valve =  $2 \times$  friction losses of branch piece.

For friction losses at new plastic pipes use multiplier 1.0, for cast iron use multiplier 1.25, for older rusty iron pipes use multiplier 1.5 and for pipes with encrustation use multiplier 2.2.



## Instructions for cable dimensioning of submersible pumps

The minimum cross-section of the cable required results from the current charge while the current charge depends on the maximum ambient temperature (cf. tables). Another criterion for the cable selection (cable cross-section) is the voltage drop. In order to keep line losses at a reasonable level, we recommend a permissible voltage drop below 3 %.

The following diagrams will help you determine the cable cross-section for cable on D.O.L. starting (also applicable to auto-transformer starting) or star-delta starting. The curves shown characterise the range that ensures a voltage drop of 3 %. The power-factor is 0.85 and the voltage 400 V.

The diagrams are designed for **oddesse** multi-core cables with an ambient temperature of 30  $^{\circ}$ C, they are not depending on current frequency.

For higher temperatures and single-core cable use the tables to re-calculate found values.

For other service voltages than 400 V, the current has to be re-calculated. See also example 2

When specifying cross section dimensions, it should be considered that higher voltage loss means higher power loss and thus higher energy cost. Depending on operating time, it may be advisable to specify a value below the voltage losses to ensure trouble-free operation.

## Using of the diagrams

#### General:

Bring values on vertical (current) and horizontal (length) diagram axis to a projected cross-point to find right hand from there the required cross-section given for the cable line.

## Example 1:

D.O.L. starting:

Service voltage: 400 V Rated current: 75 A Single cable length: 180 m Ambient temperature air/water: 40  $^{\circ}$  C / 20  $^{\circ}$ 

With a rated current of 75 A and a single cable length of 180 m you find in the diagram 1 a cross-section of 35 mm<sup>2</sup>. The maximum allowed length is 210 m. The voltage loss is

$$U_{\rm V} = \frac{180 \ m}{210 \ m} \cdot 3\% = 2.57\%$$

The next smaller cross-section is 25 mm<sup>2</sup>. It is use able up to 98 m length. The voltage losses in this case is

$$U_v = \frac{180 \text{ m}}{98 \text{ m}} \cdot 3\% = 5.51\%$$

You have to select the cross-section of 35 mm<sup>2</sup> with a voltage losses of U<sub>V</sub> = 2.57 %.

The re-calculation of the current charge (see table below diagram 1) shows that this cross-section given may be used at 40  $^{\circ}$ C up to 147 A . The current charge is in this case not a criterion for the cross-section to be defined.



## **Example 2**

D.O.L. starting (service voltage different from 400 V !) Service voltage: 440 V Rated current: 55 A Single cable length: 100 m Ambient temperature air/water: 40  $^{\circ}$ C / 20  $^{\circ}$ C

Use the diagram correctly to re-calculate current charge

$$I_{calculated} = \frac{400 \text{ V}}{nom.voltage} \cdot nom.current$$

$$I_{calculated} = \frac{400 \text{ V}}{440 \text{ V}} \cdot 55 \text{ A} = 50 \text{ A}$$

With the calculated current you find in diagram 1 a cross-section of 16 mm² and a usable cable length of 160 m. The voltage loss at 100 m is:

$$U_v = \frac{100 \text{ m}}{160 \text{ m}} \cdot 3 \% = 1.87 \%$$

Select a cross-section of 16 mm<sup>2</sup> with a voltage loss of UV = 1.87 %.

For re-calculation of the current charge, use the rated current of 55 A (see table below diagram 1) that may be used (this cross-section) at 40  $^{\circ}$ C up to 90 A . The rated-current is, in this case, not a criterion for the cross-section.

## Example 3:

Star-delta starting

Service voltage: 400 V Rated current: 45 A Single cable length: 220 m Ambient temperature air/water: 40  $^{\circ}$  C / 20  $^{\circ}$ 

The procedures are the same as in example 1 and 2. In this case use the diagram 2.

With a rated current of 45 A and a single cable length of 220 m you find in diagram 2 a cross-section of 16 mm<sup>2</sup>. The maximum permissible length is 210 m. The voltage loss is

$$U_v = \frac{220 \text{ m}}{255 \text{ m}} \cdot 3 \% = 2.59 \%$$

The next smaller cross-section is 10 mm<sup>2</sup>. It is applicable up to 150 m length. The voltage losses in this case are

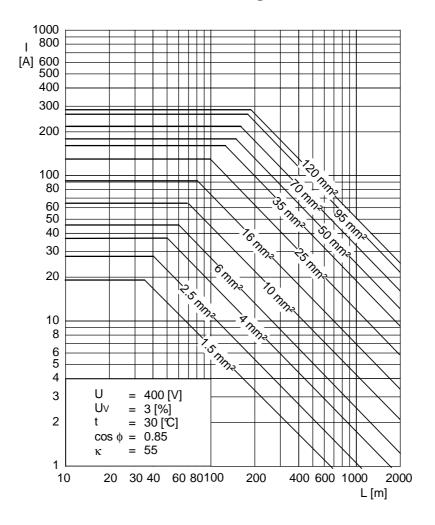
$$U_V = \frac{220 \, m}{150 \, m} \cdot 3 \% = 4.40 \%$$

Select cross-section of 16 mm<sup>2</sup> with a voltage loss of  $U_V = 2.59$  %.

The re-calculation of the current charge (see table below diagram 2) shows that this cross-section may be used at 40  $^{\circ}$ C up to 178 A . The current charge is, in this case, not a criterion for the cross-section.



## Diagram 1: D.O.L and auto-transformer starting

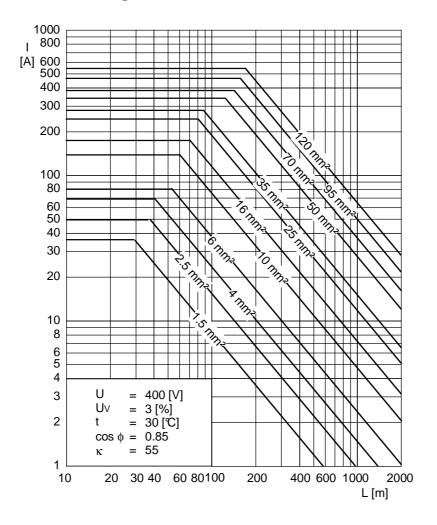


ambient temp. [℃]	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	
cross-section [mm²]		max. permissible current-carrying capacity multi-wire cables, 3 current-carrying wires						
	Motor rated current [A]							
1.5	18	17	16	15	13	11	10	
2.5	26	25	24	22	19	17	14	
4	34	33	31	28	25	22	18	
6	44	42	40	37	33	28	23	
10	61	59	56	51	46	39	32	
16	82	79	75	68	61	52	43	
25	108	104	98	90	81	69	57	
35	135	130	123	113	101	86	72	
50	168	161	153	140	125	107	89	
70	207	199	188	173	154	131	110	
95	250	240	228	209	187	159	132	
120	292	280	266	244	218	185	155	

ambient temp. [℃]	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
cross-section t [mm²]	max. permissible current-carrying capacity multi-wire cables, <b>single</b> wire cable						
	Motor rated current [A]						
6	54	52	49	45	40	34	29
10	73	70	66	61	54	46	39
16	98	94	89	82	73	62	52
25	129	124	117	108	96	82	68
35	158	152	144	132	118	100	84
50	198	190	180	165	148	126	105
70	245	235	223	205	183	156	130
95	292	280	266	244	218	185	155
120	344	330	313	287	257	218	182



## Diagram 2: star-delta-starting



ambient temp. [℃]	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
cross-section [mm²]	max. permissible current-carrying capacity multi-wire cables, 3 current-carrying wires						
	Motor rated current [A]						
1.5	31	30	28	26	23	20	16
2.5	45	43	41	38	34	29	24
4	59	56	54	49	44	37	31
6	76	73	69	64	57	48	40
10	106	101	96	88	79	67	56
16	142	136	129	118	106	90	75
25	187	179	170	156	139	119	99
35	234	224	213	195	174	148	124
50	291	279	264	243	217	184	154
70	358	344	326	299	267	227	190
95	433	415	394	361	323	275	229
120	505	485	460	422	377	321	268

ambient temp. [℃]	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
cross-section [mm²]	max. permissible current-carrying capacity multi-wire cables, single wire cable						
	Motor rated current [A]						
6	93	90	85	78	70	59	49
10	126	121	115	105	94	80	67
16	170	163	154	142	127	108	90
25	223	214	203	186	167	142	118
35	273	262	249	228	204	174	145
50	343	329	312	286	256	217	181
70	424	407	386	354	316	269	225
95	505	485	460	422	377	321	268
120	595	571	542	497	444	378	315



## 1 Assessment of the corrosion behaviour

Following schema allow to estimate a water analysis.

Thereto eliminate step by step all characteristics which are not applicable.

#### 1.1 Carbonate hardness < 6°dH

### 1.1.1 Free oxygen < 4 mg/l

pH >= GW (pH): harmless

pH < GW (pH): iron attacking, attack increases with dropping pH value

## 1.1.2 Free oxygen >= 4 mg/

iron attacking, attack increases with an increasing oxygen content

#### 1.2 Carbonate hardness >= 6°dH

## 1.2.1 Free oxygen ≈ 0 mg/l

pH >= GW (pH): harmless

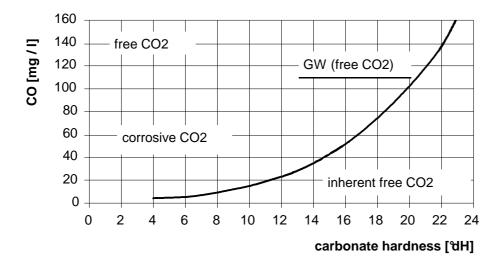
pH < GW (pH): iron attacking, attack increases with dropping pH value

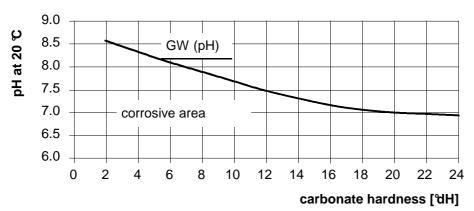
## 1.2.2 Free oxygen > 0 mg/l

free CO2  $\leftarrow$  GW (free CO2) or pH  $\rightarrow$  GW (pH): harmless

free CO2 > GW (free CO2) or pH < GW (pH): iron attacking, attack increases with a growing O2

salary at formation of bubbles, pitting







#### 1.3 Salts

dry evaporation residue <= 500 mg/l: harmless

dry evaporation residue > 500 mg/l: avoid different metals, or electrochemical corrosion conducting

ability increases with increasing salt concentration, do not use any

metals located far off in the voltage series table

#### 1.4 Chlorides

contains < 150 mg/l: harmless (taste limit)

> 150 mg/l: beware different metals, pitting

## 1.5 Unbound acids

humic acids, sulfur hydrogen, if present iron attacking

## 2 Judgment on depositions

## **2.1 Lime**

free CO2 > GW (free CO2): no depositions

free CO2 < GW (free CO2): the larger the CO2-lack is higher

 $O2 \approx 0$ , deposition as mud O2 > 0, deposition as a scale

### 2.2 Iron and manganese

#### 2.2.1 Iron

iron < 0.2 mg/l no depositions

iron => 0.2 mg/l ocre incrustation, increasing with Fe- and O2-content

## 2.2.2 Manganese

manganese < 0.1 mg/l: no depositions

manganese => 0.1 mg/l: manganese incrustation, increasing with Mn- and O2- salary

Iron and manganese depositions cannot be prevented. From time to time it is necessary to clean the pumps and motors mechanically.

### 3 Wear

Even at little sand quotas in the water it leads to erosion of impellers and cases. Beside of the quantity of sand erosion depends on the grain size, the grain kind and the kind of the mineral. **oddesse** pumps are designed for a maximum sand content of 50 mg/l. Larger sand quantities are dubious.

## Remark:

The complete hardness of the water is not responsible for the aggressiveness of it. The aggressiveness arrives from the carbonate hardness here, this corresponds to the quota of the calcium carbonate Ca(HCO3)2 in the water.

1 %H = 29.91 mg/l Ca(HCO3)2 1 mg/l Ca(HCO3)2 = 0.0033 %H

ଖH (german hardness)	°French hardness	°English hardness	USA hardness
1.000	1.79	1.25	17.85
0.800	1.43	1.00	14.28
0.560	1.00	0.70	10.00
0.056	0.10	0.07	1.00



## Conversion of rates of flow

