



Pressure flow controllers

AFA 2 / VFG 2(1) / VFG 22(1)

Pressure relief controller

Description

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

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

Further on two valve versions are available:

- VFG 2 / VFG 22 with metallic sealing cone
- VFG 21 / VFG 221 with soft sealing cone

Together with Danfoss intelligent electrical actuator AMEi 6 intelligent optimization functions are available:

- iNET-intelligent network balancing

Main data:

- DN 15-250
- k_{VS} 4.0-800 m³/h
- PN 16, 25, 40
- Setting range:
 - 0.1-0.4 bar / 0.2-0.8 bar / 0.3-1.5 bar / 1-3 bar / 0.5-3 bar / 1.5-6 bar / 4-14 bar / 10-16 bar
- Temperature:
 - Circulation water / glycolic water up to 30 %: 2 ... 150 °C (200 °C)
- Connections:
 - Flange

Features & benefits

- Essential System Safety:
 - Provides reliable overpressure protection as a self-acting controller that is normally closed and opens on rising pressure, automatically safeguarding the district heating system from pressure surges and potential damage.
- Enhanced Network Optimization:
 - Achieves advanced system control and efficiency by integrating with the Danfoss AMEi 6 intelligent electrical actuator, enabling the iNET function for intelligent and remote network balancing.
- Broad Application Flexibility:
 - Accommodates a wide array of system designs with its extensive range of sizes (DN 15-250), pressure ratings (PN 16-40), multiple pressure setting options, and flanged connections, ensuring a suitable model for diverse requirements.

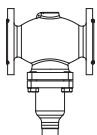
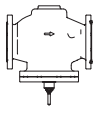
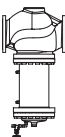


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Ordering

Product code numbers

VFG 2 / VFG 22 Valve (metal sealing cone)

Picture	DN (mm)	k _{vs} (m ³ /h)	Connections	T _{max.} (°C)	Code No.		
					PN16	PN25	PN40
	15 ²⁾	4.0	Flanges acc. to EN 1092-1	150 °C (PN16)	065B2388	065B2401	065B2411
	20 ²⁾	6.3			065B2389	065B2402	065B2412
	25 ²⁾	8.0			065B2390	065B2403	065B2413
	32 ²⁾	16			065B2391	065B2404	065B2414
	40 ²⁾	20			065B2392	065B2405	065B2415
	50 ²⁾	32			065B2393	065B2406	065B2416
	65	60		150 °C	065B5500	065B5507	065B5514
	80	80			065B5501	065B5508	065B5515
	100	160			065B5502	065B5509	065B5516
	125	250			065B5503	065B5510	065B5517
	150	380			065B5504	065B5511	065B5518
	200	650			065B5505	065B5512	065B5519
	250	800		200 °C ¹⁾	065B5506	065B5513	065B5520
	150 ²⁾	280			065B2424	-	On request
	200 ²⁾	320			065B2425	-	On request
	250 ²⁾	400			065B2426	-	On request

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

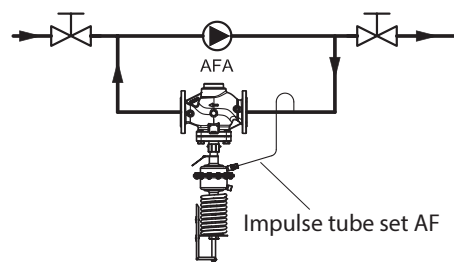
²⁾ VFG 2 valves require ordering of 003G1782 adapter for a combination with AFA 2 pressure actuators

Example 1:

Pressure relief controller, DN 65, k_{vs} 60 m³/h, PN 16, metallic sealing, setting range 1-3 bar, T_{max} 150 °C, flange;

- 1× VFG 22 DN 65 valve
Code no: **065B5500**
- 1× AFA 2 actuator
Code no: **003G5662**
- 1× Impulse tube set AF
Code no: **003G1391**

Products will be delivered separately.



VFG 21 / VFG 221 Valve (soft sealing cone)

Picture	DN (mm)	k _{vs} (m ³ /h)	Connections	T _{max.} (°C)	Code No.		
					PN16	PN25	PN40
	15 ¹⁾	4.0	Flanges acc. to EN 1092-1	150 °C	065B2502	-	-
	20 ¹⁾	6.3			065B2503	-	-
	25 ¹⁾	8.0			065B2504	-	-
	32 ¹⁾	16			065B2505	-	-
	40 ¹⁾	20			065B2506	-	-
	50 ¹⁾	32			065B2507	-	-
	65	60			065B5521	065B5528	065B5535
	80	80			065B5522	065B5529	065B5536
	100	160			065B5523	065B5530	065B5537
	125	250			065B5524	065B5531	065B5538
	150	380			065B5525	065B5532	065B5539
	200	650			065B5526	065B5533	065B5540
	250	800			065B5527	065B5534	065B5541

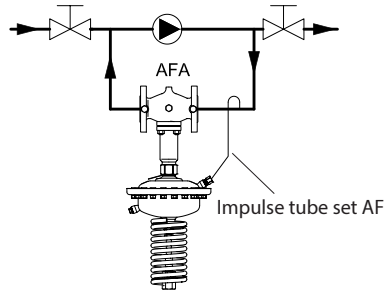
¹⁾ VFG 21 valves require ordering of 003G1782 adapter for a combination with AFA 2 pressure actuators

Example 2:

Pressure relief controller; DN 15; k_{vs} 4.0; metallic sealing; PN 16; setting range 0.5 - 3.0 bar; T_{max} 150 °C; flange;

- 1x VFG 2 DN 15 valve
Code no: **065B2388**
- 1x AFA 2 actuator
Code no: **003G5661**
- 1x Impulse tube set AF
Code no: **003G1391**
- 1x Adapter VFG 2 - AF(P)A 2
Code no: **003G1782**

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AFA 2 Actuator

Picture	Setting range (bar)	Possible combinations with DN	Actuator size (cm ²)	Spring colour	Code No.	
					PN16	PN40
	10-16	15-125	32	black ¹⁾	-	003G5667
	4-14	15-125	32	red	003G5659	003G5668
	1.5-6	15-125	80	red	003G5660	003G5669
	0.5-3	15-125	80	yellow	003G5661	003G5670
	1-3	15-250	160	red	003G5662	003G5671
	0.3-1.5	15-125	160	yellow	003G5663	003G5672
	0.4-1.5	15-250	320	red	003G5664	003G5673
	0.2-0.8	15-250	320	yellow	003G5665	003G5674
	0.1-0.4	15-250	640	yellow	003G5666	003G5675

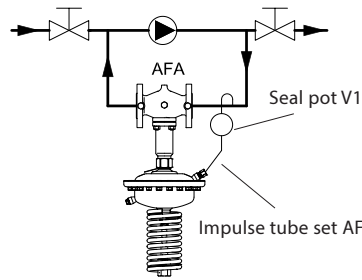
¹⁾ Combination with AMEi6 not possible

Example 3:

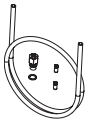

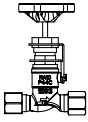

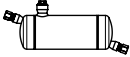
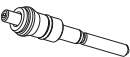
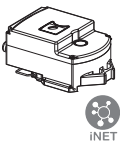
Pressure relief controller; DN 15; k_{vs} 4.0; metallic sealing; PN 25;
setting range 0.5 - 3 bar; T_{max} 200 °C; flange;

- 1x VFG 2 DN 15 valve
Code no: **065B2401**
- 1x AFA 2 actuator
Code no: **003G5670**
- 1x Impulse tube set AF
Code no: **003G1391**
- 1x Seal pot V1
Code no: **003G1392**
- 1x Adapter VFG 2 - AF(P)A 2
Code no: **003G1782**

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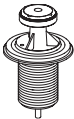
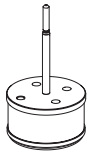
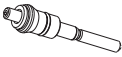



Accessories code numbers

Picture	Type designation	Description	Connections	Code No.
	Impulse tube set AF	- 1x Copper tube $\varnothing 10 \times 1 \times 1500$ mm - 1x compression fitting for imp. tube connection to pipe (G 1/4) - 2x socket	-	003G1391
	Compression fitting	For impulse tube $\varnothing 10$ connections to controller	G 1/4	003G1468
	Shut off valve	For impulse tube $\varnothing 10$	-	003G1401
	Static throttle valve			065B2909
	Seal pot V1	Capacity 1 liter; with compression fittings for imp. tube $\varnothing 10$	-	003G1392
	Seal pot V2	Capacity 3 liter; with compression fittings for imp. tube $\varnothing 10$, for actuator size 640 cm ²		003G1403
	Adapter VFG 2 - AFA 2	For combination of new Virtus pressure actuators AF(P)A 2, with old generation of valves VFx 2	-	003G1782
	AMEi 6 iNET el. actuator 230 V	Intelligent Δp actuator with iNET function	-	082G4302
	AMEi 6 iNET el. actuator 24 V			082G4303

Spare parts code numbers

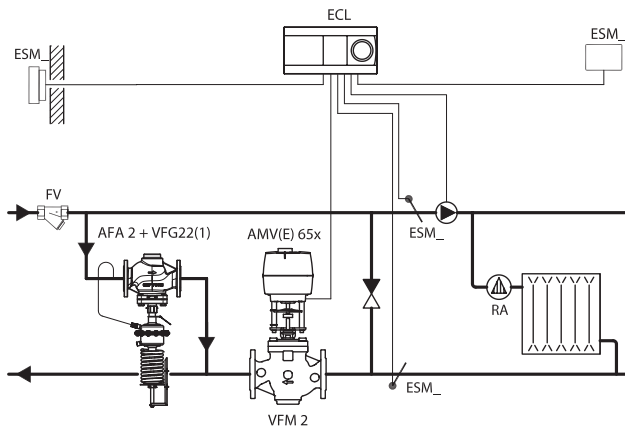
Service kits

Picture	Type designation	DN (mm)	k_{vs} (m ³ /h)	PN	for VFG 2 / VFG 22	for VFG 21 / VFG 221
	Valve insert	15	4.0	16/25/40	065B2796	065B2790
		20	6.3		065B2797	065B2791
		25	8.0		065B2798	065B2792
		32	16			
		40	20		065B2799	065B2793
		50	32			
	Pressure control insert VFG 22(1)	65	60		003G1800	003G1807
		80	80		003G1801	003G1808
		100	160		003G1802	003G1809
		125	250		003G1803	003G1810
		150	380		On demand	On demand
		200	650		On demand	On demand
		250	800		On demand	On demand
	Adapter VFG 2 - AFA 2	15-250	-		003G1782 ¹⁾	
	Pressure stuffing box VFG 22(1)	65-125	-	003G1730		
		150-200	-	003G1731		
		250	-	003G1732		

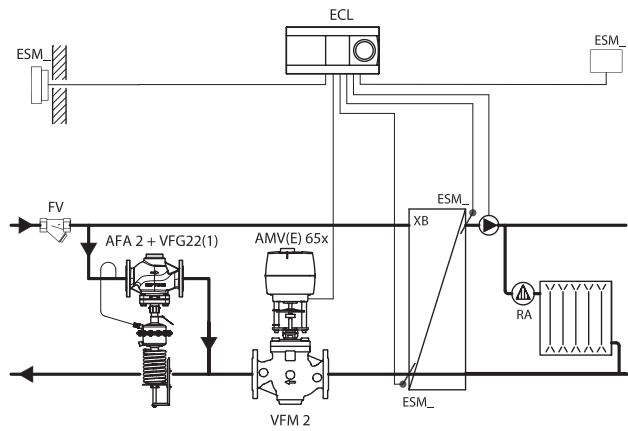
¹⁾ To be available end of Q1 2026

Overview

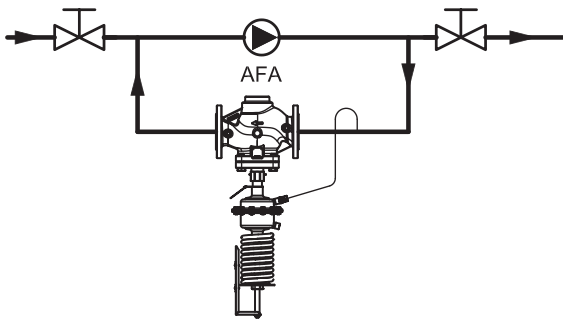
Application examples



Direct-connected heating system



Indirectly connected heating system



Pressure control for a pump in bypass

Product details

General data

VFG 2 / VFG 22(1) Valve

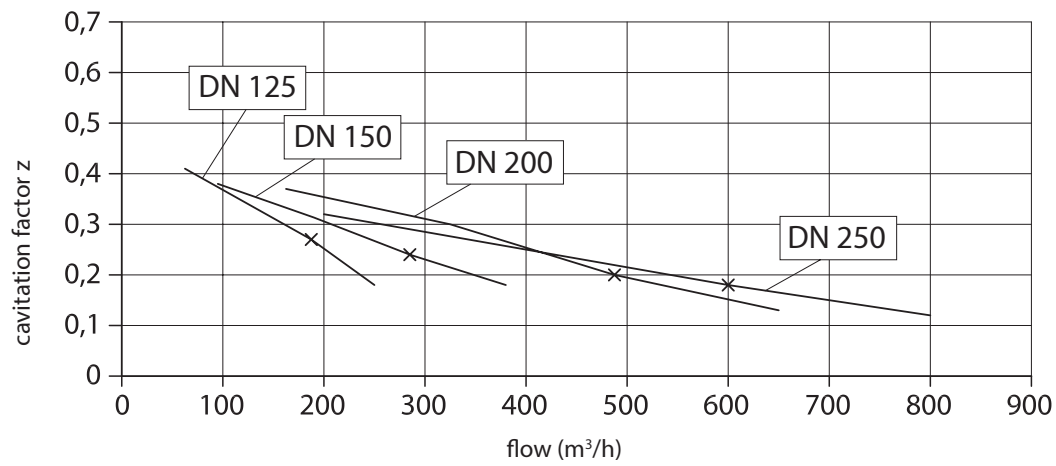
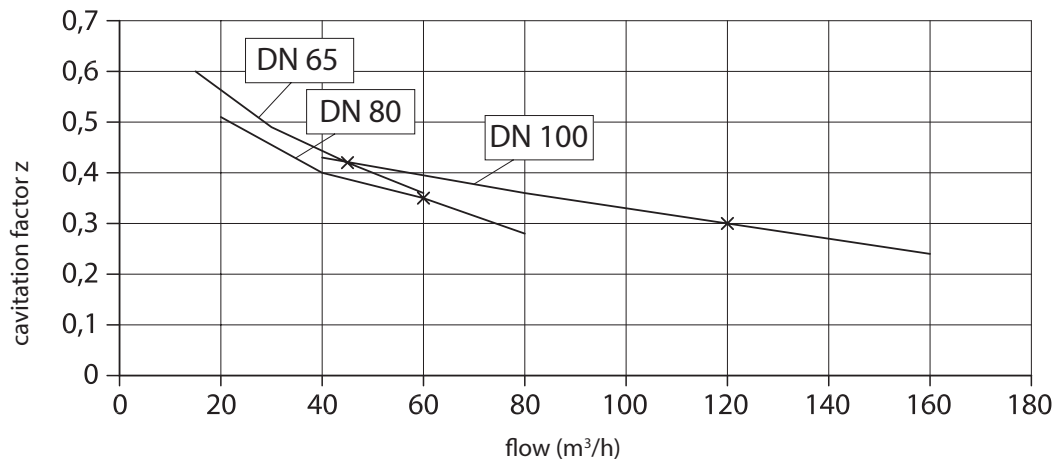
Nominal diameter		DN	15	20	25	32	40	50	65	80	100	125	150	200	250	
k _{VS} value of Δp controller		m ³ /h	4.0	6.3	8.0	16	20	32	60	80	160	250	380	650	800	
Cavitation factor z			0.6	0.6	0.6	0.55	0.55	0.5	0.42	0.35	0.3	0.27	0.23	0.2	0.18	
Leakage acc. to standard IEC 534 (% of k _{VS})	VFG 2 / VFG 22		≤ 0.03										≤ 0.05			
	VFG 21 / VFG 221		≤ 0.01													
Nominal pressure		PN	16, 25, 40													
Max. differential pressure	PN 16	bar	16								15	12	10			
	PN 25, 40		20													
Pressure relieve system			Bellows (Stainless steel 1.4571)						Chamber relieved							
Media			Circulation water / glycolic water up to 30 %													
Media pH			Min. 7, Max. 10													
Media temperature	VFG 2 / VFG 22	°C	2 ... 150 / 2 ... 200 ¹⁾						2 ... 150							
	VFG 21 / VFG 221		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. 14021													
Valve cone			Stainless steel, mat. No. 14404						Stainless steel, mat. No. 1.4021							
Sealing	VFG 2		Metal													
	VFG 22															
	VFG 21		EPDM													
	VFG 221															

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

AFA 2 Actuator

Actuator size	cm ²	32		80		160		320		640	
Max. operating pressure	bar	16, 40									
Diff. Pressure setting ranges and spring colours	bar	black ¹⁾	red	red	yellow	red	yellow	red	yellow	yellow	
		10-16	4-14	1.5-6	0.5-3	1-3	0.3-1.5	0.4-1.5	0.2-0.8	0.1-0.4	
For valve DN		15-125				15-250	15-125	15-250			
Materials											
Actuator housing		Steel, mat. No. 10345 , zinc plated									
Control diaphragm		EPDM									

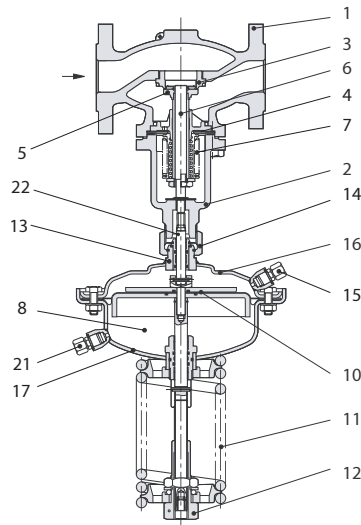
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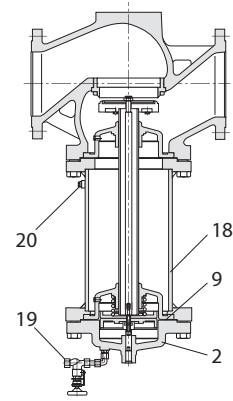
Design

DN15-50

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 pressure control
11. Setting spring for pressure control
12. Adjuster for 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
21. Air space bore
22. Adapter VFG 2 - AFA 2

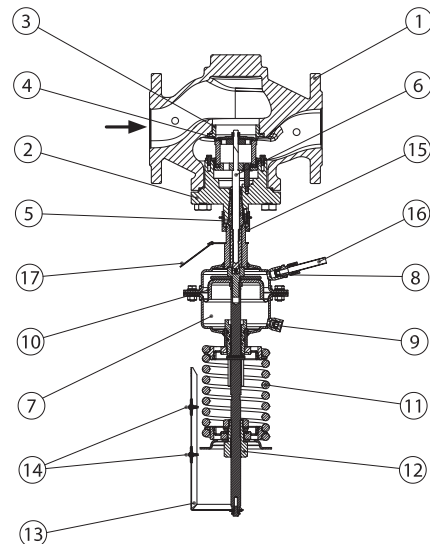


AFA 2 / VFG 2 DN15-50

VFG 2 DN150-250, T_{max} 200 °C

DN65-250

1. Valve body
2. Valve cover
3. Valve seat
4. Pressure control insert
5. Pressure stuffing box
6. Valve stem
7. Pressure actuator
8. Impulse tube connection
9. Air space bore
10. Diaphragm
11. Differential pressure setting spring
12. Differential pressure setting nut
13. Setting scale
14. Setting indicator
15. Union nut
16. Impulse tube
17. Identification plate



Function

The pressure in front of the control valve is being transferred through the impulse tube to the actuator chamber and act on control diaphragm for pressure control. On the other side of the diaphragm atmospheric pressure is acting (through air space bore). Control valve is normally closed. It opens on rising pressure and closes on falling pressure to maintain constant pressure.

Settings

Pressure setting

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

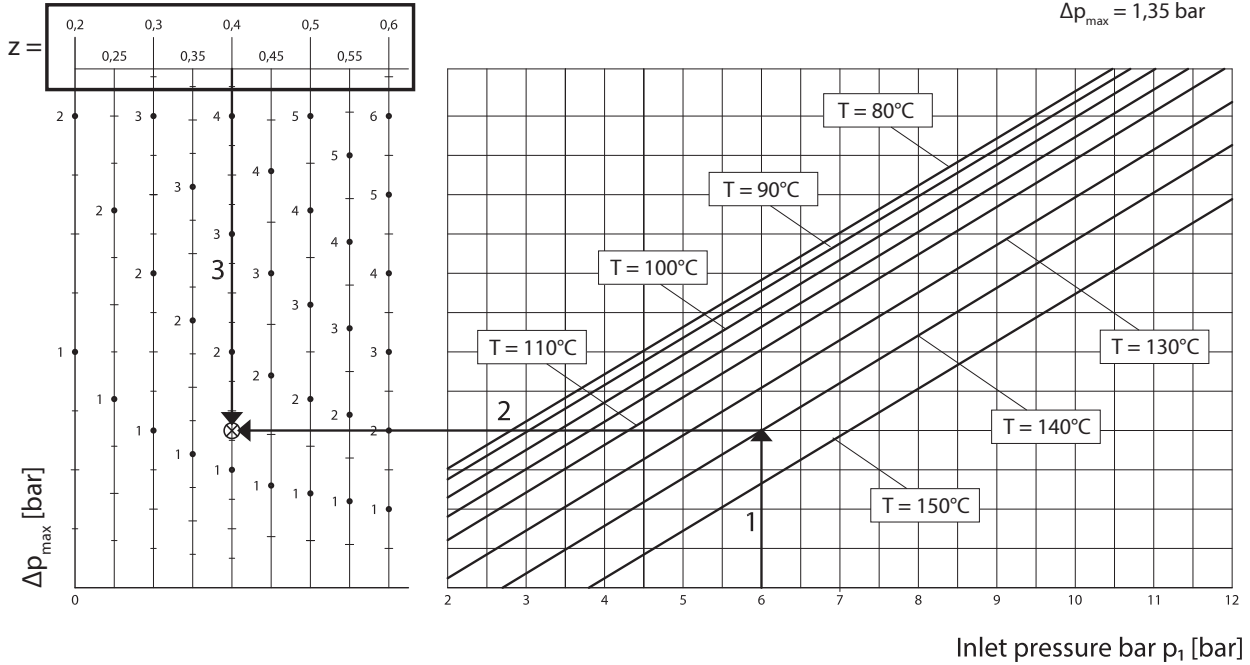
Pressure and temperature data

Operating area

Maximum allowed differential pressure over the controller (Δp_{max}) at different cavitation factors (z)

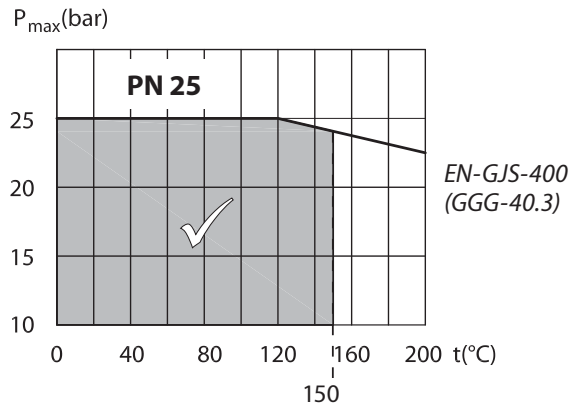
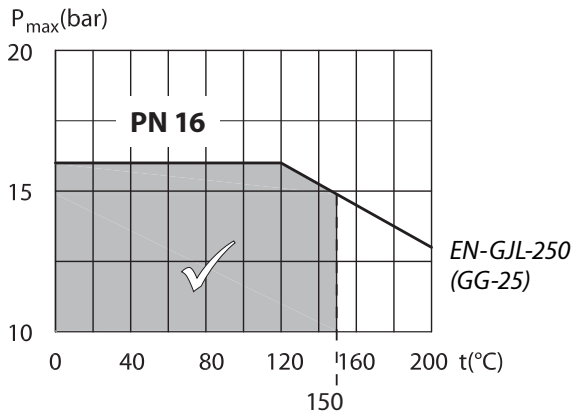
Δp_{max} at $z = 0,2 \dots 0,6$ [bar]

Example ⊗:
 $p_1 = 6$ bar
 $T = 140^\circ\text{C}$
 $z = 0,4$
 $\Delta p_{max} = 1,35$ bar

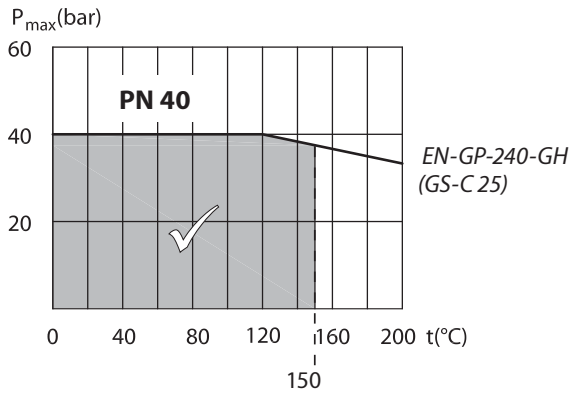


Pressure temperature diagram

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 1092-1)

Sizing

Example:

The application demands a maximal flow of 60 m³/h. The minimal differential pressure available over controller is 1.3 bar. Demanded opening setting pressure is 2 bar.

Given data:

$Q_{max} = 60 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$

$\Delta p_{min} = 1.3 \text{ bar}$

Calculate the k_v value:

$$k_v = \frac{Q_{max}}{\sqrt{\Delta p_{min}}} = \frac{60}{\sqrt{1.3}} = 52.6 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$$

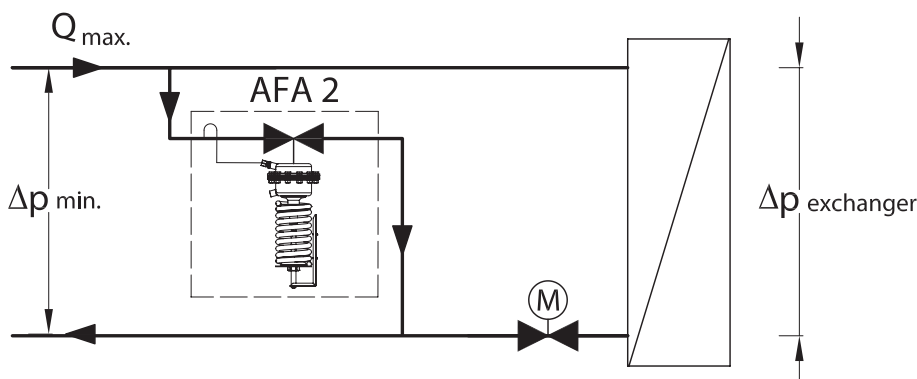
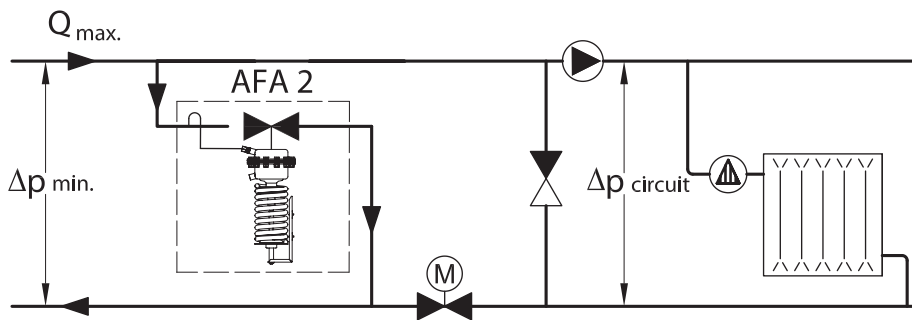
The first bigger k_{vs} to 52.6 m³/h is 60 m³/h and gives VFG 22 DN 65.

The available setting range to control 2 bar is 1-3 bar and is available for DN 65.

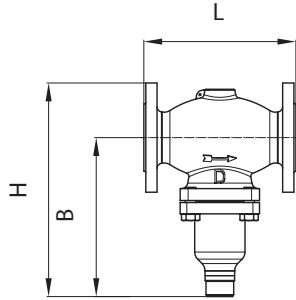
Solution:

AFA 2 1-3 bar

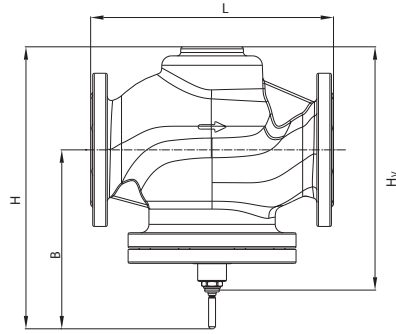
VFG 22 (221) DN 65 k_{vs} 60 m³/h



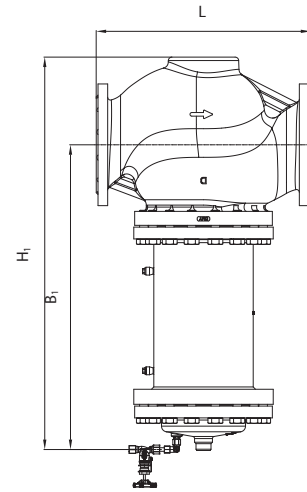
Dimensions



VFG 2 DN15-50



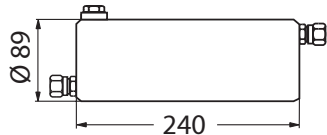
VFG 22(1) DN65-250



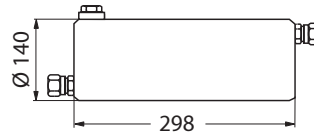
VFG DN150-250
with valve body extension up to 200 °C

VFG 2(1), VFG 22(1) Valves

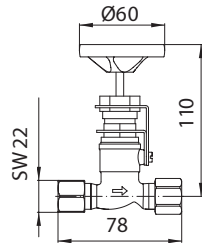
DN	L	B	H	H _v	B ₁	H ₁	Weight		
							PN 16	PN 25	PN 40
15	130	213	267	-	-	-	7.5	7.5	7.5
20	150	213	267	-	-	-	8.5	8.5	8.5
25	160	239	304	-	-	-	10	10	10
32	180	239	304	-	-	-	12	12	12
40	200	241	323	-	-	-	15	15	15
50	230	241	323	-	-	-	18	18	18
65	290	245	370	285	-	-	24	24	27
80	310	240	365	290	-	-	29	29	32
100	350	275	425	350	-	-	47	48	53
125	400	270	435	370	-	-	60	60	68
150	480	330	520	460	-	-	105	106	121
200	600	365	610	550	-	-	204	206	235
250	730	420	680	620	-	-	343	350	404
150 extension	480	-	-	-	620	799	154	-	179
200 extension	600	-	-	-	852	1089	301	-	336
250 extension	730	-	-	-	1199	1459	469	-	505



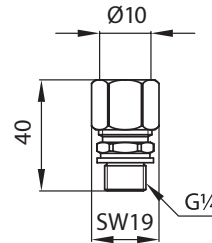
Seal pot V1



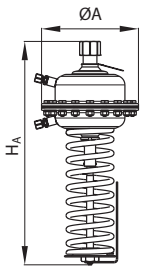
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Shut off valve



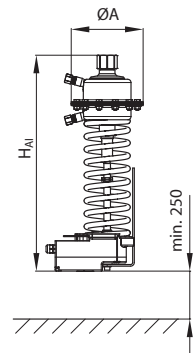
Compression fitting



AFA 2 Actuator

Size	ØA	H _A	H _{AI}	Weight (kg)			
				AFA 2 PN 16	AFA 2 PN 16 + AMEi 6	AFA 2 PN 40	AFA 2 PN 40 + AMEi 6
cm ²	mm						
32	175	490	590	10	12.5	17	19.5
80		490	590	9	11.5	16	18.5
160	230	490	590	12.5	15	25	27.5
320	300	490	590	17	19.5	37	39.5
640	300	610	710	40	42.5	58	60.5

Total installation height of the controller (VFG 22(1) valve + AFA 2 pressure actuator) is sum of H_V and H_A (H_{AI})

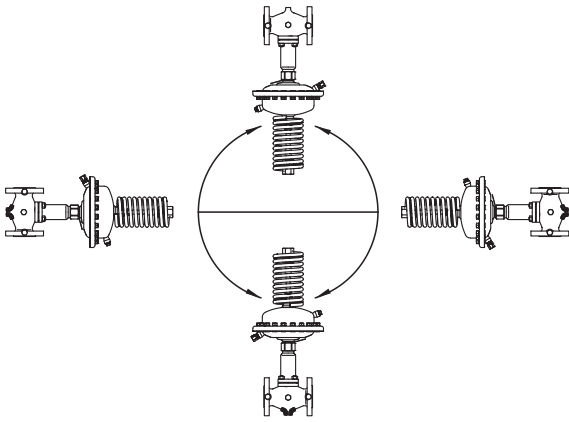


AMEi 6 intelligent actuator with iNET functionality should be ordered separately

Installation

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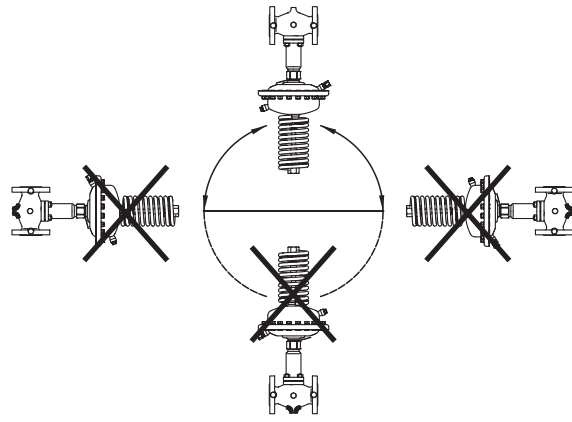
$T_{\max} \leq 120\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$



The controllers can be installed in any position.

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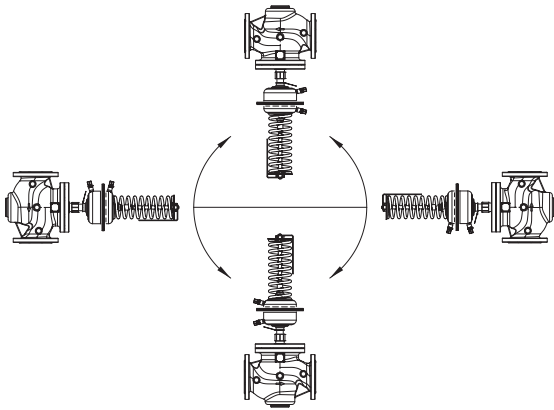
$T_{\max} > 120\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$



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

VFG 22(1) DN65-250

2 ... 150 °C



The controllers can be installed in any position.

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