Displacement Pump

4050 psi (283 bar) Maximum Working Pressure

Part No. 217–530, Series C
Severe-Duty Pump*
with UHMWPE and Leather Packings.

Part No. 237–066, Series A
Severe-Duty Pump*
with Leather Packings and PTFE Backup.

* Severe-Duty Displacement Pumps have an abrasion and corrosion resistant displacement rod and sleeve. Refer to Technical Data on the back cover for “Wetted Parts” information.

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WARNINGS

High Pressure Spray Can Cause Serious Injury. For Professional Use Only.
Observe All Warnings. Read and understand all instruction manuals before operating equipment.

FLUID INJECTION HAZARD

General Safety
This equipment generates very high fluid pressure. Spray from the gun/dispensing valve, leaks or ruptured components can inject fluid through your skin and into your body and cause extremely serious bodily injury, including the need for amputation. Also, fluid injected or splashed into the eyes or on the skin can cause serious damage.

Never point the spray gun/dispensing valve at anyone or at any part of the body. Never put hand or fingers over the spray tip/nozzle. Never try to “blow back” paint; this is not an air spray system.

Always have the tip guard in place on the spray gun when spraying.

Always follow the Pressure Relief Procedure, right, before cleaning or removing the spray tip/nozzle or servicing any system equipment.

Never try to stop or deflect leaks with your hand or body.

Be sure equipment safety devices are operating properly before each use.

Medical Alert – Airless Spray Wounds
If any fluid appears to penetrate your skin, get emergency medical care at once. Do not treat as a simple cut. Tell the doctor exactly what fluid was injected.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Injection into the skin is a traumatic injury. It is important to treat the injury surgically as soon as possible. Do not delay treatment to research toxicity. Toxicity is a concern with some exotic coatings injected directly into the blood stream. Consultation with a plastic surgeon or reconstructive hand surgeon may be advisable.

Spray Gun/Dispensing Valve Safety Devices
Be sure all spray gun/dispensing valve safety devices are operating properly before each use. Do not remove or modify any part of the spray gun/dispensing valve; this can cause a malfunction and result in serious bodily injury.

Safety Latch
Whenever you stop spraying/dispensing, even for a moment, always set the safety latch in the closed or “safe” position, making the spray gun/dispensing valve inoperative. Failure to set the safety latch can result in accidental triggering of the spray gun/dispensing valve.

Trigger Guard (if so equipped)
Never operate the spray gun/dispensing valve with the trigger guard removed. This guard helps prevent the gun/dispensing valve from triggering accidentally if it is dropped or bumped.

Diffuser (only on spray guns)
The spray gun diffuser breaks up spray and reduces the risk of fluid injection when the tip is not installed. Check the diffuser operation regularly. Follow the Pressure Relief Procedure, below, then remove the spray tip. Aim the spray gun into a grounded metal pail, holding the spray gun firmly to the pail. Using the lowest possible pressure, trigger the spray gun. If the fluid emitted is not diffused into an irregular stream, replace the diffuser immediately.

Tip Guard (only on spray guns)
Always have the tip guard in place on the spray gun while spraying. The tip guard alerts you to the fluid injection hazard and helps reduce, but does not prevent, the risk of accidentally placing your fingers or any part of your body close to the spray tip.

Spray Tip/Nozzle Safety
Use extreme caution when cleaning or changing spray tips/nozzles. If the spray tip/nozzle clogs while spraying/dispensing, engage the safety latch immediately. Always follow the Pressure Relief Procedure and then remove the spray tip/nozzle to clean it.

Never wipe off build-up around the spray tip/nozzle until pressure is fully relieved and the safety latch is engaged.

Pressure Relief Procedure
To reduce the risk of serious bodily injury, including fluid injection, splashing in the eyes or on the skin, or injury from moving parts, always follow this procedure whenever you shut off the pump, when checking or servicing any part of the spray/dispensing system, when installing, cleaning or changing spray tips/nozzles, and whenever you stop spraying/dispensing.

1. Engage the spray gun/dispensing valve safety latch.
2. Shut off the air or hydraulic fluid to the pump.
3. Close the bleed-type master air valve (required in air-powered systems).
4. Disengage the spray gun/dispensing valve safety latch.
5. Hold a metal part of the spray gun/dispensing valve firmly to the side of a grounded metal pail, and trigger the gun/dispensing valve to relieve pressure.
6. Engage the spray gun/dispensing valve safety latch.
7. Open the drain valve (required in your system), having a container ready to catch the drainage.
8. Leave the drain valve open until you are ready to spray again.

If you suspect that the spray tip/nozzle or hose is completely clogged, or that pressure has not been fully relieved after following the steps above, very slowly loosen the retaining nut or hose end coupling and relieve pressure gradually, then loosen completely. Now clear the tip/nozzle or hose.
EQUIPMENT MISUSE HAZARD

General Safety
Any misuse of the spray/dispensing equipment or accessories, such as overpressurizing, modifying parts, using incompatible chemicals and fluids, or using worn or damaged parts, can cause them to rupture and result in fluid injection, splashing in the eyes or on the skin, or other serious bodily injury, or fire, explosion or property damage.

Never alter or modify any part of this equipment; doing so could cause it to malfunction.

Check all spray/dispensing equipment regularly and repair or replace worn or damaged parts immediately.

Always wear protective eyewear, gloves, clothing and respirator as recommended by the fluid and solvent manufacturer.

System Pressure
The maximum safe working pressure is determined by the air or hydraulic motor. Do not exceed the maximum working pressure stated on your complete pump.

Be sure that all spray equipment and accessories are rated to withstand the maximum working pressure of the pump. Do not exceed the maximum working pressure of any component or accessory used in the system.

Fluid Compatibility
Be sure that all fluids and solvents used are chemically compatible with the wetted parts shown in the Technical Data on the back cover. Always read the manufacturer’s literature before using fluid or solvent in this pump.

5. Spray gun/dispensing valve: grounding is obtained through connection to a properly grounded fluid hose and pump.

6. Fluid supply container: according to your local code.

7. Object being sprayed: according to your local code.

8. All solvent pails used when flushing, according to your local code. Use only metal pails, which are conductive, placed on a grounded surface. Do not place the pail on a nonconductive surface, such as paper or cardboard, which interrupts the grounding continuity.

9. To maintain grounding continuity when flushing or relieving pressure, always hold a metal part of the spray gun/dispensing valve firmly to the side of a grounded metal pail, then trigger the spray gun/dispensing valve.

Flushing Safety
Before flushing, be sure the entire system and flushing pails are properly grounded. Refer to Grounding, at the left. Follow the Pressure Relief Procedure on page 2, and remove the spray tip/nozzle from the spray gun/dispensing valve. Always use the lowest possible fluid pressure, and maintain firm metal-to-metal contact between the spray gun/dispensing valve and the pail during flushing to reduce the risk of fluid injection injury, static sparking and splashing.

MOVING PARTS HAZARD

Moving parts can pinch or amputate your fingers or other body parts. In air-powered systems, the air motor piston (located behind the air motor shield) moves when air is supplied to the motor. Therefore, never operate the pump with the air motor shield removed. Keep clear of moving parts when starting or operating the pump. Before checking or servicing the pump, follow the Pressure Relief Procedure on page 2 to prevent the pump from starting accidentally.
HOSE SAFETY

High pressure fluid in the hoses can be very dangerous. If the hose develops a leak, split or rupture due to any kind of wear, damage or misuse, the high pressure spray emitted from it can cause a fluid injection injury or other serious bodily injury or property damage.

All fluid hoses must have spring guards on both ends! The spring guards help protect the hose from kinks or bends at or close to the coupling which can result in hose rupture.

Tighten all fluid connections securely before each use. High pressure fluid can dislodge a loose coupling or allow high pressure spray to be emitted from the coupling.

Never use a damaged hose. Before each use, check the entire hose for cuts, leaks, abrasion, bulging cover, or damage or movement of the hose couplings. If any of these conditions exist, replace the hose immediately. Do not try to recouple high pressure hose or mend it with tape or any other device. A repaired hose cannot safely contain the high pressure fluid.

Handle and route hoses carefully. Do not pull on hoses to move equipment. Do not use fluids which are not compatible with the inner tube and cover of the hose. Do not expose Graco hoses to temperatures above 180°F (82°C) or below –40°F (–40°C).

Hose Grounding Continuity
Proper hose grounding continuity is essential to maintaining a grounded spray/dispensing system. Check the electrical resistance of your air and fluid hoses at least once a week. If your hose does not have a tag on it which specifies the maximum electrical resistance, contact the hose supplier or manufacturer for the maximum resistance limits. Use a resistance meter in the appropriate range for your hose to check the resistance. If the resistance exceeds the recommended limits, replace it immediately. An ungrounded or poorly grounded hose can make your system hazardous. Also, read FIRE OR EXPLOSION HAZARD on page 3.

IMPORTANT

United States Government safety standards have been adopted under the Occupational Safety and Health Act. These standards – particularly the General Standards, Part 1910, and the Construction Standards, Part 1926 – should be consulted.

Manual Change Summary

NOTE: Displacement Pump Model 237–066 and Pump Repair Kit 237–076 are added to the manual. This pump has leather packings and a PTFE backup.
Service

WARNING

To reduce the risk of serious bodily injury, including fluid injection, splashing in the eyes or on the skin, or injury from moving parts, always follow the Pressure Relief Procedure on page 2 whenever you shut off the pump, when checking or servicing any part of the spray/dispensing system, when installing, cleaning or changing spray tips/nozzles, and whenever you stop spraying/dispensing.

Disassembly

NOTES: Packing Repair Kits 220–339 and 237–076 are available. For the best results, use all the new parts in the kit. Parts included in the repair kit are marked with an asterisk, for example (1*).

1. Solvent flush the pump, if possible. Stop the pump at the bottom of its stroke. Follow the Pressure Relief Procedure on page 2. Disconnect all hoses. Disconnect the displacement pump from the motor as explained in your separate pump manual.

2. Screw the intake valve housing (17) out of the pump outlet housing (16). Note which set of holes the ball stop pin (12) is in. Remove the pin, ball guide (13), ball (2), and o-ring (3) from the intake valve housing (17). See Fig. 1.

3. Unscrew the wet-cup/packing nut (14) and push the displacement rod (4) down and out of the outlet housing (16).

4. Place the flats of the displacement rod (4) in a vise and unscrew the piston (15) from the rod.

5. Remove the ball (1), retainer (6), and gland/packing stack (19) from the piston.

6. Remove the gland/packing stack from the throat.

7. Clean all parts thoroughly, and check for wear, scratches or other damage. Scoring or irregular surfaces on the displacement rod (4) or polished inner wall of the sleeve (10) can cause premature packing wear and leaking. Check these parts by rubbing a finger on the surfaces or by holding the parts up to the light at an angle. If either is worn or scratched, replace it. Be sure the ball seats of the piston (15) and intake valve housing (17) are not chipped or nicked. Replace any worn or damaged parts to ensure that the pump will not leak.

NOTE: If the sleeve needs replacement and is hard to remove, contact Graco Technical Assistance (see back page).

Fig. 1

Apply sealant and torque to 150–175 ft-lb (203–237 N.m).
Apply sealant and torque to 225–275 ft-lb (305–370 N.m).
See Fig. 2.
See Fig. 3.
Service

Reassembly

1. Remove the shims from one of the repair kit’s packing stacks (19*). Lubricate the stack and install it in the throat of the pump outlet housing (16). *Be sure the lips of the v-packings face down in the throat.* See Fig. 2. Loosely install the packing nut/wet-cup (14).

2. Reinstall the sleeve (10) if it was removed, making sure to replace the gasket (5*). Be sure the tapered end of the sleeve faces down toward the pump inlet.

3. Lubricate the other packing stack (19*) and install it on the piston (15). *Do not* remove the shims from the stack. *Be sure the lips of the v-packings face up on the piston.* Install the retainer (6*) and ball (1*). See Fig. 3.

4. Apply thread sealant and screw the piston (15) into the displacement rod (4). Torque to 150–175 ft–lb (203–237 N.m). See Fig. 1.

5. Lubricate the displacement rod (4), and insert it in the bottom of the outlet housing (16). Carefully push it up through the throat packings.

6. Install the ball (2*), ball guide (13), and ball stop pin (12) in the intake valve housing (17). Be sure the pin is in the desired set of holes, as was noted in step 2 under Disassembly. (To change the pin location, see Check Valve Adjustment, below.) Install the o-ring (3*) on the intake valve housing (17). Apply thread sealant and screw the assembly into the outlet housing (16). Torque to 225–275 ft–lb (305–370 N.m).

7. Reconnect the displacement pump to the motor (see your separate pump manual). Reconnect the ground wire if it was disconnected during repair.

8. Tighten the packing nut just enough to prevent leakage, but no tighter. Fill the wet-cup half full with TSL or compatible solvent.

Check Valve Adjustment

The intake check valve is set for high flow rates or high viscosity fluids. To set the valve for lighter viscosity fluids or a lower flow rate, to minimize surging at pump stroke changeover, move the ball stop pin (12) to the lower set of holes, decreasing the check ball travel. The piston check valve in this pump is not adjustable.
### Parts

**Model 217–530, Series C**  
**Model 237–066, Series A**

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* These parts are included in Repair Kits 220–399 and 237–076 which may be purchased separately. Kit also includes a tube of thread sealant (102–969) for use on the piston (15), a cotter pin (100–103) to connect the displacement rod to the motor, and another cotter pin (101–274) which is not used with this pump.

▲ Replacement Danger and Warning labels, tags and cards are available at no cost.
Technical Data

Maximum working pressure .............................. 4050 psi (283 bar)
Fluid inlet size ........................................... 1–1/2 npt(f)
Fluid outlet size .......................................... 3/4 npt(f)
Wetted parts .............................................
Model 217–530: 303, 304, and 17–4 PH grades of Stainless Steel;
Carbon Steel; Chrome, Zinc, and Cadmium Plating; Tungsten Carbide;
PTFE; Leather; Ultra-High Molecular Weight Polyethylene
Model 237–066: 303, 304, and 17–4 PH grades of Stainless Steel;
Carbon Steel; Chrome, Zinc, and Cadmium Plating; Tungsten Carbide;
PTFE; Leather

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