

# FILTER BACKWASH HYDRAULIC VALVE

## **3X3 PLASTIC**

# Model IR-3x3-350-P

The BERMAD Model IR-3x3-350-P is a compact 3-port valve, in a T configuration. It is double chambered, hydraulically operated, and diaphragm actuated. Designed for automatic backwashing of filtration systems, the BERMAD Model IR-3x3-350-P is available in Angle flow (A) and Straight flow (S) configurations.



Straight Flow



[1] BERMAD Model IR-3x3-350-S-P allows flow into the filter, switches closed upon pressure rise command blocking inlet to filter and enables backwash flow from the filter.

[2] BERMAD Hydrompter Model IR-900-M0

[3] BERMAD Air Valve Model ARA-A-I-P

### Features and Benefits

- Line Pressure Driven
- Double Chambered Design
  - Wide application range
  - Requires low actuation pressure
  - Protected diaphragm
- Dynamic Sealing
  - Seals at very low pressure
  - Prevents seal friction and erosion
- Engineered Plastic Valve Design
- Highly durable, chemical and cavitation resistant
- Short Valve Travel
  - Smooth changes of flow direction
  - Eliminates mixing of supply and waste water
- User-Friendly
  - Can be installed in various orientations
  - Simple in-line inspection and service

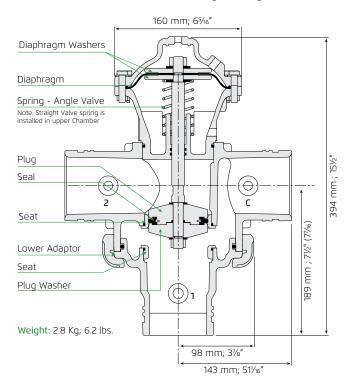
#### **Typical Applications**

- Automatic Backwash of Filter Batteries
  - Gravel Filters
  - Sand Filters
  - Disk Filters
  - Screen Filters
- Single Filter Autonomic Backwash System
- Angled or Straight Installations



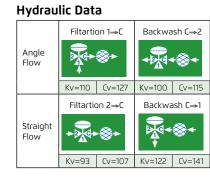
For full technical details, refer to Engineering Section.

Irrigation



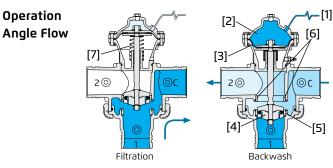
#### Technical Data

Control Chamber Displacment Volume: 0.34 liter; 0.09 gallon Operating Pressure: 0.7-10 bar; 10-145 psi External Operating Pressure: 85%-100% of operating pressure Maximum Temperature: 65°C;150°F End Connections: Grooved Flow Patterns: Angled Flow, Reverse Angled Flow, Straight Flow, Reverse Straight Flow Materials Valve Body, Separating Partition & Lower Adaptor: Polyamide 6 – 30GF Black Cover: Polyamide 6 – 30GF , Angle Flow – Black Straight Flow – Gray Diaphragm: NR-AL52 Nylon Fabric Reinforced Seats, Diaphragm Washers: Brass Plug, Plug Washer: Acetal Copolymer Black Stopper Disk: PVC-U Seal, O-Rings: NBR Spring: Stainless Steel AISI 302 Shaft: Stainless Steel AISI 303 External Bolts, Studs, Nuts & Disks: Stainless Steel

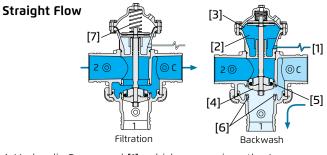


$$\begin{split} \Delta \mathsf{P} &= \left( \frac{\mathsf{Q}}{\mathsf{K} \mathsf{v}} \right)^2 \\ \mathsf{K} \mathsf{v} &= \mathsf{m}^3 / \mathsf{h} \textcircled{0} \Delta \mathsf{P} \text{ of 1 bar} \\ \mathsf{Q} &= \mathsf{m}^3 / \mathsf{h} \\ \Delta \mathsf{P} &= \texttt{bar} \end{split}$$

 $\Delta P = \left(\frac{Q}{Cv}\right)^2$   $Cv = gpm @ \Delta P \text{ of 1 psi}$  Q = gpm  $\Delta P = psi$  Cv = 1.155 KV



A Hydraulic Command [1], which pressurizes the Upper Control Chamber [2], forces the Diaphragm [3] actuated Plug Assembly [4] to move towards the Supply Port Seat [5], eventually sealing it drip tight. This allows flow from the filter through the Drain Port Seat [6]. Venting the upper control chamber causes the line pressure, together with the Spring [7] force, to move the Valve back to filtration mode.



A Hydraulic Command [1], which pressurizes the Lower Control Chamber [2], forces the Diaphragm [3] actuated Plug Assembly [4] to move towards the Supply Port Seat [5], eventually sealing it drip tight. This allows flow from the filter through the Drain Port Seat [6]. Venting the upper control chamber causes the line pressure, together with the Spring [7] force, to move the Valve back to filtration mode.

#### How to Order

Please specify the requested valve in the following sequence: (for more options, refer to Ordering Guide.)

