





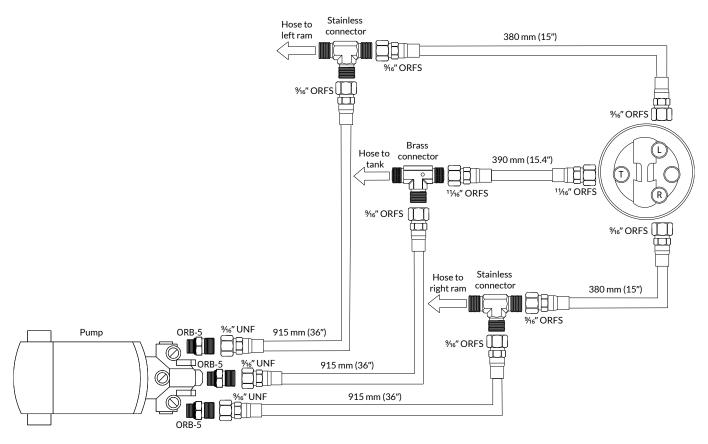
# Autopilot Pump Fitting Kits for Mercury® Verado® Steering Systems

## **Installation Guide**

**Tools required:** Safety glasses, wrenches 14 mm (%6"), 16 mm (%8"), 17 mm ( $^{11}/_{16}$ ") and 22 mm (%8"), liquid Teflon® sealant (SteadySteer $^{\text{TM}}$  kit only)

# Autopilot pump fitting kit (000-15943-001)

- 3 x hoses, 3000 PSI max, 915 mm (36"), %6" UNF to %6" ORFS
- 2 x hoses, 3000 PSI max, 380 mm (15"), % ORFS to % ORFS
- 1 x return hose, 2250 PSI max, 390 mm (15.4"), 11/16" ORFS to 11/16" ORFS
- 2 x stainless steel tee connectors, %6" ORFS
- 1 x brass tee connector, 11/16" ORFS > 11/16" ORFS > 11/16" ORFS



#### Install pump (pump kit sold separately)

- 1. Pick an installation location for your pump. It must be within the combined length of the hoses from the pump and the back of the Verado<sup>®</sup> helm.
- 2. Install the pump so the pump and hoses are below the helm to eliminate air trapped in the lines. You can mount the pump in any orientation (horizontal or vertical).
- → *Note:* If mounting vertically, do not mount the pump above the motor.
- 3. Connect the ORB-5 > \%" UNF fittings to the pump and tighten.

#### Connect hoses to pump

- → Warning: Before you tighten any hose fitting, check the O-ring is inserted in the fitting.
- → Warning: Never use Teflon® tape or liquid sealant on UNF hose fittings.
- → Warning: After you connect a hose fitting, tighten it with the correct wrench. Never overtighten.
- **4.** Connect the % UNF ends of the 3 x 915mm hoses to the pump fittings and tighten.

#### Connect hoses to connectors (center ports)

- 5. Connect the 2 outer hoses coming from the pump to the center %6" ORFS ports on the stainless connectors.
- **6.** Make sure the 2 open ends of the connector are in line with each other so they can connect to the steering hoses once they are removed from the helm.
- 7. Connect the inner hose coming from the pump to the center %6" ORFS port on the brass connector.

#### Connect hoses to connectors (side ports)

- **8.** Connect the  $2 \times 380$  mm hoses to the 2 stainless %6" ORFS connectors. Make sure the hoses are connected on the same side on both connectors.
- 9. Connect the 390 mm 1/1/6" ORFS return hose to the same side of the brass connector.

#### Disconnect hoses from helm

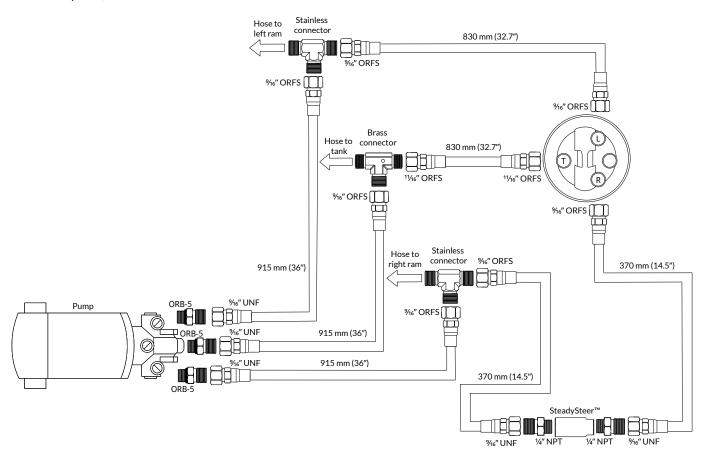
- 10. Make sure the battery switch to the boat is off and the motor key switches are in the off position.
- **11.** Remove the hose connected to the L port (port hydraulic line) on the back of the Verado® helm and connect it to the remaining port on one of the stainless connectors.
- **12.** Remove the hose connected to the R port (starboard hydraulic line) on the back of the Verado® helm and connect it to the remaining port on the other stainless connector.
- **13.** Remove the hose connected to the T port on the back of the Verado® helm and connect it to the remaining port on the brass connector.

#### Connect hoses to helm

- 14. Connect the outer hoses from the stainless connectors to the L and R ports on the Verado® helm.
- 15. Connect the inner hose from the brass connector to the T port on the Verado® helm.

# Autopilot pump fitting kit with SteadySteer™ (000-15950-001)

- 3 x hoses, 2800 PSI max, 915 mm (36"), %6" UNF > %6" ORFS
- 1 x hose, 2800 PSI max, 830 mm (32.7"), %6" ORFS > %6" ORFS
- 1 x return hose, 2250 PSI max, 830 mm (32.7"), 11/16" ORFS > 11/16" ORFS
- 2 x hoses, 2800 PSI max, 370 mm (14.5"), %6" ORFS > %6" UNF
- 2 x stainless steel tee connectors, %6" ORFS > %6" ORFS > %6" ORFS
- 1 x brass tee connector, 11/16" ORFS > 11/16" ORFS > 9/16" ORFS
- 1 x SteadySteer™ hydraulic flow switch
- 2 x adaptors, ¼ NPT > %6" UNF



#### Install pump (pump kit sold separately)

- 1. Pick an installation location for your pump. It must be within the combined length of the hoses from the pump and the back of the Verado<sup>®</sup> helm.
- 2. Install the pump so the pump and hoses are below the helm to eliminate air trapped in the lines. You can mount the pump in any orientation (horizontal or vertical).
- → *Note:* If mounting vertically, do not mount the pump above the motor.
- **3.** Connect the ORB-5 > \%6" UNF fittings to the pump and tighten.

#### **Connect hoses to pump**

- → Warning: Before you tighten any hose fitting, check the O-ring is inserted in the fitting.
- → Warning: Never use Teflon® tape or liquid sealant on UNF hose fittings.
- → *Warning:* After you connect a hose fitting, tighten it with the correct wrench. Never overtighten.
- **4.** Connect the %6" UNF ends of the 3 x 915mm hoses to the pump fittings and tighten.

#### **Connect hoses to connectors (center ports)**

- 5. Connect the 2 outer hoses coming from the pump to the center %6" ORFS ports on the stainless connectors.
- **6.** Make sure the 2 open ends of the connector are in line with each other so they can connect to the steering hoses once they are removed from the helm.
- 7. Connect the inner hose coming from the pump to the center %6" ORFS port on the brass connector.

#### Connect hoses to SteadySteer™

- → Note: The SteadySteer<sup>™</sup> flow switch must be fitted horizontally on either the starboard or port hydraulic line.
- 8. Coat the ¼" NPT ends of the 2 adapters with liquid Teflon® sealant (never use Teflon® tape).
- 9. Connect the ¼" NPT ends of the 2 adapters to each end of the SteadySteer™ flow switch.
- 10. Connect the %6" UNF fittings on the 2 remaining hoses (370 mm) to the %6" UNF ends of the 2 adapters.

#### Connect hoses to connectors (side ports)

- 11. Connect one 370 mm hose coming from the SteadySteer<sup>™</sup> to one of the stainless connectors.
- 12. Connect the %6" ORFS > %6" ORFS 830 mm hose to the same side of the other stainless connector.
- 13. Connect the 1/16" ORFS > 11/16" ORFS 830 mm return hose to the same side of the brass connector.

#### Disconnect hoses from helm

- 14. Make sure the battery switch to the boat is off and the motor key switches are in the off position.
- **15.** Remove the hose connected to the L port (port hydraulic line) on the back of the Verado® helm and connect it to the remaining port on one of the stainless connectors.
- **16.** Remove the hose connected to the R port (starboard hydraulic line) on the back of the Verado® helm and connect it to the remaining port on the other stainless connector.
- **17.** Remove the hose connected to the T port on the back of the Verado® helm and connect it to the remaining port on the brass connector.

#### **Connect hoses to helm**

- **18.** Connect the 830 mm outer hose to the L or R port on the Verado® helm.
- → Note: The port depends on which hydraulic line you installed the SteadySteer<sup>™</sup> flow switch.
- 19. Connect the 370 mm outer hose to the Lor R port on the Verado® helm.
- → Note: The port depends on which hydraulic line you installed the SteadySteer<sup>™</sup> flow switch.
- **20.** Connect the inner hose from the brass connector to the T port on the Verado® helm.

# SteadySteer<sup>™</sup> key features

- Allows autopilot to keep you going straight between the turns
- Allows immediate manual control at any time
- Detects helm movement and temporarily overrides autopilot while turning
- Re-engages autopilot upon exiting the turn
- No key-press, no alarms, no fuss, simply turn the helm
- Usable in steering modes: Auto, NoDrift and Navigation

# SteadySteer™ compatibility

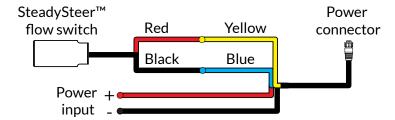
- Fully compatible with:
  - NAC<sup>™</sup> 2 and NAC<sup>™</sup> 3 autopilot computers with minimum software version 1.1.05
  - NAC™ D autopilot computers with minimum software version 1.0.01.01
  - AP™ 44 and AP™ 48 autopilot controllers with minimum software version 2.2.57.3.163
  - Simrad® MFD with minimum software version 20.2
  - Lowrance® HDS® Live with minimum software version 22.1
- Compatible with older Simrad® MFDs when an AP™ 44 or AP™ 48 is used to configure the digital input port for the flow switch.
- Pumps 2,3,4, or 5 with part numbers ending in -002, and legacy RPU pumps.

## Wiring and configuration

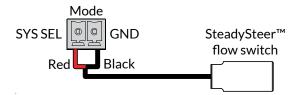
For wiring details refer to the documentation for your autopilot computer.

Before the SteadySteer™ can be used, make sure that the proper autopilot setting have been configured. Refer to the documentation for your autopilot computer.

### System wiring example NAC™ 2



### System wiring example NAC™ 3



# Bleeding the steering system

For how to bleed the steering system, see the Verado® Steering System installation manual.

#### Compliance statements

The relevant declarations of conformity are available at: www.simrad-yachting.com, www.lowrance.com and www.bandg.com

 $United\ Kingdom \\ This\ product\ complies\ with\ UKCA\ under\ Electromagnetic\ Compatibility\ Regulations\ 2016.$ 

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