Directional Control Valves
Hand, Foot and Solenoid
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NOPAK DIRECTIONAL CONTROL VALVES

NOPAK Directional Control Valves are noted throughout industry for their simplicity of design, rugged construction, long-lived, trouble-free service, and low maintenance. The original NOPAK Valve design, with its patented, rotating lapped disc, has been augmented with other designs until today the NOPAK line includes valves for control of fluid power under practically all operating conditions.

In specifying NOPAK Valves, operating requirements are the most important consideration. Such factors as unusual working conditions (heat, cold or moisture), the operating medium to be used (air, oil or water), line pressure and capacity, type of control (hand, foot, solenoid or pilot valve) – all must be considered in choosing the particular NOPAK Valve best suited for the application.
FEATUReS AND BENEFITS

NOPAK Disc-Type Valves have a well-earned reputation of being “practically indestructible.” They have established an enviable record for efficient, trouble-free operation, freedom from leakage and pressure loss, and long service life under extremely rugged operating conditions. These benefits are a direct result of the simplicity and ruggedness of the basic NOPAK Rotating Disc design. The flat, lapped disc, rotating at right angles to the stream flow, results in the following advantages:

PRECISION CONTROL
Positive precision control through the complete cycle of valve operation, from slow gradual throttling action to instant full opening, without damaging shock, impact or pressure cutting.

SEALING SURFACES IMPROVE WITH USE
The precision-lapped sealing surfaces of disc and seat actually improve with use because the “lapping-in” process continues while the valve is operated. The flat disc and seat have no interlocking contours; therefore, they cannot stick and always remain free for easy operation.

PROTECTED AGAINST GRIT, ABRASION OR WIRE DRAWING
The valve seat is always covered by the rotating disc so that both sealing surfaces are always shielded from direct pressure flow and possible abrasion caused by grit, scale or other foreign matter usually present in air or hydraulic lines. An internal channel in the disc carries off such abrasive materials without damage to the sealing surfaces.

PRESSURE SEALING
Line pressure is exerted against the valve disc at all times to keep the lapped surfaces of disc and seat positively sealed.

PACKLESS CONSTRUCTION
NOPAK Valves depend entirely upon metal-to-metal, precision-lapped sealing surfaces for their leakproof construction. When used for hydraulic service (oil or water), additional protection against leakage past the valve stem has been provided by the use of an O-ring in the valve body and around the stem, just below the operating handle.

ORDERING CODE EXAMPLE - HAND VALVES

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Option: Omit if not required. See OPTIONS chart.

NPT Port Size: 2 = 1/4”  8 = 1”
3 = 3/8”  10 = 1-1/4”
4 = 1/2”  12 = 1-1/2”
6 = 3/4”  16 = 2”

Service: A = Air, O = Oil, W = Water
2 = 2-Way (Shutoff Valve), 3 = 3-Way, 4 = 4-Way
H = Hand Valve, DH = Dual Hand Valve

ORDERING CODE EXAMPLE - HAND VALVES, PANEL MOUNT

One size available: 1/4” NPT. See page 148.

**250 PM EN**

Option: Omit if not required. See Options chart.

Ordering code for standard detented 3-Position 4-Way Closed Center Valve

ORDERING CODE EXAMPLE - FOOT VALVES

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Service: A = Air, O = Oil

Model Number: R, F, RN

Foot-Operated

NPT Port Size: 2 = 1/4”  6 = 3/4”
3 = 3/8”  8 = 1”
4 = 1/2”

Code Description
EN Exhaust In Neutral
SRN Spring Return To Neutral
ST Short Throw
STR Short Throw & Spring Return
STNS Short Throw No Spring
ENR Exhaust In Neutral & Spring Return Neutral
B Bleeder/Bleed Off
OC Open Center
CC Closed Center
4-WAY, 3-POSITION AIR AND HYDRAULIC VALVES

The standard 4-way valve has two cycles of operation and is generally used to actuate double-acting cylinders. The construction and materials are identical to the 3-way valve. Both 3- and 4-way hand-operated air valves, 3/4” pipe size and larger, are fitted with grease cups to lubricate lapped surfaces.

4-Way, 2-Position, Short Throw
This valve has no neutral and is available with a total lever throw of 45° in the 1/4”, 3/8”, 1/2”, 3/4” and 1” pipe sizes. It is available with a total lever throw of 60° in the 1-1/4”, 1-1/2” and 2” pipe sizes. It is dimensionally identical with the standard 4-way valve and identified by “2/P” stamped on the spindle end.

4-WAY SPRING RETURN TO NEUTRAL VALVES

Having the same basic construction and cycles of operation as the 4-way valves above, this valve is available in 1/4” through 1” pipe size for air, water and oil service at line pressures up to 100 PSI. Moving the lever to either extreme position pressurizes either cylinder port. A torsion spring located under the operating lever returns the lever to the neutral position when released. It is also available in the 2-position short throw valve.

3-WAY AIR AND HYDRAULIC VALVES

The 3-way valve has two lever positions, pressure and exhaust, and is used to actuate single-acting cylinders.

The body and cap are made of semi-steel, the disc of hard bronze. This construction provides the best friction coefficient for air service and ensures easy operating and long wearing qualities.

These same materials are used for oil hydraulic service along with an O-ring in the body for extra precaution against stem leakage. For Water Service the valve body is constructed of cast bronze, uses a bronze spindle, a Nye-Koted cap, and the stem is equipped with an O-ring.

A 3-way, 3-position valve with a hold position can be had by using a standard 4-way valve and plugging one cylinder port.
“FOUNDRY TOUGH” HAND VALVES – DISC TYPE

DATA AND DIMENSIONS

4-WAY VALVE, 250 PSI MAX. PRESSURE

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NOTE: 1-1/4" and 1-1/2" valves have 3 mounting lugs on cap.

DATA AND DIMENSIONS

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• = This valve is the 4-way of the same pipe size described in the table at the top of this page, with one cylinder port plugged.
**NOPAK PANEL MOUNTED VALVE**

The NOPAK Panel Mounted Valve, Model 250 PM, incorporates the same basic patented construction and sealing features of the reliable and rugged NOPAK Hand- and Foot-Operated Valves, so well known throughout the industry for many years. The rotating lapped disc feature gives you precision control, sealing surfaces that improve with use, protection against grit, abrasion and wire drawing, pressure sealing, and packless construction.

The NOPAK Panel Mounted Valve is suitable for air and oil pressures to 250 PSI, and is presently offered in the 1/4” pipe size only. All-position detents are standard. An exhaust in neutral cycle is also available. The valve can also be furnished as 2-position short throw, which also includes detents as standard.

Panel mounting of the valve itself is easily accomplished by inserting the hand lever and pilot hub section through the panel and securing the valve by three cap screws. An optional detachable foot mounting plate is also available where panel mounting is not required or desired, NOPAK P/N 1097 NP.

**NOPAK DUAL 4-WAY HAND VALVE**

This valve is the equivalent of two 4-way valves in one; it makes it possible to control the action of two double-acting cylinders with a single operating lever. Available in 1/2” size only.
“FOUNDERY TOUGH” HAND VALVES – DISC TYPE

DATA AND DIMENSIONS

DUAL 4-WAY VALVE, 250 PSI MAX. PRESSURE

| MODEL NUMBER | PIPE SIZE | A   | B   | C   | D   | E   | F   | G   | H   | K   | L   | M   | N   | P   | R   | S   | T   | U   | V   | W   | X   |
|--------------|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| HD4( ) 4     | 1/2       | 4   | 2-1/4| 2   | 7/8 | 2-9/16| 3-7/16| 5-3/8| 6   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |

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NOPAK Foot-Operated Valves incorporate all the features found in the NOPAK Hand-Operated models, including the lapped disc type design with the packless spindle construction.

In addition to the standard valves for air service, NOPAK Foot-Operated Valves are available for oil service at additional cost.

**MODEL R**

**MODEL R VALVE** has an oscillating disc with no neutral position. The valve spindle is pinned to the foot pedal. When pedal is up, the line pressure is always on Port No. 1 with Port No. 2 open to exhaust. When pedal is depressed 30°, cycle reverses, that is, line pressure is on Port No. 2 and Port No. 1 is open to exhaust. When pedal is released, the torque spring returns pedal to original position with pressure again on Port No. 1.

This valve can be used as a 3-way valve, for a single-acting cylinder, by inserting a pipe plug in one cylinder port. It can also be used as a spring-return shut-off valve, as follows: (a) Normally Closed by plugging Port No. 1 and exhaust; (b) Normally Open by plugging Port No. 2 and exhaust; (c) Bleeder arrangement for (a) or (b) is obtained by omitting plug in exhaust port.

**MODEL F**

**MODEL F VALVE** utilizes a pawl driven ratchet for rotation of the disc which has no neutral position.

The valve spindle is pinned to the ratchet. Let us assume that line pressure is on Port No. 1. Then, when foot pedal is depressed, the pawl, attached thereto, engages the ratchet and rotates it 30°, thereby reversing the valve cycle. When pedal is released, the torque spring returns pedal, but position of ratchet does not change. A second depression of pedal rotates ratchet a further 30°, again putting line pressure on Port No. 1. This model is particularly suited to applications in which the operator is required to leave the valve after depressing the foot pedal. This valve can also be used as a 3-way or shut-off valve, as described under Model R.

**MODEL RN**

**MODEL RN VALVE** Double-Pedal, Foot-Operated, has a “NEUTRAL” or “SHUT-OFF” position in which both cylinder ports and exhaust ports are closed to pressure. It can be employed as an inching valve, its neutral holding position permitting an air cylinder to be positioned and held at any point along the full length of its stroke. This valve can also be furnished with cylinder ports open to exhaust in neutral position.

MODEL RN can also be furnished without spring-return to neutral, for either or both pedals. When spring-return is eliminated, the respective foot pedal rests in the “ON” position, holding the cylinder under pressure until operator steps on opposite pedal.
### DATA AND DIMENSIONS

#### MODEL R VALVE, 125* PSI MAX. PRESSURE

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* Model R maximum pressure is limited by the returning power of the foot lever spring.

1/4", 3/8" and 1/2" are available with foot pedal guard. Consult factory for additional information.

#### MODEL F VALVE, 250 PSI MAX. PRESSURE

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* This maximum pressure is limited by the returning power of the foot lever spring. Suitable for 250 PSI if returned by foot, not spring.
NOPAK FLOTROL VALVES – AVAILABLE IN TWO BODY STYLES, FIVE PIPE SIZES

Features of the NOPAK Flotrol include full pipe area through the valve and a compact design that holds space requirements to a minimum and easy installation in the line. Valves are constructed of rust and corrosion resistant materials throughout and are adaptable to most industrial fluids.

Flotrol valves are available in two body styles that offer a total of five different pipe sizes ranging from 1/4" to 1" NPT. They are designed to handle pressures up to 2000 PSI in the 1/4", 3/8" and 1/2" sizes and to 300 PSI in the 3/4" and 1" sizes.

Bodies of the 1/4", 3/8" and 1/2" pipe sizes are machined from solid hexagon bronze bar stock. An aluminum body and bronze interior construction is used for the 3/4" and 1" models.

Control of the amount of flow going through the 1/4", 3/8" and 1/2" model Flotrols is regulated by a combination stainless steel needle valve and floating piston and spring assemblies. Flow through the 3/4" and 1" valves is adjusted by rotating a center floating sleeve – the sleeve acting as a union in the piping. Only 180° rotation is required from closed to full open.

PARTS LIST – NOPAK DISC VALVES

HANI / FOOT / SPECIAL PURPOSE MODELS
1. Valve body
2. Valve cap
3. Valve disc
4. Valve spindle
5. Disc spring
6. Lever (hand, foot, operating) complete
7. Body O-ring (hydraulic use only)
8. Spindle O-ring (hydraulic use only) – 3" size and up
9. Cap screws (not shown)

SPRING RETURN MODELS
10. Return spring
11. Washer
12. Spring stop
13. Pin

REPLACEMENT PARTS – NOPAK DISC VALVES

When ordering replacement parts, please give the following information: Name of Part, Part Number, Dash No. (Pipe Size of valve), Type of Valve (full description: Manifold Valve, Spring Return Valve), and if possible, the Purchase Order Number on which the original valve was purchased. The valve body and valve disc should be replaced as a unit.
CUBIC FEET PER MINUTE OF FREE AIR

PRESSURE DROP IN PSI (ΔP)

\[ P_s = 100 \text{ PSIG} \]

For other values of \( P_s \)

\[ \frac{100}{P_s} (\Delta P_{100}) = \Delta P_s \]
SERIES 310, 320, 410 & 420
HIGH SPEED, HIGH VOLUME NOPAK-MATIC SINGLE AND DOUBLE SOLENOID VALVES

FEATURES AND BENEFITS

“FLOW-DIRECTOR” PILOT HEAD – Simplifies piping and makes desired valve operation simple by piping to the proper port.

INTERCHANGEABLE PILOT HEADS – Any pilot head fits any valve, regardless of type or size.

SOLENOIDS – Low amperage, continuously rated industrial type with hardened plunger faces.

REPLACEABLE, SELF-CLEANING SEATS – Fast and inexpensive replacement of all seats. Poppets do not seat on valve body.

POSITIVE SEALING – Resilient, bonded poppet seals ensure leakproof operation and long life.

RAPID RESPONSE – Valve shifts in less than .05 of a second.

FULL FLOW – All passages oversized for minimum pressure drop through the valve (up to 1”).

NO SPRINGS – Piston-poppets shift with air pressure.

LIGHT WEIGHT, COMPACT – Aluminum used extensively for smaller overall dimensions. Every model has a clean, neat appearance that complements modern machine design. Base mounting is provided, but light weight of valves permits in-line mounting of largest valve.

CORROSION RESISTANT – All materials corrosion resistant.

PART INTERCHANGEABILITY – Design allows maximum part interchangeability from one valve to another and perfect “non-selected” fit of factory shipped maintenance parts.

SIMPLIFIED PIPING – Exclusive “Flow-Director” allows piping with fewer fittings...makes fewer valves adaptable to more applications. See page 157.

MANIFOLD MOUNTING – Multiple valves of the various series or sizes can be mounted on a common manifold requiring only one inlet and exhaust.

ADDITIONAL FEATURES

• Subplate mounted
• Splash- and dust-proof solenoid covers
• Manual solenoid pushbuttons
• Covers chained to valve
• Solenoid inoperative with covers removed
SERIES 310PP & 410PP
COMPACT, RELIABLE NOPAK-MATIC SINGLE SOLENOID VALVES

FEATURES AND BENEFITS

ALL PURPOSE - Developed especially as a compact, rugged, economically priced valve to solve the most demanding solenoid pilot operated air valve applications.

FOR ALL ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS AND APPLICATIONS - Simple pilot head operator is tolerant to dry, unlubricated air and dusty atmospheric conditions. Ideal for heavy-duty batching plant, construction, excavation and foundry applications.

FAST ACTION - Produces instantaneous valve response, even after long periods of solenoid energization or de-energization.

MANUAL OVERRIDE - Solenoid pilot available with manual override.

Single Unit - One pilot head fits all pipe size standard NOPAK-Matic master valves.

LOW WATTAGE - Efficient solenoid pilot rated at 10 operating watts in closed position.

EXPLOSION PROOF - As well as specially impregnated solenoid coils are available for hazardous, wet or high temperature environments.

FAST MAINTENANCE - Complete valve assembly can be replaced in less than 2 minutes, without disturbing piping.

REPLACEABLE, SELF-CLEANING SEATS - Fast and inexpensive to replace. Only two seat sizes required to fit all valves and are completely interchangeable within the valve or with other valves.

This valve is available with operating pressures to 125 PSI air in the 310PP and 410PP single-solenoid series only. In the case of the 4-way, when the solenoid is energized, pressure is admitted to one cylinder port, the opposite cylinder port being open to exhaust. When the solenoid is de-energized, the cycle is reversed.

Seats Replaceable Without Disturbing Plumbing.

HOW TO ORDER

WHEN ORDERING VALVES WITHOUT A SOLENOID, BE SURE TO SPECIFY: (1) Model Number and (2) Pipe Size. Unless otherwise specified, all valves shipped are for standard air service. If the “make-up bleed” feature is required, it must be ordered as such.

WHEN ORDERING VALVES WITH SOLENOID, BE SURE TO SPECIFY: (1) Model Number, (2) Pipe Size and (3) Voltage and Cycle. Unless otherwise specified, all valves are shipped for standard air service, with 115V/60 solenoids.

WHEN ORDERING VALVES FOR LOW PRESSURE (BELOW 15 PSI) OR VACUUM OPERATION, BE SURE TO SPECIFY: Remote pilot supply and add suffix “M2” to the model number.

WHEN ORDERING PARTS, BE SURE TO SPECIFY: (1) Model Number, (2) Pipe Size, (3) Item Number, (4) Part Name, (5) Part Number and (6) Voltage and Cycle.
## USE 3-WAY NOPAK-MATIC VALVES:

- To control single-acting (spring-return) cylinders.
- To control double-acting cylinders:
  - Piping one 3-way valve at each end of the cylinder provides both quick exhaust and immediate pressure supply for extremely fast cylinder operation.
  - On long-stroke cylinders, using two 3-way valves eliminates filling and exhausting long lengths of pipe, thus reducing air consumption and increasing cylinder speed.
- To provide two pressure operation of a double-acting cylinder. Regulated pressure is directed to one end of cylinder through a 3-way valve, and line pressure to the other end of cylinder through the other 3-way valve.
- To provide directional control. Pressure can be piped to the outlet port and flow directed to either Port “A” or Port “B”.

### USE 4-WAY NOPAK-MATIC VALVES:

- To obtain reciprocating action of double-acting cylinders.
- To operate long-stroke double-acting cylinders when maximum speed is not of prime importance.
- To obtain fast action and quick reversal of short-stroke cylinders.
- To provide control of low pressure and vacuum operation. Valve is modified by the addition of spring-loaded piston-poppet valve seat assemblies and may require remote pilot supply. (Also applicable to 3-Ways.) See Engineering Section.
- To control fluids other than air. In this case, fluid is piped into the valve body and pilot air pressure is brought to the pilot head from a remote source. See Engineering Section.

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### IN-LINE (ON-THE-JOB) MAINTENANCE

“In-line” maintenance is accomplished with small loss of production time. A NOPAK-Matic valve can be completely serviced in the line in less than fifteen minutes. The cover plates of the valve body, when removed, give immediate access to the piston-poppets and inserted valve seats. These parts are removable as complete assemblies. It is only a matter of minutes to completely replace all moving parts in the main valve. Damage to valve seats machined in the body can never be the cause of a NOPAK-Matic valve malfunctioning, for all valve seats are inserts and completely interchangeable.

### SUBPLATE MOUNTING

NOPAK-Matic makes use of subplate mounting of all valves. A complete valve assembly can be replaced in less than two minutes simply by loosening the four mounting screws that hold the valve body assembly to the subplate. Piping need never be disturbed.

Similarly, pilot heads are quickly replaceable as a unit simply by removing the four screws attaching it to the valve body.

Precision machining of all parts and maximum interchange of parts between valves of different types and sizes allow complete service of more than one hundred valve combinations with less than twenty-five individual parts. No waiting for special parts is required to get back in operation when you use NOPAK-Matic. A very small stock of parts is required for complete service of all sizes or types of NOPAK-Matic valves.
THE FLOW-DIRECTOR

The Flow-Director®, exclusive with NOPAK-Matic™, gives you the choice of a Normally Closed or Normally Open 3-way valve, without time consuming and complicated reassembly of basic parts, and precludes the expense of buying special valves for each cycle. Also, in 4-way valves, crisscross piping can be eliminated.

The Flow-Director, using two manually set pilot screws, permits line pressure to be directed from the optional supply port to the pilot head.

4-WAY SERIES 410 OR 420 SOLENOID VALVES
Unless otherwise specified, all 4-way valves are assembled for pressure supply to Port “A” and pilot screws set as in Fig. 1. If line pressure supplied to Port “B” should result in more convenient piping, reverse position of pilot screws (see Fig. 2) as follows:

BACK OUT THE PILOT SCREW ABOVE PORT “B” 6 COMPLETE TURNS, counter-clockwise. Then turn in clockwise, the opposite pilot screw, (above Port “A”), until it solidly bottoms. Then FORCE IN 1/2 TURN MORE, to ensure tight seating.

3-WAY SERIES 310 OR 320 SOLENOID VALVES
Unless otherwise specified, all 3-way valves are assembled for NORMALLY CLOSED operation, with pilot screws set as in Fig. 1: supply to Port “A”; CYL. Port(s) closed to pressure and connected to Port “B” exhaust. For NORMALLY OPEN operation, reverse setting of pilot screws as shown in Fig. 2 and connect pressure supply to Port “B”.

PILOT HEAD FILTER SCREEN
All NOPAK-Matic pilot heads are equipped with a filter screen (see cross section above) to protect the pilot head seals. If screen collects an excessive amount of foreign matter, valve action may be slower than normal. If this occurs, remove and clean screen.

3-WAY NORMALLY OPEN OR NORMALLY CLOSED
Piping supply to Port “A” provides Normally Closed operation; supply to Port “B” provides Normally Open operation. Rotating the pilot head 180° (PP Models) or closing one Flow-Director needle or the other is all that’s necessary to change operation. All 3-way valves have two cylinder outlet ports for further piping convenience.

The exclusive NOPAK-Matic Flow-Director pilot head selects pilot pressure from whichever port is used as inlet. It eliminates special valves for each application or reassembling parts. Addition of a pipe plug to any NOPAK-Matic 3-way valve converts it for 2-way operation. They can also be used for directional control.

ELIMINATE CRISSCROSS PIPING
All NOPAK-Matic 4-way valves can be piped with pressure to Port “A” or Port “B”. Flow through the valve is thus changed to meet the application requirements (rod extended or retracted). Crisscross piping to the cylinder is eliminated. Here again, the Flow-Director pilot head selects pilot pressure from the inlet port. There are no extensive changes to make in the valve...just reset the needles.
MASTER VALVES

OPERATION
NORMALLY CLOSED OPERATION — Supply connected to Port “A”, “CYL” Port closed to pressure, Port ”B” exhaust.

NORMALLY OPEN OPERATION — Supply connected to Port “B”, “CYL” Port open to pressure, Port “A” exhaust.

*2-WAY OPERATION* — “For 2-Way Operation” must be so specified on the order as valve must be modified by insertion of poppet return spring in the master valve.

PLUG EXHAUST PORT — “B” for Normally Closed operation, “A” for Normally Open operation. Note that two cylinder ports are provided for simplification of piping. A sealing plug is provided for the unused port.

PILOT PRESSURE — Should equal or exceed pressure in valve body.

ACTUATION — Master valves can be actuated by any 3-way valve.

OPTIONAL FEATURES
- Series 300 valves can be modified for lower pressures, vacuum operation or service other than air. See Engineering Section.

INSTALLATION DATA
- Valves must have ADEQUATE SUPPLY (VOLUME) and UNRESTRICTED EXHAUST. Supply or exhaust lines should not be reduced more than one pipe size. Speed control valves or other restrictions can be placed in the cylinder supply lines.
- These valves can be operated Normally Open or Normally Closed to pressure simply by changing the piping. See OPERATION above.
- Valves will operate mounted in any position.

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SPECIAL PURPOSE SINGLE SOLENOID VALVES

FEATURES
Simple pilot head operator, tolerant to dry, unlubricated air and dusty environment. Ideal for heavy-duty batching plant, construction, excavating and foundry applications. Instantaneous valve response even after long periods of energization or de-energization. Solenoid pilot with manual override. Available for 115, 230, 460 volt A.C.; also D.C.

2-WAY OPERATION — “For 2-Way Operation” must be so specified on the order as valve must be modified by insertion of poppet return spring in the master valve.

INSTALLATION DATA
- 310PP valves are assembled as standard for Normally Closed operation: supply to Port “A”, “CYL” Port blocked, Port “B” exhaust.
- Normally Open cycle can be obtained on the 310PP valves only by rotating the pilot head, but not the gasket, 180°. Inlet to Port “B”, “CYL” Port open, Port “A” to exhaust in energized position.

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SINGLE SOLENOID VALVES

OPERATION

NORMALLY CLOSED OPERATION — Supply connected to Port “A”, “Cyl” Port closed to pressure, Port “B” exhaust.

NORMALLY OPEN OPERATION — Supply connected to Port “B”, “Cyl” Port open to pressure, Port “A” exhaust.

‘2-WAY OPERATION’ — “For 2-Way Operation” must be so specified on the order as valve must be modified by insertion of poppet return spring in the master valve.

PLUG EXHAUST PORT — “B” for Normally Closed operation, “A” for Normally Open operation. Note that two cylinder ports are provided for simplification of piping. A sealing plug is provided for the unused port. Also, on all valves with pilot heads, a remote supply must be provided to operate properly.

OPTIONAL FEATURES

- Indicator light: a neon pilot light can be provided to indicate the solenoid energizing.
- Solenoids for 115/50, 115/60, 230/50, 230/60, 460/50, 460/60, and 550/60 volt A.C. and 12, 24, 32, 50, 90, 125, and 250 volt D.C. are in stock. Special coils, also heavy-duty and oil-immersed solenoids available on inquiry.
- Series 310 valves can be modified for lower pressures, vacuum operation or service other than air. See Engineering Section.

INSTALLATION DATA

- Valves must have ADEQUATE SUPPLY (VOLUME) and UNRESTRICTED EXHAUST. Supply or exhaust lines should not be reduced more than one pipe size. Speed control valves or other restrictions can be placed in the cylinder supply lines.
- Unless otherwise specified, Flow-Director in pilot head is set for Normally Closed operation. See OPERATION above. For Normally Open operation, setting must be reversed. - Flow-Director.
- If valve must be mounted with solenoid in a vertical position, then valve should be mounted so plunger and pilot stem climb when solenoid is energized. They are returned by spring and gravity.
- These valves should be operated with a remote pilot supply when used for service other than air, or for vacuum operation. See Engineering Section.

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DOUBLE SOLENOID VALVES

OPERATION
NORMALLY CLOSED OPERATION — Supply connected to Port “A”, “CYL” Port closed to pressure, Port “B” exhaust.
NORMALLY OPEN OPERATION — Supply connected to Port “B”, “CYL” Port open to pressure, Port “A” exhaust.

*2-WAY OPERATION — “For 2-Way Operation” must be so specified on the order as valve must be modified by insertion of poppet return spring in the master valve.

PLUG EXHAUST PORT — “B” for Normally Closed operation, “A” for Normally Open operation. Note that two cylinder ports are provided for simplification of piping. A sealing plug is provided for the unused port. Also, on all valves with pilot heads, a remote supply must be provided to operate properly.

OPTIONAL FEATURES
- Indicator light: a neon pilot light can be provided to indicate the solenoid energizing.
- Solenoids for 115/50, 115/60, 230/50, 230/60, 460/50, 460/60, and 550/60 volt A.C. and 12, 16, 24, 32, 50, 90, 125, and 250 volt D.C. are in stock. Heavy-duty 115 volt 60 cycle and oil immersed 115 volt 60 cycle are also in stock. Special coils, also heavy-duty and oil immersed solenoids, available on inquiry.
- Series 320 valves can be modified for lower pressures, vacuum operation or service other than air. See Engineering Section.

INSTALLATION DATA
- Valves must have ADEQUATE SUPPLY (VOLUME) and UNRESTRICTED EXHAUST. Supply or exhaust lines should not be reduced more than one pipe size. Speed control valves or other restrictions can be placed in the supply lines.
- Unless otherwise specified, Flow-Director in pilot head is set for Normally Closed operation. See OPERATION above. For Normally Open operation, setting must be reversed. See Engineering Section - Flow-Director.
- Valves will operate mounted in any position that results in the solenoids being placed in a horizontal position.
- These valves should be operated with a remote pilot supply when used for service other than air, or for vacuum operation. See Engineering Section.

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Solenoid Pilot Controlled
 Momentary Contact Type
 2-Way* and 3-Way
 Normally Open or Normally Closed
 1/4”, 3/8”, 1/2”, 3/4”, 1”, 1-1/4” Pipe Sizes
 Pressures 15 to 150 lbs Air
MASTER VALVES

OPERATION

Port “A” INLET — Supply connected to Port “A”, “CYL 2” Port open to pressure, “CYL 1” Port open to exhaust through Port “B”.

Port “B” INLET — Supply connected to Port “B”, “CYL 1” Port open to pressure, “CYL 2” Port open to exhaust through Port “A”.

PILOT PRESSURE — Should equal or exceed pressure in valve body.

ACTUATION — Master valves can be actuated by any 3-way valve.

OPTIONAL FEATURES

- Series 400 valves can be modified for lower pressures, vacuum operation or service other than air. See Engineering Section.

INSTALLATION DATA

- Valves must have ADEQUATE SUPPLY (VOLUME) and UNRESTRICTED EXHAUST. Supply or exhaust lines should not be reduced more than one pipe size. Speed control valves or other restrictions can be placed in the cylinder supply lines.

- These valves can be piped with either Port “A” or Port “B” as inlet. See OPERATION above.

- Valves will operate mounted in any position.

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SOL AIR
Port “A” INLET

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B2

IN 11/16

N

P

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MANUAL OVERRIDE

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* Model 411-1/22PP is the standard 411PP with 1/2” ports.
SINGLE SOLENOID VALVES

OPERATION

Port “A” INLET — Supply connected to Port “A”, “CYL 2” Port open to pressure, “CYL 1” Port open to exhaust through Port “B”.

Port “B” INLET — Supply connected to Port “B”, “CYL 1” Port open to pressure, “CYL 2” Port open to exhaust through Port “A”.

OPTIONAL FEATURES

- Indicator light: a neon pilot light can be provided to indicate the solenoid energizing.
- Solenoids for 115/50, 115/60, 230/50, 230/60, 460/50, 460/60, and 550/60 volt A.C. and 12, 16, 24, 32, 50, 90, 125, and 250 volt D.C. are in stock. Heavy-duty 115 volt 60 cycle and oil immersed 115 volt 60 cycle are also in stock. Special coils, also heavy-duty and oil immersed solenoids, available on inquiry.
- Series 410 valves can be modified for lower pressures, vacuum operation or service other than air. See Engineering Section.

INSTALLATION DATA

- Valves must have ADEQUATE SUPPLY (VOLUME) and UNRESTRICTED EXHAUST. Supply or exhaust lines should not be reduced more than one pipe size. Speed control valves or other restrictions can be placed in the cylinder supply lines.
- Unless otherwise specified, Flow-Director in pilot head is set for Port “A” inlet. See OPERATION above. For Port “B” inlet, setting must be reversed. See Engineering Section - Flow-Director.
- If valve must be mounted with solenoid in a vertical position, then valve should be mounted so plunger and pilot stem climb when solenoid is energized. They are returned by spring and gravity.
- These valves should be operated with a remote pilot supply when used for service other than air, or for vacuum operation. See Engineering Section.

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DOUBLE SOLENOID VALVES

OPERATION
Port “A” INLET — Supply connected to Port “A”, “CYL 2” Port open to pressure, “CYL 1” Port open to exhaust through Port “B”.

Port “B” INLET — Supply connected to Port “B”, “CYL 1” Port open to pressure, “CYL 2” Port open to exhaust through Port “A”.

OPTIONAL FEATURES
- Indicator light: a neon pilot light can be provided to indicate the solenoid energizing.
- Solenoids for 115/50, 115/60, 230/50, 230/60, 460/50, 460/60, and 550/60 volt A.C. and 12, 16, 24, 32, 50, 90, 125, and 250 volt D.C. are in stock. Heavy-duty 115 volt 60 cycle and oil immersed 115 volt 60 cycle are also in stock. Special coils, also heavy-duty and oil immersed solenoids, available on inquiry.
- 1” and 1-1/4” valves can be modified for lower pressures, vacuum operation or service other than air. See Engineering Section.

INSTALLATION DATA
- Valves must have ADEQUATE SUPPLY (VOLUME) and UNRESTRICTED EXHAUST. Supply or exhaust lines should not be reduced more than one pipe size. Speed control valves or other restrictions can be placed in the cylinder supply lines.
- Unless otherwise specified, Flow-Director in pilot head is set for Port “A” inlet. See OPERATION above. For Port “B” inlet, setting must be reversed. See Engineering Section – Flow-Director.
- Valves will operate mounted in any position that results in the solenoids being placed in a horizontal position.
- These valves should be operated with a remote pilot supply when used for service other than air, or for vacuum operation. See Engineering Section.

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* = Model 421-1/2 is the standard 421 valve with 1/2” pipe taps.
CAUTION! Always shut off electrical and pressure supply and bleed all lines before any disassembly.

**REMOVAL OF PILOT STEM**
1. Unscrew pilot stem spring retainer nut A.
2. Remove spring B.
3. Push manual operating button. Then carefully pull out exposed pilot stem C.

**REMOVAL OF PISTON-POPPET ASSEMBLIES**
1. Remove socket head cap screws D on both sides of valve.
2. Drop valve body cover plates E.
3. Push out poppet assembly cartridge F by nudging with wooden dowel inserted through hole in valve seat cartridge G. Then push out cartridge G by inserting dowel into opening exposed by removal of cartridge F. (A wooden dowel should be used to prevent damage to sealing surfaces.)

**ASSEMBLY**
1. All parts should be carefully cleaned so that foreign particles are removed. Be sure to also check pilot head filter screen.
2. Moving parts must be lightly oiled with recommended lubricant; see list on page 168.
3. Damaged gaskets should be replaced.
4. Assemble parts in reverse order of disassembly.
5. Tighten all screws systematically to obtain an even pull-down. Do not overtighten.

**REMOTE PILOT SUPPLY**
All NOPAK-Matic 2-, 3- and 4-way solenoid operated valves can be adapted for low pressure (below 15 PSI) vacuum service.

To accomplish this it is necessary to remotely supply the pilot section with at least 15 PSI air in order to shift the main poppets. Two special 1/8” NPT inlets are tapped into the pilot section, as shown below right, to bring the pilot air supply into either pilot inlet port. One inlet is sufficient, but two are supplied for convenience of piping. Unused port is plugged. Both pilot selector screws must be fully closed to ensure isolation of pilot section from master section of valve.

When using other media (oil for example), even at standard operating pressures, it is still necessary to bring air pressure to the pilot section, via the remote pilot supply feature. **Pilot pressure must meet or exceed main inlet pressure.** When ordering, please specify “Remote Pilot Supply.” Also indicate:

1. Vacuum: specify maximum vacuum in HQ or equivalent. Special return spring will be furnished in piston-poppet assembly (see above).
2. Low pressure (below 15 PSI): special return spring furnished in piston-poppet assembly (see above).
3. Other media
   - A Type, description and specifications.
   - B Pressure.
   - C Temperature.
4. Voltage and cycle.
MAKE-UP BLEED

NOPAK-Matic Master 3-Way or 4-Way Valves, supplied with a “make-up bleed” feature, eliminate the need of maintaining constant pilot pressure to hold the master valve in the energized position.

Normally, a 3-way valve is required to pilot the NOPAK-Matic master valve. With “make-up bleed,” two 2-wayNormally Closed pilot valves can be used as follows: the first directs pressure into pilot head, the second exhausts pilot head to atmosphere.

As shown in the sketch to the right, a small orifice is drilled in the master valve body connecting the center chamber to the master valve head. When the valve is de-energized, the center chamber as well as the master valve head is exhausted.

A momentary actuation of the first 2-way pilot valve puts an impulse of air into the master valve head and moves the piston-poppet(s) over to the energized position. This pressurizes the center chamber and make-up bleed continues to supply pressure to master valve head to compensate for any leakage through fittings, elbows, pipes, etc., after the first 2-way pilot valve has been closed. When the second 2-way pilot head is momentarily actuated, air from the master valve head exhausts faster than the make-up bleed orifice can replenish the supply, resulting in the piston-poppet(s) shifting back to the de-energized position.

Customer must specify “make-up bleed” when ordering this valve.

NOPAK-MATIC VALVES FOR LOW PRESSURE OR VACUUM OPERATION

NOPAK-Matic valves can be adapted to low-pressure (below 15 PSI) or vacuum operation by the addition of a spring(s) in the piston-poppet seat assembly.

High pressure from the pilot head shifts the piston-poppet in one direction, spring pressure returns it to seat. Supply pressure from the pilot head must be 15 PSI or more.

When ordering, specify modification desired: “M2 Low Pressure” or “M2 Vacuum”.

See bottom of page 166 for remote pilot supply operation.
DIRECT CURRENT SOLENOIDS

Drawings on this page give dimensions of D.C. solenoids mounted on standard NOPAK-Matic pilot heads. All other valve dimensions are the same as shown on each catalog sheet. Solenoids for 12, 16, 24, 32, 50, 90, 125 and 250 D.C. are in stock. Other voltages are available on request. For complete cost data, see price sheet.

NOTE: Both single and double solenoid valves use No. 24-80 solenoids with coils No. 9-27 (watts = 36) inrush amps = holding amps then for 25 volts D.C.,
\[ A = \frac{36}{24} = 1.5 \text{ amps} \]

AMBIENT TEMPERATURES — NOPAK-Matic valves with solenoids will function trouble-free in temperatures to 140°F. Check with NOPAK for special solenoids for temperatures in excess of 140°F.

USE AIR LINE FILTER, PROPER LUBRICANTS

TO ENSURE maximum performance, NOPAK-Matic Valves should be supplied with CLEAN LUBRICATED air. We recommend use of an air line filter and lubricator, BOTH OF AMPLE FLOW CAPACITY, installed as close as possible ahead of the valve and cylinder. DO NOT USE oils having any detergent additives. Following is a representative list of oil refiners and their particular brands.

NOTE: Chemical composition may vary somewhat due to geographical areas in which these lubricants are produced.

Cities Service Oil Co ........................................ North Star #2
Esso Standard Oil ................ Teresso #43 or Teresstic #43
Gulf Oil Co .......................... Harmony #44 or Security #44
N.Y. & N.J. Lubricant Co ..................................... A-#88/HNR
Shell Oil Co ............................... Tellus #27 or Turbo #27
Sinclair Refining Co .................. Rubilene-Extra Light
Sacony-Mobile Oil Co .................. D.T.E. Light
Standard Oil of Calif .................. Chevron GST Oil #32
Texaco .................................. Regal A.R. & O.
Union Oil of Calif ............................ Red Line Turbine Oil #150
To assist in the selection of NOPAK-Matic valves, the following flow coefficients of the various models and pipe sizes have been determined in accordance with the standard air flow equation:

\[
CV = \frac{Q \times 60 \times G \times Tu}{1360 \times \Delta P \times Pu}
\]

in which
- \( CV \) = flow coefficient
- \( Q \) = air flow in standard units, scfm (14.7 PSI, 68°F)
- \( G \) = specific gravity, air @ 68°F
- \( Tu \) = absolute temp. (deg. F + 460)
- \( \Delta P \) = pressure drop, PSI
- \( Pu \) = pressure in absolute units (subscript “u” = upstream)

then

\[
CV = \frac{Q \times 60 \times .932 \times (68 + 460)}{1360 \times \Delta P \times (100 + 14.7)}
\]

For values of \( CV \) and pressure drops at 100 PSI entering air pressure.

For our NOPAK-Matic valves the following \( CV \) factors apply:

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To determine the \( CV \) factor for supply pressure at other than 100 PSIG, calculate \( \Delta P \) and \( Q \) in accordance with the information given in the Pressure Drop vs. Air Flow graph on the next page and then substitute these new values in the above equation.
PRESSURE DROP VS. AIR FLOW
AT 100 PSIG ENTERING PRESSURE

TO DETERMINE PRESSURE DROP AT OTHER ENTERING AIR PRESSURES FOR A SPECIFIED FLOW:

\[ \Delta P_2 = \frac{\Delta P_1}{P_2 + 14.7} \times 114.7 \]

Where:
- \( \Delta P_2 \) = Pressure Drop (Unknown)
- \( \Delta P_1 \) = Pressure Drop for correct valve at specified flow (read along bottom of chart where flow and valve curve intersect)
- \( P_2 \) = Entering Air Pressure (Desired)

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TO DETERMINE FLOW RATE AT OTHER ENTERING AIR PRESSURES FOR A SPECIFIED PRESSURE DROP:

\[ Q_2 = \frac{Q_1}{\sqrt{\frac{P_2 + 14.7}{114.7}}} \]

Where:
- \( Q_2 \) = Flow Rate CFM (Unknown)
- \( Q_1 \) = Flow Rate for correct valve at specified pressure drop (read along left side of chart where pressure drop and valve curve intersect)
- \( P_2 \) = Entering Air Pressure (Desired)