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1) The tissue in plants that brings water upward from the roots;
2) a leading global water technology company.

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FLYGT 3000 SERIES
Flexible cooling options
Cooling is a key aspect of pump station performance. Flygt offer several types of cooling systems, including advanced closed-loop cooling, which delivers the ultimate in flexibility and reliability.

Whatever the demands, Flygt pumps can help boost efficiency and simplify operations. The following pages provide a brief description of the four types of cooling systems available in Flygt 3000 wastewater pumps.

**Closed-loop cooling**

Flygt’s closed-loop cooling system uses the latest technology to secure industry leading performance. It is suited to all dry installations, as well as wet installations where the motor is not sufficiently submerged.

A key strength of closed-loop cooling is that it is not sensitive to impurities in the pumped media – the closed-loop ensures the coolant is never contaminated. The pump can also be run at lower speeds compared to other cooling types.

**Did you know...**

Coolant properties are key to a maintenance-free system. Flygt’s closed-loop system uses a precise mixture of pure water and a proprietary polypropylene glycol formulation. It has excellent heat transfer and corrosion resistance properties and is freeze-proof down to -45°C. Service life is around 10 years in normal operation.

This formulation is superior to common liquid coolants, such as oil, which has poor heat transfer and increases power consumption due to its high viscosity.

**Direct cooling**

A simple and low-cost solution, direct cooling relies on the pumped liquid to cool the pump. This type of cooling system is beneficial in installations where the motor is primarily submerged during operation. Direct cooling is a good solution for axial flow pumps and can be economical for centrifugal pumps if fully submerged.

**Media cooling**

In media cooling, a portion of the pumped liquid is circulated inside a cooling jacket surrounding the stator housing. Air is automatically removed from the system at first start-up by the air ventilation pipe (see close-up). Cooling is therefore not dependent on the liquid level in a wet-pit installation. Media cooling is suited to dry installations, as well as some wet installations where the motor is not sufficiently submerged.

**External cooling**

External cooling is a more complex solution suitable for applications where liquid temperatures exceed 40°C for extended periods. An external water supply is connected to a cooling jacket surrounding the stator housing, and access to clean water is required whenever the pump is running. External cooling is required to maintain the motor’s full power rating in warm-liquid applications.