



# PRESSURE REDUCING & SUSTAINING VALVE

## Model IR-123-50-3W-XZ

The BERMAD Model IR-123-50-3W-XZ Pressure Reducing & Sustaining Control Valve with hydraulic remote control is a hydraulically operated, diaphragm actuated control valve that performs three independent functions. It sustains the preset minimum upstream pressure, reduces downstream pressure to a constant preset maximum, and it either opens or shuts in response to a remote pressure command.



- [1] BERMAD Model IR-123-50-3W-XZ opens upon pressure drop command, sustains filters back flush pressure and establishes reduced pressure zone.
- [2] Electromagnetic Flow Meter
- [3] Combination Air Valve Model IR-C10
- [4] Smart Irrigation Controller-OMEGA
- [5] Hydraulic Control Valve Model IR-105-Z
- [6] Kinetic Air Valve Model IR-K10

### Features & Benefits

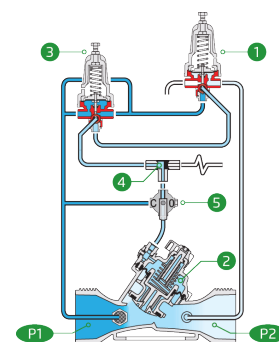
- Line Pressure Driven, Hydraulically Controlled On/Off
  - Protects downstream systems
  - Sustains upstream line pressure
  - Controls system fill-up
- Engineered Composite Valve with Industrial Grade Design
  - Adaptable on-site to a wide range of end connection
  - Articulated flange connections that eliminate line bending and hydraulic stresses
  - Highly durable, chemical and cavitation resistant
- hYflow 'Y' Valve Body with "Look Through" Design
  - Ultra-high flow capacity at low pressure loss
- Unitized "Flexible Super Travel" (FST) Diaphragm and Guided Plug
  - Accurate and stable regulation with smooth closing
  - Requires low opening and actuation pressure
  - Prevents diaphragm erosion and distortion
- Simple In-Line Inspection and Service

### Typical Applications

- Automated Irrigation Systems
- Pressure Zone Prioritizing
- Line Fill-Up Control
- Pressure Reducing Stations
- Low Supplied Pressure Irrigation Systems
- Energy Saving Irrigation Systems

### Operation:

The Pressure Reducing Pilot (PRP) [1] is hydraulically connected to the Valve Control Chamber [2] through the Pressure Sustaining Pilot (PSP) [3]. The PSP commands the valve to throttle closed should Upstream Pressure [P1] drop below setting. When [P1] rises above setting, the PSP switches and allows the PRP to control the valve, commanding it to reduce Downstream Pressure [P2]. The Shuttle Valve [4] closes upon pressure rise command, shutting the main valve. The Manual Selector [5] enables local manual closing.





## Technical Data

### Pressure Rating:

150 psi

### Operating Pressure Range:

7-150 psi

### Materials

#### Body & Cover:

Polyamide 6 & 30% GF

#### Diaphragm:

NR, Nylon fabric reinforced

#### Spring:

Stainless Steel

### Control Loop Accessories

PR Pilot: PC-SHARP-X-P

PS Pilot: PC-SHARP-X-P

#### Pilot Spring Range:

| Spring   | Spring Color   | Setting range    |
|----------|----------------|------------------|
| J        | Green          | 3-25 psi         |
| K        | Gray           | 7-43 psi         |
| <b>N</b> | <b>Natural</b> | <b>12-95 psi</b> |
| V        | Blue & White   | 15-150 psi       |

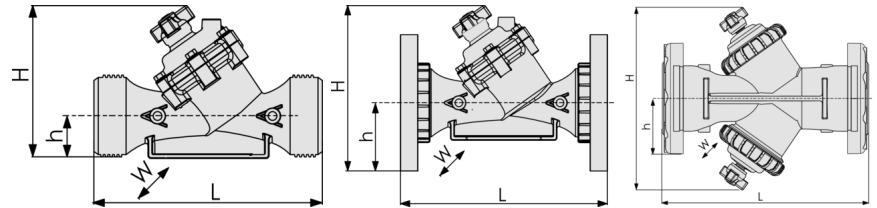
Standard spring - marked in bold

### Tubing and Fittings:

Polyethylene and Polypropylene

## Technical Specifications

For other patterns and end connection types, Please refer to [BERMAD](#) full engineering page.



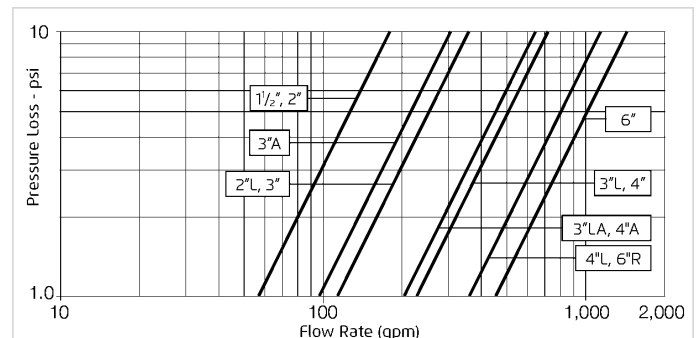
| Size          | Pattern | End Connection  | Weight (Lb) | L (in) | H (in) | h (in) | W   | CCDV (Gal) | CV  |
|---------------|---------|-----------------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|-----|------------|-----|
| 1½" ; DN40    | Oblique | Threaded        | 2.4         | 7⅞     | 6⅞     | 1⅞     | 3⅞  | 0.026      | 58  |
| 2" ; DN50     | Oblique | Threaded        | 2.7         | 9⅞     | 6⅞     | 1⅞     | 3⅞  | 0.026      | 58  |
| 2" L ; DN50L  | Oblique | Threaded        | 3           | 9⅞     | 7⅞     | 1⅞     | 5⅞  | 0.033      | 116 |
| 2½" ; DN65    | Oblique | Threaded        | 3           | 9⅞     | 7⅞     | 1⅞     | 5⅞  | 0.033      | 116 |
| 3" ; DN80     | Oblique | Threaded        | 4           | 11⅞    | 7⅞     | 2⅞     | 5⅞  | 0.033      | 116 |
| 3" ; DN80     | Oblique | Plastic Flanges | 6           | 12⅞    | 9⅞     | 4      | 7⅞  | 0.033      | 116 |
| 3" ; DN80     | Oblique | Metal Flanges   | 10          | 12⅞    | 9⅞     | 4      | 7⅞  | 0.033      | 116 |
| 3" L ; DN80L  | Oblique | Threaded        | 7           | 11⅞    | 9⅞     | 2⅞     | 6⅞  | 0.136      | 231 |
| 3" L ; DN80L  | Oblique | Plastic Flanges | 8.2         | 12⅞    | 12½    | 4      | 7⅞  | 0.136      | 231 |
| 3" L ; DN80L  | Oblique | Metal Flanges   | 10.1        | 12⅞    | 12½    | 4      | 7⅞  | 0.136      | 231 |
| 4" ; DN100    | Oblique | Plastic Flanges | 10          | 13⅞    | 13     | 4½     | 8⅞  | 0.136      | 231 |
| 4" ; DN100    | Oblique | Metal Flanges   | 16.3        | 13⅞    | 13     | 4½     | 8⅞  | 0.136      | 231 |
| 4" L ; DN100L | Oblique | Plastic Flanges | 20.2        | 17½    | 13⅞    | 4½     | 9   | 0.253      | 393 |
| 4" L ; DN100L | Oblique | Metal Flanges   | 24.7        | 17½    | 13⅞    | 4½     | 9   | 0.253      | 393 |
| 6" R ; DN150R | Oblique | Metal Flanges   | 36          | 18½    | 14⅞    | 5⅞     | 11⅞ | 0.253      | 393 |
| 6" ; DN150    | Boxer   | Grooved         | 26          | 19     | 15⅞    | 4      | 18⅞ | 2x0.136    | 462 |
| 6" ; DN150    | Boxer   | Plastic Flanges | 27.6        | 19⅞    | 15⅞    | 5⅞     | 18⅞ | 2x0.136    | 462 |

CCDV = Control Chamber Displacement Volume • **Threaded** = BSP & NPT are available. External thread is available for 2" and 2½" only. • Other End Connections are available on request. For dimensions and weights of adapters or valves with adapters please consult with customer service.

### Additional Features

| Code | Description                         | Size Range |
|------|-------------------------------------|------------|
| M    | Flow Stem (*Exclude sizes 4"L, 6"R) | 1½"-6"     |
| Z    | Manual Selector                     | 1½"-4"L    |
| V3   | Victaulic PVC Adaptors 3"           | 3"         |
| V4   | Victaulic PVC Adaptors 4"           | 4"         |

### Flow Chart



### Differential Pressure & Flow Calculation

$$\Delta P = \left( \frac{Q}{Cv} \right)^2$$

$Cv = \text{gpm @ } \Delta P \text{ of 1 psi}$   
 $Q = \text{gpm}$   
 $\Delta P = \text{psi}$