

## Hydraulically Controlled Anti-Columning Deluge Valve with Local Reset Model FP 400E - 5M

The BERMAD model 400E-5M is an elastomeric, hydraulic, line pressure operated deluge valve, designed specifically for advanced fire protection systems and the latest industry standards.

The 400E-5M is activated by a pressure operated relay valve, which latches the main valve open until locally reset. The 400E-5M is ideal for systems with remote or elevated wet pilot lines, due to its boosted local pressure release. The optional valve position indicator can include a limit switch suitable for Fire & Gas monitoring systems.



(for Illustration Only)

### Benefits and Features

#### ■ Safety and reliability

- Time proven, simple design with a fail safe actuation
- Single piece, rugged elastomeric diaphragm seal - VRSD technology
- Obstacle-free, uninterrupted flow path
- No mechanical moving parts
- Latches open: remains open until reset locally
- Valve position limit switches (optional)
- Meets the requirements of industry standards

#### ■ Quick and easy maintenance

- Designed for high reliability and easy maintenance
- In-line serviceable
- Fast and easy cover removal

### Typical Applications

- Highly elevated wet pilot lines
- Automatic water spray systems
- Hydraulic remote controlled systems
- Automatic foam systems

### Approvals



UL-Listed  
Special System Water Control  
Valves, Deluge Type (VLFT)  
Sizes 1½" - 10"



Det Norske Veritas  
Type Approval  
Sizes 1½" - 12"



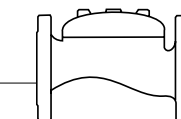
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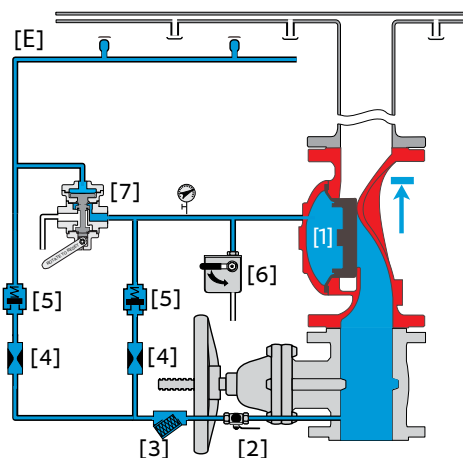
### Additional Features

- Valve position limit switches
- Alarm pressure switch
- Water motor alarm
- Sea water compatibility

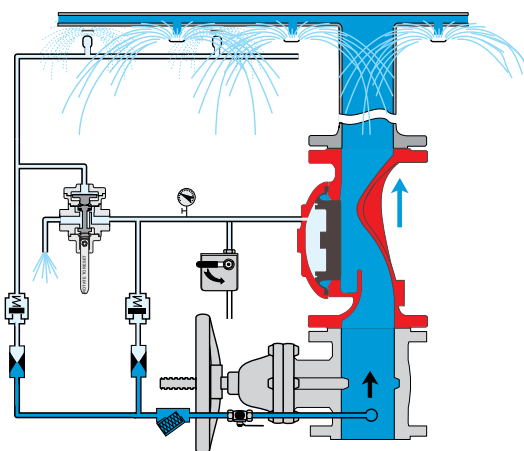


## Operation

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**Valve Closed** (normal conditions)



**Valve Open** (fire conditions)

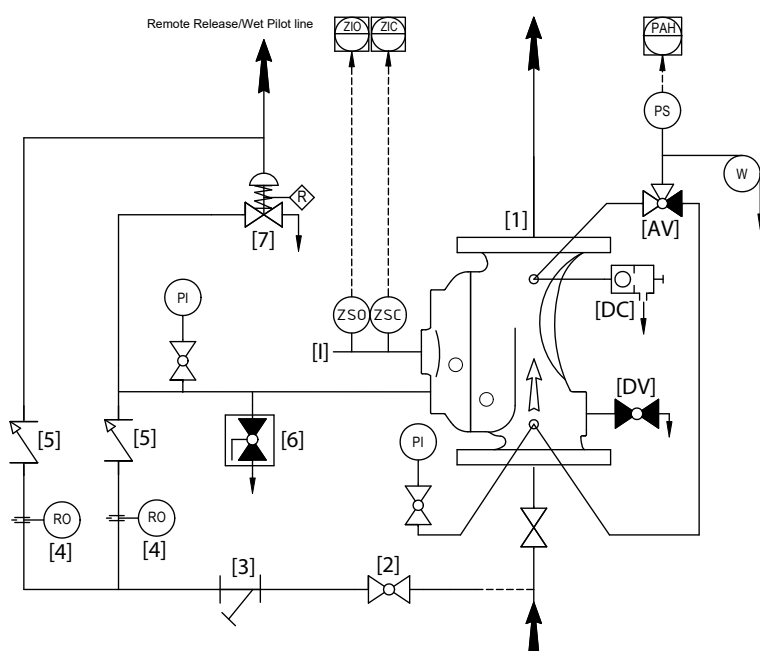
The BERMAD model 400E-5M is held closed by water pressure in the control chamber [1]. Upon release of pressure from the control chamber, the valve opens.

Under NORMAL conditions, water pressure is supplied to the control chamber via the priming line [2] and strainer [3], and a restriction orifice [5] and then trapped in the control chamber by a check valve [4], a manual emergency release [6], and a relay valve (URV-M) [7] that is held closed by hydraulic pilot line pressure [E]. The water pressure trapped in the control chamber holds the diaphragm against the valve seat, sealing it drip-tight and keeping the system pipes dry.

Under FIRE conditions, water pressure is released from the control chamber, either with the manual emergency release, or by the URV-M opening automatically in response to a decrease in hydraulic pilot-line pressure. This latches the 400E-5M deluge valve open, allowing water to flow into the system piping and to the alarm device [9].

The URV-M is factory set to operate where the highest release device is installed at a height of less than 35 mtr/115 ft above the valve. Additional spring tension can be set to suit greater elevations, up to a maximum of 70 meters above the valve (refer to the Valve Code Designation on the last page).

## System P&ID



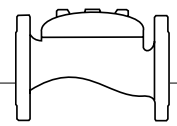
### Components

- 1 BERMAD 400E Deluge Valve
- 2 Priming Ball Valve
- 3 Priming Strainer
- 4 Check Valve
- 5 Restriction Orifice
- 6 Manual Emergency Release
- 7 URV-2-M Relay Valve

### Optional System Items

- ZS Limit Switch Assembly
- I Visual Indicator
- PS Pressure Switch
- W Water Motor Alarm
- PI Pressure Gauge\*
- DC Automatic Drip Check Valve\*
- AV 3-Way Alarm Test Valve\*
- DV Drain Valve\*

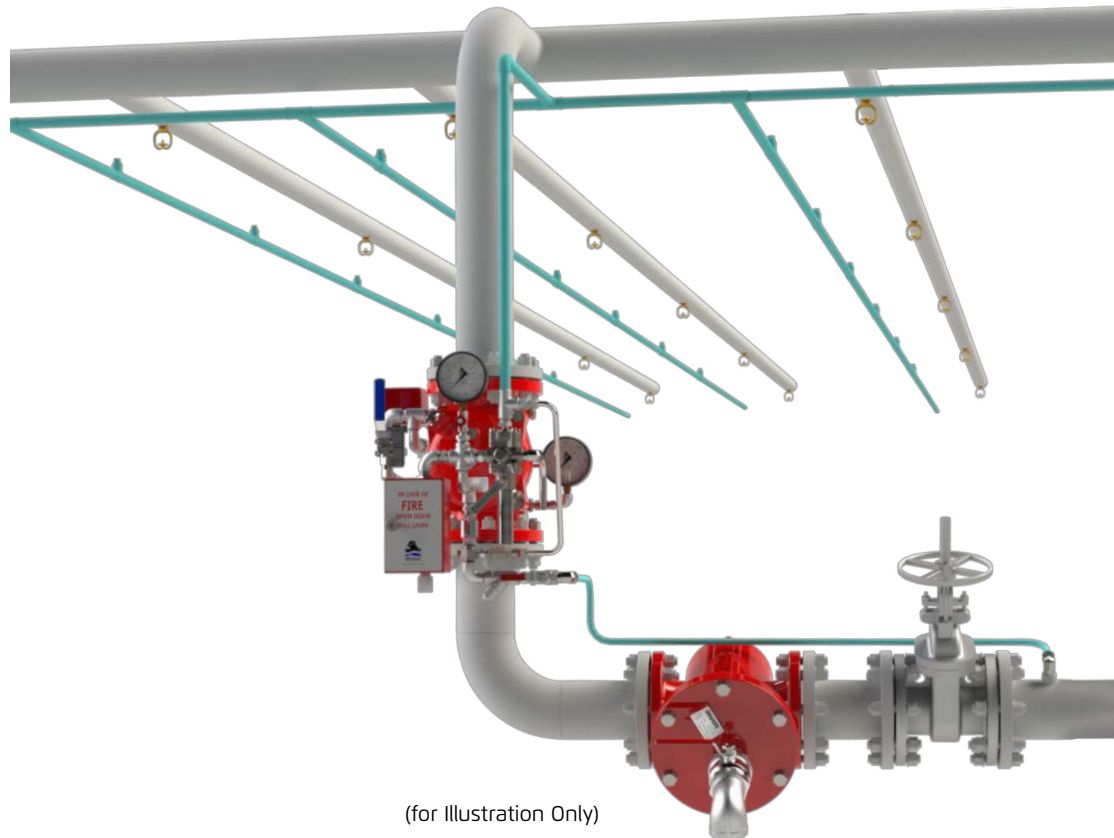
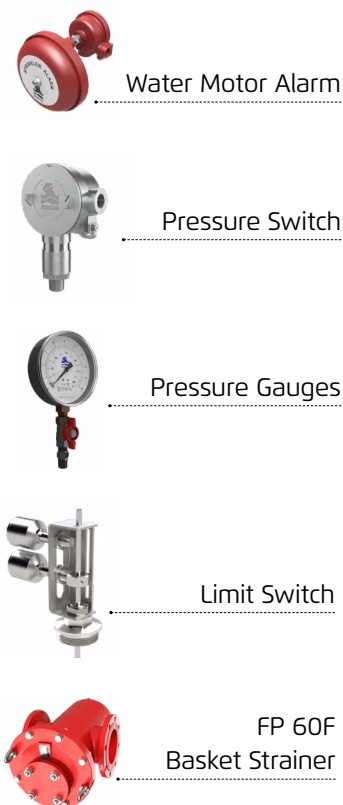
\* Included with suffix A in valve code (drain and indicating components) See code designations and additional Factory Fitted Options on page 4



## System Installation

A typical installation of the BERMAD model 400E-5M features automatic actuation via a pressure operated relay valve, triggered by a wet pilot line with closed fusible plugs elevated above the deluge valve. When open and fitted with a limit switch, the valve sends a feedback signal to the remote valve position monitoring system.

## Optional System Items



## Suggested Specifications

The deluge valve shall be UL-listed.

The valve shall have an unobstructed flow path, with no stem guide or supporting ribs.

Valve actuation shall be accomplished by a single-piece, rolling diaphragm bonded with a rugged radial seal disk with VRSD technology.

The diaphragm assembly shall be the only moving part.

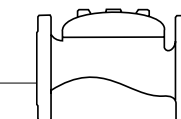
The deluge valve shall include a latching relay valve, a Y-type strainer, a ball drain valve, an automatic drip-check with manual override, 4-inch pressure gauges, and a manual emergency release housed in a 316 stainless steel box.

Removing the valve cover for inspection and full maintenance shall be in line and not require removal of the valve from the piping line.

The deluge valve and its entire control trim shall be supplied pre-assembled and hydraulically tested in compliance to the UL 260 standard, by a factory certified to ISO 9000 and 9001 quality assurance standard.

# BERMAD Fire Protection

Model FP 400E - 5M



400E Series

## Technical Data

### Available Sizes (inch)

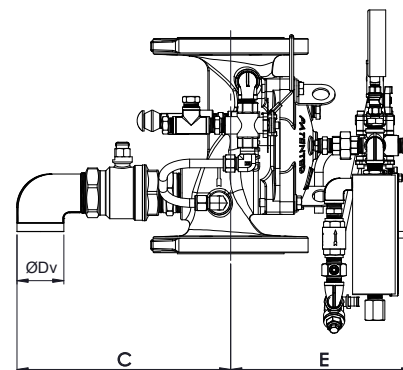
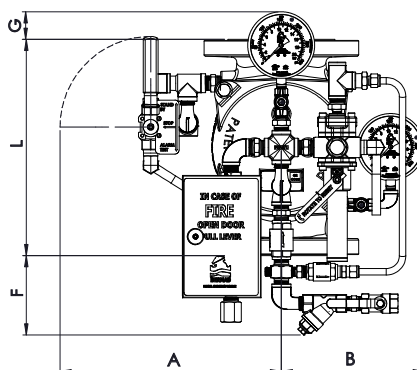
- Flanged - 1½, 2, 2½, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10 & 12"
- Grooved - 2, 3, 4, 6 & 8"

### Pressure Rating

- 17.2 bar / 250 psi

### Elastomer

- HTNR with VRSD- Fabric Reinforced High Temperature Compound - See engineering data



Valve Size	1½" DN40		2" DN50		2½" DN65		3" DN80		4" DN100		6" DN150		8" DN200		10" DN250		12" DN300	
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L #150	205	8.1	205	8.1	205	8.1	257	10.1	320	12.6	415	16.3	500	19.7	605	23.8	725	28.5
L Grooved	-	-	205	8.1	-	-	250	9.8	320	12.6	415	16.3	500	19.7	-	-	-	-
A	313	12.3	313	12.3	325	12.8	345	13.6	328	12.9	349	13.7	383	15.1	396	15.6	438	17.2
B	221	8.7	221	8.7	221	8.7	221	8.7	221	8.7	190	7.4	220	8.7	230	9	283	11.1
C	199	7.8	199	7.8	253	10.0	266	10.5	316	12.4	347	13.7	364	14.3	384	15.1	422	16.6
ØDv	¾"		¾"		1½"		1½"		2"		2"		2"		2"		2"	
E	245	9.6	245	9.6	247	9.7	280	11	300	11.8	377	14.8	427	16.8	425	16.7	522	20.6
F	115	4.5	115	4.5	115	4.5	89	3.5	57	2.2	10	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
G	50	2	50	2	50	2	49	2	18	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kg / lb	17 / 37		18 / 40		21 / 46		29 / 64		43 / 95		87 / 191		149 / 328		166 / 365		254 / 559	

IMPORTANT: Dimensions for the trim envelope or extents refer to a vertical orientation and may vary with specific component positioning - allow a tolerance of at least ±10%.

## Valve Code Designations

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\* More options available - contact BERMAD



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