







Drum Crusher DC5000-5 Electric

The Drum Crusher Model DC5000-5 will crush a 55 gallon drum down to less than 2.5" in height, greatly reducing storage space requirements and transport fees. Heavy duty construction, all structural components are made with heavy steel plates.

The unit comes complete with motor starter, hydraulic door safety switch, and an oil sight gauge with temperature indicator. Take control of your drum disposal with this affordable model.

Designed, developed and assembled in the USA: All parts and components that go into the equipment are designed and developed meeting all American standards.

Standard Features

- 5 hp Electric Motor
- Crushing force 60,000 pounds at 3000 psi
- Crush 55 gallon steel drum down to less than 2.5"
- Cycle time of 45 seconds
- 60 gallon hydraulic tank
- Drip Pan for Liquid Containment
- Directional Control Valve
- Drum ring locator, keep the drum aligned
- Emergency stop push button and motor starter
- Portability with Fork Lift Truck
- Electrical control box NEMA-1
- Safety features to comply with OSHA
- Heavy Duty Steel construction

Available Options

- Explosion Proof System
- Hydraulic Push Button Controls
- Flood Protection Legs



DC5000-5 Electric



DC5000-10 Diesel



DC7000-10 Diesel



DC5000-10 Electric



DC6000-11 Gasoline



DC8000-20 Diesel



DC5000-11 Gasoline



DC7000-10 Electric



What is the difference between a Commercial and Industrial Drum Crushers?

Commercial Drum Crushers (DC5000 & DC6000 Models): These models can crush up several hundred drums in a day down to 2.5 to 3" depending on the gauge steel of the drum. Commercial drum crushers are the most standard drum crushers in the market. All drum crushers from the competition fit under this classification. Our Drum Crusher DC5000 & DC6000 Models are heavy duty systems and the best selling drum crushers around the world.

Industrial Drum Crushers (DC7000 & DC8000 Models): These model drum crushers can crush drums and/or pack drums on a continuous basis. Many of Drumbeaters of America, Inc. clients have crushed up to 1400 + drums that run facilities 24 hours. Industrial drum crushers models have the options to enlarge the chamber allowing to crush 110 gallon salvage or overpak drums as well as compacting waste inside of the drums. Our Industrial Drum Crushers DC7000 & DC8000 Models are super heavy duty systems and the only "limitless" drum crushers in the market.

Drum Crushers - Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)









Helping Our Environment

Drumbeaters of America specializes in the engineering and manufacturing of systems for industrial companies to reduce the volume of waste products generated in manufacturing and to transform the waste products so they can be recycled.

Improving Quality

Drumbeaters is staffed with mechanical and electrical engineers with international standards experience. Our final assembly is performed at the Drumbeaters of America facility located in Elburn, Illinois, USA.

Industry Standards

Our clients include Fortune 500 manufacturers, U.S. military installations, governmental agencies, global companies and waste remediation contractors. Our equipment and systems have been shipped worldwide.

