



## Flotronic's ultra-safe Minichem pump



### The Minichem

A PTFE pump designed specifically for the safe transfer of aggressive chemicals and other hazardous liquids, at flow rates up to 100 litres/minute through  $\frac{1}{2}$ " and 1" connections.

The Minichem is machined from one solid block of PTFE, a unique patented concept based on Flotronic's existing 'ONE-NUT' air-operated double diaphragm design. A key benefit of the 'ONE-BLOCK' design is that it avoids the need for separate manifolds. This means no manifold seals and therefore no potential leak paths.

Flotronic's 'ONE-BLOCK' approach enhances the ease of maintenance benefit which the 'ONE-NUT' design delivers. The pump is held together by one nut on the side opposite the external air valve - allowing in-line diaphragm replacement in less than 15 minutes and a complete strip-down and re-build possible in less than 20 minutes. 'ONE-BLOCK' means that Minichem maintenance need focus only on 'ONE-NUT' disassembly ... and on the ball valves only when necessary.

Flanged as well as threaded BSP versions of the Minichem are available, ensuring full compatibility with existing PTFE-lined pipework.

All non-wetted Minichem parts are in Polypropylene and Stainless Steel and ATEX approved versions are also available in both FDA approved PTFE and anti-static PTFE.

With environmental protection in mind, Diaphragm Rupture Protection and fully pneumatic Alarm Systems are available.

## Flotronic 'Minichem'

### 'Minichem' 'ONE-BLOCK' technology delivers outstanding benefits:

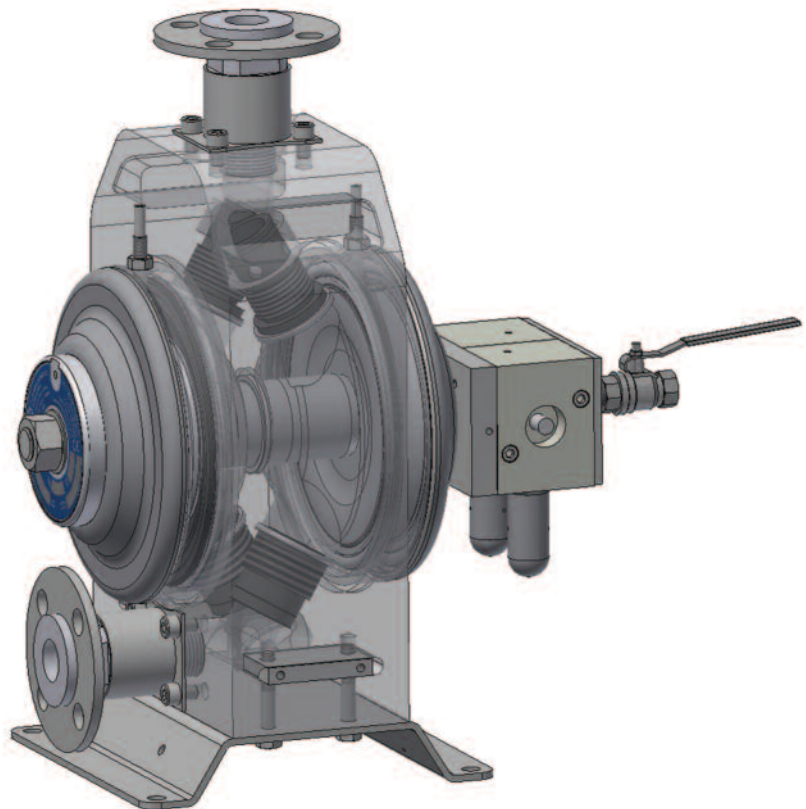
- 'ONE-BLOCK' technology without separate manifolds ensuring greater pump integrity
- 'ONE-NUT' technology for ease of maintenance
- suitable for aggressive chemical duties at flow rates up to 100 ltr/minute and temperatures up to 80°C
- flanged as well as threaded connections available in 1/2" and 1" sizes - so compatible with existing PTFE-lined pipework
- all external parts in Polypropylene or Stainless Steel
- ATEX approved PTFE and anti-static PTFE versions where required (FDA approved anti-static) ATEX 94/9/EC compliance up to Gas Group IIC
- self-priming, suction lifts (2m/6.5ft dry and 8m/26ft wet)
- easy maintenance of air valve when pump in-line.

### All of which help to:

- maintain levels of safety in hazardous environments and operations
- reduce down time and cleaning costs
- keep operations running and cost-efficient.

### Applications:

- chemical, pharmaceutical and similar industries
- pilot plants (often in sampling lines)
- emergency pumps for hazardous chemical recovery.

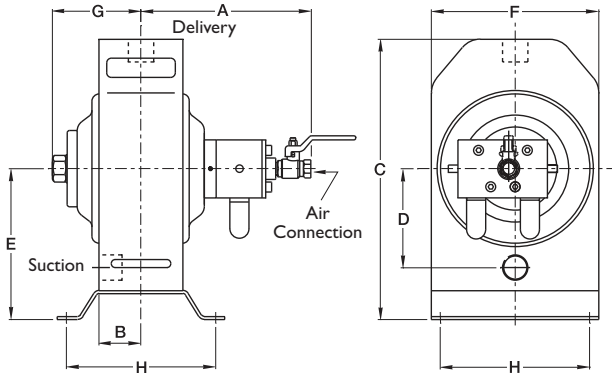
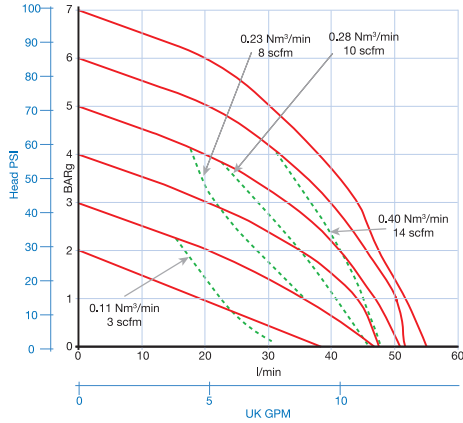


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# Technical Data

## Flow Rate 7" diameter diaphragm

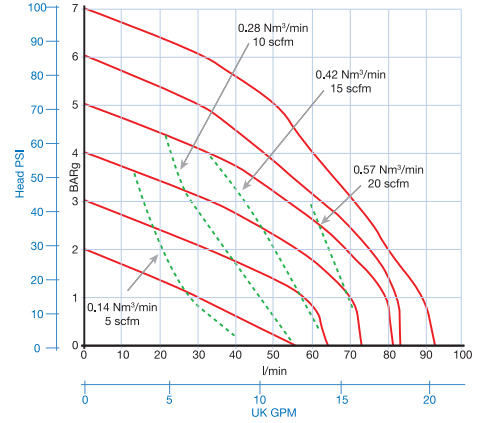
1/2"



Maximum operating pressure 7.2 bar (105 PSIG)

## Flow Rate 7" diameter diaphragm

1"



'Minichem' Virgin & Anti Static PTFE										Diaphragm Diameter
Size	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	Wt/kg	7"
1/2" - 1"	282	55	368	130	198	220	116	196	23	

Dimensions in mm

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