



# PRESSURE REDUCING & SUSTAINING VALVE

# Normally Closed With Hydraulic Relay Control

# Model IR-123-54-3W-X

The BERMAD Model IR-123-54-X is a hydraulically operated, diaphragm actuated control valve that sustains minimum preset upstream (back) pressure and reduces downstream pressure to a constant preset maximum. It is a Normally Closed valve, which opens in response to a remote pressure rise command and shuts in the absence of that command.





- [1] BERMAD Model IR-123-54-3W-X opens upon pressure rise 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

## Operation:

The Pressure Reducing Pilot (PRP) [1] is hydraulically connected to the Valve Control Chamber [2] through the Pressure Sustaining Pilot (PSP) [3] and the 3-Way Hydraulic Relay Valve (3W-HRV) [4] 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]. Upon a pressure drop command, the 3W-HRV switches, blocks the pilots and directs line pressure into the control chamber, shutting the

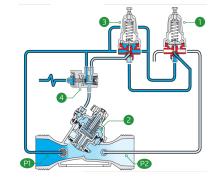
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# Features & Benefits

- Line Pressure Driven, Normally Closed
  - Closes upon command pressure failure
  - Protects downstream systems
  - Prioritizes pressure zones
  - Controls system fill-up
  - Amplifies and relays weak remote commands
- Engineered Composite Valve with Industrial Grade Design
  - Highly durable, chemical and cavitation resistant
  - No internal bolts and nuts
- 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 actuation pressure
  - Prevents diaphragm erosion and distortion
- User-Friendly Design
  - Easy flow and pressure setting
  - Simple in-line inspection and service

# Typical Applications

- Automated Irrigation Systems
- Line Fill-Up Control Solutions
- Pressure Reducing Systems
- Remote and/or Elevated Plots
- Infield Filters Backwash Pressure Sustaining
- Energy Saving Irrigation Systems





# **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		
N	Natural	12-95 psi		
V	Blue & White	15-150 psi		

Standard spring - marked in bold

# **Tubing and Fittings:**

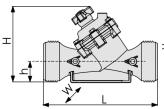
Polyethylene and Polypropylene

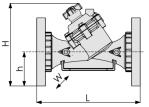
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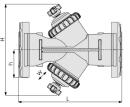
- Standard spring 0-33 ft'
- Optional 33-66 ft'

## **Technical Specifications**

For other patterns and end connection types, Please refer to <u>BERMAD</u> full engineering page.







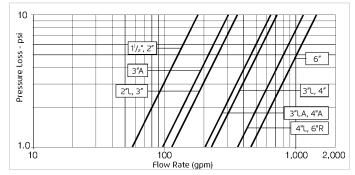
Size	Pattern	End Connection	Weight (Lb)	L (In)	H (In)	h (ln)	W	CCDV (Gal)	cv
1½" ; DN40	Oblique	Threaded	2.4	7%	6%	1%	3%	0.026	58
2" ; DN50	Oblique	Threaded	2.7	9%	6%	15/8	3%	0.026	58
2"L; DN50L	Oblique	Threaded	3	91/8	73/8	1¾	5%	0.033	116
2½"; DN65	Oblique	Threaded	3	9%	7%	1¾	5%	0.033	116
3" ; DN80	Oblique	Threaded	4	11¾	7%	21/4	5%	0.033	116
3" ; DN80	Oblique	Plastic Flanges	6	121/8	9%	4	7%	0.033	116
3" ; DN80	Oblique	Metal Flanges	10	121/8	9%	4	7%	0.033	116
3"L; DN80L	Oblique	Threaded	7	11¾	9%	2%	6%	0.136	231
3"L; DN80L	Oblique	Plastic Flanges	8.2	121/8	121/2	4	7%	0.136	231
3"L; DN80L	Oblique	Metal Flanges	10.1	121/8	121/2	4	7%	0.136	231
4" ; DN100	Oblique	Plastic Flanges	10	13%	13	41/2	8%	0.136	231
4" ; DN100	Oblique	Metal Flanges	16.3	13%	13	41/2	8%	0.136	231
4"L; DN100L	Oblique	Plastic Flanges	20.2	171/2	13%	41/2	9	0.253	393
4"L; DN100L	Oblique	Metal Flanges	24.7	171/2	13%	41/2	9	0.253	393
6"R; DN150R	Oblique	Metal Flanges	36	181/2	14%	5%	11%	0.253	393
6" ; DN150	Boxer	Grooved	26	19	151/4	4	18¾	2x0.136	462
6" ; DN150	Boxer	Plastic Flanges	27.6	19%	151/4	5%	18¾	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
М	Flow Stem (*Exclude sizes 4"L, 6"R)	1½"-6"
5	Plastic Test Point	11/2"-4"
Z	Manual Selector	1½"-4"L
V3	Victaulic PVC Adaptors 3"	3"
V4	Victaulic PVC Adaptors 4"	4"

#### Flow Chart



# **Differential Pressure & Flow Calculation**

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



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