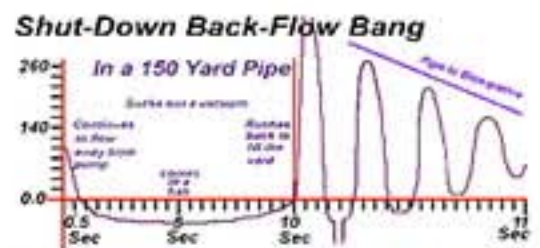
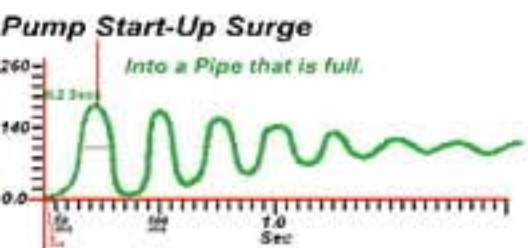


# Choosing Shock Stop Bottles, Check List :- "Water Hammer Alleviator Work Sheet"

Meeting the Safe Use Requirements of the EC Pressure Equipment Directive.



## "Pump Start-Up Surge" Acceleration head to overcome the mass in the pipe system after the pump. Please at the least review 17, 6, 7, 10, 11, 15, 16, + 24, & 25. and answer:-

**1. Nitrogen or Air Pad pressure in Top of Tank, Bars**  
**2. + Positive suction Head**  
**2. - Negative suction Head**  
**3. The Length of the suction line**  
**4. Diameter of the suction line**  
**5. Pressure Losses, filters etc.**

**6. Valve closure time after pump start - OR - 7. Pump Spin-up time**  
 (Which ever is slower)

**8. Any increase in elevation**  
**9. Any decrease in elevation**  
**10. Average discharge pipe diameter**  
**11. Length of discharge pipe**

**12. Pressure against which the system is discharging**  
**13. Pipe wall dilatibility (wall elasticity kills shock)**  
**14. Liquid Compressibility (more system cushioning)**  
**15. Any compatible elastomers**  
**16. Compatible metals**

**17. Rate of Mass Transfer Kg/Sec or SG & GPM**  
**18. Viscosity cP.**  
**19. R.P.M.**  
**20. Impeller Diameter**  
**21. Metal**

**23. Min. Design Metal Temp. MDMT**  
**24. Design Temp. @**  
**25. Design Pres.**  
**26. Max. Diam.**  
**27. Max. Height**  
**28. Connection Type**

**14. Compressibility in parts of a Liter per Bar pressure change**  
 Examples : 50e-6, 19.6e-5, 11.39e-4

**13. Elasticity of pipe wall**  
 Examples : Steel 2e+11  
 Concrete 4.2e+10  
 PVC 2.89e+9

## Pump Shut-Down "Back Flow Bang" The mass and velocity of return, filling the void that was cause by continuing to flow away from the pump after it was stopped. Please at the least review 17, 6, 7, 10, 11, 15, 16, + 24, & 25. and answer:-

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**2. + Positive suction Head**  
**2. - Negative suction Head**  
**3. The Length of the suction line**  
**4. Diameter of the suction line**  
**5. Pressure Losses, filters etc.**

**6. Valve Opening time after pump turn off - OR - 7. Pump Spin down time**  
 (Which is longer)

**8. Any increase in elevation**  
**9. Any decrease in elevation**  
**10. Average discharge pipe diameter**  
**11. Length of discharge pipe**

**12. Pressure against which the system is discharging**  
**13. Pipe wall dilatibility (wall elasticity kills shock)**  
**14. Liquid Compressibility (more system cushioning)**  
**15. Any compatible elastomers**  
**16. Compatible metals**

**17. Rate of Mass Transfer when pump ran. Kg/Sec or SG & GPM**  
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**19. R.P.M.**  
**20. Impeller Diameter**  
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## Fast Valve Closure - "Valve Slam Hammer" Deceleration of the mass of liquid in the pipe in a small amount of time. Please at the least review 17, 6, 7, 10, 11, 15, 16, + 24, & 25. and answer:-

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**2. - Negative suction Head**  
**3. The Length of the suction line**  
**4. Diameter of the suction line**  
**5. Pressure Losses, filters etc.**

**6. Valve closure time**

**7. Pump Spin Down Time after valve closure**

**8. Any increase in elevation**  
**9. Any decrease in elevation**  
**10. Average discharge pipe diameter**  
**11. Length of discharge pipe**

**12. Pressure against which the system is discharging**  
**13. Pipe wall dilatibility (wall elasticity kills shock)**  
**14. Liquid Compressibility (more system cushioning)**  
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**13. Elasticity of pipe wall**  
 Examples : Steel 2e+11  
 Concrete 4.2e+10  
 PVC 2.89e+9

Equipment recommendations we make for you, can not be better than the information you give to us.

For a Quotation:-

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**PUMPS make FLOW, SYSTEMS cause PRESSURE, pressure HAMMER is a system response, AND a system responsibility NOT a pump manufacturers liability.** E&OE

Suitability for purpose recommendations made on the basis of data & calculations above are with the following normal responsibilities of the parties :-

- System Design
- S.D. to consider.
- Pump Vendor.
- Bottle Peddler.

Check Mark As Required

Establish the allowable residual pressure amplitude:-  
 ( Shock rebound or "resonance" is sometimes referred to as "Pulsation" )

Pressure Normung "PN" 10 Bar & ANSI B16.5 150#  
 Depending on materials and design temperature approx. 275 psi 19 Bar. Shock pressure max.

Stop Drive belt break-up, keep instant load changes less than 14%

To stop tooth chatter wear, depending on machine inertia, keep pressure transients less than 12%

To Stop premature Lift & "weeping", keep all pressure waves that are sustained for in excess of 40ms below 9% less than static set pressure.

Prevent burst disk fatigue, by keeping repetitive spikes to less than + & - 4% of steady state pressure.

If in doubt stay below 5 psi transient over pressure to stop pipe fatigue.

Examples: 25ft of 1" pipe with a 100Hz frequency Keep the shocks below 10 psi. 6500 ft of 20" @ 0.5 Hz., keep below 30 psi  
 For the nomogram GOTO www.pulseguard.com, click on **CLICK HERE** Next screen, click on A. 1. **CLICK HERE** next screen scroll to bottom right, click on nomogram

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