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THERMOSTATIC VALVES

(3-PORT SELF ACTUATING)

GENERAL INFORMATION

Thermoreg Thermostatic Valves are used to provide reliable, automatic control of fluid temperatures in turbines, compressors and engine water jacket and lubricating oil cooling systems. They are also suitable for process control and industrial applications where fluids must be mixed or diverted depending on their temperatures. They may also be applied to co-generation systems to control temperatures in the heat recovery loop assuring proper engine cooling and maximising heat recovery.

All Thermoreg Thermostatic Valves are equipped with positive 3-way valve action in which the water or lubricating oil is positively made to flow in the direction required. On jacket water applications when the engine is started up and is cold, the Thermostatic Valve causes all of the water to be positively by-passed back into the engine, thus providing the quickest warm-up period possible. After warm up, the correct amount of water is by-passed and automatically mixed with the cold water returning from the heat exchanger or other cooling device to produce the desired jacket water outlet temperature. If ever required, the Thermostatic Valve will shut off positively on the by-pass line for maximum cooling. The 3-way action of the Thermostatic Valve allows a constant volume of water through the pump and engine at all times with no pump restriction when the engine is cold.

ADJUSTMENTS & MAINTENANCE

No adjustments are ever required on the Thermostatic Valves. Once installed a Thermoreg Thermostatic Valve will provide years of trouble-free service.

TEMPERATURE SETTINGS

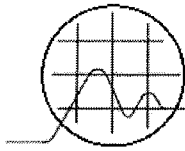
Because the Thermostatic Valves are set to a predetermined temperature at the factory, costly errors due to mistakes of operating personnel are eliminated. After the Thermostatic Valve has been installed, it is impossible for the operator to arbitrarily change the operating temperature and run the engine too cold or too hot unless the temperature element assemblies themselves are changed.

The Thermostatic Valves are temperature rated for the expected nominal operating temperature in jacket water service. On lubricating oil applications the system operating temperature may be slightly above the nominal rating, depending on the type of oil flow rate, oil cooler capacity and other conditions of the system.

For long life, The Thermostatic Valves should not be operated continuously at temperatures more than about 75°F (24°C) above their nominal ratings. If higher continuous over temperatures are expected, contact the factory for recommendations.

OPERATION

The power creating medium utilises the expansion of a special thermostatic wax material which remains in a semi-solid form and which is highly sensitive to temperature changes.



INSTRUCTIONS FOR THERMOREG TEMPERATURE VALVE MODEL "M" WITH AND WITHOUT MANUAL OVERRIDE

1) Maintenance

Properly applied and installed, Thermoreg Thermostatic Valves require minimal maintenance. An inspection at 2 or 3 year intervals is adequate to detect and make provision for manual wear.

Excessive temperatures, chemical, electrolytic attack or cavitation will shorten the life of the element assemblies, seals and seats. These items are replaceable. Water additives may cause swelling of the O-ring seals around the stem and the sliding valve to a point where they may affect valve action and require replacement. Synthetic base lubricants will definitely attack the O-ring seals which may be replaced by seals of alternate materials. Contact the factory for recommendations.

Carbonates, scale and other solids must not be permitted to build up on sliding valve or sensing cup surfaces. The valve and element assemblies may be cleaned with mild acid solution. Hard scale may require wire brush buffing.

2) Manual override

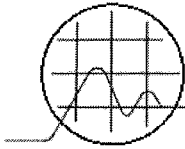
If for any reason "M"-Thermostatic valves with manual override should not work properly; each element assembly is fitted with an infinitely variable override which allows on accurate manual temperature regulation.

Before the manual override is used we recommend, however, to check whether the cause of trouble is not somewhere in the system, according to paragraph 3) "Trouble shooting". Manual override should only be used in emergencies.

If a thermostatic valve with several element assemblies is installed (DN 65 - DN 125) it is recommended to open one element assembly after the other against cooler by turning screw until desired temperature is nearly reached. Final regulation is done with next element assembly.

3) Trouble-Shooting

In the event that your cooling system does not operate close to the desired temperature, the following check list may point to one or more causes for the problem.



3.1 System Temperature too cold

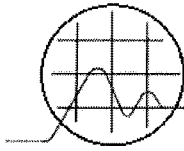
- a) Insufficient heat rejected to coolant to maintain the temperature
- b) Wrong nominal temperature selected
- c) Thermostatic valve is greatly oversized for the system flow rate or cooling capacity of the system is much greater than is required
- d) Thermostatic valve is installed backwards, forces water to cooler and causes engine to run cold under all conditions
- e) Worn O-ring seal around the element assembly
- f) Too great a pressure difference (in excess 1.7 bar) between ports 2 and 3
- g) Foreign material is stuck between sliding valve and seat
- h) Element assembly may have been subject to over temperature sufficiently to affect calibration or rupture wax seal preventing port 2 from closing completely anymore. Requires complete new element assembly.

3.2 System Temperature too hot

- a) Cooling capacity of system not adequate
- b) Thermostatic valve too small for flow rate (also causes high pressure drop and possibly cavitation)
- c) Valve installed backwards; as temperature increases, Port 2 closes, reducing flow to cooler
- d) Bypass will not close due to worn or pitted seats, sliding valve, O-ring seal, etc.
- e) Worn O-ring seal around the element assembly
- f) Element assembly may have been subject to over temperature sufficiently to affect calibration or rupture wax seal and does therefore not fully open port 3 anymore. Requires complete new element assembly.
- g) Solids build up on sliding valve prevents proper action of element assembly
- h) Foreign material stuck between sliding valve and seat
- i) Excessive pressure differential between ports (very low pressure through bypass leg, very high pressure in cooler)

3.3 Additional Considerations

- a) Thermometers: A thermometer that reads the same whether system is cold or hot needs replacing
- b) Location of thermometers: on horizontal pipe runs, these should be in the side of the pipe when possible, particularly on oil systems. Also, pipes do not always run full so the thermometer may not be immersed in the fluid
- c) Thermometers should be as far as possible downstream from the confluence of two streams of different temperature to allow complete mixing
- d) Look for pipework allowing bypass of the fluid which prevent thermostatic valve control of the complete system



EXAMPLE PIPING DIAGRAMS

<p style="text-align: center;">Fig.7</p>	<p>Fig. 7 COOLING WATER-HEAT EXCHANGER</p> <p>This scheme shows the cooling water circuit of a fix installed or a ship engine with cooling by a heat exchanger. The MVA Thermostatic Valve is in such a way installed, that the temperature of the cooling water at the outlet of the engine will be maintained constant. Should exist any problem cause by enclosed air, a narrow ventilation pipe (x) leading from the highest point of the system to the compensation tank will help</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Fig.8</p>	<p>Fig. 8 COOLING WATER - COOLING DEVICE</p> <p>This arrangement is used practically always in vehicles and fixed installed engines with air cooling device. Here, the temperature of the cooling water also will be maintained constant at the outlet of the engine.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Fig.9</p>	<p>Fig. 9 COOLING WATER — COOLING</p> <p>Today, small and medium size engines are partially still cooled directly by sea water, although the disadvantages of such systems are well known. In Fig. 9 the temperature of the cooling water is maintained constant at the engine's outlet. If the point T is above the water line, a non-return-valve (W) must be installed, in order to avoid that the cooling system loses all its fluid if the engine is stopped.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Fig.10</p>	<p>Fig 10 COOLING WATER CONTROL BY MIXING</p> <p>Contrary to the system shown in Fig. 7 cold and warm water are mixed and the temperature will be maintained constant at the inlet of the engine. X serves, if necessary, for ventilation of the system.</p> <p>Another possibility for this kind of control is shown in Fig. 12</p>

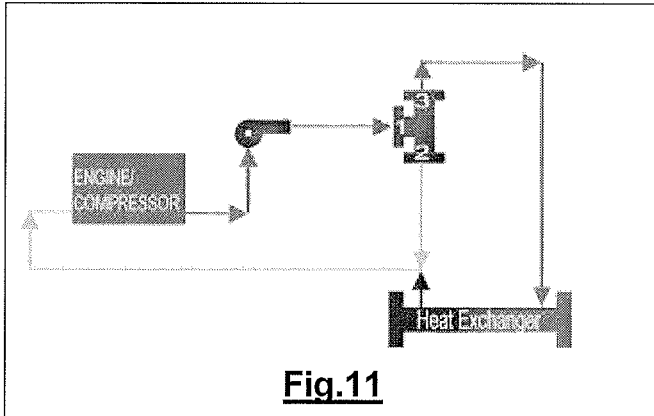
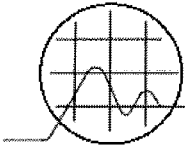


Fig. 11 LUBRICATION OIL CONTROL BY SHORT- CIRCUIT (DIVERTING)

In this scheme the MVA Thermostatic Valve is located in the lubrication oil circuit as a short- circuit controller. Similar as in Fig. 7 the temperature of the cooling water, in this scheme the temperature of the oil, that means the temperature of the oil at the outlet of the engine is maintained constant.

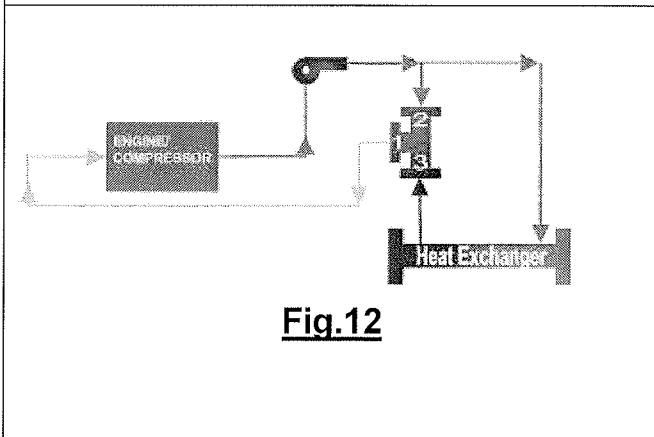
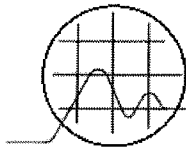


Fig. 12 LUBRICATION OIL CONTROL BY MIXING

In this system the MVA Thermostatic Valve mixes the warm oil coming from the engine with the cold one coming from the cooling device.

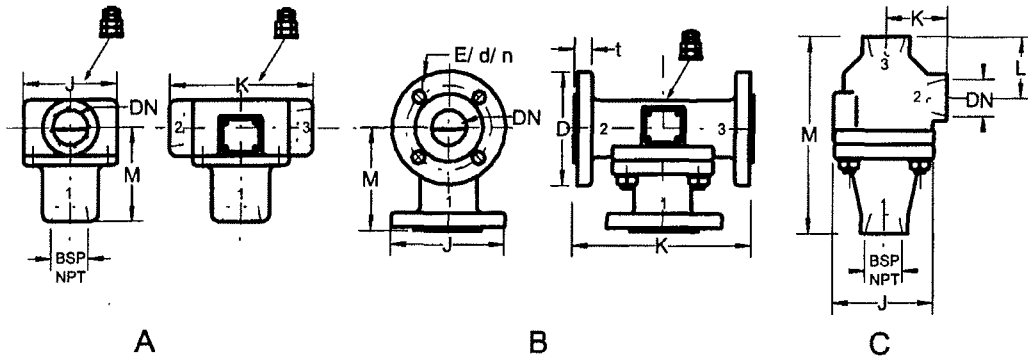
This assures, that the temperature of the oil flow to the bearings, that means the temperature of the oil at the inlet of the engine will be maintained constant.



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CODE FOR THERMOSTATIC VALVES MODEL M20 M40

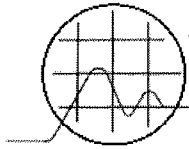


DN	BSP	A	J	K	L	M	t	PN10/16	PN25/40**	125/150 lbs	300lbs**
		B	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	D/E/d/n	D/E/d/n	D/E/d/n	D/E/d/n
	NPT	C						mm	mm	mm	mm
20	3/4"	C	87	61	50/56**	160/167**					
25	1"	C	87	61	50/56**	160/167**					
32	1 1/4"	C	87	73	39	160/167**					
40	1 1/2"	C	87	73	39	160/167**					
40	1 1/2"	A	96	156		96					
40		B	150/127*	178		101	18	150/110/18/4	150/110/18/4	127/99/16/4	155.6/114.3/22/4

*125/150 LBS

**SS/CS

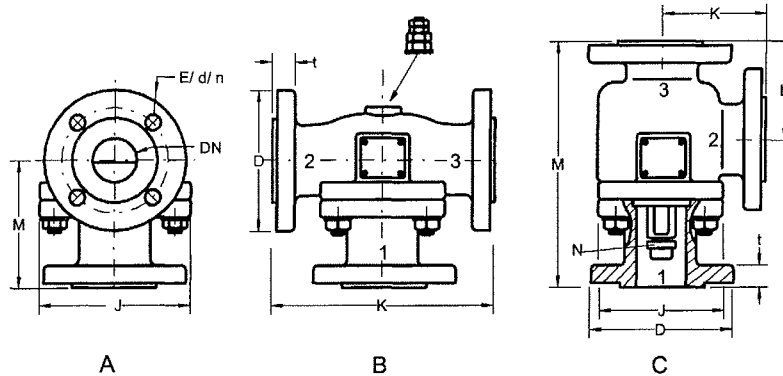
Weights			CI	CS	Bz	AL
DN	BSP	A B	DI	SS		
	NPT	C	kg	kg	kg	kg
20	3/4"	C	2.15	2.2	2.2	2.1
25	1"	C	2.15	2.2	2.2	2.1
32	1 1/4"	C	3			2.1
40	1 1/2"	C	3		3.4	2.1
40	1 1/2"	A	4.1	4.1	4.9	4.2
40		B	7.7	7.7	9.1	4.8



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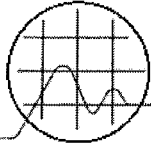
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M 50 ...M 150



								PN10/16	PN25/40**	125/150 lbs	300lbs**	
DN	N	A B C	J mm	K mm	L mm	M mm	t mm	D/E/d/n mm	D/E/d/n mm	D/E/d/n mm	D/E/d/n mm	
50	1	C	139	113	121	270	20	165/125/18/4	165/125/18/4	152.4/120.6/19/4	165/127/19/8	
50	1	AB	140	225		150	20	165/125/18/4	165/125/18/4	152.4/120.6/19/4	165/127/19/8	
65	2	AB	210	254/267*		165/171*	20	185/145/18/4	185/145/18/8	178/140/19/4	190.5/149/22.2/8	
80	2	AB	210	267		171	22	200/160/18/8	200/160/18/8	190.5/152/19/4	203.6/168.3/22.2/8	
100	4	AB	284	403/409*		217/220*	24	220/180/18/8	235/190/22/8	229/190.5/19/8	254/200/22.2/8	
125	6	AB	349	489		241	26	254/210/18/8	270/220/26/8	254/216/22.2/8	279.4/235/22.2/8	
150	8	AB	488	489		254	26	285/240/23/8	300/250/26/8	279.4/241.3/22.2/8	317.5/270/22.2/12	
*SS												

Weights		CI	CS	AL
DN	A B	DI	SS	
	C	kg	kg	kg
50	C	18	20	7
50	AB	18	20	7
65	AB	24	31	10
80	AB	25	32	14
100	AB	60	60	24
125	AB	125	125	35
150	AB	136	136	48

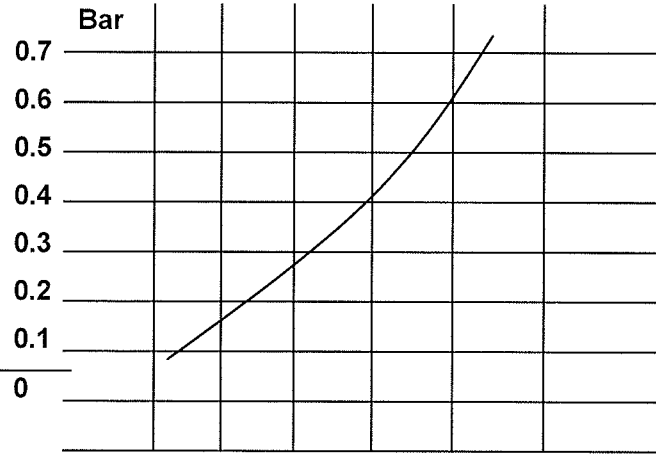


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Flow Chart for M20-M40

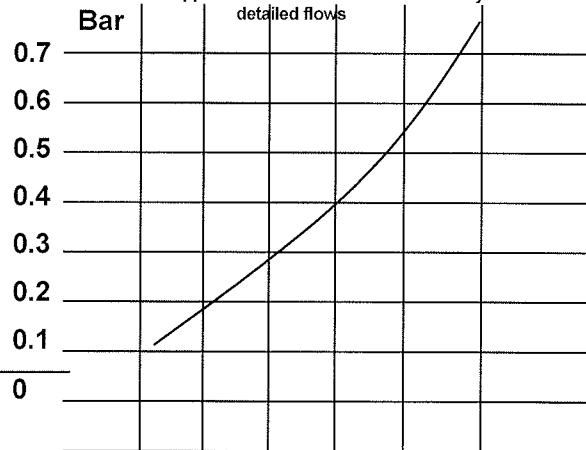
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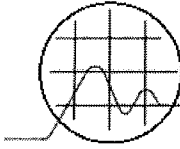
DN	2.0	2.3	3.8	5.2	5.6	7.0	
20							
25	2.2	2.5	4.2	5.7	6.2	7.8	M3/h
32	2.5	2.8	4.8	6.5	7.1	8.8	
40	5.2	8.5	11.0	14.0	16.8	18.5	

Flow Chart for M50-M150

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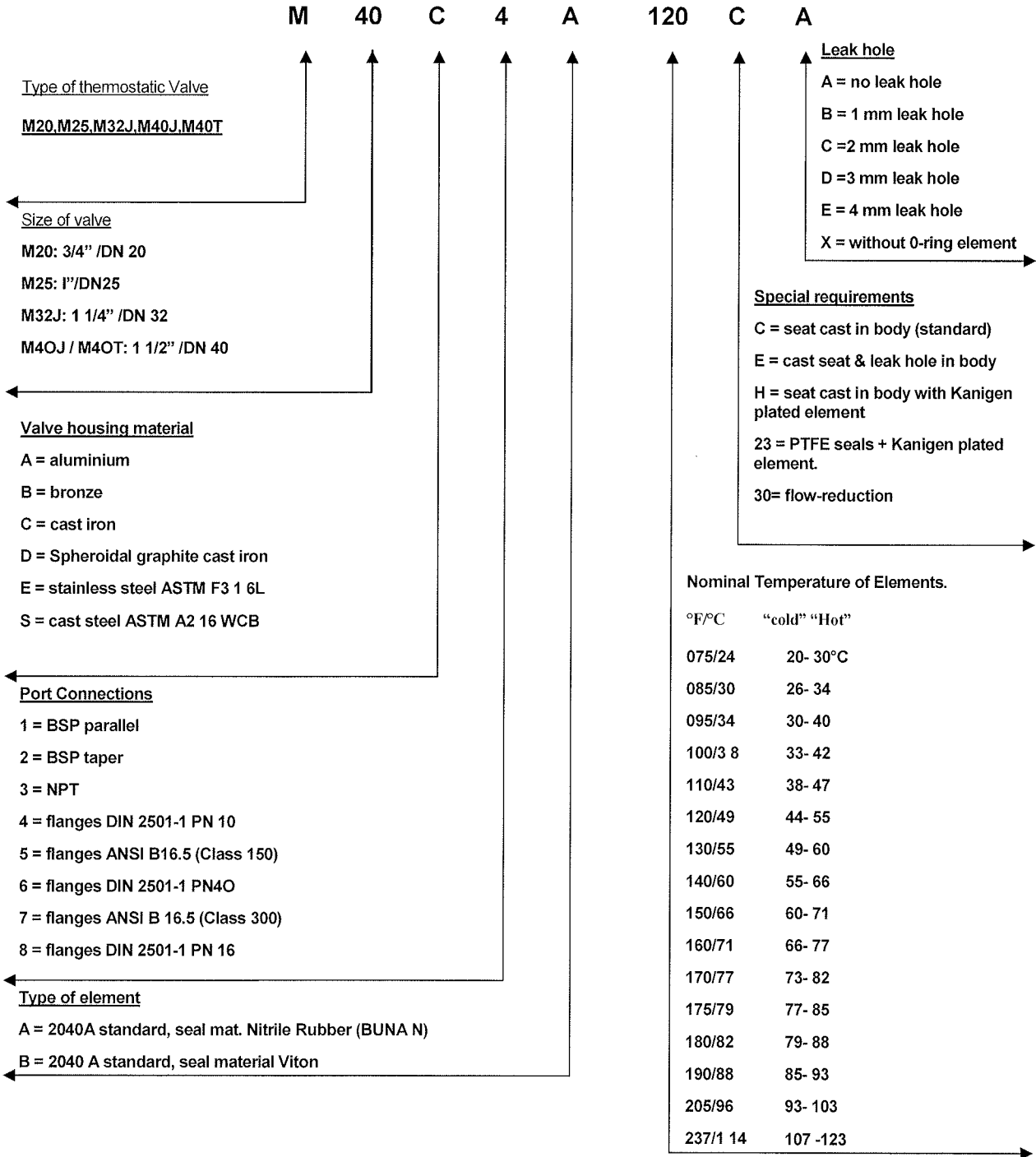


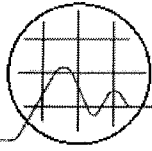
DN	10	15	20	25	30	35	
50							
65	19	28	38	47	55	65	M3/h
80	20	30	40	50	60	70	
100	40	60	80	100	120	140	
125	60	90	120	150	180	210	
150	90	135	180	225	270	315	



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M 80 TC 2 G 120 D A

Type of thermostatic Valve

M=STANDARD WITH AND WITHOUT MANUAL OVERRIDE

Size of valve

- DN 50 with flanges
- DN 65T with flanges
- DN 80T with flanges
- DN 100 with flanges
- DN 125 with flanges
- DN 150 with flanges

Valve housing material

- A = aluminium
- B = bronze
- C = cast iron
- D = Spheroidal graphite cast iron
- E = stainless steel ASTM F 31 6L
- S = cast steel ASTM A216 WCB

Port Connections

- 1 = DIN 2501-1 PN 6
- 2 = DIN 2501-1 PN10
- 3 = DIN 2501-1 PN16
- 4 = ANSI B16.1 (CLASS 125) RF
- 5 = ANSI B16.1 (CLASS 150) RF
- 6 = DIN 2501-1 PN25
- 7 = ANSI B 16.5 (Class 300)
- 8 = DIN 2501-1 PN 40

Type of element

- G = 2001A standard,
- H = 2012A standard with manual override
- J = 2030A standard for saltwater
- L = 2030P Kanigen plated
- M = 2035P Kanigen plated with manual override

Leak hole

- A = no leak hole
- B = 2 mm leak hole
- C = 4 mm leak hole
- D = 6 mm leak hole
- E = 8 mm leak hole
- X = without O-ring element

Special requirements

- D = Standard
- 02 = special flanges
- 03 = special weld connection
- 23 = PTFE seals + Kanigen plated element.

Nominal Temperature of Elements.

°F/°C	"cold"	"Hot"
055°F =	13°C	8
057 =	14	10
075 =	24	21
090 =	32	27
095 =	35	30
100 =	38	35
105 =	41	35
110 =	43	38
115 =	46	40
120 =	49	44
130 =	55	52
135 =	57	54
140 =	60	57
145 =	63	60
150 =	66	63
155 =	68	66
160 =	71	68
165 =	74	71
170 =	77	74
175 =	79	77
180 =	82	79
185 =	85	82
195 =	91	87
205 =	96	93
215 =	102	99
225 =	108	102
230 =	110	104

Valve size DN 50 can be in valve model T (Fig A,B) and F (Fig C). Model "T" has the "T" in the model code but the model "F" has no letter.
 I.E. Model T Example "M50TC2G110DA"
 Model F Example "M50C2G110DA"