

Data sheet

Differential pressure relief controller (PN 16, 25, 40) AFPA / VFG 2(1)

Description



The controller has a control valve, an actuator with one control diaphragm and spring for differential pressure setting.

Further on two valve versions are available:

- VFG 2 with metallic sealing cone
- VFG 21 with soft sealing cone

Main data:

- DN 15-250
- k_{vs} 4.0-400 m³/h
- PN 16, 25, 40
- Setting range:
 - 0.05-0.3 bar / 0.1-0.6 bar / 0.15-1.2 bar / 0.5-2.5 bar / 1-5 bar
- Temperature:
 - Circulation water / glycolic water up to 30 %: 2 ... 150/200 °C
- Connections:
 - Flange

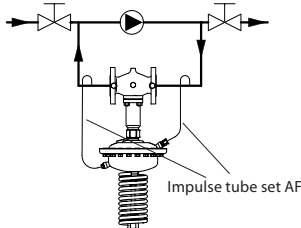
The controller is a self-acting differential pressure relief controller primarily for use in district heating systems. The controller is normally closed and opens on rising differential pressure.

Ordering

Example 1:
Differential pressure relief controller;
DN 15; k_{vs} 4.0; PN 16; metallic sealing; setting range 0.15-1.2 bar; T_{max} 150 °C; flange;

- 1x VFG 2 DN 15 valve
Code no: **065B2388**
- 1x AFPA actuator
Code no: **003G1021**
- 2x Impulse tube set AF
Code no: **003G1391**

Products will be delivered separately.



VFG 2 Valves (metallic sealing cone)

Picture	DN (mm)	k_{vs} (m ³ /h)	Connections	T_{max} (°C)	Code No.		
					PN 16	PN 25 / PN 40	
	15	4.0	Flanges acc. to EN 1092-1	150	200 ¹⁾	065B2388	065B2401 / 065B2411
	20	6.3				065B2389	065B2402 / 065B2412
	25	8.0				065B2390	065B2403 / 065B2413
	32	16				065B2391	065B2404 / 065B2414
	40	20				065B2392	065B2405 / 065B2415
	50	32				065B2393	065B2406 / 065B2416
	65	50				065B2394	065B2407 / 065B2417
	80	80				065B2395	065B2408 / 065B2418
	100	125				065B2396	065B2409 / 065B2419
	125	160				065B2397	065B2410 / 065B2420
	150	280			150	-	065B2421
	200	320				-	065B2422
	250	400				-	065B2423
	150	280			200 ¹⁾	-	On request
	200	320				-	On request
	250	400				-	On request

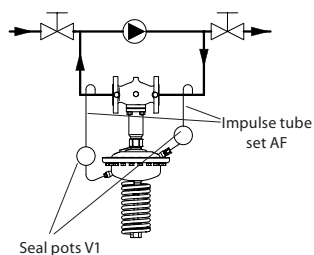
¹⁾ at temperatures above 150 °C only with seal pots (see Accessories)

Ordering (continuous)

Example 2:
Differential pressure relief controller;
DN 15; k_{vs} 4.0; PN 25; metallic sealing; setting range 0.15-1.2 bar;
 T_{max} 200 °C; flange;

- 1x VFG 2 DN 15 valve
Code no: **065B2401**
- 1x AFPA actuator
Code no: **003G1021**
- 2x Impulse tube set AF
Code no: **003G1391**
- 2x Seal pot V1
Code no: **003G1392**

Products will be delivered separately.


VFG 21 Valves (soft sealing cone)

Picture	DN (mm)	k_{vs} (m ³ /h)	T_{max} (°C)	Connections	Code No.
					PN 16
	15	4.0	150	Flanges acc. to EN 1092-1	065B2502
	20	6.3			065B2503
	25	8.0			065B2504
	32	16			065B2505
	40	20			065B2506
	50	32			065B2507
	65	50			065B2508
	80	80			065B2509
	100	125			065B2510
	125	160			065B2511
	150	280	065B2512		
	200	320	065B2513		
	250	400	065B2514		

Note: other valves available on special request.

AFPA Actuators

Picture	Δp setting range (bar)	for DN	Code No.
	1-5	15-125	003G1019
	0.5-2.5		003G1020
	0.15-1.2	15-250	003G1021
	0.1-0.6		003G1022
	0.05-0.3		003G1023

Accessories

Picture	Type designation	Description	Connections	Code No.
	Impulse tube set AF	- 1x Copper tube $\varnothing 10 \times 1 \times 1500$ mm - 1 x compression fitting for imp. tube connection to pipe (G 1/4) - 2 x socket	-	003G1391
	Seal pot V1 ¹⁾	Capacity 1 liter; with compression fittings for imp. tube $\varnothing 10$	-	003G1392
	Seal pot V2 ¹⁾	Capacity 3 liter; with compression fittings for imp. tube $\varnothing 10$, for actuator size 630 cm ²	-	003G1403
	Compression fitting ²⁾	For impulse tube $\varnothing 10$ connections to controller	G 1/4	003G1468
	Shut off valve	For impulse tube $\varnothing 10$	-	003G1401
	Throttle valve			065B2909

¹⁾ Seal pot has to be used on impulse tubes always when $T_{max} \geq 150$ °C

²⁾ Consist of a nipple, compression ring and nut

Ordering (continuous)
Service kits

Picture	Type designation	DN (mm)	k _{vs} (m ³ /h)	Code No.	
				for VFG 2	for VFG 21
	Valve insert	15	4.0	065B2796	065B2790
		20	6.3	065B2797	065B2791
		25	8	065B2798	065B2792
		32	16		
		40	20	065B2799	065B2793
		50	32		
		65	50	065B2800	065B2794
		80	80		
		100	125	065B2801	065B2795
		125	160		
		150	280	065B2964	065B2966
250	400	065B2965	–		
	Stuffing cone (with EPDM O-rings)			003G1464	

Technical data
Valve

Nominal diameter	DN	15	20	25	32	40	50	65	80	100	125	150	200	250	
k _{vs} value	m ³ /h	4.0	6.3	8.0	16	20	32	50	80	125	160	280	320	400	
Cavitation factor z		0.6	0.6	0.6	0.55	0.55	0.5	0.5	0.45	0.4	0.35	0.3	0.2	0.2	
Leakage acc. to standard IEC 534 (% of k _{vs})	VFG 2	≤ 0.03										≤ 0.05			
	VFG 21	≤ 0.01													
Nominal pressure		PN		16, 25, 40											
Max. differential pressure	PN 16	16								15	12	10			
	PN 25, 40	20													
Media		Circulation water / glycolic water up to 30 %													
Media pH		Min. 7, max. 10													
Media temperature	VFG 2	2 ... 150 / 2 ... 200 ¹⁾										2 ... 150 (200 ²⁾)			
	VFG 21	2 ... 150													
Connections		Flange													
Materials															
Valve body	PN 16	Grey cast iron EN-GJL-250 (GG-25)													
	PN 25	Ductile iron EN-GJS-400(GGG-40.3)													
	PN 40	Cast steel GP240GH (GS-C 25)													
Valve seat		Stainless steel, mat. No. 1.4021										Stainless steel, mat. No. 1.4313			
Valve cone		Stainless steel, mat. No. 1.4404										Stainless steel, mat. No. 1.4021			
Sealing	VFG 2	Metal													
	VFG 21	EPDM													
Pressure relieve system		Bellows (Stainless steel, mat. No. 1.4571)										Diaphragm (EPDM)			

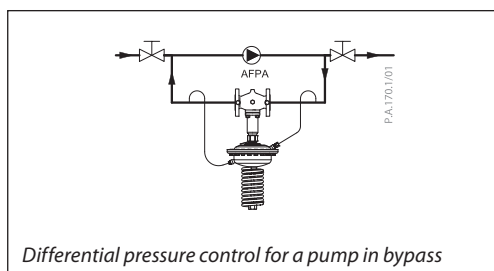
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²⁾ on request

Actuator

Type	AFPA					
Actuator size	cm ²	80		250		630
Max. operating pressure	bar	25		25		16
Diff. pressure setting ranges and spring colours	bar	silver	yellow	silver	yellow	yellow
		1-5	0.5-2.5	0.15-1.2	0.1-0.6	0.05-0.3
Materials						
Actuator housing		Steel, mat. No. 1.0338, zinc plated				
Control diaphragm		EPDM (Rolling; fibre enforced)				

Application principles



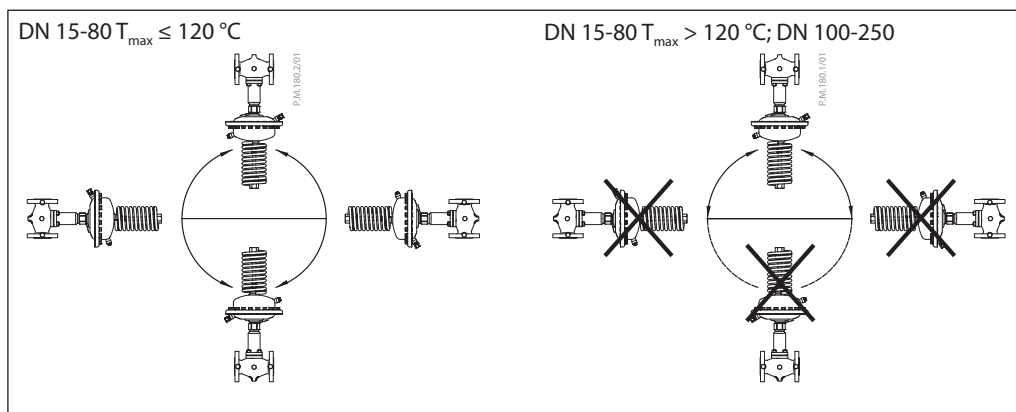
Installation position

DN 15-80 $T_{max} \leq 120\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

The controllers can be installed in any position.

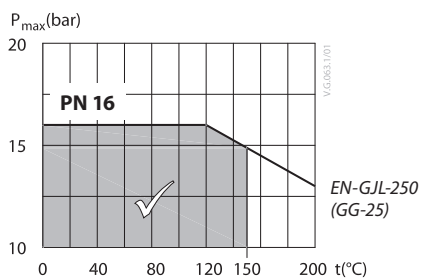
DN 15-80 $T_{max} > 120\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$; DN 100-250

The controllers can be installed in horizontal pipes only, with a pressure actuator oriented downwards.

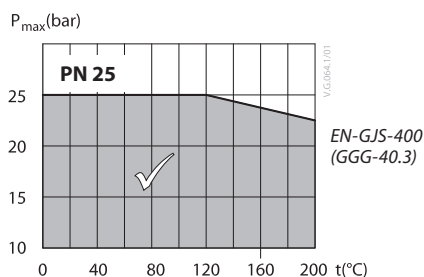


Pressure temperature diagram

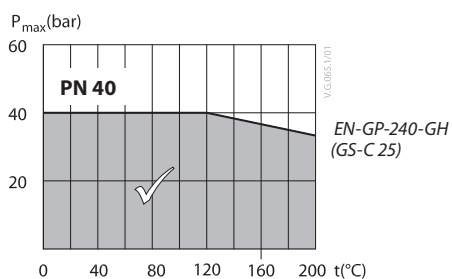
Working area is below P-T line and it ends at T_{max} for each valve



Maximum allowed operating pressure as a function of media temperature (according to EN 1092-2)



Maximum allowed operating pressure as a function of media temperature (according to EN 1092-2)



Maximum allowed operating pressure as a function of media temperature (according to EN 1092-1)

Sizing

Given data:
 $Q_{max} = 4.5 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$
 $\Delta p_{AFPA} = 1.4 \text{ bar}$
 Nominal pressure PN 16

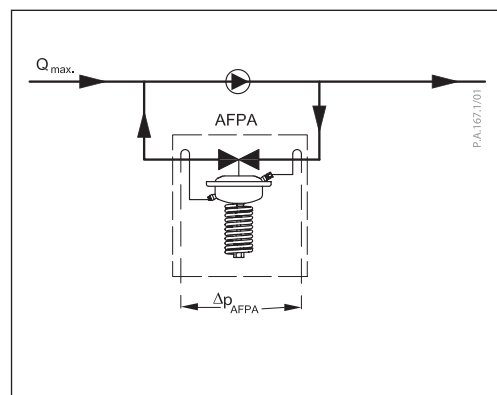
k_v value is calculated according to formula:

$$k_v = \frac{Q_{max}}{\sqrt{\Delta p_{AFPA}}} = \frac{4,5}{\sqrt{1,4}}$$

$$k_v = 3.8 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$$

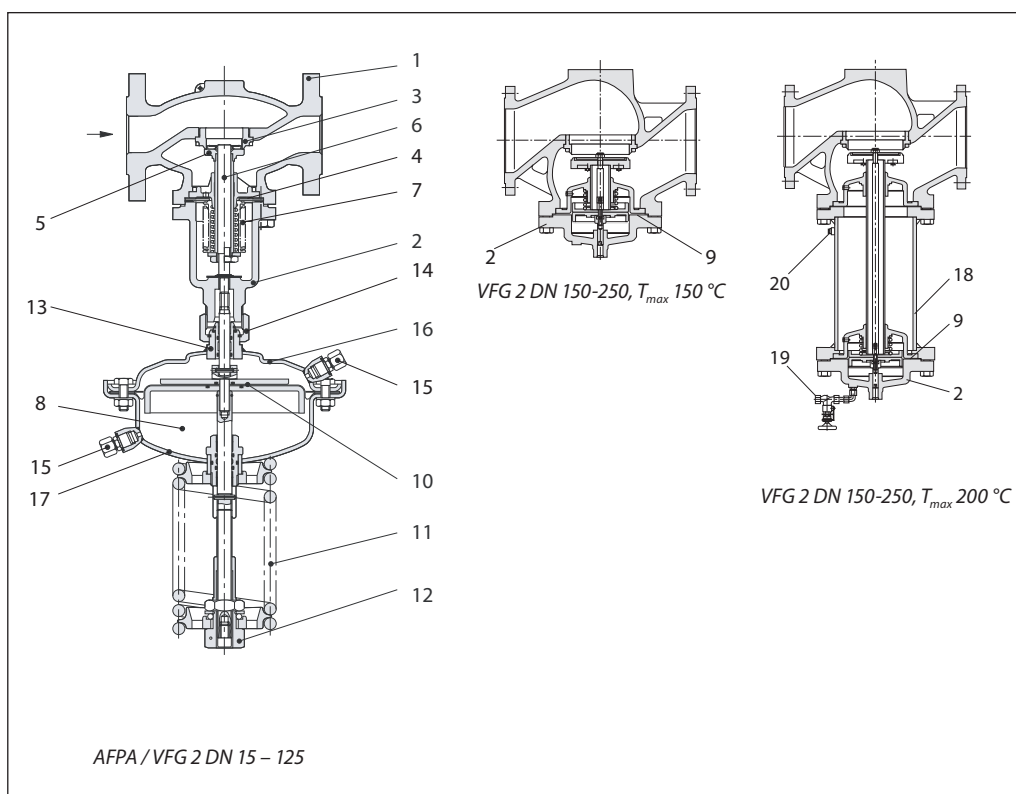
Solution:

The example selects AFPA VFG 2 PN 16 DN 15, k_{vS} value 4.0 with differential pressure setting range 0.5-2.5 bar.



Design

1. Valve body
2. Cover
3. Valve seat
4. Valve insert
5. Pressure relieved valve cone
6. Valve stem
7. Bellows for pressure relief of valve cone
8. Actuator
9. Diaphragm for pressure relief of valve cone
10. Control diaphragm for differential pressure control
11. Setting spring for diff. pressure control
12. Adjuster for diff. pressure setting, prepared for sealing
13. Stuffing cone
14. Union nut
15. Compression fitting for impulse tube
16. Upper casing of diaphragm
17. Lower casing of diaphragm
18. Valve body extension
19. Shut off valve for water filling
20. Closing plug



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Function

The pressures in front and behind of the control valve are being transferred through the impulse tubes to the actuator chambers and act on control diaphragm for diff. pressure control. The controller became normally closed after commissioning (stretching the spring). It opens on rising differential pressure and closes on falling differential pressure to maintain constant differential pressure.

Settings

Differential pressure setting
 Differential pressure setting is being done by the adjustment of the setting spring for differential pressure control. The adjustment can be done by means of spring for differential pressure setting and pressure indicators.

Dimensions

VFG DN 15-125

VFG DN 150-250

VFG DN 150-250
with valve body extension up to 200 °C

VFG 2, VFG 21 Valves

DN	15	20	25	32	40	50	65	80	100	125	150	200	250	
L	130	150	160	180	200	230	290	310	350	400	480	600	730	
B	213	213	239	239	241	241	276	276	381	381	326	354	401	
H	267	267	304	304	323	323	370	370	505	505	505	591	661	
Weight	PN 16 / 25	7.5	8.5	10	12	15	18	27.5	30	58	68	115	185	323
	PN 40							30	32.5	60.5	69	141	253	333
B ₁											620	852	1199	
H ₁											799	1089	1459	
Weight (valve with body extension)	PN 16 / 25											154	301	469
	PN 40											179	336	505

AFPA Actuator

Actuator size	cm ²	80	250	630
A	mm	172	263	380
H	mm	430	470	520
Weight	kg	7.5	13	28

Seal pot V1

Seal pot V2

Shut off valve

Compression fitting



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