

COMBINATION AIR VALVE

Glass Reinforced Nylon, PN16 / 230 PSI

Model C30-P

BERMAD C30 is a high quality combination air valve for a variety of water networks and operating conditions. It evacuates air during pipeline filling, allows efficient release of air pockets from pressurized pipes, and enables large volume air intake in the event of network draining.

With its advanced aerodynamic design, double orifice and Surge Protection device (optional), this valve provides excellent protection against air accumulation and prevents vacuum formation, with improved sealing in low pressure conditions.

Features & Benefits

- Straight flow body with nominal (equal) inlet and outlet size: Higher than usual flow rates.
- Dynamic Sealing: Prevents leakage under low pressure conditions (1.5 psi; 0.1 bar).
- Threaded Side outlet (2"; DN50) for connection of Surge Protection (SP) or Inflow prevention (IP) devices.
- Compact and simple structure with fully corrosion resistant internal parts: Lower maintenance and increased life span.
- Certified to functional standards: WRAS (UK), EN-1074-4 (Europe), SAI AS4956 (Australia), Singapore.
- Certified to drinking water standards: NSF/ANSI/CAN 61 and NSF/ANSI 372 (USA).
- Factory approval and Quality Control: Performance and specification tested and measured with specialized test bench, including vacuum pressure conditions.

Typical Applications

- Pipelines: Protection against air accumulation and vacuum formation at elevations, slope change points and road / river crossings.
- Water networks: Protection against air accumulation and vacuum formation.
- In proximity to control valves and water meters: Prevention of inaccurate pressure regulation and biased readings due to air existence in these devices.

Additional Features & Accessories

- Surge Protection (code SP): the kinetic orifice is partially closed during the second stage of the air relief, preventing damage to the air valve and the system.
- Assisted Closing (code AC): the kinetic orifice is set to be partially closed during air relief.
- Inflow Prevention (code IP): prevents intake of atmospheric air, when this could lead to damaged pumps, required re-priming, or disruption of siphons; prevents intake of flood water or contaminated water into potable water networks.
- Service Ports (code P) fitted with 1/8"; DN3 or 1/4"; DN6 plug for pressure gauge connection, check point or test drain for air valve function.
- Female threaded (code 077, 017) 3/4"; DN20 outlet, only for inlet sizes 3/4"-1"; DN20-25.
- 90 degrees elbow: Snapped to the outlet, for 3/4"; DN20 connection to drainage pipeline, only for inlet sizes 3/4"-1"; DN20-25.
- Extension with downwards outlet, only for inlet sizes 2-3"; DN50-80.



C30-P Threaded 1"; DN25



C30-P Threaded 2"; DN50



C30-P Flanged 2"-3"; DN50-80



Inlet and Outlet Connections

- Inlets: Male threaded ¾-2"; DN20-50, flanged 2-3"; DN50-80
- Outlets:
 - Inlet connections ¾-1"; DN20-25: Sideway, not threaded.
 - Inlet connections 2-3"; DN50-80: Sideway, Female threaded 2"; DN50

Materials

- Body: Glass-Reinforced Nylon
- Float: Polypropylene, Glass-reinforced Nylon
- Elastomers: EPDM. Optional - Viton, only for inlet sizes 2-3"; DN50-80

Operational Data

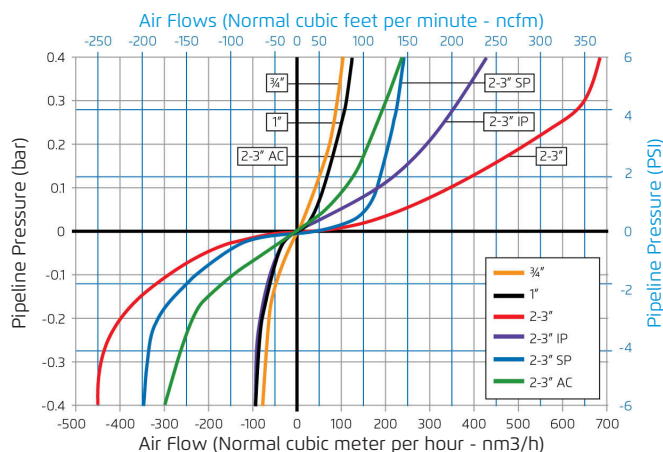
- Pressure Rating: 230 psi
- Minimum operating pressure: 1.5 psi
- Maximum operating pressure: 230 psi
- Media and operating temperature: Water, 33-140°F

Orifice Specifications

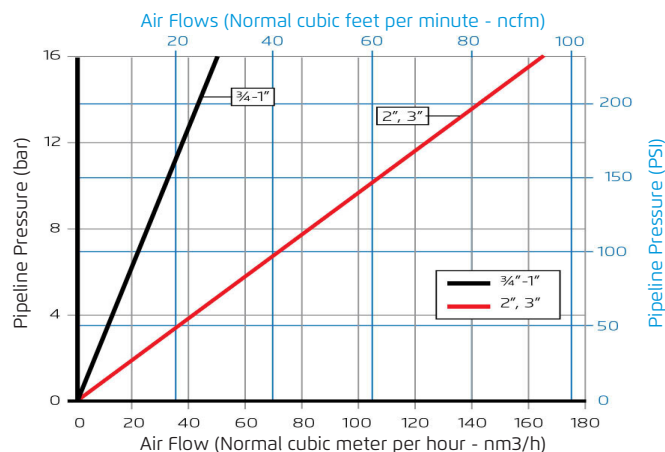
Inlet Sizes	Automatic Orifice	Kinetic Orifice		Surge Protection / Assisted Closing		
	Area	Diameter	Area	Number of holes	Hole Diameter	Total Area
Inch; mm	Sq inch	inch	Sq inch	--	inch	Sq inch
¾"-1", DN20-25	0.008	0.795	0.497	---	---	---
2"-3", DN50-80	0.019	1.772	2.465	4	0.157	0.078

Air Flow Performance Charts

Air Relief and Intake (Pipeline Filling, Draining and Vacuum Conditions)



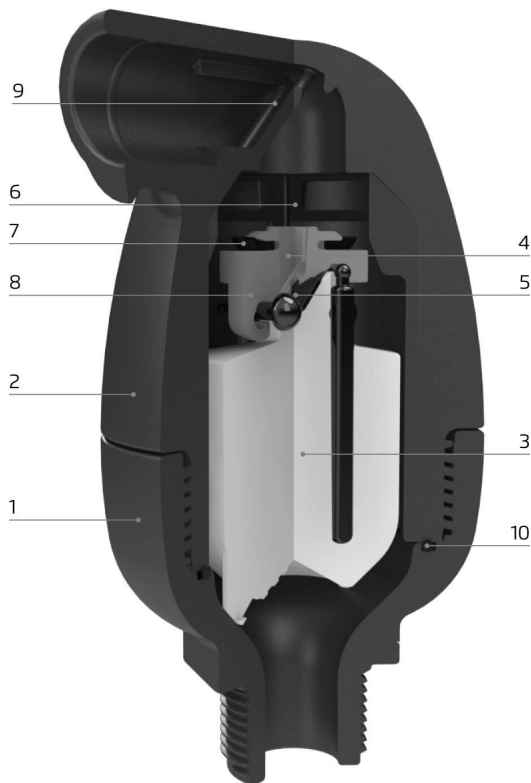
Air Release (Pressurized Operation)



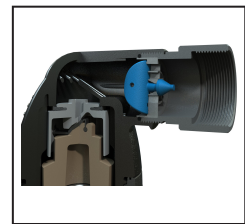
- For higher automatic air release capacity, Please consult with BERMAD.
- Air relief and intake charts are based on actual measurements, measured in Bermad Air Flow test bench, according to EN-1074/4 and AS4883 standard and refer to side outlet. Use Bermad Air software for optimized Sizing & Positioning of Air Valves.



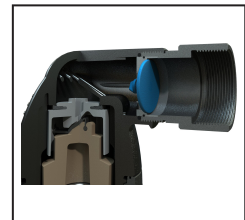
Cutaway - 3/4"-1"; DN20-25



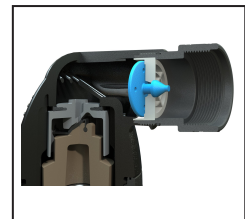
- [1] Base
- [2] Body
- [3] Float
- [4] Auto Orifice
- [5] Auto Orifice Seal
- [6] Kinetic Orifice
- [7] Kinetic Orifice Seal
- [8] Kinetic Plug
- [9] Insect Screen
- [10] O-Ring



Surge Protection
(code SP), only for
inlet sizes 2-3";
DN50-80



Inflow Prevention
(code IP), only for
inlet sizes 2-3";
DN50-80

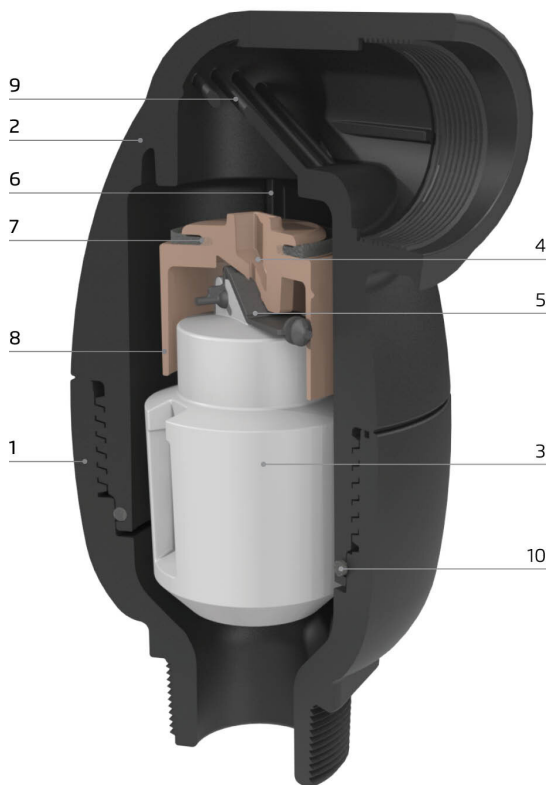


Assisted Closing
(code AC), only for
inlet sizes 2-3";
DN50-80



Extension with
downwards outlet,
only for inlet sizes
2-3"; DN50-80

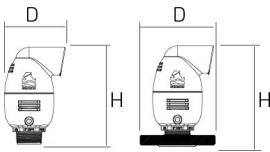
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Dimensions & Weights

										
		Threaded Connection 3/4"-1"; DN20-25			Threaded Connection 2"; DN50			Flanged Connection 2"-3"; DN50-80		
Inlet Sizes	Connection	Width (D)	Height (H)	Weight	Width (D)	Height (H)	Weight	Width (D)	Height (H)	Weight
in; mm		in	in	lbs	in	in	lbs	in	in	lbs
3/4"-1"; DN20-25	Threaded	3.8	6.3	1.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
2"; DN50	Threaded	---	---	---	5.6	9.4	3.3	---	---	---
2"; DN50	Flanged	---	---	---	---	---	---	6.5	9.4	4.3
3"; DN80	Flanged	---	---	---	---	---	---	7.9	10.0	6.8