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Representative _____

VE Heavy Duty Bronze Globe Control Valves

The rugged Powers Type VE single seat bronze body valve is primarily used for steam and water modulating applications where precision low flow is required. Additionally, the modified equal percent characteristic provides fine throttling action at low valve plug travel. Stainless steel trim is standard.

Single Seat Bronze Body/Reduced Trim

- 1/2" Union Ends
- ANSI Class 250 Body Rating
- ANSI Class III Close off
- Stainless Steel Trim
- Modified Equal Percent Flow Characteristic
- Reduced Trim Sizes
- 46" Pneumatic Diaphragm Field Reversible Actuators
- Stainless Steel Hardware
- NAMUR Standard Yoke for Accessories

FLOWRITE II®



NOTICE

The information contained herein is not intended to replace the full product installation and safety information available or the experience of a trained product installer. You are required to thoroughly read all installation instructions and product safety information before beginning the installation of this product.

NOTICE

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Dimensional Information

(For other sizes consult factory)

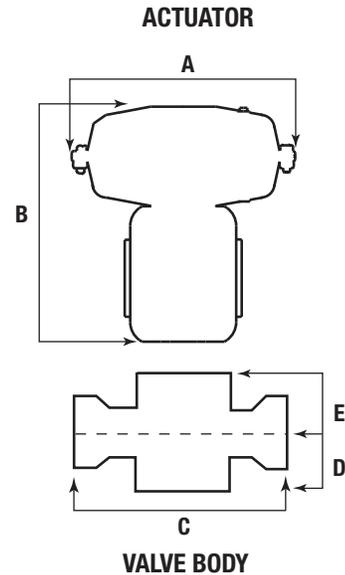
Pneumatic Actuators

| ACTUATOR* | A | B | LBS. |
|-----------|-----|---------|------|
| 46" | 10" | 10-3/8" | 14 |

Valve Body

| SIZE | C | D | E | LBS. |
|------|--------|----------|---------|------|
| 1/2" | 5-5/8" | 1-13/16" | 2-7/16" | 4 |

*See Actuator Select Tables on page 5.



Application

- **Body Material and Rating.** Refer to Body Temperature/Pressure Ratings table to insure your application fits in the acceptable operating range. Also determine that the valve body material is compatible with your media.
- **Trim Material.** Stainless steel.
- **Flow Coefficient (CV Rating).** Cv to be determined by a specifying Engineer or calculated data. Select a valve size that most closely matches the calculated Cv from the Flowing ΔP , Close Off ΔP , and Cv Ratings table.
- **Flowing Pressure Drop (ΔP).** To avoid cavitation and its accompanying trim damage, the following operating ΔP limits should be observed.

Body Temperature/Pressure Ratings

ANSI Standard Ratings – Bronze Bodies

| Temperature (°F) | Class 250 Lb. (psig) |
|------------------|----------------------|
| -20 to 150 | 400 |
| 200 | 385 |
| 250 | 365 |
| 300 | 335 |
| 350 | 300 |
| 400 | 250 |

- **Liquid Service.** ΔP less than the quantity $(0.66 \times \text{inlet pressure}) + 10$. Additionally, flowing ΔP should not exceed 100psi.
- **Steam Service.** ΔP less than the quantity $(0.5 \times \text{inlet pressure}) + 7.35$. Additionally, flowing ΔP should not exceed 100psi.
- **Actuator Selection.** The actuator must have enough force to close off against line pressure or maximum ΔP . The 3–15 and 1–17 columns in the Close Off ΔP and Cv Ratings table apply to valves with control signals coming directly from I/P transducers. The 0–30 column applies to valves using Accritem® type pneumatic controllers or valves equipped with a positioner or 0–30 PSI I/P transducer.

Type VE CLOSE OFF ΔP AND CV RATINGS

| VALVE SIZE | CV RATING | PLUG TRAVEL | ACTUATOR CODES | MAXIMUM ΔP IN PSI AT CLOSE OFF | | | | | |
|---------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|--|----------|----------|--------------------|-----|-----|
| | | | | FAIL CLOSED | | | FAIL OPEN | | |
| | | | | SIGNAL TO ACTUATOR | | | SIGNAL TO ACTUATOR | | |
| | | | | PNEUMATIC | | | PNEUMATIC | | |
| ACTUATOR | 3–15 PSI | 1–17 PSI | 0–30 PSI | 3–15 PSI | 1–17 PSI | 0–30 PSI | | | |
| 1/2 A-port | 0.25 | 1/4 | 46 / 4C | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| | | | | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| 1/2 B-port | 0.5 | 1/4 | 46 / 4C | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| | | | | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| 1/2 C-port | 1 | 1/4 | 46 / 4C | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| | | | | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| 1/2 D-port | 2 | 1/4 | 46 / 4C | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| | | | | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |

NOTE: A 200 psi ΔP limit is imposed for trim life considerations.

Sizing reference

STEAM TABLE

| Steam Pressure PSIG | Temp. °F | Temp. °C | Sensible Heat BTU/lb. | Latent Heat BTU/lb. | Total Heat BTU/lb. |
|---------------------|----------|----------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| 0 | 212 | 100 | 180 | 971 | 1151 |
| 10 | 239 | 115 | 207 | 952 | 1159 |
| 25 | 266 | 130 | 236 | 934 | 1170 |
| 50 | 297 | 147 | 267 | 912 | 1179 |
| 75 | 320 | 160 | 290 | 896 | 1186 |
| 100 | 338 | 170 | 309 | 881 | 1190 |
| 125 | 353 | 178 | 325 | 868 | 1193 |
| 150 | 365 | 185 | 339 | 858 | 1197 |
| 200 | 387 | 197 | 362 | 838 | 1200 |
| 250 | 406 | 208 | 381 | 821 | 1202 |
| 300 | 422 | 217 | 399 | 805 | 1204 |
| 400 | 448 | 231 | 438 | 778 | 1216 |
| 500 | 470 | 243 | 453 | 752 | 1205 |
| 600 | 489 | 254 | 475 | 729 | 1204 |

RECTANGULAR TANK CAPACITY IN GALLONS

$$\text{Gallons} = \frac{\text{Height} \times \text{Width} \times \text{Length (inches)}}{230}$$

or

$$\text{Gallons} = H \times W \times L(\text{ft.}) \times 7.5$$

CIRCULAR TANK STORAGE CAPACITY IN GALLONS

$$\text{Storage} = 6D^2 \times L \text{ (Gallons)}$$

Where: D = tank diameter in Feet
L = length in Feet

Load Sizing Calculations

Heating Water with Steam

Quick Method

$$\text{Lbs. /hr.} = \frac{\text{GPM}}{2} \times \Delta T$$

Precise Method

$$\text{Lbs. / hr.} = \frac{\text{GPM} \times 500 \times \Delta T}{h_{fg}}$$

Heating or Cooling Water with Water

$$\text{GPM}_1 = \text{GPM}_2 \times \frac{\text{°F water}_2 \text{ temp rise or drop}}{\text{°F water}_1 \text{ temp rise or drop}}$$

Heating or Cooling Water

$$\text{GPM} = \frac{\text{BTU/hr.}}{(\text{°F water temp. rise or drop}) \times 500}$$

Heating Oil with Steam

$$\text{Lbs. /hr.} = \frac{\text{GPM}}{4} \times (\text{°F oil temp. rise})$$

Heating Air with Water

$$\text{GPM} = 2.16 \times \frac{\text{CFM} \times (\text{°F air temp. rise})}{1000 \times (\text{°F water temp drop or rise})}$$

Heating Liquids with Steam

$$\text{Lbs. / hr.} = \frac{\text{GPM} \times 60 \times \text{CP} \times \text{W}}{h_{fg}} \times \Delta T$$

Heating Liquids in Steam Jacketed Kettles

$$\text{Lbs. / hr.} = \frac{\text{GPM} \times \text{Cp} \times \text{S} \times 8.33}{h_{fg} \times t} \times \Delta T$$

General Liquid Heating

$$\text{Lbs. / hr.} = \frac{\text{W} \times \text{Cp}}{h_{fg} \times t} \times \Delta T$$

Heating Air with Steam

$$\text{Lbs. / hr.} = \frac{\text{CFM}}{900} \times \Delta T$$

Glossary of Terms

- t** = Time in Hours
- Cp** = Specific Heat of Liquid
- S** = Specific Gravity of Fluid
- W** = Weight in Lbs.
- ΔT** = Temperature rise of fall in °F
- h_{fg}** = Latent Heat of Steam

Conversion Factors

- 1 lb. Steam/Hr.** = 1000 BTU/Hr.
- 1 Cubic Meter** = 265 U.S. Gallons
- 1 Cubic Foot Water** = 62.4 lbs.
- 1 PSI** = 2.04 inches of Mercury
- 1 PSI** = 2.3 feet of Water
- 1 PSI** = 27.7 inches of Water
- 1 U.S. Gallon Water** = 231 Cubic inches
- 1 U.S. Gallon Water** = 8.33 lbs.

Ordering Information

593- V E

| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Size | Order Code | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1/2" A | A50 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1/2" B | B50 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1/2" C | C50 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1/2" D | D50 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| End Connections | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Screwed | S | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Valve Trim | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stainless | S | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Action | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fail Open (Air-to-Close) | X | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fail Closed (Air-to-Open) | C | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Packing | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Teflon V-Ring | S | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EP V-Ring | W | | | | | | | | | | | |

**ACCESSORIES
SELECT CODE
(see page 6)**

**ACCESSORIES
SELECT CODE
(see below)**

Actuator Select code

| CODE | PNEUMATIC DIAPHRAGM ACTUATORS |
|-----------|---|
| 46 | 46 Sq. In., 1" Max Valve Stroke with Standard Springs, adjustable start w/ 7 ~ 12 lb. Fixed span. |
| 4C | 46 Sq. In., 1" Max Valve Stroke with Extreme Cycle Springs, adjustable start w/ 7~ 12 lb. Fixed span. |

Actuator compatibility

1/2" 46" Diaphragm

Ordering Information (cont'd.)

Accessories Select code

| | | |
|---|--|---|
| BELLOFRAM 1000 I/P'S <u>Code Description</u> IS 3-15 psi TS 1-17 psi US 3-27 psi CONTROL/AIR TYPE 900X I/P <u>Code Description</u> ES 0-30 psi | UTILITY POSITIONER AND I/P <u>Code Description</u> BS 4-20 mA UTILITY POSITIONER <u>Code Description</u> PS 3-15 psi RS 3-9 psi SS 9-15 psi | NO ACCESSORIES <u>Code Description</u> OS No accessories |
|---|--|---|

I/P Transducers

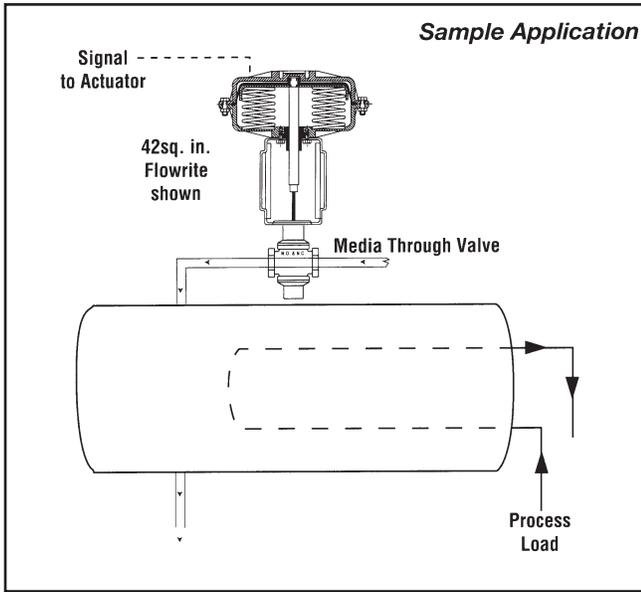
The "standard" 3-15 psi signal was originally designed as a transmission signal, not a valve actuation signal. Unbalanced control valves have their operational limits lowered when forced to operate with this 3-15 psi signal. The Fluid Controls Institute (in Standard 87-2) has recommended that a 1-17 psi air signal range be used when directly actuating a control valve without a positioner. Powers concurs with this recommendation, and therefore, offers a 1-17 psi I/P transducer and a 0-30 psi I/P transducer for maximum close-off. 3-15 psi I/P transducers should be used in conjunction with positioners.

Positioners

Positioners are used for one or more of the following reasons:

- 1) To split range valves.
- 2) To eliminate unwanted valve movement caused by line pressure variations
- 3) To minimize the effects of "stick-slip"
- 4) To speed response time and/or
- 5) To increase close-off rating when I/Ps are used.

Calculation/Sketch Area



Considerations: _____

Medium: _____
Capacity: _____
Inlet Pressures: _____
Pressure Drop: _____
Temp.: (Packing): _____
Fail Safe: _____



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