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Model: WH23X26206

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The ERP WH23X26206 Washer Drain Pump is a replacement component designed for washing machines. This part is essential for the proper drainage of water from the washer tub during wash and spin cycles.



Image 1.1: Front view of the ERP WH23X26206 Washer Drain Pump, showing the main housing and outlet port.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: Before attempting any repair or installation, ensure the washing machine is completely disconnected from its power source. Failure to do so can result in electric shock, injury, or death. Always wear appropriate personal protective equipment, such as gloves and eye protection.

- Always disconnect power to the appliance before servicing.
- Turn off the water supply to the washing machine.
- Drain any residual water from the washer before beginning work.
- If you are unsure about any step, consult a qualified appliance technician.
- Keep children and pets away from the work area.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all components are present and undamaged upon receipt.

- 1 x ERP WH23X26206 Washer Drain Pump

Note: No batteries are included or required for this product.

4. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	ERP
Model Number	WH23X26206
Item Weight	Approximately 1.5 pounds
Package Dimensions	Approximately 6.77 x 6.22 x 4.69 inches
Color	Multicolor (typically gray and black)
Power Source	AC/DC (as per washing machine's internal power)



5. INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

This section provides general guidance for replacing a washer drain pump. Specific steps may vary depending on your washing machine model. Refer to your washing machine's service manual for detailed instructions.

1. **Disconnect Power and Water:** Ensure the washing machine is unplugged from the electrical outlet and both hot and cold water supply lines are turned off.
2. **Drain Residual Water:** Place a shallow pan or towels under the drain hose and pump area to catch any remaining water. Disconnect the drain hose from the standpipe or utility sink.
3. **Access the Pump:** Depending on your washer model, you may need to tilt the washer back, remove a front panel, or access the pump from the rear.
4. **Disconnect Hoses:** Carefully disconnect the hoses attached to the old drain pump. Be prepared for some water spillage. Note the orientation of each hose for reinstallation.
5. **Disconnect Electrical Connections:** Unplug the electrical connector(s) from the old pump.
6. **Remove Old Pump:** Unmount the old drain pump from its housing or brackets.
7. **Install New Pump:** Position the new ERP WH23X26206 drain pump in the same location and secure it with the appropriate fasteners.
8. **Reconnect Electrical and Hoses:** Reattach the electrical connector(s) and all hoses to the new pump, ensuring they are securely fastened to prevent leaks.
9. **Restore Access Panels:** Reinstall any panels or covers that were removed to access the pump.
10. **Reconnect Power and Water:** Turn on the water supply and plug the washing machine back into the electrical outlet.
11. **Test Operation:** Run a short wash cycle to check for proper drainage and any leaks.



Image 5.1: Side view of the drain pump, showing the inlet and outlet hose connections.



Image 5.2: Top view of the drain pump, revealing the impeller which is responsible for moving water.

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Video 5.1: A general video from Seentech, a seller of DIY appliance parts, showcasing various replacement parts for home appliances. While not specific to this exact pump, it illustrates the concept of DIY appliance repair.

6. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The ERP WH23X26206 Washer Drain Pump operates automatically as part of your washing machine's cycle. Once installed correctly, it will activate during the drain and spin phases to remove water from the washer tub. No direct user interaction is required for the pump's operation.

7. MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance of your washing machine, including the drain pump area, can extend the life of the appliance and its components.

- **Check for Obstructions:** Periodically inspect the drain pump filter (if accessible on your washer model) for lint, coins, or other debris that could impede pump function. Refer to your washer's user manual for filter cleaning instructions.
- **Inspect Hoses:** Check drain hoses for kinks, cracks, or blockages that could affect drainage.
- **Listen for Unusual Noises:** If the pump starts making unusual noises (grinding, humming without draining), it may indicate an obstruction or a failing motor.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

If your washing machine is experiencing drainage issues after installing the new pump, consider the following:

- **No Drainage:**

- Ensure the pump is correctly wired and receiving power.
- Check for blockages in the drain hose or the pump's inlet/outlet.
- Verify the pump impeller is not jammed (after disconnecting power).

- **Slow Drainage:**

- Inspect the drain hose for partial blockages or kinks.
- Clean the pump filter if applicable.

- **Leaking:**

- Ensure all hose clamps are tight and hoses are properly seated on the pump connections.
- Check for cracks in the hoses or the pump housing.

If problems persist, consult a professional appliance repair technician.

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

All ERP products, including the WH23X26206 Washer Drain Pump, come with a one-year warranty from the date of purchase. For warranty claims or technical support, please contact ERP customer service through their official channels.

Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for warranty purposes.