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Rule-Mate

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ISO 8849 Marine (Bilge Pumps)

(Ignition Protection) ISO 8846 Marine

### WARNING!

Use with any other medium, including particularly hazardous, pump, the surrounding environment and injury to persons or caustic or corrosive substances, could result in damage to the This pump is designed for use with fresh and salt water only.



property, including possible exposure to hazardous substances.

This pump is for water applications only.

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# INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

### Mounting

- Disassemble Rule-Mate pump as follows: Press white housing tingers inward to release pump housing. Lift pump housing from strainer
- 2. Mount the blue strainer in the lowest point of the block in place onto which you can tasten the strainer or, on a fiberglass boat you may fiberglass a wood bilge. Secure with the stainless steel screws provided You must keep the strainer 2" from the nearest wall
- 3. Reassemble the pump by aligning the pump clasps to make sure the pump is snapped tirmly in place accept the strainer base and press down hard to

the installation must allow for complete drainage of the hose. All air/water pockets must be eliminated by having the discharge hose running level or continuously upward.

# HOW THE RULE MATE WORKS

cycling of the pump caused by the float switch bouncing due to in the raised position for about two seconds. This prevents until it turns on the pump (at about 2-3/4 inches of water). However, the pump will not turn on until the float switch has been When water enters the bilge, the built in float switch will rise the motion of the boat.

go into its turn off cycle. The pump will then continue to run for After the pump removes the majority of the water, the impeller about 15 seconds beyond this point in order to maximize the will sense that the water level has been lowered and will start to removal of the water

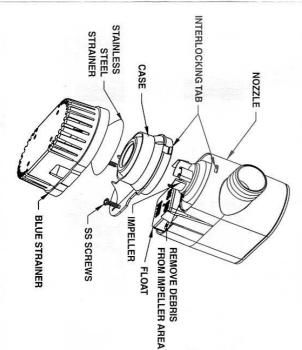
## **Overload Protection**

pump is shut off and the obstruction removed impeller. The pump will continue to test every minute until the if the obstruction is still preventing the free motion of the other obstruction, the pump will shut off to prevent damage to the pump. After one minute the pump will turn on again to check If ever the impeller becomes jammed because of debris or some

# CLEANING THE IMPELLER AND FLOAT SWITCH

quality Bilge Cleaner, such as Sudbury® Bilge Cleaner can potentially accumulate and impede the operaareas as clean as possible. Oil, grease, and debris It is very important to keep the float and impeller build up on the pump. will reduce the amount of oil and grease that can bilge as clean as possible. Routine cleaning with a tion of the pump. It is a good practice to keep your

- To clean the impeller area of the pump, remove the case in place. You can also remove the float switch tor cleaning when the impeller case is removed two stainless steel screws which hold the impeller
- After cleaning, install the float in the float cavity. BE atter installation. SURE the surface marked "THIS SIDE DOWN" is visible
- S Reinstall the impeller case by inserting the tab into the Both SS screws must be replaced for proper operation tab slot and replacing the two stainless steel screws.

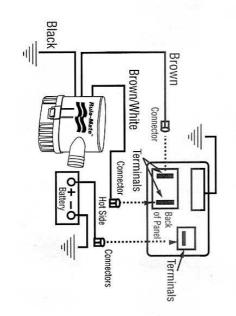


### WIRING

- WIRE Normal installations require 16 gage wire. For installations over 25 feet from battery, use 14 gage wire.
- 2. KEEP ALL WIRE CONNECTIONS ABOVE HIGHEST POSSIBLE WATER LEVEL. WIRE CONNECTIONS SHOULD BE SEALED WITH SUDBURY® ELASTOMERIC® SEALANT TO PREVENT CORROSION.
- Rule-Mate Bilge Pumps require a three way panel switch. You may use Rule Model 41, 43, or 45 three-way panel switch.

# TYPICAL THREE WIRE INSTALLATIONS

WIRING WITH RULE MODEL 41
THREE-WAY LIGHTED PANEL SWITCH

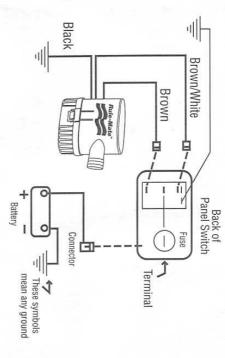


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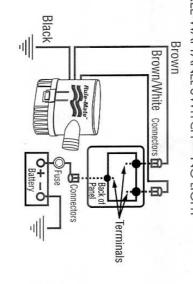
The brown wire is the automatic lead. The brown/white wire is the manual lead

### WIRING CONT.

WIRING WITH RULE MODEL 43
THREE-WAY LIGHTED PANEL SWITCH



WIRING WITH RULE MODEL 45
THREE-WAY PANEL SWITCH — NO LIGHT



### FUSE

Different fuse sizes are required for each model pump. The chart below indicates the proper fuse size.

MODEL	CAPACITY	AMP DRAW (13.6v)	FUSE SIZE
RM-500	500 GPH	2.0 amps	2.5 amps
RM-750	750 GPH	4.0 amps	5.0 amps
RM-1100	1100 GPH	5.0 amps	6.0 amps

# HOSE AND THRU-HULL

Rule-Mate 500 and 750 GPH pumps require 3/4" i.d. hose (Rule models 81 or 82). The Rule-Mate 1100 requires 1-1/8" i.d. hose (Rule model 80 or 83).

Rule-Mate 500 and 750 GPH pumps require a 3/4" thru hull fitting (Rule model 61 or 61S). The Rule-Mate 1100 requires a 1-1/8" thru-hull fitting (Rule model 60).

Locate thru-hull fittings at least 12" above the water line to prevent water from coming back into the hull. On sail boats, mount the thru-hull high enough on the center of the transom to be above the anticipated water line.

## PERFORMANCE DATA

12.0 volts	13.6 volts	RM-500
480	500	GPH @0'
(1817 LPH)	(1893 LPH)	(0Kpa)
310	360	GPH@3.35'
(1173 LPH)	(1363 LPH)	(10Kpa)
180 (681 LPH)	230 (871 LPH)	GPH@6.7' (20Kpa)

RM-750	GPH @0' (0Kpa)	GPH@3.35 (10Kpa)	GPH@6.7' (20Kpa)
3 K   L	750	560	390
3.0 VOITS	(2839 LPH)	(2120 LPH)	(1476 LPH)
20 volts	650	480	300
1000	(2461 LPH)	(1817 LPH)	(1136 LPH)

RM-1100	GPH @0 (0Kpa)	(10Kpa)	(20Kpa)
5	1100	860	600
13.0 Volts	(4164 LPH)	(3255 LPH)	(2271 LPH)
120 volts	1050	720	480
1.0	(3974 LPH)	(2725 LPH)	(1817 LPH)