

Tempress Water Bypass Sub (WBS)

The WBS has two to six ports that bypass fluid to the annulus of the BHA. This allows pumping flow rates that are higher than the allowable ratings for motors or other bottomhole assembly components connected below.

A proprietary analysis program for the Water Bypass Sub allows the operator to select the correct port sizes for the job. Integrated into the MGS[™] and WBS Performance Software, all pertinent parameters of the job are entered, and the program allows the user to select the appropriate orifice sizes by calculating and displaying key performance characteristics. Bypass orifices have special carbide inserts for consistent performance on extended reach runs. These inserts have been proven to survive weighted fluids or abrasive additives. Available in a range of sizes from 1.69-in. to 3.50-in., the tool is fully tunable for various applications by using the Water Bypass Sub Performance Model Software.



Applications

- Coiled and Jointed tubing
- Sand and fill cleanout
- Scale cleanout
- Cement removal

- Acidizing
- · Wellbore jetting
- Depleted well service
- · Commingled flow

Feature	Benefit
Higher flow	 Better cleaning of large wellbores and horizontals Multi-port design promotes wellbore jet cleaning Better sand and cuttings transport Most robust annular velocity tool available
Fluid compatibility	 Water, nitrogen, carbon dioxide, polymers, solvents, brine, surfactants, foam, acid
Severe service	 Acid capable and routinely run in the most severe high- temperature (570°F/300°C) and sour gas environments
Easy make-up	Short and compact length, 3.55-in. to 6.00-in. long
Field tunable	Field-changeable nozzles for specific applications
High reliability	 Multiday extreme-reach jobs without tripping Over 99% downhole success rate



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Case Histories

Because of its robust design and predictable performance, the Water Bypass Sub (WBS) is consistently the most sought after annular velocity sub available. Please contact us or visit our website for the most recent WBS Case Histories.

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Use with Motors and the HydroPull™

The Water Bypass Sub nozzles are always open, so motors will be more prone to stalling if pump flow rates are reduced. Motor stalls will still produce a noticeable pressure signal on surface. During a stall, more of the pumped fluid will discharge through the bypass nozzles.

When running a Tempress HydroPull[™] tool, the Water Bypass Sub should be placed above the HydroPull. If pumping gas while running a downhole motor is necessary, use a Tempress Motor Gas Separator (MGS[™]).

Nozzle Configuration

Bypass nozzle size and quantity should be selected so that motor performance is maximized while avoiding motor overspeed at the maximum required pump flow rate. Use the Motor Gas Separator - Water Bypass Sub Performance model Software to select the appropriate nozzle configuration.

Each Water Bypass Sub requires two to six nozzles, depending on the design. It is generally best to match nozzle sizes, but specific performance can be achieved by employing other nozzle combinations.

If the pumped fluid is not screened or is not relatively free from abrasives, nozzle washout can occur, especially in extended runs.

Last Chance Screen



Clean fluid with no sand should be run to prevent nozzle washout on extended reach runs. A last chance screen is available for each tool to prevent gravel and other debris from interfering with the operation of the tool and to minimize the chance for premature failure of other bottomhole assembly components. The screen openings are available in a range of sizes depending on tool size and job requirements.





Water Bypass Sub (WBS) Operation Guide

An operation guide is included with the WBS tool that provides operating instructions and job reporting requirements. These guides are also located within our Client Login site on our website.

Motor Gas Separator (MGS[™]) and Water Bypass Sub (WBS) Performance Software

A proprietary software program is available for MGS and WBS tool job planning. The software evaluates the best bypass performance for the job. The software outputs circulating pressures in the well, the transport of sand and cuttings in the horizontal and vertical sections of the well, equivalent fluid flow rates, and the amount of water flow to the motor based on a set of input parameters. This software is located within our Client Login site on our website.



