

Table No. 2.—Divisions of Hydraulic Head for ascertaining Effective Horse-power per Sluice-head of Water.

(Calculated from $\frac{8.8}{\text{percentage}} = \text{head required per horse-power.}$)

Efficiency of Motor.	Division.	Efficiency of Motor.	Division.	Efficiency of Motor.	Division.
100 per cent.	8.800	76 per cent.	11.578	52 per cent.	16.923
99 "	8.888	75 "	11.733	51 "	17.254
98 "	8.979	74 "	11.891	50 "	17.600
97 "	8.072	73 "	12.054	49 "	17.959
96 "	9.166	72 "	12.222	48 "	18.333
95 "	9.263	71 "	12.394	47 "	18.723
94 "	9.361	70 "	12.571	46 "	19.130
93 "	9.462	69 "	12.753	45 "	19.555
92 "	9.565	68 "	12.941	44 "	20.000
91 "	9.670	67 "	13.134	43 "	20.465
90 "	9.777	66 "	13.333	42 "	20.952
89 "	9.887	65 "	13.538	41 "	21.463
88 "	10.000	64 "	13.750	40 "	22.000
87 "	10.115	63 "	13.968	39 "	22.564
86 "	10.232	62 "	14.193	38 "	23.157
85 "	10.352	61 "	14.426	37 "	23.783
84 "	10.476	60 "	14.666	36 "	24.444
83 "	10.602	59 "	15.915	35 "	25.142
82 "	10.731	58 "	15.172	34 "	25.882
81 "	10.864	57 "	15.438	33 "	26.666
80 "	11.000	56 "	15.714	32 "	27.500
79 "	11.139	55 "	16.000	31 "	28.387
78 "	11.282	54 "	16.296	30 "	29.333
77 "	11.482	53 "	16.603		

Examples.

1. What actual horse-power will be realised by a Pelton wheel having an efficiency of 90 per cent., with one sluice-head of water and 400 ft. total head, less 20 ft. loss of head from friction, &c., in pipes conveying the water to wheel?

$$400 - 20 = 380 \text{ ft. hydraulic head,}$$

and this, divided by the number opposite 90 per cent. in Table 2 (9.777) equals the horse-power—

$$\frac{380}{9.777} = 38.86\text{-horse power.}$$

2. What actual horse-power will be realised by an undershot wheel having an efficiency of 35 per cent. in the forty sluice-heads of water and 3 ft. hydraulic head?

$$\frac{40 \times 3}{25.142} = 4.77\text{-horse power.}$$

3. What actual horse-power will be realised by a low-breast wheel having an efficiency of 55 per cent., with $33\frac{1}{3}$ sluice-heads of water and 10 ft. hydraulic head?

$$\frac{33\frac{1}{3} \times 10}{16} = 20.8\text{-horse power.}$$

4. What actual horse-power will be realised by a high-breast wheel having an efficiency of 60 per cent., with $33\frac{1}{3}$ sluice-heads of water and 15 ft. hydraulic head?

$$\frac{33\frac{1}{3} \times 15}{14.666} = 34.09\text{-horse power.}$$

5. What actual horse-power will be realised by an overshot wheel having an efficiency of 65 per cent., with $33\frac{1}{3}$ sluice-heads of water and 20 ft. hydraulic head?

$$\frac{33\frac{1}{3} \times 20}{13.538} = 49.24\text{-horse power.}$$

6. What actual horse-power will be realised by a turbine wheel having an efficiency of 70 per cent., with one sluice-head of water and 300 ft. total head, when the loss by friction, &c., in the pipes conveying the water to the wheel is 15 ft. of head?

$$300 - 15 = 285 \text{ ft. hydraulic head.}$$

$$\frac{285}{12.571} = 22.67\text{-horse power.}$$

7. What actual horse-power will be realised by a Pelton wheel having an efficiency of 85 per cent., with one sluice-head of water and 400 ft. total head, the loss by friction, &c., being 20 ft. of head?

$$400 - 20 = 380 \text{ ft. hydraulic head.}$$

$$\frac{380}{10.352} = 36.7\text{-horse power.}$$