

PRESSURE RELIEF VALVE

Model FP-43T

The BERMAD model 43T is an elastomeric, pilot operated, pressure- pressure-relief valve. Designed specifically for advanced fire protection systems and the latest industry standards.

The 43T prevents damage from over-pressure in piping systems, maintaining a preset upstream pressure limit regardless of pressure peaks and fluctuating conditions.

Due to exceptional reliability and low head loss, it is ideal for relief of fire pump discharge. The 43T dependably relieves excess system pressure to sump or atmosphere, meeting all NFPA, UL, and FM requirements for fire pump service.

The 43T is also well-suited for maintaining foam concentrate discharge pressure for a balanced proportioning system.

As an option the 43T can be fitted with a valve position indicator that 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 elastomer, VRSD technology
 - Obstacle-free, uninterrupted flow path
 - High discharge capacity
 - No mechanical moving parts
- High performance
 - Fast, smooth response to pressure fluctuations
 - Very high flow efficiency
 - Approved for PN25 / 365 psi
 - Straight through Y type body
- Specifically-designed for fire protection
 - Face-to-face length standardized to ISO 5752
 FN 558-1
 - Meets the requirements of the industry standards
- Quick and easy maintenance
 - In-line serviceable
 - Fast and easy cover removal



Approvals



UL-Listed Fire Pump Relief Valves Sizes 1½"- 10"



FM Approved Water Pressure Relief Valves Sizes 1.5 - 10"



Det Norske Veritas Type Approval



ABS American Bureau of Shipping Type Approval



Lloyd's Register Type Approval

Typical Applications

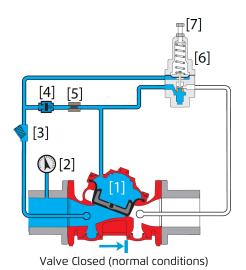
- Fire pump pressure relief
- Foam concentrate recirculation
- Centralized thermal pressure relief
- Zonal safety relief

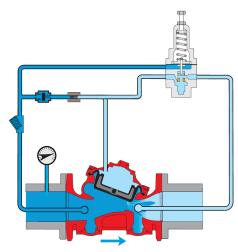
Additional Features

- Seawater compatibility
- Large control filter
- Valve position limit switches
- Corrosion resistant zinc based high build epoxy coating



Operation



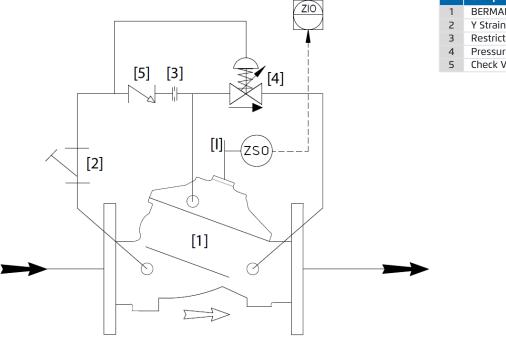


Valve Open (pressure relief)

The BERMAD Model 43T pressure control valve remains closed as long as system pressure remains lower than the preset value. The preset pressure can be adjusted by way of the pilot adjusting screw [7] When the pilot valve [6] senses upstream pressure [2] higher than the preset value it opens releasing water pressure from the main valve control chamber [1] thus causing the 43T to open and thereby relieving excess system pressure to a reservoir or sump, preventing system overpressure.

When inlet pressure falls, the pilot valve throttles, enabling pressure to accumulate in the control chamber. This causes the main valve to close further and sustain upstream pressure. An integral restrictor [5] controls the valve's closing speed. The non-return valve [4] ensures the valve remains closed when priming pressure falls.

System P&ID



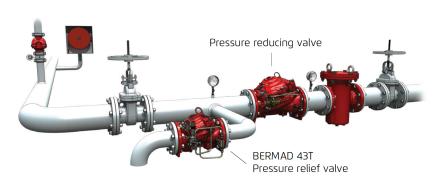
P-43T Pressure Sustaining

System Installation

A typical installation of the BERMAD model 43T features a pilot valve for the automatic and accurate maintenance of a constant preset maximum upstream pressure, regardless of fluctuating demand. The fast opening 43T reliably relieves excess system pressure to sump or atmosphere, meeting NFPA, UL, and FM requirements for fire pump service. A unique actuator design ensures quick and smooth valve action.

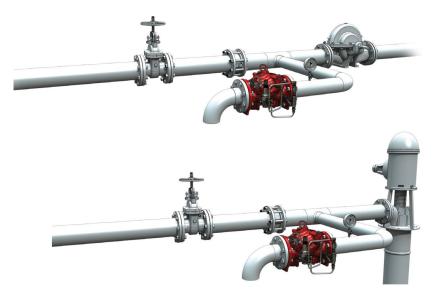
Pressure reducing systems

- The fast response of the 43T preempts pressure reducing valve reaction preventing overpressure peak damage to sensitive equipment
- Backup/redundancy for reducing valve to ensure pressure zone rating at all times
- Thermal relief: Relieves overpressure caused by changes in temperature.



Fire pump relief

- Pressure relief for individual diesel fire pumps, in accordance with the NFPA 20 guidelines
- Suitable for a vertical turbine and horizontal fire pumps



Suggested Specifications

The valve shall be UL-listed and FM-approved, 365-psi/25-bar rated, with a straight-through Ytypebody.

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

The main 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.

Removing the valve cover for full inspection and maintenance shall be in-line and not require removal of the control trim.

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

Pressure Sustaining

Technical Data

Available Sizes:

Flanged- 11/2, 2, 21/2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 & 16" Grooved- 1½, 2, 2½, 3, 4, 6, 8 & 10"

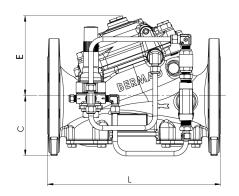
Pressure Rating:

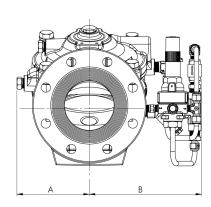
ANSI#150 - 17.2 bar | 250 psi

ANSI#300 - 1½" to 10" - 25 bar | 365 psi ANSI#300 - 12" to 16" - 20 bar | 300 psi Setting range: 4 - 25 bar | 60 - 365 psi

Elastomer:

HTNR - Fabric Reinforced High Temperature Compound - See engineering data

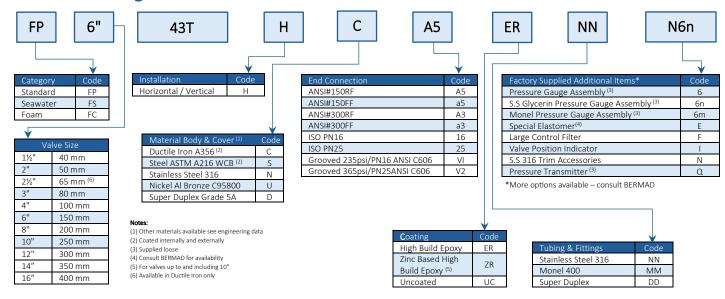




Valve Size	L #150	L Grooved	L #300	Α	В	С	øD	E	F	G	Weight #150	Weight #300
	mm in	mm in	mm in	mm in	mm in	mm in	in	mm in	mm in	mm in	kg lb	kg lb
DN40 1½"	230 9.1	230 9.1	230 9.1	77.5 3	155 6.1	64 2.5	-	120 4.7	-	-	18 40	19 45
DN50 2"	230 9.1	230 9.1	238 9.4	77.5 3	155 6.1	77 3	-	120 4.7	-	-	18 40	19 45
DN65 2½"	235 9.3	235 9.3	241 9.5	82 3.3	187 7.4	92 3.6	-	146 5.8	-	-	23 50	25 54
DN80 3"	310 12.2	310 12.2	326 12.8	100 4	251 9.9	106 4.2	-	146 5.8	-	-	34 75	38 165
DN100 4"	350 13.8	320 12.6	368 14.5	115 4.5	266 10.5	121 4.8	-	158 6.2	-	-	44 96	51 112
DN150 6"	480 18.9	480 18.9	506 19.9	140 5.5	372 14.7	140 5.5	-	228 9	-	-	87 192	107 235
DN200 8"	600 23.6	600 23.6	626 24.6	172 6.8	490 19.3	172 6.8	-	295 11.7	-	-	150 331	170 374
DN250 10"	730 28.7	730 28.7	730 28.7	204 8	490 19.3	204 8	-	296 11.7	-	-	180 397	116 255
DN300 12"	850 33.5	-	888 35	242 9.5	656 25.8	247 9.7	-	441 13.4	-	-	323 712	373 821
DN350 14"	980 38.6	-	980 38.6	242 9.5	656 25.8	272 10.7	-	441 17.4	-	-	356 784	428 942
DN400 16"	1100 43.3	-	1100 43.3	242 9.5	656 25.8	316 12.4	-	415 16.3	-	-	403 886	523 1151

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

Valve Code Designations



Pressure Relief Sizing for Pressure Reducing Valves

42T Pressure Reducing	1½"	2"	2½"	3"	4"	6"	8"	10"	12"	14"	16"
Valve Size in. (mm)	(40)	(50)	(65)	(80)	(100)	(150)	(200)	(250)	(300)	(350)	(400)
Recommended Relief valve size, in. (mm)	¾"	¾"	¾"	¾"	2"	3"	3"	4"	2 x 4"	2 x 4"	2 x 4"
	(20)	(20)	(20)	(20)	(50)	(80)	(80)	(100)	(2x100)	(2x100)	(2x100)



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