

Pump Tanks



5-Year Limited Warranty*

Metal Air Valve

100 PSI Working Pressure

Multiple Head Construction

 Provides added structural strength and more capacity within the same diameters

Interior Epoxy Coating

• Permanently bonded to the tank shell to provide the ultimate protection on the water side of the tank

Butyl Rubber Parabolic Diaphragm

- Ensures long life
- Prevents rubbing on the tank wall or rolling over on itself

Positive Lock Retention System

• Quality controlled compression in the diaphragm connection eliminates loss of air or water leaks in the tank

Ultra-UV Exterior Powder Coat

• Tough powder coating provides the ultimate exterior protection and is undercoated with zinc phosphate for the highest corrosion resistance



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Metal Air Charge Valve is on all models

Diaphragm Pump Tanks

American Diaphragm Pump Tanks are designed for great flexibility in installation and years of trouble-free service. They offer numerous advantages over competitive tanks. Smooth, dependable diaphragm design and operation provides precise control of system operation cycles.

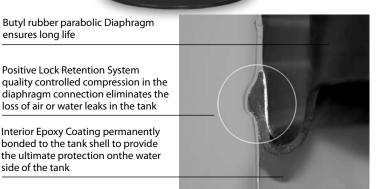
Free-standing and in-line vertical tanks are available, as well as horizontal tanks with universal pump mounting bracket.

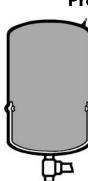
In-Line Tanks

APTI Series tanks, available in 2-, 5-, and 7-gallon sizes, are designed to be supported by system piping. (See Typical Installations, page 4)



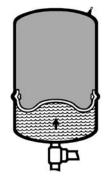
Durable polymer rotating base resists corrosion and allows easy plumbing alignment



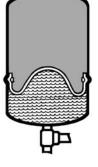


Start-Up Cycle* Diaphragm is pressed against the bottom of the chamber.

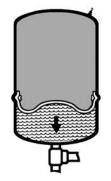
* Based on 30-50 PSI operating system.



Fill Cycle* Water is pumped into the reservoir, which forces the diaphragm upward into the air chamber.



Hold Cycle* Pump-cutoff pressure is attained. Diaphragm reaches its uppermost position. Reservoir is now filled to its rated capacity.



Delivery Cycle* Pump remains shut off while air pressure in top chamber forces diaphragm downward, delivering water to system.

Pre-Pressurized Pump Tank Operation Cycles

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Sizing

The charts below allow you to easily select the right American APT Series tank for standard-size pumps between 2-1/2 and 30 gallons in capacity and for 20-40 PSI, 30-50 PSI and 40-60 PSI pressure ranges. Minimum run times shown (from start-up) are 1 minute, 1-1/2 minutes and 2 minutes. For example, for a system that delivers 12 GPM at 30-50 PSI, with a minimum run time of 1 minute, Chart 1 indicates that the proper tank is the APT-45.

Chart 1 – APT Series Free-Standing Tank Selection Chart

Pump	System Pressure Ranges (PSI)											
		20-40			30-50		40-60					
GPM	Minimum Run Times (Minutes)											
	1	1.5	2	1	1.5	2	1	1.5	2			
2.5	APT-14	APT-14	APT-14	APT-14	APT-14	APT-20	APT-14	APT-20	APT-20			
5	APT-14	APT-20	APT-45	APT-20	APT-32	APT-32	APT-20	APT-32	APT-45			
7	APT-20	APT-32	APT-45	APT-32	APT-45	APT-45	APT-32	APT-45	APT-65			
10	APT-32	APT-45	APT-86*	APT-32	APT-65	APT-65	APT-45	APT-65	APT-86*			
12	APT-32	APT-65	APT-86*	APT-45	APT-65	APT-86*	APT-45	APT-65	APT-86*			
15	APT-45	APT-65	APT-86*	APT-65	APT-86*	APT-119	APT-65	APT-86*	APT-119			
20	APT - 65	APT-86*	APT-119	APT-86*	APT-119	(2)APT-65	APT-86*	APT-119	(2)APT-86*			
25	APT-86*	APT-119	(2)APT-86*	APT-86*	(2)APT-86*	(2)APT-86*	APT-119	(2)APT-86*	(2)APT-119			
30	APT-86*	(2)APT-86*	(2)APT-86*	APT-119	(2)APT-86*	(2)APT-119	APT-119	(2)APT-119	(2)APT-119			

* 85 or 86

Chart 2 – Drawdown Volume Multiplier (Approximate)

Pump Shutoff Pressure (PSI	Pump Start-Up Pressure (PSI)										
	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80			
20	.26										
30	.41	.22									
40		.37	.18								
50		.46	.31	.15							
60			.4	.27	.13						
70			.47	.35	.24	.12					
80				.42	.32	.21	.11				
90				.48	.38	.29	.19	.10			
100					.44	.35	.26	.17			

If proper tank selection cannot be made using Chart 1, follow this procedure. First, find the "drawdown multiplier" by matching the pump start-up and shut-off pressures on Chart 2. For example, the multiplier for a 30-50 PSI pressure range is .31.

Next, insert the pump GPM capacity and desired minimum run time into this formula:

To assume dependable drawdown volumes, and in keeping with present industry practice, drawdowns

Chart 3 – Drawdown in Gallons

Model No.	Volume in Ga ll ons	20-40	30-50	40-60
APTI-2	2.0	0.7	0.6	-
APTI-5	4.6	1.7	1.4	-
APTI-7	7.3	2.7	2.3	-
APTI-14	14.0	5.2	4.3	3.8
APT-14	14.0	5.2	4.3	3.8
APT-20	20.0	7.4	6.2	5.4
APT-32	32.0	11.5	9.6	8.4
APT-45	45.0	16.7	13.9	12.1
APT-65	65.0	24.1	20.1	17.5
APT-85	85.0	31.5	26.7	22.9
APT-86	86.0	31.8	26.7	23.2
APT-119	119.5	44.2	37.0	32.3

are based on Boyle's Law. For example, using a 10 GPM pump, a one-minute minimum run time, and a 30-50 PSI pressure range, the formula is as follows:

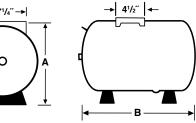
$\frac{12 \times 1}{.31} = 38.7 \quad \substack{\text{Minimum Tank}\\\text{Volume}}$

Then, using Chart 3, select the tank that has a minimum volume that meets or exceeds your minimum volume requirement and supplies adequate drawdown at the required pressure range. Minimum drawdown equals Pump GPM X Minimum Run Time. Therefore, in the above example, select the APT-45 45-gallon tank. It provides adequate drawdown at 30-50 PSI.



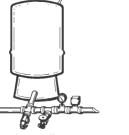
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MODEL	VOL. U.S. GAL	DRAW DOWN 30-50 PSI	CONN SIZE NPT INCHES	A INCHES	B INCHES	C INCHES	SHIPPING WEIGHT LBS	FREE-STANDING
FREE-STAN	IDING PUN	MP TANKS						
APT-14	13.9	4.3	1 F	24-15/16	2	15-3/8	23	
APT-20	19.9	6.1	1F	32-3/8	2	15-3/8	34	
APT-26	25.9	8.0	1 F	39-9 16	2	15-3/8	43	
APT-32	31.8	9.9	1F	47-1/4	2	15-3/8	52	
APT-45	45.2	13.9	1-1/4 F	36-9/16	2	22	64	
APT-65	65.1	20.0	1-1/4 F	48-5/8	2	22	89	
APT-85	84.9	26.2	1-1/4 F	60-11/16	2	22	113	∮
APT-86	83.5	25.9	1-1/4 F	46	2-1/2	26	116	
APT-119	115.9	35.9	1-1/4 F	61-5/16	2	26	161	HORIZONTAL
IN-LINE PU	MP TANKS							← 7 ¹ / ₄ ″→ → 4 ¹ / ₂ ″
APTI-2	1.9	.6	3/4 M	10-3/16	-	8-1/4	5	
APTI-5	4.8	1.5	3/4 M	14-3/4	-	11	9	
APTI-7	7.3	2.3	3/4 M	21-1/16	-	11	14	
HORIZONTA	AL PUMP T	ANKS						
APTH-7	7.3	2.3	3/4 M	12-7/8	21-1/16	11	16	
APTH-14	13.9	4.3	1 M	18-1/4	21-1/16	15-3/8	25	
APTH-20	19.9	6.1	1 M	18-1/4	28-1/2	15-3/8	36	◄ ──── B



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APT Free-Standing Series The standard front-entry installation. Gauge, relief valve and pressure switch are installed in front of tank.







Double Installation

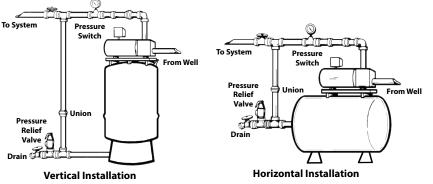


The pump can be mounted on the tank using a universal mounting base. The pump can be attached to the top of either a vertical or horizontal tank. For installation convenience, the horizontal series is available with pump mount and legs factory installed.

*Pump mount bracket available.

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