PRESSURE REDUCING & SUSTAINING VALVE

Model IR-423-3W-KXZ

The BERMAD Model IR-423-3W-KXZ is a hydraulically operated, diaphragm actuated control valve that sustains minimum preset upstream (back) pressure and reduces downstream pressure to a constant preset maximum.

[1] BERMAD Model IR-423-3W-KXZ sustains supply system pressure thereby preventing emptying, controls laterals and distribution line fill-up, and reduces their operating pressure.
[2] Kinetic Air Valve Model IR-K10
[3] Combination Air Valve Model IR-C10

Features & Benefits

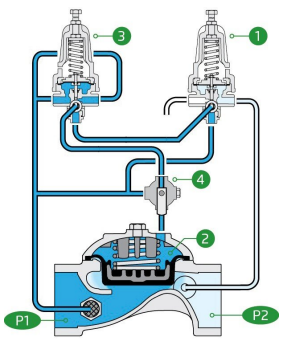
- Line Pressure Driven, Hydraulically Controlled
  - Protects downstream systems
  - Prioritizes pressure zones
  - Controls system fill-up
- Advanced Hydro-Efficient Globe Design
  - Unobstructed flow path
  - Single moving part
  - High flow capacity
- Fully Supported & Balanced Diaphragm
  - Requires low actuation pressure
  - Excellent low flow regulation performances
  - Progressively restrains valve closing
  - Prevents diaphragm distortion
- User-Friendly Design
  - Easy pressure setting
  - Simple in-line inspection and service
  - Easy addition of control features

Typical Applications

- Line Fill-Up Control Solutions
- Line Emptying Prevention
- Pressure Reducing Systems
- Infield Filters Backwash Pressure Sustaining

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 Manual Selector [4] enables local manual closing.



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Technical Data

Pressure Rating:
150 psi

Operating Pressure Range:
7-150 psi

Materials

Body & Cover:
Cast Iron

Diaphragm:
NR, Nylon fabric reinforced

Spring:
Stainless Steel

**Other materials are available on request*

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

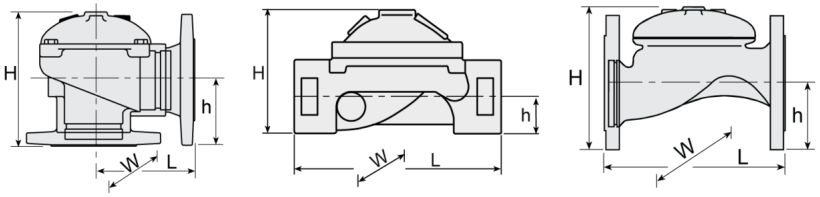
Standard spring - marked in bold

Tubing and Fittings:
Polyethylene and Polypropylene

**For other pilots please consult BERMAD*

Technical Specifications

For other end connection types,
Please refer to BERMAD full engineering page.



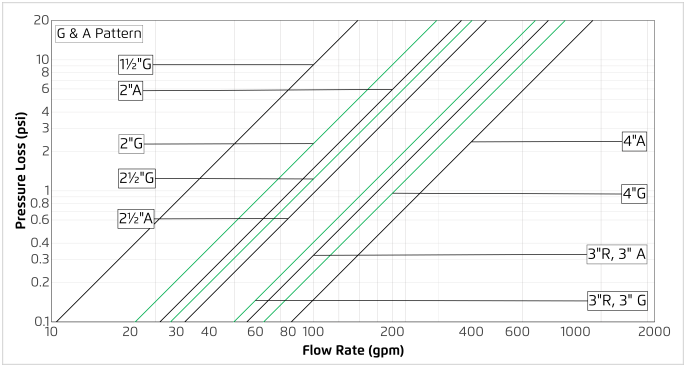
Size	Pattern	End Connection	Weight (Lb)	L (In)	H (In)	h (In)	W	CCDV (Gal)	CV
1" ; DN25	Globe	Threaded	2.4	4⅜	2¾	1⅜	2⅞	0.005	15
1½" ; DN40	Globe	Threaded	4.4	6⅛	3⅜	1¼	3⅞	0.016	33
2" ; DN50	Globe	Threaded	8.8	7⅛	4½	1½	4¾	0.03	66
2" ; DN50	Globe	Flanged	19.8	8⅛	6⅛	3⅛	6⅛	0.03	66
2" ; DN50	Globe	Grooved	11	8⅛	4¼	1¼	4¾	0.03	66
2" ; DN50	Angle	Threaded	9.7	3½	5⅜	2½	4¾	0.03	82
2" ; DN50	Angle	Flanged	19.8	4¾	7⅞	3⅜	6⅛	0.03	82
2½" ; DN65	Globe	Threaded	12.6	8⅜	5¼	1⅞	5⅛	0.05	90
2½" ; DN65	Globe	Flanged	23.1	8⅛	7	3½	7	0.05	90
2½" ; DN65	Angle	Threaded	12.8	4⅜	7⅛	3¾	5¼	0.05	102
3R"- ; DN80R	Globe	Threaded	12.9	8⅜	5½	2⅛	5⅛	0.08	157
3R"- ; DN80R	Globe	Flanged	28	8⅜	7⅞	4	7⅞	0.08	157
3R"- ; DN80R	Angle	Threaded	15.4	4⅜	7	3⅝	5¼	0.08	176
3" ; DN80	Globe	Threaded	28.7	10⅛	6½	2¼	6¾	0.08	157
3" ; DN80	Globe	Flanged	41.9	9⅞	8¼	4	7⅞	0.08	157
3" ; DN80	Globe	Grooved	23.4	9⅞	6⅛	1⅞	6¾	0.08	157
3" ; DN80	Angle	Threaded	24.3	4⅜	7¼	3¼	6¾	0.08	176
3" ; DN80	Angle	Flanged	37.5	6⅛	8⅛	4	7⅞	0.08	176
3" ; DN80	Angle	Grooved	22.1	4¾	11	3⅝	6¾	0.08	176
4" ; DN100	Globe	Flanged	61.7	12⅝	9⅝	4½	8⅞	0.18	236
4" ; DN100	Globe	Grooved	35.7	12⅝	7⅝	2½	8	0.18	236
4" ; DN100	Angle	Flanged	57.3	6⅜	8¾	4½	8⅞	0.18	260
4" ; DN100	Angle	Grooved	35.3	6⅜	8¾	4½	8⅞	0.18	260

CCDV = Control Chamber Displacement Volume • **Threaded** = BSP & NPT are available.

Additional Features

Code	Description	Size Range
I	Position Indicator Assembly	1½"-4"
M	Flow Stem	1½"-4"
5	Plastic Test Point	1½"-4"

Flow Chart



Differential Pressure & Flow Calculation

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

Cv = gpm @ ΔP of 1 psi
Q = gpm
ΔP = psi