

ELECTRIC PRESSURE CONTROL ON-OFF DELUGE VALVE

Model FP-400F-3DC

The BERMAD model 400E-3DC is an elastomeric, hydraulic, line pressure operated deluge valve, designed specifically for advanced fire protection systems and the latest industry standards.

The 400E-3DC is activated by a 3-way solenoid valve by which opening and closing of the deluge valve may be controlled remotely.

An integrated pressure control pilot ensures a precise and stable pre-set downstream water pressure. The 400E-3DC is ideal for open-nozzle systems with a high pressure water upply and is available with electric components to suit any hazardous location. The optional valve position indicator can include a limit switch suitable for Fire & Gas monitoring systems.



- 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
 - UL429A Listed 3-Way Solenoid Valve
 - Valve position limit switches (optional)
 - Meets the requirements of the industry standards



Approvals



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



ABS American Bureau of Shipping Type Approval Sizes 1½" - 12"



Det Norske Veritas Type Approval Sizes 1½" to 12"



Lloyd's Register Type Approval Sizes 1½" - 10"

Typical Applications

- Automatic water spray systems
- Electric fire detection systems with control panels
- Foam applications
- Remote Control Monitors

Additional Features

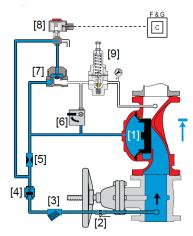
- Valve position limit switches
- Alarm pressure switch
- Seawater compatibility
- Corrosion resistant zinc based high build epoxy coating

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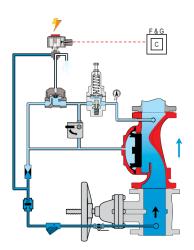


Operation

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Valve Open (fire conditions)

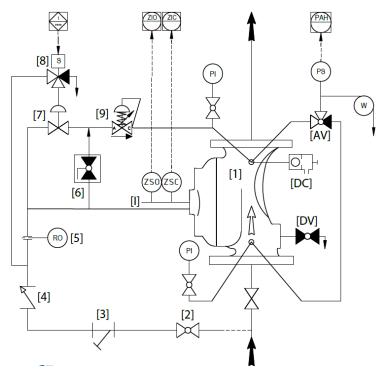
The BERMAD model 400E-3DC is held closed by water pressure in the control chamber [1]. Upon release of pressure from the control chamber, the valve opens.

Under NORMAL conditions, water pressure is supplied to the control chamber via the priming line [2] restriction orifice [5], and strainer [3], and is then trapped in the control chamber by a check valve [4], manual emergency release [6], and a relay valve (HRV) [7] that is held closed by hydraulic pressure supplied through a three-way solenoid valve [8]. The water pressure trapped in the main valve 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 HRV opening in response to either the solenoid valve being activated by the fire & gas control system [C] or the by remote release. This opens the 400E-3DC deluge valve, allowing water to flow into the system piping and to the alarm devices.

The pressure-control pilot valve [9] senses changes in outlet pressure and, modulates the main valve to maintain the set downstream pressure.

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	HRV-2 Hydraulic Relay Valve						
8	3-Way Solenoid Valve						

	Optional System Items						
ZS	Limit Switch Assembly						
W	Water Motor Alarm						
PS	Pressure Switch						
- 1	Visual Valve Position indicator						
PI	Pressure Gauge*						
DV	Drain Valve*						
DC	Automatic Drip Check Valve*						
AV	3-way Alarm Test Valve*						

^{*} Included with suffix A in valve code (drain and indicating components) See code designations and "factory supplied additional items" on page 4

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System Installation

The BERMAD model 400E-3DC typical installation features actuation via a hydraulic relay valve and a three-way solenoid valve, triggered by a fire & gas control system or an on-site emergency pushbutton.

The pressure control pilot valve in the control trim ensures accurate and stable pre-set downstream water pressure. Additionally, when equipped with a limit switch, the valve can provide status feedback to a remote valve position monitoring system.

Optional System Items



Water Motor Alarm



Pressure Gauge



Exd Pressure Switch - Stainless Steel Enclosure for Harsh

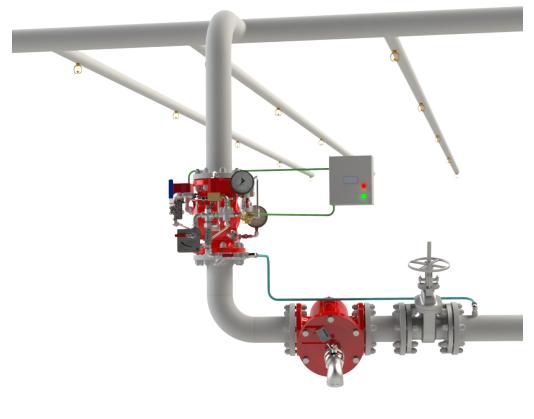


Environments Single Ex d

Proximity S.S.316 Limit Switch



Basket Strainer - 60F



Suggested Specifications

The deluge valve shall be UL-listed, 250 psi/17.2 bar rated.

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

The deluge valve shall have no mechanical moving parts, and the actuation shall utilize a single-piece diaphragm assembly of VRSD technology.

The valve shall be coated internally and externally with UV protection. Optional: C5-VH grade of ISO-12944 standard against corrosive conditions.

The solenoid valve shall be a 3-way FM and UL429A-listed for 365 psi/25 bar with 65% of the rated voltage.

The control trim shall include a pressure control pilot valve, an auxiliary relay valve, a manual emergency release unit, a Y-type strainer, two 4-inch pressure gauges, and an automatic drip-check with manual override.

A valve position indicator shall be provided, and equipped with two proximity limit switches.

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

The deluge valve and control trim shall be pre-assembled and hydraulically tested by a UL/FM and ISO 9000, 9001 certified factory.

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Technical Data

Available Sizes:

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

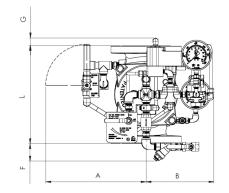
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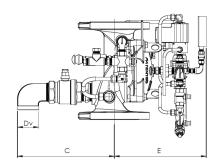
ANSI#150 - 17.2 bar | 250 psi Grooved - 17.2 bar | 250 psi

Elastomer:

HTNR with VRSD - Fabric Reinforced High Temparature Compound - See Engneering

Data

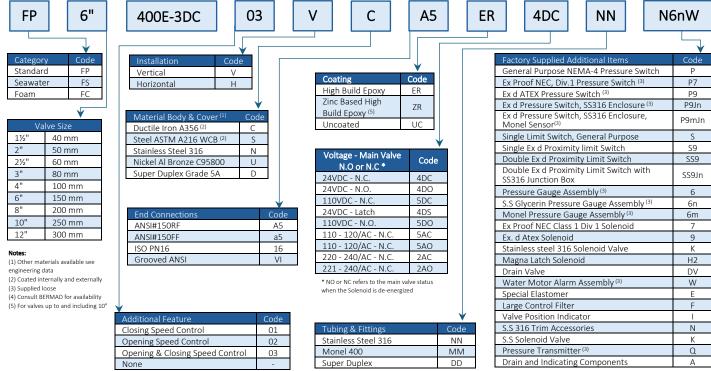




Valve Size	L #150	L Grooved	A	В	С	øD	E	F	G	Weight #150
	mm in	in	mm in	mm in	mm in	kg lb				
DN40 1½"	205 8.1	-	313 12.3	221 8.7	199 7.8	3/4"	245 9.6	115 4.5	50 2	18 40
DN50 2"	205 8.1	205 8.1	313 12.3	221 8.7	199 7.8	3/4"	245 9.6	115 4.5	50 2	19 42
DN65 2½"	205 8.1	-	325 12.8	221 8.7	253 10	1½"	247 9.7	115 4.5	50 2	22 49
DN80 3"	257 10.1	250 9.8	345 13.6	221 8.7	266 10.5	1½"	280 11	89 3.5	49 2	30 66
DN100 4"	320 12.6	320 12.6	328 12.9	221 8.7	316 12.4	2"	300 11.8	57 2.2	18 0.7	44 97
DN150 6"	415 16.3	415 16.3	349 13.7	190 7.4	347 13.7	2"	377 14.8	10 0.4	-	88 194
DN200 8"	500 19.7	500 19.7	383 15.1	220 8.7	364 14.3	2"	427 16.8	-	-	150 331
DN250 10"	605 23.8	-	396 15.6	230 9	384 15.1	2"	425 16.7	-	-	167 368
DN300 12"	725 28.5	-	438 17.2	283 11.1	422 16.6	2"	522 20.6	-	-	255 562

IMPORTANT: Dimensions for the trim envelope or extents refer to a vertical orientation and may vary with specific component positioning -Apart from the "L" dimension, allow a tolerance of at least ±15%

Valve Code Designations







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