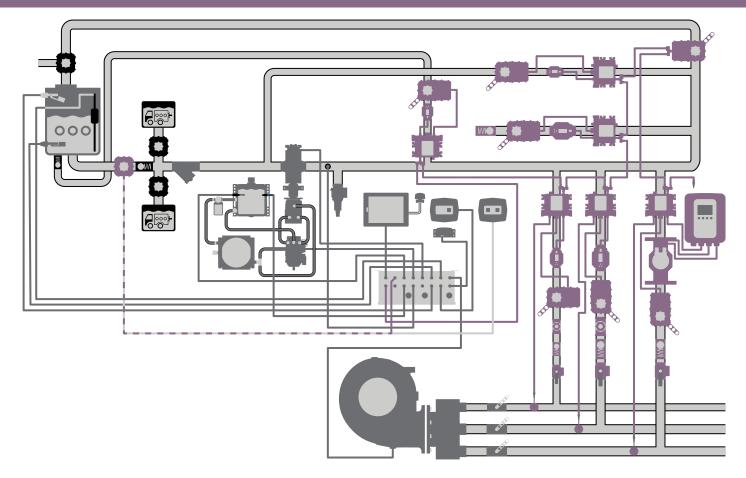


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# AQUIS<sup>™</sup> ULTRAFLOW 300 DLA and Non-DLA Valves Installation and Operation



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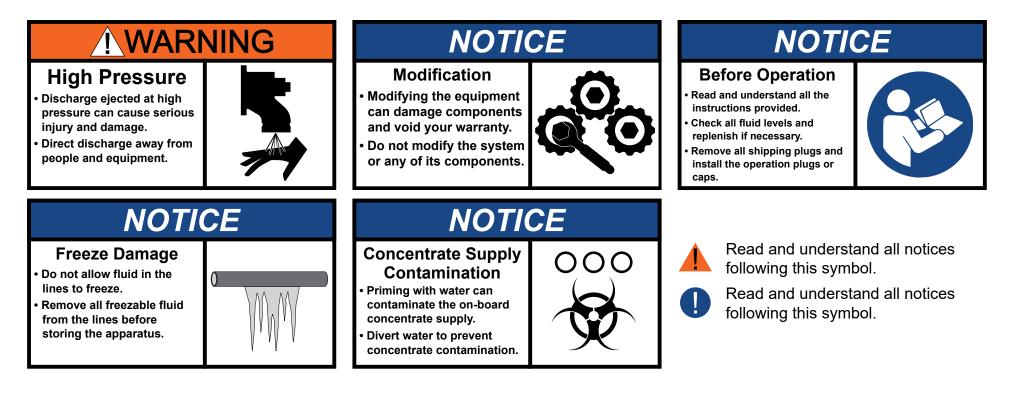
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#### **Safety Precautions**

- Read and understand all the associated documentation before you begin operating or overhauling the equipment.
- Contact Waterous when you have questions about operating, maintaining, or overhauling the equipment.
- Read and understand all the notices and safety precautions.
- Do not operate the equipment when safety guards are removed.

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• Do not modify the equipment.



SAFETY INTRODUCTION OVERVIEW INSTALLATION OPERATION MAINTENANCE

Use this document to install and operate your Waterous equipment. Understand the following conditions before continuing with the document:

- The instructions may refer to options or equipment that you may not have purchased with your system.
- The illustrations in this document are intended to convey concepts. Do not use the illustrations to determine physical attributes, placement, or proportion.
- Understand that your application may require additional steps, that are not described in the illustrations or instructions, to perform the installation.
- The equipment described in this document is intended to be installed by a person or persons with the necessary skills and knowledge to perform the installation.
- The equipment described in this document is intended to be operated by a
  person or persons with the basic knowledge of operating similar equipment.
- The information in this document is subject to change without notice.

This document is divided into the following sections:

#### SAFETY

This section describes general precautions and alert symbols in the document.

#### INTRODUCTION

This section is an overview of the document.

#### **OVERVIEW**

This section describes the components that make up the system.

#### INSTALLATION

This section describes the installation and initial setup procedures.

#### **OPERATION**

This section describes the equipment operation.

#### MAINTENANCE

This section describes any required maintenance.

#### **Using this Document**

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- View this document in landscape orientation.
- Use the table of contents to navigate directly to that section.
- Text with this appearance is linked to a reference.

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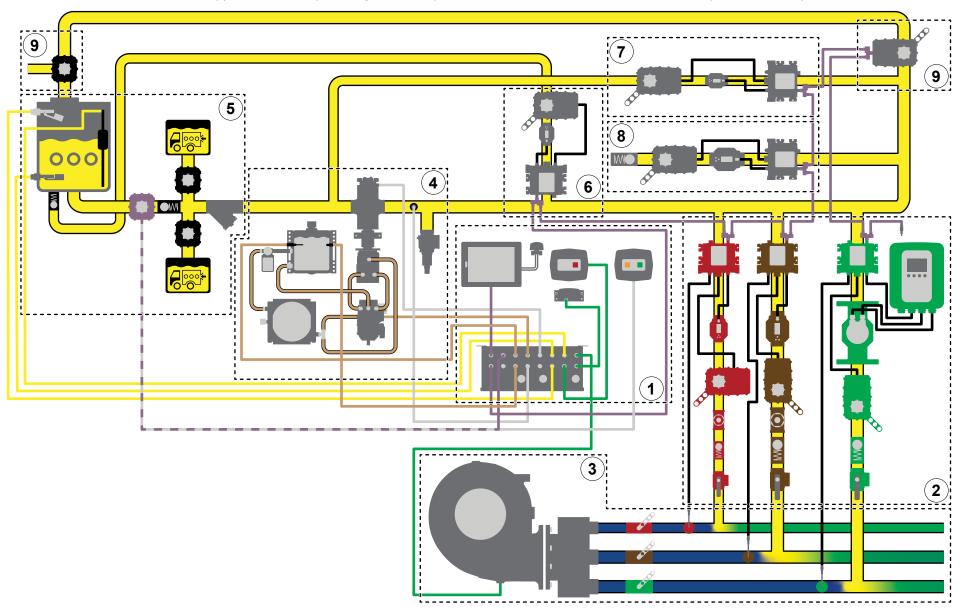
- This document is designed to be printed on both sides and in color.
- Use a 3-ring binder to store the document.

#### **Additional Documentation**

Additional documentation is available through the MyWaterous login at waterousco.com. Use your serial number to gain access to the service parts list (SPL) associated with your system. Dimensional drawings are available through the Waterous Service department.

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Note: Make sure that the installer-supplied UltraFlow plumbing cannot trap fluid and allows fluid to be drained from the system when required.



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The Aquis UltraFlow industrial foam proportioner system supplies concentrate into a solution-capable discharge line. A Tellurus<sup>™</sup> control panel, or human machine interface (HMI), shows system activity and provides control of the system using a CANbus protocol. Foam concentrate is sourced from an on-board supply tank or an auxiliary source. The concentrate pump distributes concentrate though the discharge line assembly (DLA) using hydraulic components. The concentrate is then measured, controlled, and introduced into the solution-capable discharge line to produce foam solution. Understand that your application will include all or portions of the components described.

	Subsystem	Description
1	Control system	<ul> <li>This monitors and controls the foam proportioner system. The components in this subsystem include:</li> <li>Control panel—this displays system operation and provides control of the system.</li> <li>Control box—this connects to various system components and contains the programmable logic controllers (PLCs).</li> <li>Manual override panel—this disables the automatic control of the concentrate control valves.</li> <li>Power relay panel—this enables and disables power to the DLA.</li> <li>Concentrate source panel—this selects whether the concentrate is sourced from an on-board tank or an auxiliary supply.</li> <li>Various cables—these provide communication and power to system components.</li> </ul>
2	Discharge line assembly	<ul> <li>This manages the concentrate injected into the solution-capable discharge. The system can control up to 19 DLAs. The components in this subsystem include:</li> <li>Node controller—this connects to and controls the concentrate control valve, and reads the flowmeters and discharge pressure transducer.</li> <li>CAN cable splitter—this connects the node controllers to one another and the control box.</li> <li>DLA terminating resistor—this terminates the CAN connection on the last node controller or valve in the CAN chain.</li> <li>Concentrate control valve—this controls the concentrate flow.</li> <li>Magnetic flowmeter—this measures the concentrate flow.</li> <li>Check valve—this prevents reverse fluid flow in the line.</li> <li>Vacuum relief valve—this allows the DLA to drain by relieving the vacuum in the line.</li> <li>Cal/Inject valve—this allows you to divert and collect water or concentrate when calibrating the system.</li> </ul>
3	Solution-capable discharge	<ul> <li>This includes the installer-supplied water pump, distribution manifold, plumbing, and additional components that produce water flow. Additional components in this subsystem include:</li> <li>Paddlewheel flowmeter—this measures the water flow in the discharge.</li> <li><i>Note:</i> You can install the flowmeter upstream or downstream of where the concentrate is injected into the waterway.</li> <li>Water discharge pressure transducer—this measures the pressure at the pump discharge.</li> <li><i>Note:</i> Some applications do not allow for the discharge pressure to be measured at the pump, in those applications alternative measurement methods are used.</li> <li>Solution discharge pressure transducer—this measures the pressure at the solution-capable discharge.</li> </ul>

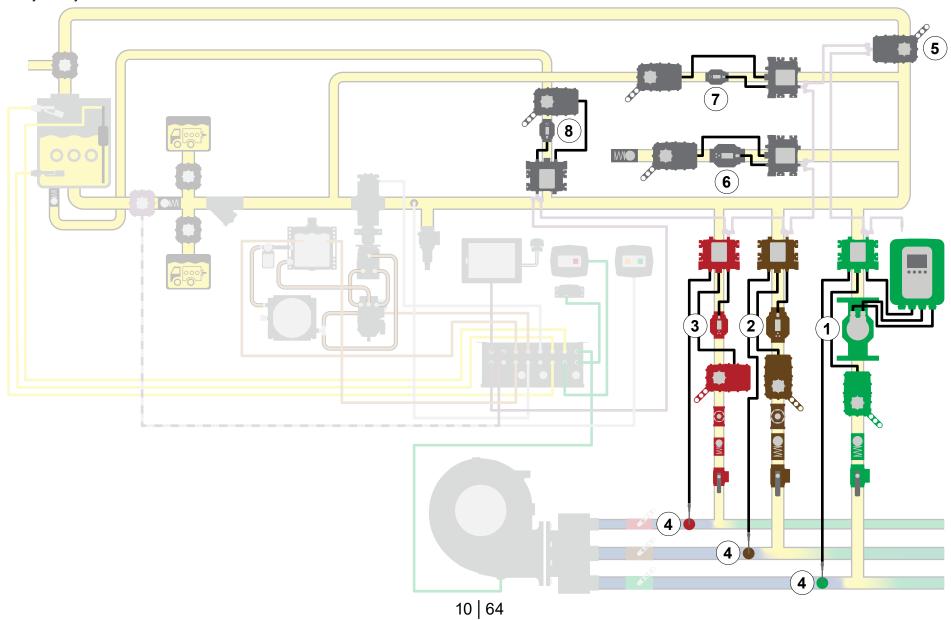
	Subsystem	Description
4	Concentrate pump	<ul> <li>These components support, control, and power the concentrate pump. The components in this subsystem include:</li> <li>Concentrate pump—this circulates the foam concentrate through the system.</li> <li>Hydraulic motor—this drives the concentrate pump.</li> <li>Hydraulic pump—this drives the hydraulic motor.</li> <li>Hydraulic reservoir—this contains the hydraulic fluid supply.</li> <li>Hydraulic filter—this filters the hydraulic fluid.</li> <li>Hydraulic heat exchanger—this cools the hydraulic fluid.</li> <li>Hydraulic temperature sensor—this measures the hydraulic fluid temperature.</li> <li>Hydraulic level sensor—this monitors the hydraulic fluid level in the reservoir.</li> <li>Concentrate discharge pressure transducer—this measures the pressure in the concentrate line.</li> <li>Pressure relief valve—this limits the pressure in the concentrate discharge manifold by opening when the pressure reaches a predetermined level.</li> </ul>
5	Concentrate supply	<ul> <li>This contains components that hold or supply foam concentrate for the system. The components in this subsystem include:</li> <li>Concentrate supply tank—this contains the on-board foam concentrate supply.</li> <li>Tank-full sensor—this indicates a tank full condition to the system.</li> <li>Tank-low sensor—this indicates a tank low condition to the system.</li> <li>Tank level sensor—this is an installer supplied sensor and display that indicates the supply level in the tank.</li> <li>On-board concentrate select valve—this signals which concentrate source the system is using.</li> <li>Auxiliary concentrate select valve—this is an installer-supplied valves that source concentrate from an auxiliary supply.</li> <li>On-board concentrate check valve—this is an installer-supplied valve that protects the on-board concentrate select valve and concentrate supply tank from becoming pressurized.</li> <li>Concentrate strainer—this collects debris that would otherwise flow through the system and potentially damage the concentrate pump.</li> </ul>
6	Supply tank fill line	<ul> <li>This allows you to fill the on-board tank from an external source. The components in this subsystem include:</li> <li>Node controller—this connects to the fill valve and flowmeters.</li> <li>Fill line control valve—this controls the concentrate flow.</li> <li>Magnetic flowmeter—this measures the concentrate flow.</li> <li>CAN cable splitter—this connects the node controllers to one another and the control box.</li> <li>Check valve—this prevents reverse fluid flow in the line.</li> </ul>

Subsystem	Description
7 Low-flow bypass line	<ul> <li>This returns a portion of the concentrate in the supply line back to the pump inlet when the desired concentrate output requires the pump to operate at an rpm that is lower than its capabilities. The components in this subsystem include:</li> <li>Node controller—this connects to the low-flow control valve and flowmeters.</li> </ul>
	Low-flow valve—this controls the concentrate return flow.
	Magnetic flowmeter—this measures the concentrate flow.
	CAN cable splitter—this connects the node controllers to one another.
8 Transfer line	This allows you to transfer or relay concentrate from the apparatus to another location. The components in this subsystem include:
	<ul> <li>Node controller—this connects to and controls the concentrate control valve and flowmeters.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>CAN cable splitter—this connects the node controllers to one another and the control box.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Concentrate control valve—this controls the concentrate flow.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Magnetic flowmeter—this measures the concentrate flow.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Check valve—this prevents reverse fluid flow in the line.</li> </ul>
9 Priming line	This evacuates air from the concentrate pump inlet as the system primes before operation. The components in this subsystem include:
	<ul> <li>Priming valve—this opens to allow air to evacuate the line before operation.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>CAN cable splitter—this connects the node controllers to one another and the control box.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Prime bypass valve—this is an installer-supplied valve that prevents contaminating the concentrate during training. When water is substituted for concentrate during training or testing, and there is concentrate in the supply tank, this bypass valve prevents water from contaminating the concentrate supply.</li> </ul>
	Note: You must drain any remaining water in the line before priming the system with concentrate to prevent contamination.

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### **Discharge Line Assemblies and Valves**

A comprehensive application of the UltraFlow system includes multiple DLAs. They serve different functions and can be integrated into your application in a variety of ways.



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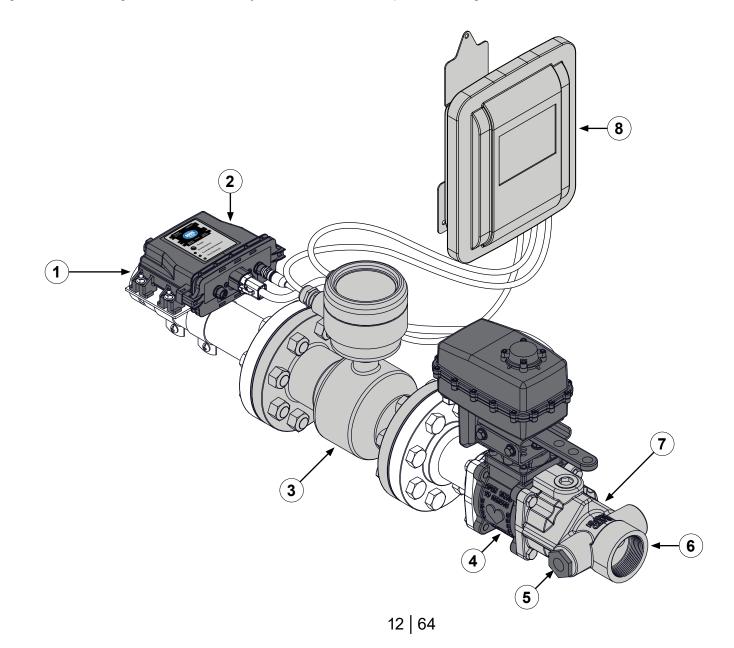
# Discharge Line Assemblies and Valves

	Subsystem	Description
1	2-inch high-flow magnetic flowmeter DLA	This manages the concentrate injected into the solution-capable discharge and is capable of high-flow—373 gpm maximum flow rate.
2	2-inch magnetic flowmeter DLA	This manages the concentrate injected into the solution-capable discharge—237 gpm maximum flow rate.
3	1-inch magnetic flowmeter DLA	This manages the concentrate injected into the solution-capable discharge—26 gpm maximum flow rate.
4	Paddlewheel flowmeter	The paddlewheel flowmeter measures the flow in the solution-capable discharge.
5	Priming valve	This evacuates air from the concentrate pump inlet as the system primes before operation.
6	Transfer or relay DLA	This allows you to transfer or relay concentrate from the apparatus to another location.
7	Low-flow bypass line assembly	This returns a portion of the pumped concentrate in the supply line back to the pump inlet when the desired concentrate output requires the pump to operate at an rpm that is lower than its capabilities. It is available in a 1-inch or 2-inch configuration. Choose the 1-inch low-flow bypass line assembly for concentrate pumps rated at less than 300 gpm and the 2-inch low-flow bypass line assembly for concentrate pumps rated at more than 300 gpm.
8	Supply tank fill line	This allows you to fill the on-board tank from an auxiliary source.

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### 2-Inch High-Flow DLA and Transmitter

The 2-inch high-flow DLA manages the concentrate injected into a solution-capable discharge.



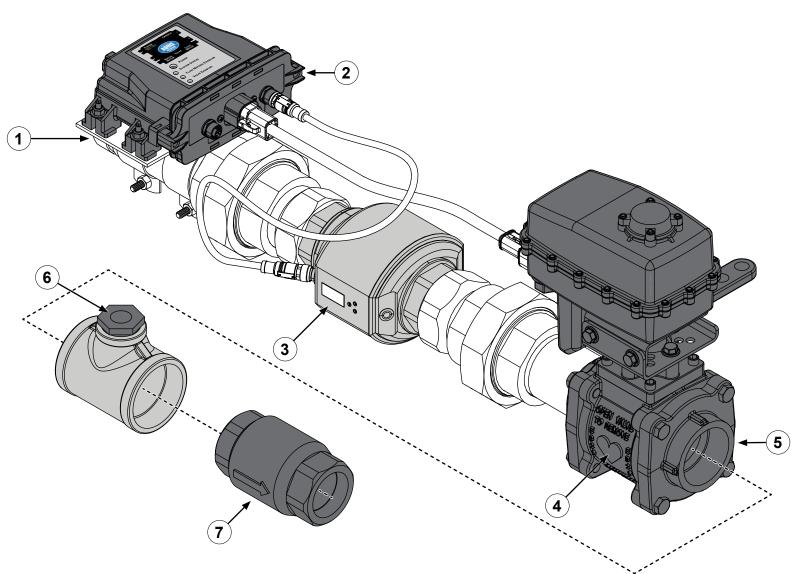
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# 2-Inch High-Flow DLA and Transmitter

	Feature	Description
1	Concentrate inlet	This is where the concentrate enters the valve assembly—2-inch Victaulic®.
2	Node controller	This monitors and controls the valve assembly.
3	Magnetic flowmeter—high flow	This measures the concentrate flow and sends the information to the transmitter—373 gpm maximum flow rate.
4	Electric valve	This controls the concentrate flow into the discharge line.
5	Vacuum relief valve	This allows air into the line when a vacuum occurs during draining—1 NPT.
6	Concentrate outlet	This is where the concentrate exits the valve assembly—2 NPT.
7	Check valve	This prevents reverse fluid flow in the line.
8	Transmitter	This processes the magnetic flowmeter measurement and sends it to the node controller.

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The DLA manages the concentrate injected into a solution-capable discharge. This is also used as a 2-inch low-flow bypass, 2-inch transfer/relay, and a 2-inch supply tank fill line.

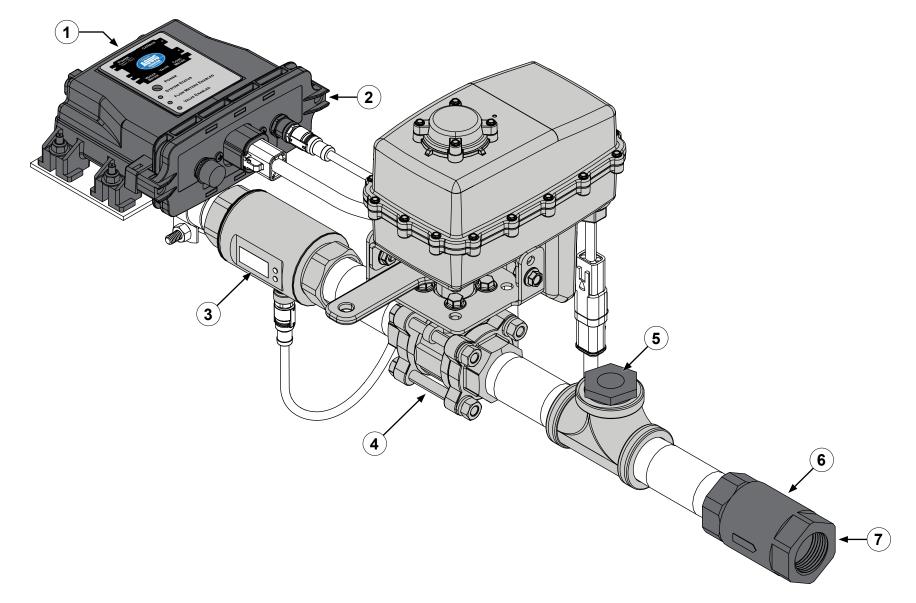


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	Feature	Description
1	Concentrate inlet	This is where the concentrate enters the valve assembly—2-inch Victaulic.
2	Node controller	This monitors and controls the valve assembly.
3	Magnetic flowmeter—2-inch	This measures the concentrate flow—237 gpm maximum flow rate.
4	Electric valve	This controls the concentrate flow into the discharge line.
5	Concentrate outlet	This is where the concentrate exits the valve assembly—2 NPT.
6	Vacuum relief valve	This allows air into the line when a vacuum occurs during draining—1 NPT.
7	Check valve	This prevents reverse fluid flow in the line.

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The DLA manages the concentrate injected the solution-capable discharge.



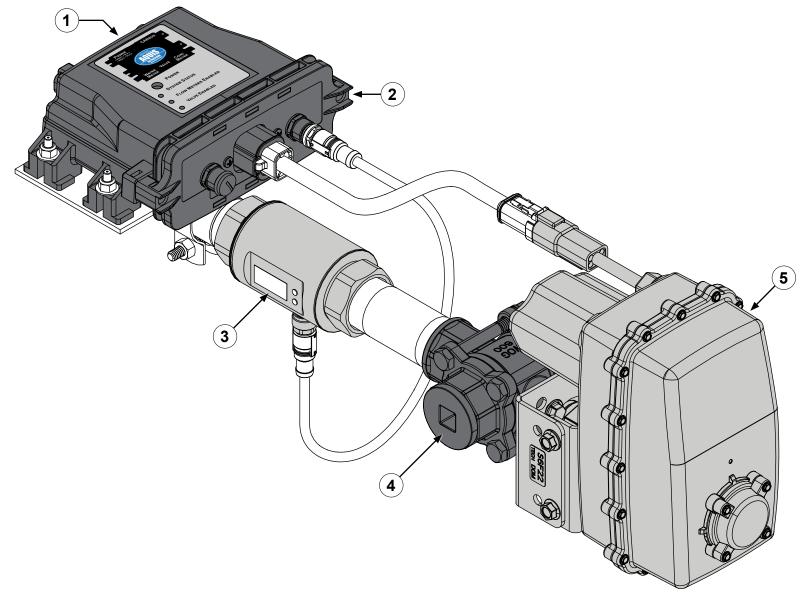
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	Feature	Description
1	Concentrate inlet	This is where the concentrate enters the valve assembly—1-inch Victaulic.
2	Node controller	This monitors and controls the valve assembly.
3	Magnetic flowmeter—1-inch	This measures the concentrate flow—26 gpm maximum flow rate.
4	Electric valve	This controls the concentrate flow into the discharge line.
5	Vacuum relief valve	This allows air into the line when a vacuum occurs during draining—1 NPT.
6	Check valve	This prevents reverse fluid flow in the line.
7	Concentrate outlet	This is where the concentrate exits the valve assembly—1 NPT.

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### 1-Inch Low-Flow Bypass Line Assembly

This returns a portion of the pumped concentrate in the supply line back to the pump inlet when the desired concentrate output requires the pump to operate at an rpm that is lower than its capabilities.



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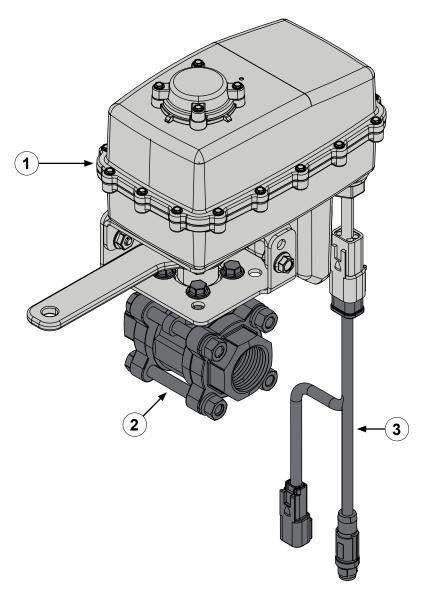
# 1-Inch Low-Flow Bypass Line Assembly

	Feature	Description
1	Concentrate inlet	This is where the concentrate enters the valve assembly—1-inch Victaulic.
2	Node controller	This monitors and controls the valve assembly.
3	Magnetic flowmeter—1-inch	This measures the concentrate flow—26 gpm maximum flow rate.
4	Valve	This opens and closes during low-flow operation—1 NPT.
5	Electric valve	This controls the concentrate flow into the low-flow bypass line.

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# Priming Valve Assembly

This evacuates air from the concentrate line as the system primes before operation.



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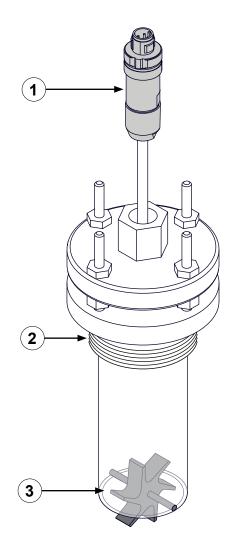
	Feature	Description
1	Electric valve	This controls the concentrate valve.
2	Valve	This opens and closes during priming—1 NPT.
3	Cable	This connects to apparatus power and the CAN system.

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#### **Paddlewheel Flowmeter**

The paddlewheel flowmeter measures the flow in the solution-capable discharge.

**Note:** Accurate measurement is dependent on proper installation in the waterway. Refer to the manufacturer's instructions for the paddlewheel to properly install the flowmeter into your application.



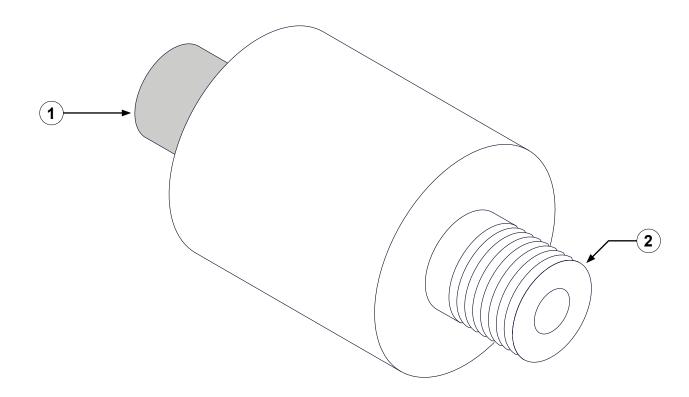
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Paddlewheel	Flowmeter				

	Feature	Description
1	Connector	This connects to the associated DLA node controller.
2	Body	This installs into the discharge line—2 NPT.
3	Paddlewheel	This measures the water flow in the solution-capable discharge.

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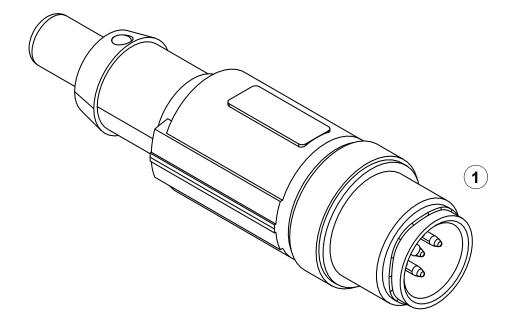
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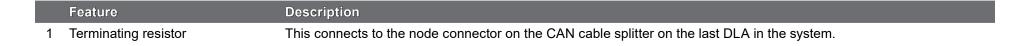
The pressure transducer measures the pressure of different lines in the system.



	Feature	Description
1	M12 connector	This connects to the control box through a sensor cable or to the node controller Y-splitter when the water discharge pressure is unable to be measured at the pump.
2	Pressure sensor	This measures the pressure at the discharge of the water pump—1/4 NPT, 0–500 psi.

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Terminating R	esistor				

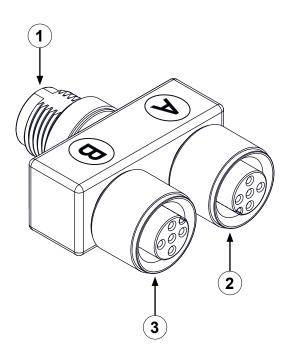




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## **Y-Splitter**

This splits the M12 connection to allow flowmeter communication on pin 4 and pressure sensor communication on pin 2 when the water pump discharge pressure is not supplied to the system.



	Feature	Description
1	Node connector	This connects to the node controller.
2	A-connector	This connects to the paddlewheel flowmeter.
3	B-connector	This connects to the pressure sensor.

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CAN Cable Sp	litter				

The CAN cable splitter communicates data between the CAN connections. It is typically violet.

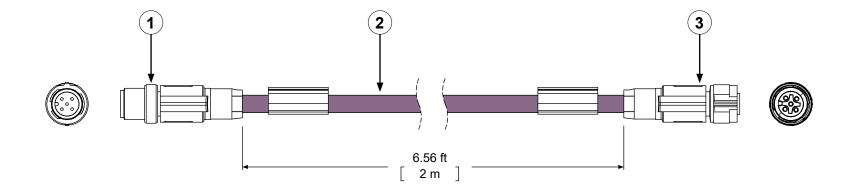


Feature	Description
1 CAN output—male	This connects to the next node in the chain or the terminating resistor.
2 CAN input—female	This connects to the previous node in the chain or the discharge CANbus connector on the control box.
3 Node connector—female	This connects to the node controller.

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#### 2.0 Meter CAN Cable

The CAN cable communicates data between the CAN connections. It is typically violet. The CAN cable is not interchangeable with the sensor cable. You can connect two or more cables together to achieve a desired length.

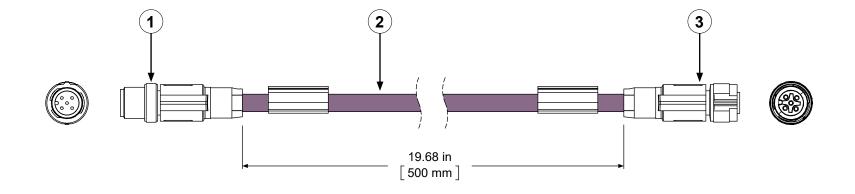


	Feature	Description
1	M12 connector	This is a male connector.
2	Cable	This is typically a violet cable jacket.
3	M12 connector	This is a female connector.

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#### 0.5 Meter CAN Cable

The CAN cable communicates data between the CAN connections. It is typically violet. The CAN cable is not interchangeable with the sensor cable. You can connect two or more cables together to achieve a desired length.

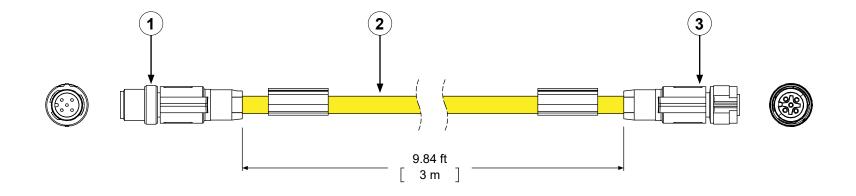


	Feature	Description
1	M12 connector	This is a male connector.
2	Cable	This is typically a violet cable jacket.
3	M12 connector	This is a female connector.

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#### **3.0 Meter Sensor Cable**

The sensor cable communicates data between the various connections. It is typically yellow, gray, or black. The sensor cable is not interchangeable with the CAN cable. You can connect two or more cables together to achieve a desired length.

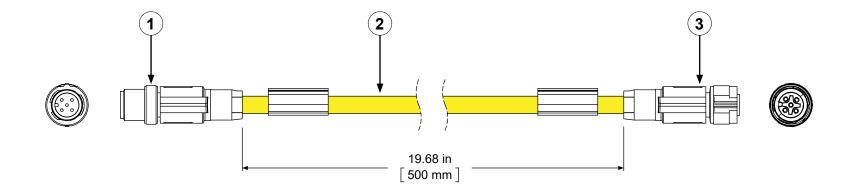


	Feature	Description
1	M12 connector	This is a male connector.
2	Cable	This is typically a yellow, gray, or black cable jacket.
3	M12 connector	This is a female connector.

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#### 0.5 Meter Sensor Cable

The sensor cable communicates data between the various connections. It is typically yellow, gray, or black. The sensor cable is not interchangeable with the CAN cable. You can connect two or more cables together to achieve a desired length.

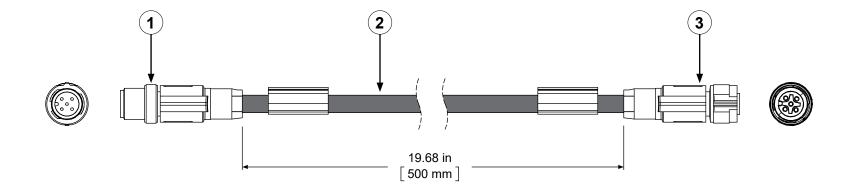


	Feature	Description
1	M12 connector	This is a male connector.
2	Cable	This is typically a yellow, gray, or black cable jacket.
3	M12 connector	This is a female connector.

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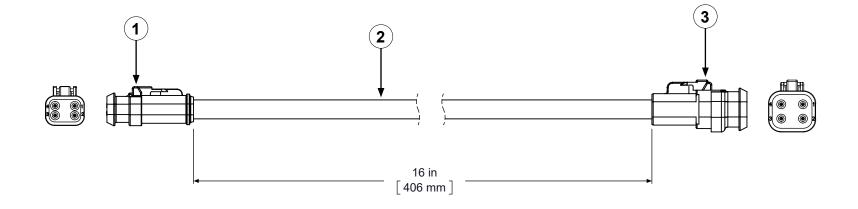
#### 0.5 Meter Pressure Transducer Cable—Alternate Discharge Pressure

This cable is used with the Y-splitter when you require an alternate discharge pressure measurement. It is typically a gray cable with yellow connectors. The pressure transducer cable is not interchangeable with the CAN or sensor cables.



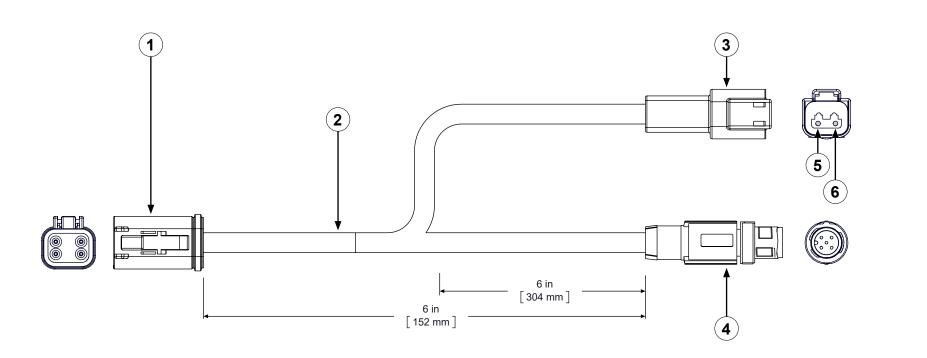
	Feature	Description
1	M12 connector	This is a male connector.
2	Cable	This is typically a gray cable jacket.
3	M12 connector	This is a female connector.

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Valve Motor Cable						
Valve Motor Cable						



	Feature	Description
1	Connector	This connects to the DLA control valve.
2	Cable	This is a braided loom jacket.
3	Connector	This connects to the DLA node controller.

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Priming Valve Power Cable					



	Feature	Description
1	Connector	This connects to the priming valve.
2	Cable	This is a braided loom cable jacket.
3	Connector	This connects to apparatus power.
4	M12 connector	This connects to the discharge CANbus connector on the control box.
5	Pin 1	Power +12V, red
6	Pin 2	Ground, black

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This equipment is intended to be installed by a person or persons with the basic knowledge of installing similar equipment. Contact Waterous with questions about installing the equipment. The installation may require the following tasks and abilities:

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• Locating, drilling, and cutting features into the apparatus.

· Installing the hoses and fittings.

• Routing and securing the hoses.

Welding.

- Routing and securing the wiring.
- Calibrating the output.
- Calibration and final testing.

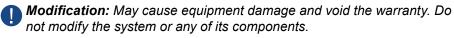
### Preparing for the Installation

**Before operation:** Read and understand all instructions provided. Check all fluid levels and replenish them if needed. Remove all shipping plugs and install the operation plugs or caps.

Use the following guidelines before, during, and after the installation.

- Read and understand all the installation instructions before installing the equipment.
- Prepare a suitable, well-lit area and gather all the necessary tools before you begin the installation.
- Make sure that you remove any shipping plugs or caps before installing the component.
- Make sure that you bring all fluids to operating levels before using the equipment.

### Modifying the Equipment



This equipment is intended to operate as designed. Do not remove, modify, or change the components in the system. Doing so will void the warranty. Contact Waterous for more information.

## **Optional Equipment**

Be aware that the installation instruction may include optional equipment not included in your application.

### **Determining Cable and Wire Routing**

Use the *Wiring Best Practices* document, available at <u>waterousco.com</u>, as a guide to select and route wiring for your application.

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### **Determining DLA and Valve Locations**

Use the following guidelines to determine DLA and valve locations:

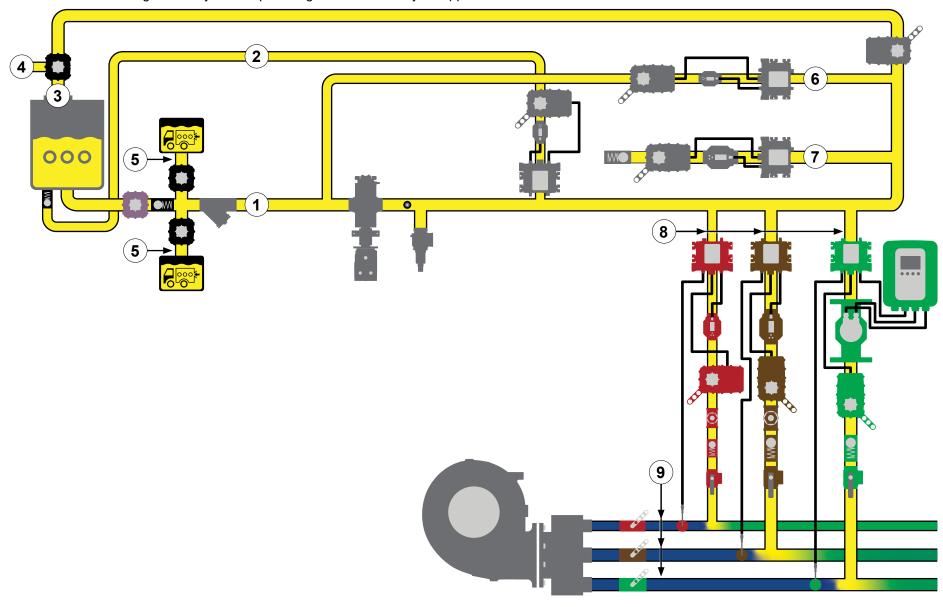
- Consider the cable routing and plumbing.
- Consider accessibility during operation and maintenance.

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## **Plumbing Layout**

Use the illustration as a guide to lay out the plumbing connections for your application.



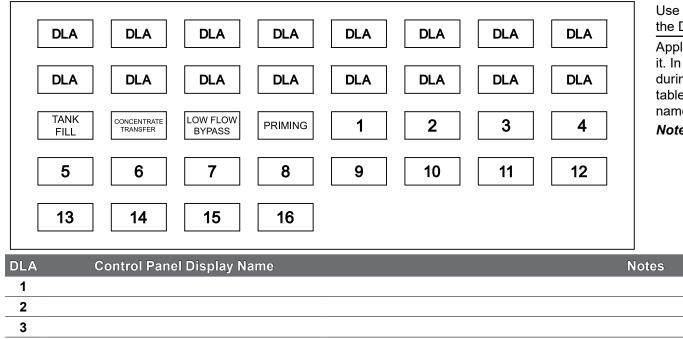
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## Plumbing Layout

	Feature	Description
1	Concentrate supply line	This transports concentrate around the system.
2	Supply tank fill line	This allows you to fill the on-board tank from an auxiliary source.
3	Priming line	This evacuates air from the concentrate pump inlet as the system primes before operation.
4	Priming bypass line	This prevents contamination to the concentrate during testing and training. When water is substituted for concentrate during training or testing and there is concentrate in the supply tank, this bypass valve diverts water from the supply tank to prevent concentrate contamination. It is also important to make sure that you drain any remaining water in the line before priming the system with concentrate.
5	Auxiliary concentrate supply line	This allows you to source concentrate from an external source.
6	Low-flow bypass line	This returns a portion of the pumped concentrate in the supply line back to the pump inlet when the desired concentrate output requires the pump to operate at an rpm that is lower than its capabilities.
7	Transfer line	This line allows you to transfer or relay concentrate to another location.
8	DLA	This manages the concentrate injected into the solution-capable discharge.
9	Solution-capable discharge	This transports clear water and is capable of creating a foam solution.

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## Installing the DLA Identification Labels



Use the labels provided with the install kit to identify the DLAs.

Apply the appropriate label to the DLA as you install it. In the future, use the label to identify the DLA during setup, service, and maintenance. Use the table below to match the DLA with the discharge name on the apparatus.

**Note:** It is important to properly number each DLA as this information will be used to commission and name the discharges in the ULTRAFLOW software. To facilitate setup, labeling both the DLA and its associated circuit breaker is recommended.

DLA	Control Panel Display Name	Notes
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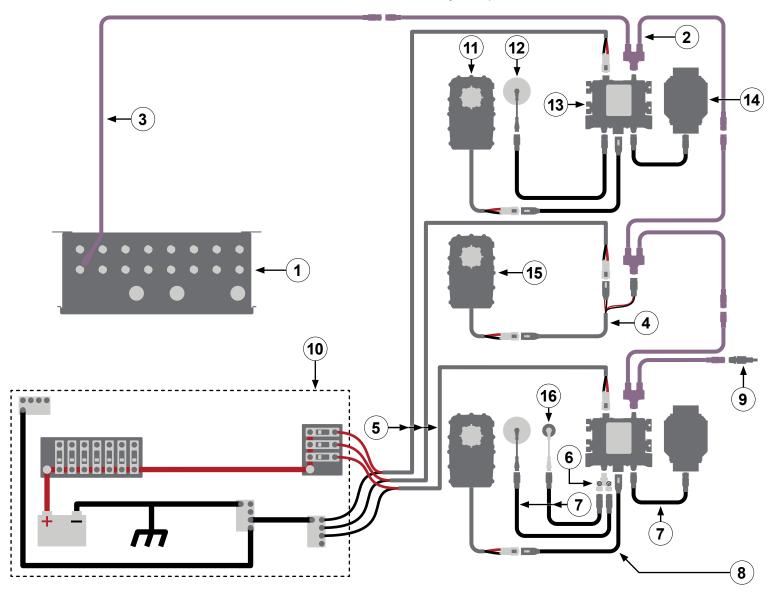
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## **DLA Components and Connections**

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Use the illustration and table to understand the various cable connections to the DLAs and system power.

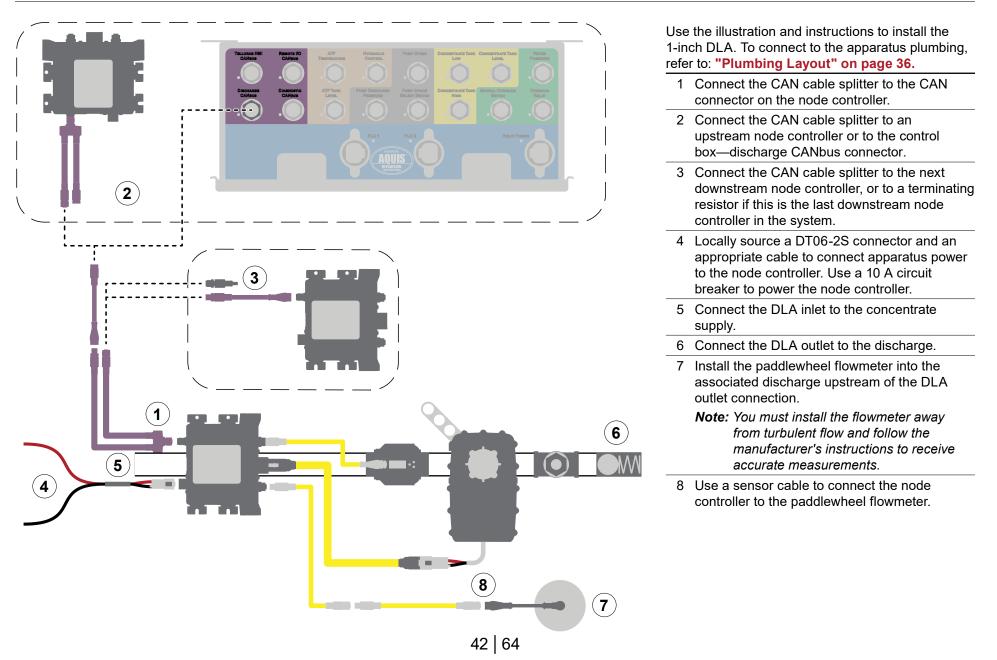


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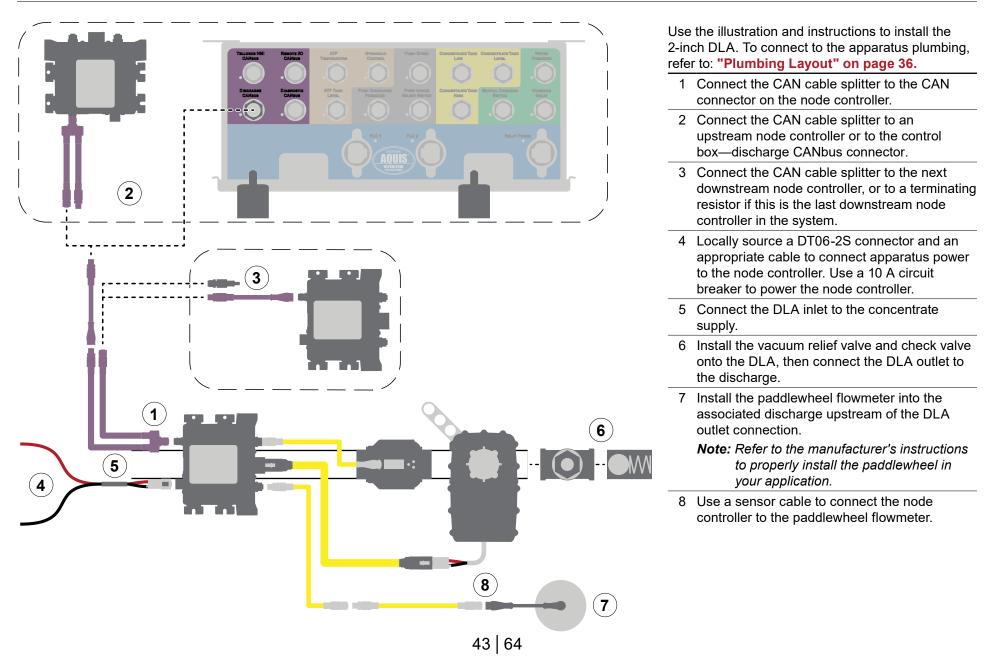
## **CAN Cables and Connections**

	Feature	Description
1	Control box	This connects to various components in the system and contains the PLCs.
2	CAN cable splitter	This passes CAN commands to the next node controller in the chain.
3	CAN cable	This connects the node controllers to one another and the control box.
4	Priming valve power cable	This connects the priming valve to power and CAN control.
5	DLA cable	This supplies power to the DLA and requires a 10 A circuit breaker per DLA—installer-supplied.
6	Y-splitter	This splits the M12 connection to allow flowmeter communication on pin 4 and pump discharge pressure transducer communication on pin 2.
		<b>Note:</b> Use this when the water pump discharge pressure is not supplied to the system.
7	Sensor cable	This connects the components equipped with M12 connectors—0.5 meter or 2.0 meter.
8	Valve motor cable	This connects the DLA control valve to the node controller.
9	Terminating resistor	This terminates the CAN signal.
10	System power	This is the system power.
11	Concentrate control valve	This controls the concentrate flow.
12	Paddlewheel flowmeter	This measures the flow at the discharge—water and solution.
13	Node controller	This connects to the concentrate control valve, flowmeters, and additional DLAs.
14	Magnetic flowmeter	This measures the concentrate flow.
15	Priming valve	This allows air to evacuate when priming the concentrate pump.
16	Pressure transducer	This measures the line pressure.

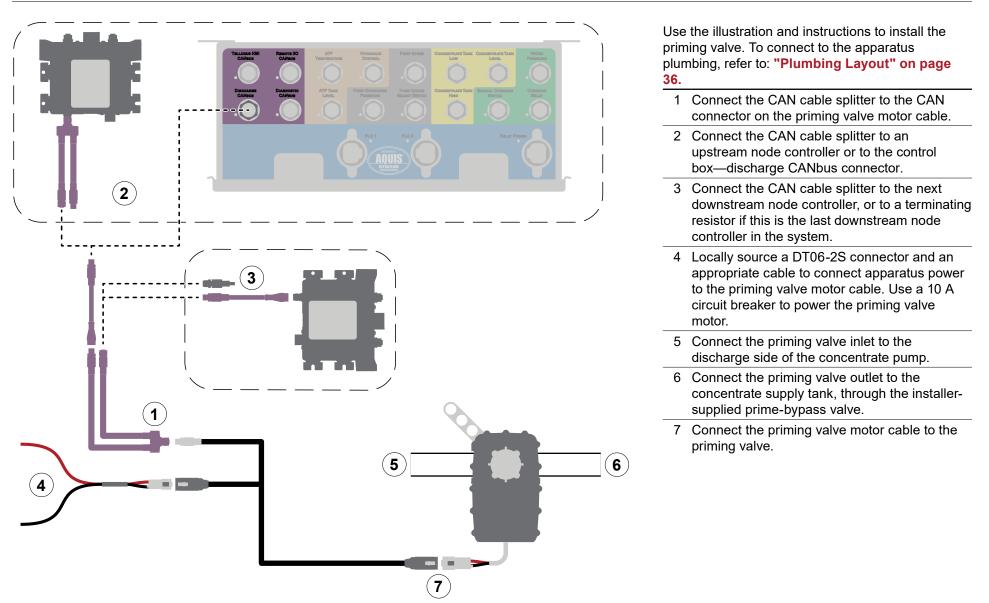
## **Connecting the 1-Inch DLA**



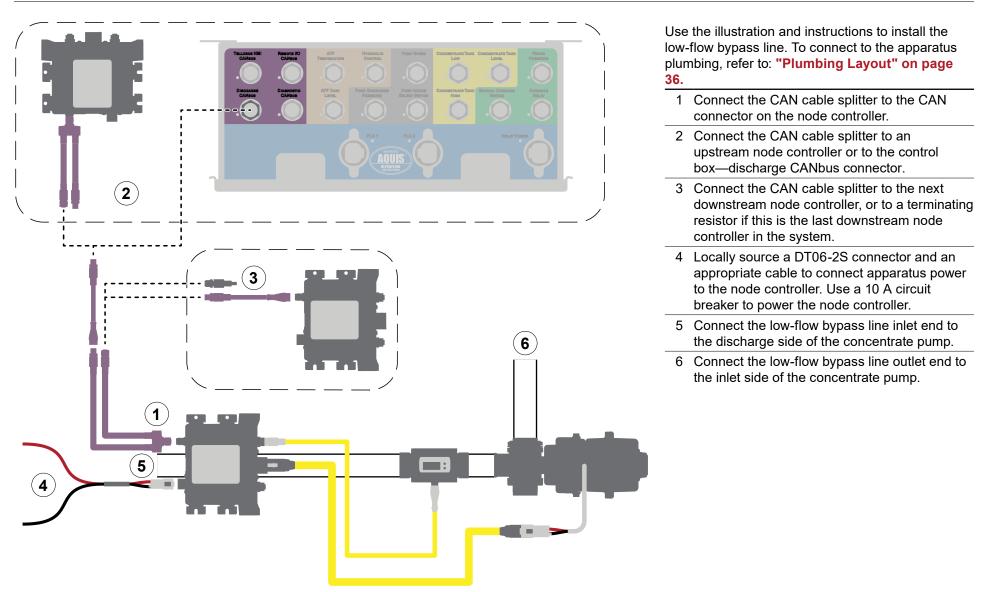
## **Connecting the 2-Inch DLA**



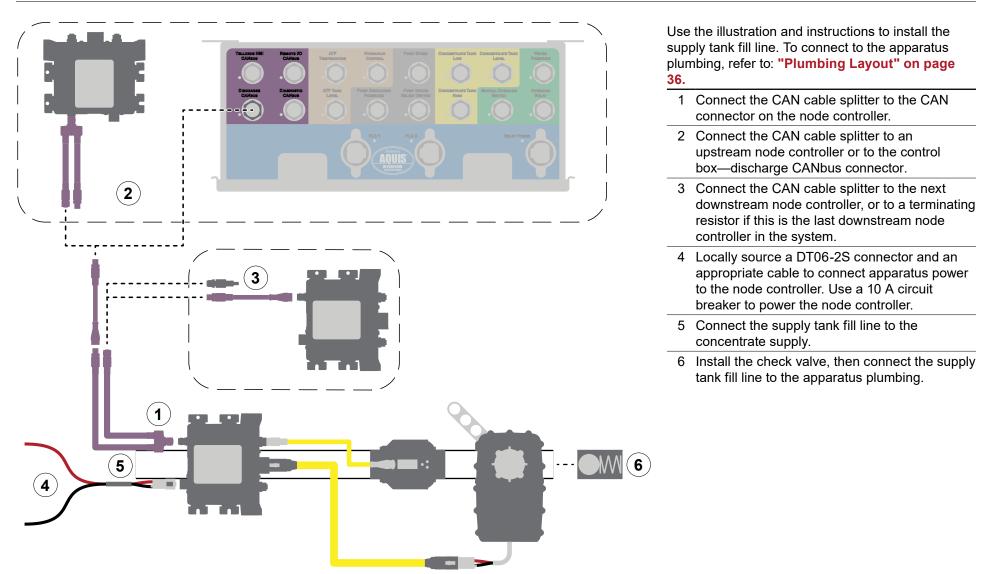
## **Connecting the Priming Valve**



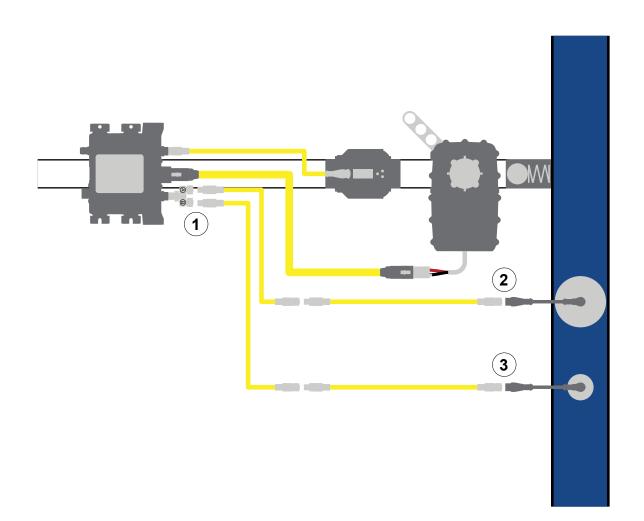
## **Connecting the Low-Flow Bypass Line**



## **Connecting the Supply Tank Fill Line**



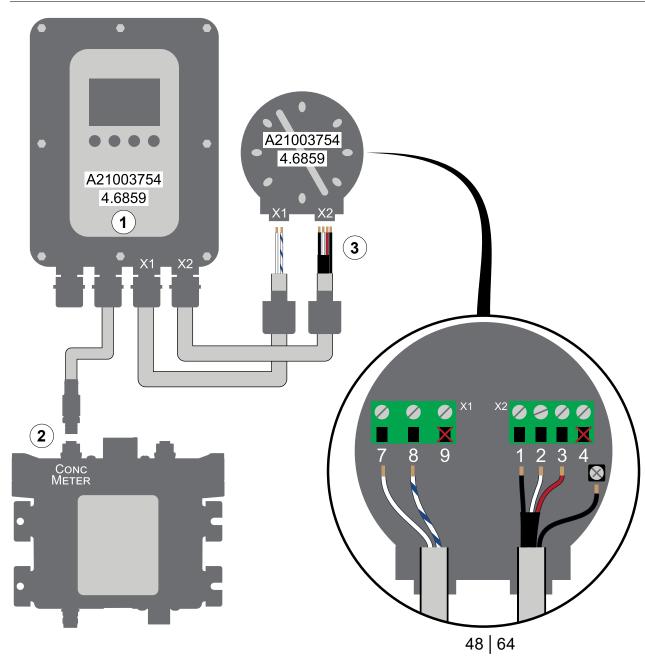
## **Connecting the Y-Splitter—Alternate Discharge Pressure**



Use the illustration and instructions to install the Y-splitter when measuring the discharge pressure at the solution-capable discharge.

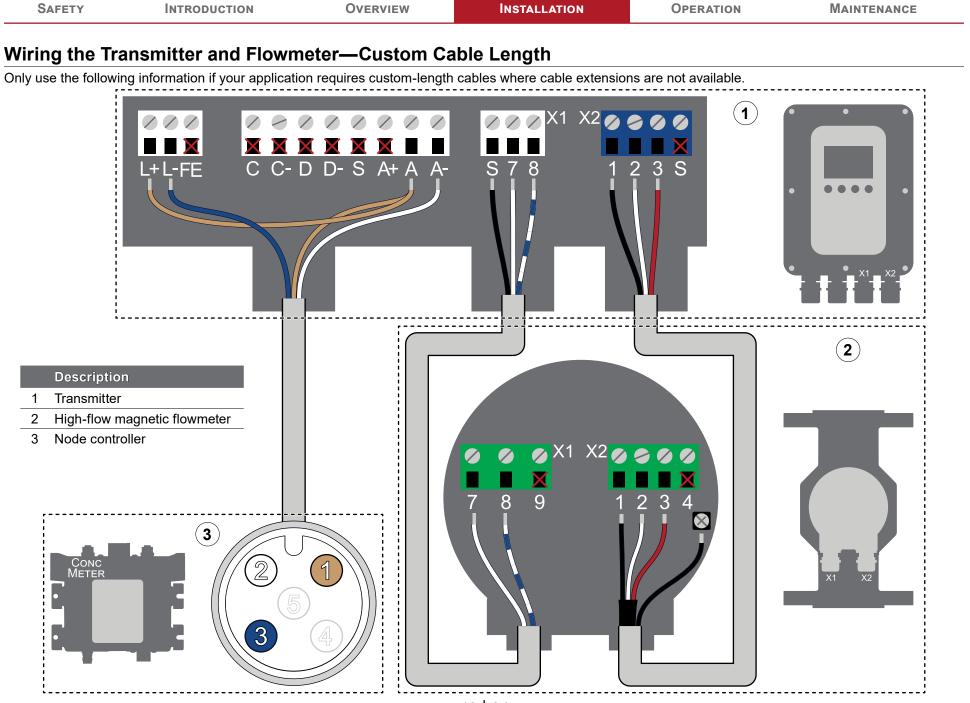
- 1 Connect the Y-splitter to the node controller.
- 2 Connect the paddlewheel flowmeter that is installed in the solution-capable discharge to the A-connector on the Y-splitter.
- 3 Connect the solution discharge pressure transducer to the B-connector on the Y-splitter.

## Installing the Transmitter and Flowmeter



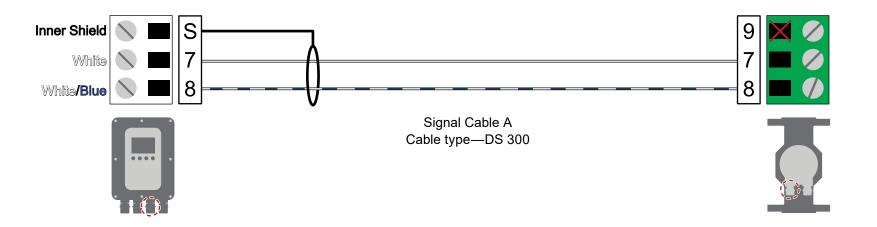
Use the illustration and instructions to install the transmitter and flowmeter. To connect the flowmeter to the apparatus plumbing, refer to: "Plumbing Layout" on page 36. Mount the transmitter close to the DLA and make sure that it is accessible for setup and maintenance. The transmitter is wired at the factory and only requires the wire leads to be connected to the flowmeter.

- 1 Make sure that the numbers on the transmitter and flowmeter match.
- 2 Connect the M12 connector to the node controller—Conc Meter.
- 3 To wire the flowmeter, do the following:
  - Remove the top cover from the flowmeter and locate the cable glands.
  - Route the cables through the cable glands and into the flowmeter.
  - Install the cable glands to secure the cables. Leave enough room to install the wire leads.
  - Secure the wire leads to the terminal blocks and ground screw.
  - · Install the top cover.

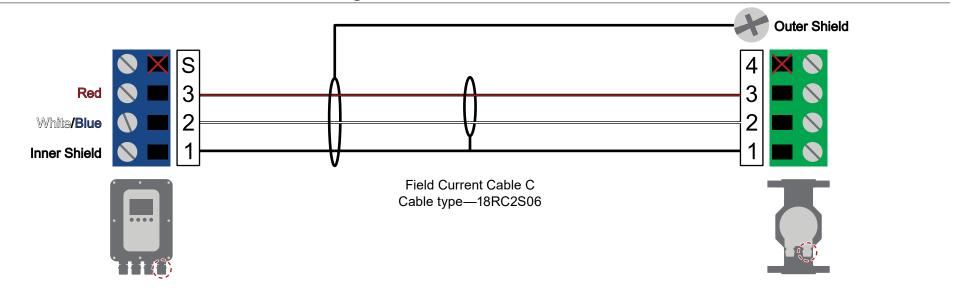


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## X1 Cable Schematic—Custom Cable Length



## X2 Cable Schematic—Custom Cable Length



This equipment is intended to be operated by a person or persons that have been trained in its operation.

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## Preparing for the Operation

**Before operation:** Read and understand all instructions provided. Check all fluid levels and replenish them if needed. Remove all shipping plugs and install the operation plugs or caps.

Use the following guidelines before operation:

- Read and understand all the instructions before operating the system.
- Make sure that the system is tested and calibrated before operation.
- Make sure that you are trained on the system before operation.

## **During Operation**

Concentrate supply contamination: Can occur when priming with water in the system. Divert or drain water to prevent contamination of the onboard concentrate supply.

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Use the following guidelines before operation:

- Use industry best practices when you operate the system.
- · Only allow trained personnel to operate the system.
- When water is substituted for concentrate during training or testing and there is concentrate in the supply tank, use the bypass valve to prevent water from contaminating the concentrate supply.

## After Operation

**Freezing water:** May cause equipment damage. If the system is exposed to freezing temperatures, drain all water from the pump, lines, and any accessories.

Use the following guidelines after operation:

- Flush any residual concentrate from the apparatus plumbing.
- Drain all lines when freezing can occur.

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## **Configuring and Operating the System**

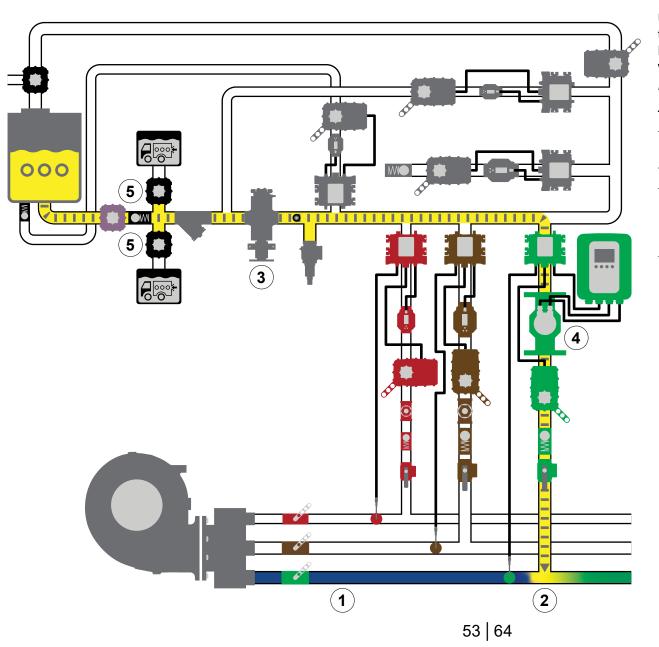
The UltraFlow system is composed of elements that are configured to your specific application, including DLAs, flowmeters, valves, switches, sensors, and more. The system is configured using the UltraFlow configuration wizard, a software assistant that guides you through the configuration steps on the control panel touchscreen. Following the initial configuration, you can operate the system from the control panel, which provides the ability to enable and disable the DLAs, adjust the concentrate percentages for each discharge, change the concentrate source, and prime the system.

The UltraFlow software documentation can be found online. It is continually updated with the current software version. To access the documentation, scan or click on the QR code.



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#### **Enabling and Disabling a Discharge**

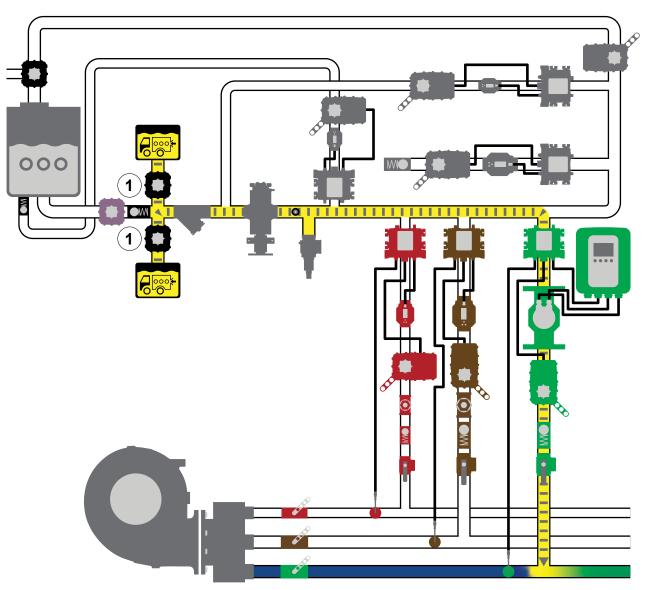


Use the illustration and instructions to understand the system activity when you enable a DLA. Remember that an enabled DLA is only active when the associated line is flowing water.

- **Note:** The illustration only focuses on the activity in the system that best conveys the process.
- 1 The fire pump flows water into the discharge.
- 2 The enabled DLA measures the water flow in the discharge.
- 3 The concentrate pump activates.
- 4 The magnetic flowmeter measures the amount of concentrate flowing in the DLA while the valve meters the concentrate proportioned into the discharge to produce the selected solution.
- 5 The concentrate source is selected by the concentrate select valves. The valves switch between an on-board or auxiliary concentrate source. The position is provided to the system by the on-board concentrate select valve, which allows or prohibits certain functions.

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#### Switching the Concentrate Source Mode



Use the illustration and instructions to understand the system activity when you set it to an auxiliary concentrate source.

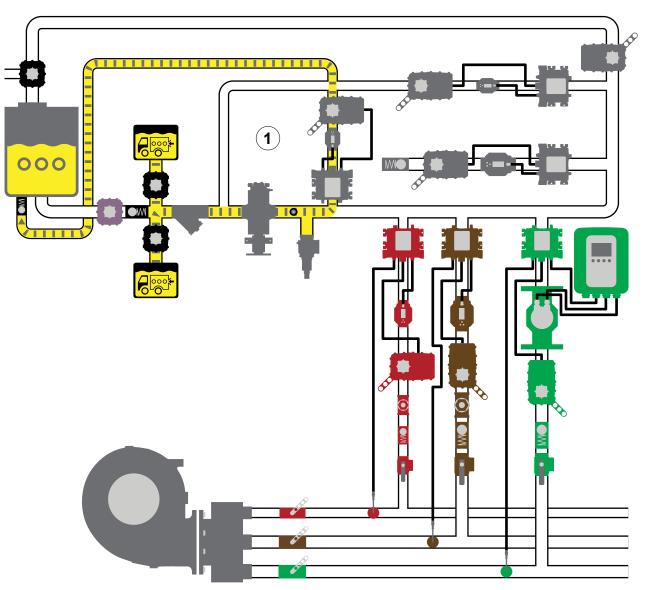
- **Note:** The illustration only focuses on the activity in the system that best conveys the process.
- 1 When set to auxiliary supply mode, the onboard concentrate select valve automatically closes and the auxiliary concentrate select valve or valves are manually opened. When sourcing concentrate from an auxiliary source, the system cannot measure the supply level the concentrate supply must be managed by the operator.

The auxiliary source valves are installersupplied.

**Note:** Do not operate the equipment without providing concentrate or water to pump through the system.

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## **Refilling the On-Board Supply Tank**



Use the illustration and instructions to understand the system activity when you refill the on-board concentrate supply tank. You can operate the discharges while refilling the tank.

- **Note:** The illustration only focuses on the activity in the system that best conveys the process.
- 1 The system sources concentrate from the auxiliary concentrate supply. Concentrate is pumped into the on-board supply tank until the supply level system determines the tank is full.
  - **Note:** Make sure that you provide enough concentrate to fill the on-board supply tank or manually stop pump operation before the auxiliary concentrate supply runs out.

#### **Understanding Priming**

Each UltraFlow application is unique. On the whole, the system is straightforward. However, with regard to priming the system, there are conditions that you should be aware of when designing your application. Understanding these conditions will also help you develop a standard operating procedure to prime and operate the system. Refer to "Plumbing Layout" on page 36 to help visualize the following concepts.

Once enabled, the system can automatically or manually prime the concentrate manifold before operation. To prime the concentrate manifold, the system opens the priming valve to allow air to escape as concentrate fills the pump. The priming valve closes when the pressure requirement in the concentrate manifold is reached. As the valve closes, some amount of concentrate follows the escaping air past the priming valve. This is not an issue when the priming line is plumbed back to the on-board tank or external reservoir, collecting any escaping concentrate.

## **Understanding Over-Pressure Events**

**Pressure:** May cause personal injury or system damage. Direct discharge away from people and equipment.

An over-pressure event is an event that causes concentrate to discharge into the on-board tank or external reservoir at a high pressure. Typically two conditions cause over-pressure events: the pressure relief valve is activated or you manually over-prime the system.

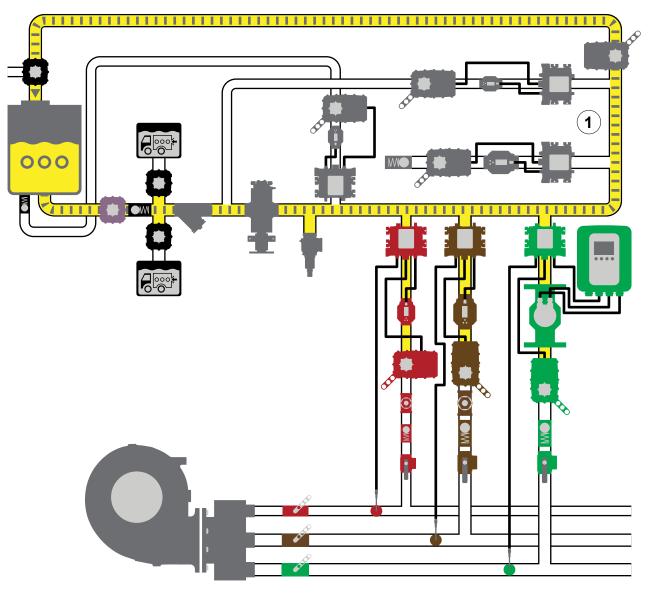
In either case, it is important to understand and manage the event, and design the system plumbing to manage such an event if it occurs.

Know what pressure the pressure relief valve discharges at and how it affects the plumbing layout in your application. Understand how priming the system manually could circulate concentrate back to the on-board tank at a high pressure. Understand how to angle the outlet or use a baffle to dissipate and manage the discharge when it is returned to the on-board tank.

Know that when you manually prime the system by pressing and holding the manual prime button, the concentrate pump operates at maximum output. The priming valve opens and remains open while you press the button. Understand that continually operating the concentrate pump after the system is fully primed will discharge the concentrate at a high pressure back to the on-board tank or external reservoir. Develop procedures to prevent over-priming the system.

Finally, it is recommended to initiate priming from the on-board supply tank. This potentially provides a gravity assist while priming and creates space in the on-board tank if over-primed concentrate is returned to the on-board tank.

## Manually Priming the Concentrate Line



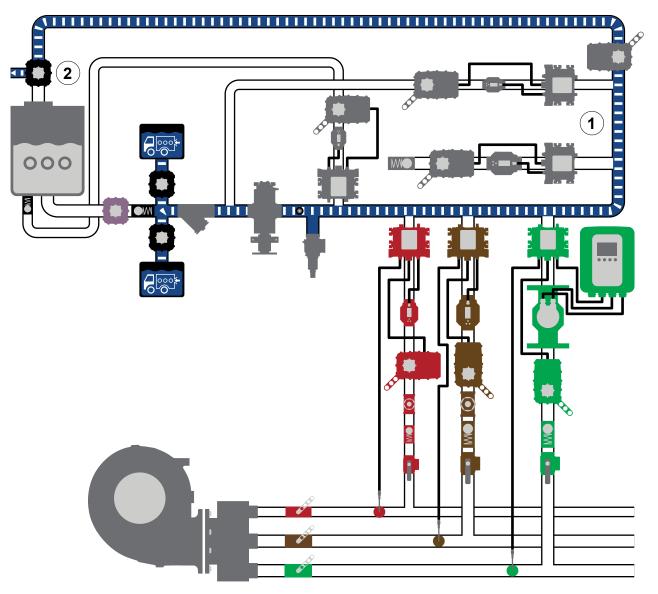
#### **Priming with Concentrate**

Use the illustrations and instructions to understand the system activity when you prime the concentrate line. The system automatically primes before operation. It can also be primed by pressing the *PRIME* button.

**Note:** The illustration only focuses on the activity in the system that best conveys the process.

- The system evacuates the air in the lines to atmosphere as the concentrate fills the lines. During prime operation a small amount of concentrate will return to the on-board tank. Make sure that the tank capacity is sufficient for normal priming operation.
  - **Note:** The system can also be primed from an auxiliary concentrate source. However, extended manual priming from an auxiliary supply is not recommended as this may overflow the on-board tank.

## Manually Priming the Concentrate Line



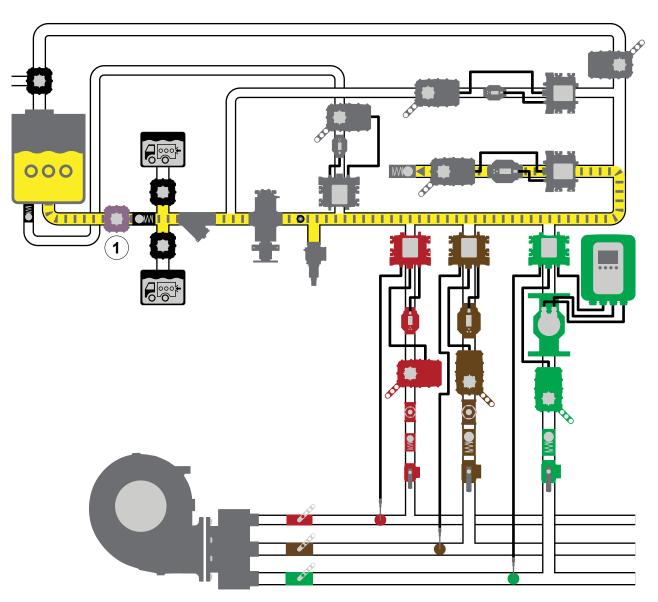
#### **Priming with Water**

Use the illustrations and instructions to understand the system activity when you prime the concentrate line. The system automatically primes before operation. It can also be primed by pressing the *PRIME* button.

**Note:** The illustration only focuses on the activity in the system that best conveys the process.

- 1 The system evacuates the air in the lines to atmosphere as the water fills the lines.
- 2 Set the prime bypass valve to divert water away from the concentrate supply tank.
- Concentrate contamination: Priming with water will lead to contamination if the priming line is plumbed to evacuate into the concentrate supply tank. To avoid contamination, install a bypass line to divert the water and drain any water in the concentrate line before priming.

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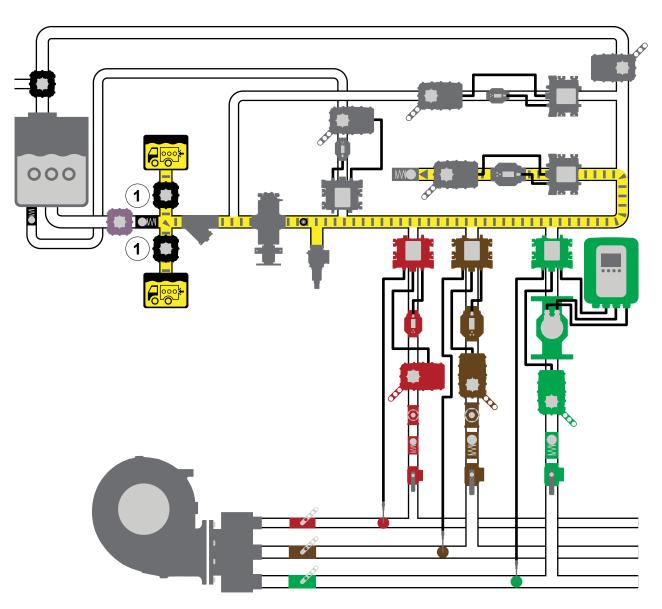


Use the illustrations and instructions to understand the system activity when you transfer concentrate to another location. If included in your application, you can use the transfer line to move the concentrate from the on-board tank or external source to another location. You can operate the discharges while transferring concentrate.

**Note:** The illustration only focuses on the activity in the system that best conveys the process.

1 The system transfers the concentrate from the selected source to the transfer line.

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Relaying Cond	centrate				

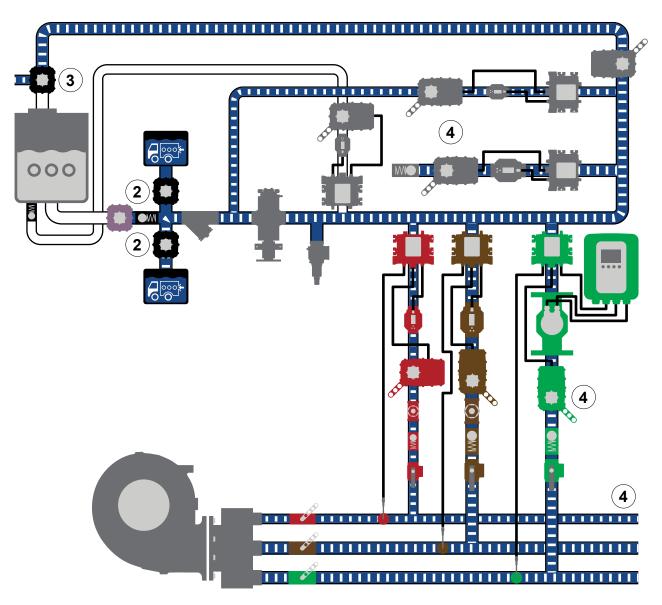


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**Note:** The illustration only focuses on the activity in the system that best conveys the process.

1 The system relays the concentrate from an auxiliary source to the transfer line.

## Flushing the Apparatus Plumbing



Use the illustrations and instructions to develop an after-operation flush procedure to remove residual concentrate in the plumbing.

Concentrate left in the plumbing after operation could degrade future performance. Therefore, it is recommended to completely flush any plumbing that may contain residual concentrate—including the DLA, prime, bypass, transfer, auxiliary, and drain lines—with clean water until all concentrate is removed from the plumbing.

- 1 Before flushing the plumbing, record the total concentrate and total water values.
- 2 Connect a clean water source to the auxiliary intake.
- 3 Set the prime bypass valve to divert water away from the concentrate supply tank.
- Concentrate contamination: Priming with water will lead to contamination if the priming line is plumbed to evacuate into the concentrate supply tank. To avoid contamination, install a bypass line to divert the water and drain any water in the concentrate line before priming the system.
- 4 Flush any plumbing exposed to concentrate and drain the lines to prevent future contamination.
- 5 Record the total concentrate and total water values after flushing the system.

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## **Maintenance Schedule**

No scheduled maintenance is required for the DLAs. However, it is recommended that you periodically inspect the system to reveal excess debris buildup, worn components, or any developing leaks. Consider environmental conditions, hours of operation, and other factors specific to your application to develop a suitable inspection schedule.

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