

# Thermo-Miser™ Drainback Reservoirs

#### **FEATURES:**

#### All models

- Type 304 Stainless Steel Construction
- 3/4" NPT Connections (solar loop)
- Maximum Operating Temperature: 250°F
- Maximum Operating Pressure: 45 psi
- Rigid Polyurethane Foam Insulation
- Thermal Resistance (R-value): 3.58 per inch
- ABS Plastic Outer Shell and Vacuum Molded Caps
- 1/2" O.D. Polycarbonate Sight Glass
- Pressure Relief Valve: 30 psi (set point)
- Diptube Assembly for Noise Reduction (solar return)

#### Heat Exchangers models only

- Type C12200 Finned Coil Heat Exchanger
- ½" NPT Connections (heat exchanger loop)
- Heat exchanger produced to meet the requirements of ASME SB75/SB359 (pressure vessel code)
- 98% Efficient Heat Exchanger

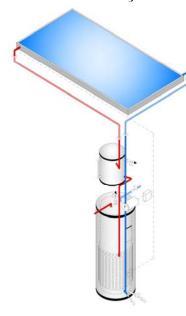




DB-10-10XC (CUTAWAY)



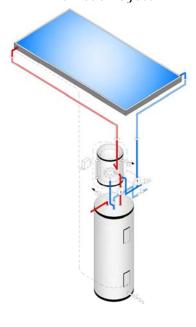




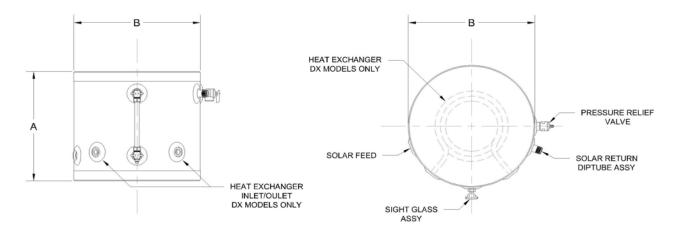
The drainback reservoir is intended to serve as a storage vessel for the solar heat transfer fluid when the system is not in operation. As the circulation pump energizes, heat transfer fluid is drawn from the reservoir and is circulated across the solar collectors where heat is gained and transferred, via a heat exchanger, to the water storage tank. When the pump deenergizes, gravity enables the heat transfer fluid to "drainback" into the reservoir.

The drainback reservoir may be installed as part of a new solar water heating system or as part of a retrofit to an existing water heater.

DX Drainback System







## **Drainback Reservoir**

MODEL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	TANK HEIGHT A	JACKET DIAMETER B	TANK VOLUME (gals)	USABLE VOLUME (gals)	SHIPPING WEIGHT (lbs)
DB-10C	10 Gal Drainback Reservoir	16.34	18.16	9.55	6.50	27
DB-10-10XC	10 Gal Drainback Reservoir w/10 ft² Heat Exchanger	16.34	18.16	9.31	6.25	31
DB-15C	15 Gal Drainback Reservoir	22.34	18.16	14.72	11.66	37
DB-15-15XC	15 Gal Drainback Reservoir w/15 ft² Heat Exchanger	22.34	18.16	14.34	11.29	46

Dimensions and specifications subject to change without notice. Unless otherwise indicated, dimensions on charts shown are in inches.

## **Specification**

Thermo-Miser™ Drainback reservoir(s) shall be model as manufactured by Alternate Energy
Technologies, LLC., or an approved equal, and shall have a 5-year warranty and a 1-years parts warranty, when
installed in a solar water heating installation. The drainback reservoir(s) shall have a storage capacity of
gallons and shall have a usable volume of gallons. The drainback reservoir(s) shall be manufactured from
Type 304 stainless steel base materials, totally encased in an ABS plastic shell and insulated with a CFC-Free
polyurethane foam. The heat exchanger model(s) shall include an internal finned-coil heat exchanger, providing
ft <sup>2</sup> of contact surface area. The heat exchanger shall be produced from copper alloy C12200 and shall be
mechanically connected to the stainless steel drainback reservoir with flare type fittings. The drainback reservoir(s)
shall be furnished with a sight gauge assembly kit and a corrosion-resistant, pressure relief valve rated at no
greater than 30 psi.

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