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K Series

Process Control Valves

Catalog PCV-1/USA



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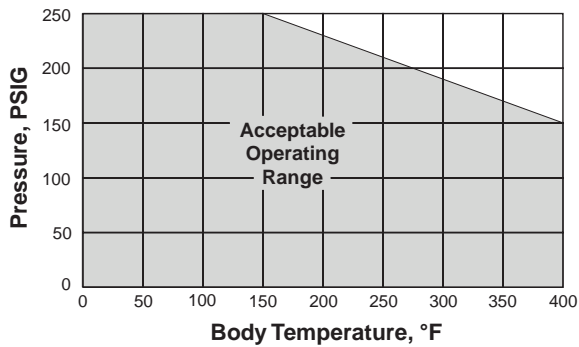
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Technical Specifications

- Maximum media pressure = 250 PSI (2" valve maximum = 230 PSI)
- Body sizes 1/2", 3/4", 1", 1 1/4", 1 1/2", 2"
- -40°F to 400°F (-40°C to 204°C) maximum temperature
- Actuator is field reversible, air to open, air to close
- Rolling style diaphragm provides uniform thrust
- Three actuator sizes: 37, 64, 135. Maximum 35 PSI on 37 and 64 sizes; maximum 25 PSI on 135 size.
- Stem diameter 7/16"
- Stem travel (stroke) 0.75" all sizes
- Multi-spring, low-profile actuators offer a 12 PSI control band. Other options available.
- 100% nitrogen gas tested
- Hard seat meets Class IV leakage standards; Duraseat™ meets Class VI standards

Body Pressure/Temperature Ratings



Materials of Construction

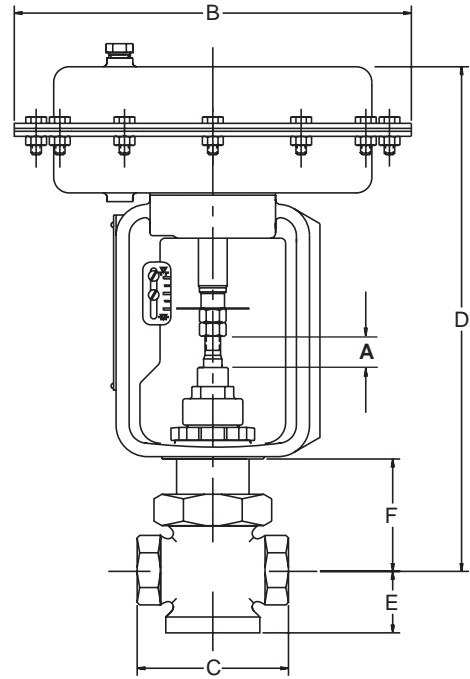
Part Name	Standard Material
Valve Body	Cast bronze ASTM B62
Plug, Hard Seat	17-4 stainless steel (linear & equal %)
Plug, Soft Seat	17-4 stainless steel with Duraseat (linear & equal %)
Seat	17-4 stainless steel, replaceable
Packing Nut	Cast bronze ASTM B62
Stem Packing	Combination of stainless steel filled PTFE and carbon filled PTFE seals; other options available
Bonnet	Brass ASTM B16
Packing Follower	Brass ASTM B16 with integral bearing
Stem Bearings	Engineered proprietary polymer
Yoke	Cast bronze, ASTM B62
Actuator Cover	Stamped steel with enamel finish. Stainless steel fasteners
Diaphragm	Molded EPDM reinforced with nylon fabric
Springs	Zinc-plated music wire

Flow Capacity & Pressure Drop

Body Size	Actuator Size	Flow Capacity (Cv)				Allowable Pressure Drop (PSI)					
						Air to Close or Air to Open					
		Standard Trim Sizes				37		64		135	
Full	Reduced	PSI	bar	PSI	bar	PSI	bar	PSI	bar		
1/2"	37, 64	6	2.5	1	—	250	17.2	250	17.2	—	—
3/4"	37, 64	8	2.5	1	—	250	17.2	250	17.2	—	—
1"	37, 64	13	8	6	2.5	190	13.1	250	17.2	—	—
1 1/4"	37, 64, 135	20	13	8	—	130	9.0	240	16.6	250	17.2
1 1/2"	37, 64, 135	27	20	13	—	100	6.9	180	12.4	250	17.2
2"	64, 135	50	27	20	—	—	—	110	7.6	230	15.9

Actuator Selection

Air to Open							
Set Distance "A"	0.75	0.81	0.88	0.94	1.00	1.06	
Actuator PSI at which Stroke Starts	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Air to Close							
Set Distance "A"	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	
Actuator PSI Required For Shutoff	18	19	20	21	22	23	
Line Pressure to Shut-Off							
Body	Actuator	Pressure Range (PSI)					
1/2"	37	0-110	111-140	141-170	171-200	201-230	231-250
	64	0-200	201-250				
3/4"	37	0-110	111-140	141-170	171-200	201-230	231-250
	64	0-200	201-250				
1"	37	0-70	71-100	101-120	121-140	141-160	161-190
	64	0-140	141-180	181-220	221-250		
1 1/4"	37	0-50	51-60	61-80	81-100	101-110	111-130
	64	0-90	91-120	121-150	151-180	181-210	211-240
	135	0-200	201-250				
1 1/2"	37	—	0-50	51-60	61-70	71-90	91-100
	64	0-70	71-90	91-120	121-140	141-160	161-180
	135	0-160	161-200	201-250			
2"	64	—	0-50	51-70	71-80	81-90	91-110
	135	0-90	91-120	121-150	151-170	171-200	201-230



Dimensions

Millimeter equivalent of inch dimensions given in ().

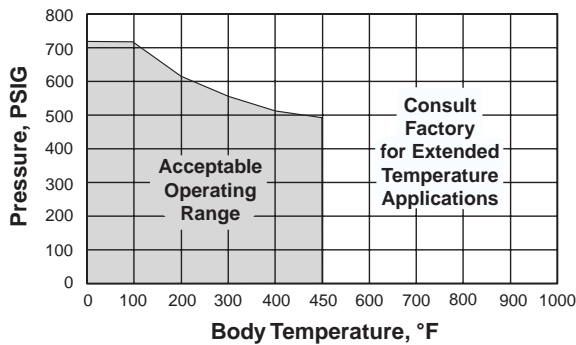
Body Size	A (Set Distance)	B			C	D			E	F
		37	64	135		37	64	135		
1/2"	See chart above	9.50 (241.3)	11.75 (298.5)	—	3.62 (91.9)	12.03 (305.6)	12.97 (329.4)	—	1.50 (38.1)	2.66 (67.6)
3/4"		9.50 (241.3)	11.75 (298.5)	—	3.62 (91.9)	12.03 (305.6)	12.97 (329.4)	—	1.50 (38.1)	2.66 (67.6)
1"		9.50 (241.3)	11.75 (298.5)	—	4.12 (104.6)	12.03 (305.6)	12.97 (329.4)	—	1.75 (44.5)	2.66 (67.6)
1 1/4"		9.50 (241.3)	11.75 (298.5)	16.25 (412.8)	5.38 (136.7)	12.10 (307.3)	13.04 (331.2)	13.53 (343.7)	2.25 (57.2)	2.73 (69.3)
1 1/2"		9.50 (241.3)	11.75 (298.5)	16.25 (412.8)	5.38 (136.7)	12.10 (307.3)	13.04 (331.2)	13.53 (343.7)	2.25 (57.2)	2.73 (69.3)
2"		—	11.75 (298.5)	16.25 (412.8)	7.50 (190.5)	—	13.96 (354.6)	14.45 (367.0)	2.50 (63.5)	3.65 (92.7)



Technical Specifications

- 300# Class stainless steel body per ANSI B16.34
- Body sizes 1/2", 1", 1½", 2"
- -40°F to 450°F (-40°C to 232°C) temperature range. For extended ranges, consult factory.
- Actuator is field reversible, air to open, air to close
- Rolling style diaphragm provides uniform thrust
- Three actuator sizes: 37, 64, 135. Maximum 35 PSI on 37 and 64 sizes; maximum 25 PSI on 135 size.
- Stem diameter 7/16"
- Stem travel (stroke) 0.75" all sizes
- Multi-spring, low-profile actuators offer a 12 PSI control band. Other options available.
- 100% nitrogen gas tested
- Hard seat meets Class IV leakage standards; Duraseat™ meets Class VI standards

Body Pressure/Temperature Ratings



Materials of Construction

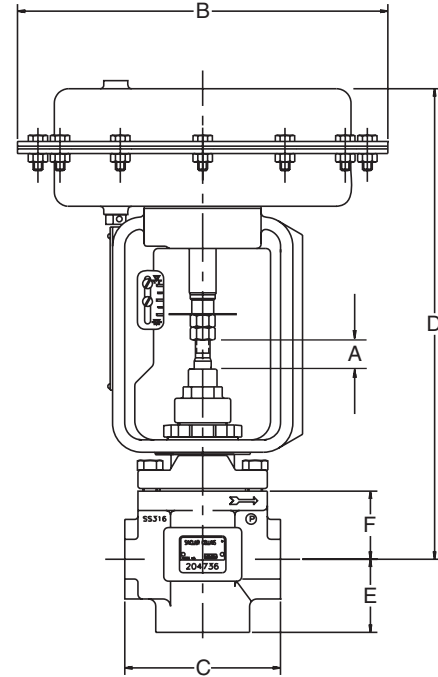
Part Name	Standard Material
Valve Body	Investment cast 316 stainless steel with integrally machined seat
Plug, Hard Seat	17-4 stainless steel (linear & equal %)
Plug, Soft Seat	17-4 stainless steel with Duraseat (linear & equal %)
Seat	Full flow – integral to body Reduced orifice – 17-4 stainless steel
Packing Nut	Investment cast 316 stainless steel
Stem Packing	Combination of stainless steel filled PTFE and carbon filled PTFE seals; other options available.
Bonnet	Stainless steel type 316
Bonnet Flange	Investment cast 316 stainless steel secured with 18-8 stainless steel bolts
Bonnet Gasket	18-8 spiral wound gasket with graphite filler
Packing Follower	Stainless steel type 316 with integral bearing
Stem Bearings	Engineered proprietary polymer
Yoke	Cast bronze, ASTM B62 with stainless steel coating FDA approved for incidental food contact
Actuator Cover	Stamped steel with enamel finish, stainless steel fasteners
Diaphragm	Molded EPDM reinforced with nylon fabric
Springs	Zinc-plated music wire

Flow Capacity & Pressure Drop

Port Size	Actuator Size	Flow Capacity (Cv)				Allowable Pressure Drop (PSI)					
						Air to Close or Air to Open					
		Standard Trim Sizes				37		64		135	
Full	Reduced			PSI	bar	PSI	bar	PSI	bar		
1/2"	37, 64	6	2.5	1	—	250	17.2	250	17.2	—	—
1"	37, 64	13	8	6	2.5	190	13.1	250	17.2	—	—
1½"	37, 64, 135	27	20	13	—	100	6.9	180	12.4	250	17.2
2"	64, 135	50	27	20	—	—	—	110	7.6	230	15.9

Actuator Selection

Air to Open							
Set Distance "A"	0.75	0.81	0.88	0.94	1.00	1.06	
Actuator PSI at which Stroke Starts	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Air to Close							
Set Distance "A"	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	
Actuator PSI Required For Shutoff	18	19	20	21	22	23	
Line Pressure to Shut-Off							
Body	Actuator	Pressure Range (PSI)					
1/2"	37	0-110	111-140	141-170	171-200	201-230	231-250
	64	0-200	201-250				
1"	37	0-70	71-100	101-120	121-140	141-160	161-190
	64	0-140	141-180	181-220	221-250		
1½"	37	—	0-50	51-60	61-70	71-90	91-100
	64	0-70	71-90	91-120	121-140	141-160	161-180
	135	0-160	161-200	201-250			
2"	64	—	0-50	51-70	71-80	81-90	91-110
	135	0-90	91-120	121-150	151-170	171-200	201-230



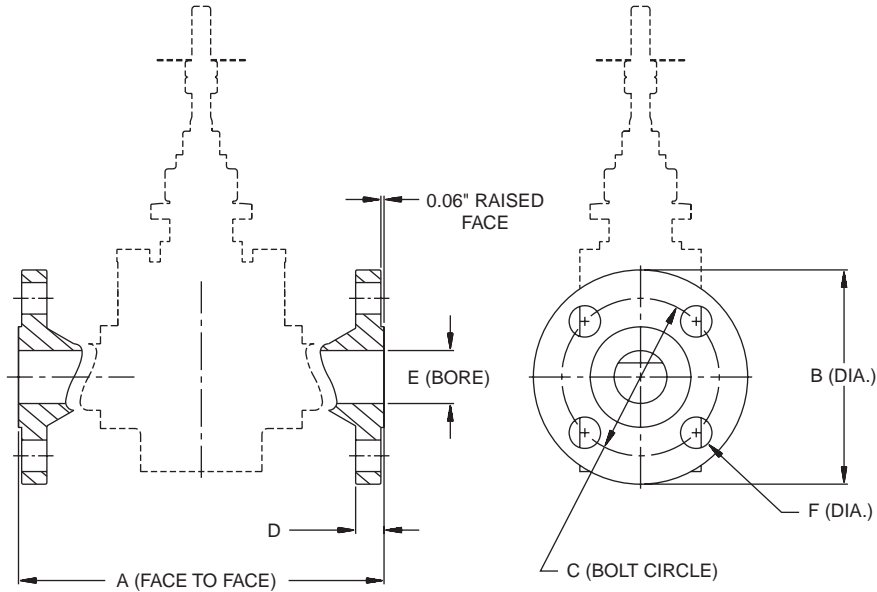
Dimensions

Millimeter equivalent of inch dimensions given in ().

Body Size	A (Set Distance)	B			C	D			E	F
		37	64	135		37	64	135		
1/2"	See chart above	9.50 (241.3)	11.87 (301.5)	—	3.10 (78.7)	12.00 (304.8)	12.94 (328.7)	—	1.50 (38.1)	2.62 (66.5)
1"		9.50 (241.3)	11.87 (301.5)	—	4.00 (101.6)	12.07 (306.6)	13.01 (330.5)	—	1.88 (47.8)	2.69 (68.3)
1½"		9.50 (241.3)	11.87 (301.5)	16.09 (408.7)	5.00 (127.0)	13.11 (333.0)	14.05 (356.9)	14.55 (369.6)	2.44 (62.0)	3.73 (94.7)
2"		—	11.87 (301.5)	16.09 (408.7)	7.50 (190.5)	—	15.39 (390.9)	15.39 (390.9)	3.83 (97.3)	4.57 (116.1)

Flange Mounting

Flanges are available on stainless steel valves only.



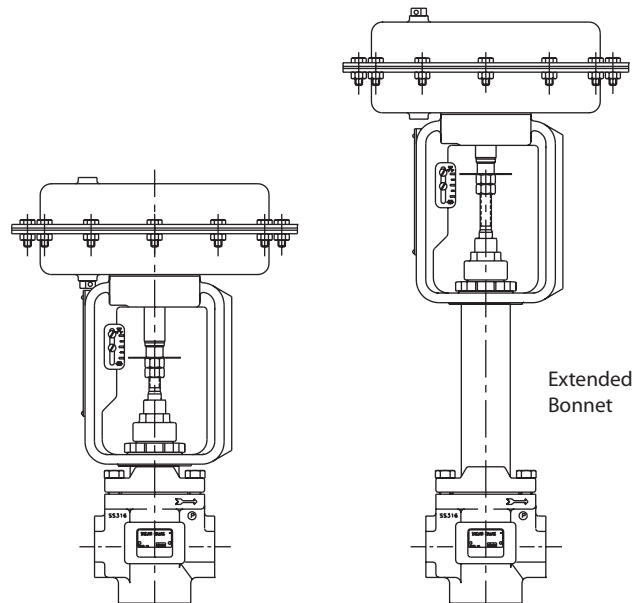
Dimensional Data

Body Size	150# Class						300# Class					
	A*	B	C	D	E	F	A*	B	C	D	E	F
1/2"	7.25 (184.2)	3.50 (88.9)	2.38 (60.5)	.44 (11.2)	.62 (15.7)	.62 (15.7)	7.50 (190.5)	3.75 (95.3)	2.62 (66.5)	.56 (14.2)	.62 (15.7)	.62 (15.7)
1"	7.25 (184.2)	4.25 (108.0)	3.12 (79.5)	.56 (14.2)	1.05 (26.7)	.62 (15.7)	7.75 (196.9)	4.88 (124.0)	3.50 (88.9)	.69 (17.5)	1.05 (26.7)	.75 (19.1)
1 1/2"	8.75 (222.3)	5.00 (127.0)	3.88 (98.6)	.69 (17.5)	1.61 (40.9)	.62 (15.7)	9.25 (235.0)	6.13 (155.7)	4.50 (114.3)	.81 (20.6)	1.61 (40.9)	.88 (22.4)
2"	11.25 (285.8)	6.00 (152.4)	4.75 (120.7)	.75 (19.1)	2.07 (52.6)	.75 (19.1)	11.75 (298.5)	6.50 (165.1)	5.00 (127.0)	.88 (22.4)	2.07 (52.6)	.75 (19.1)

* Face to face dimension per ISA-S75.03 except 2".

Extended Bonnet

Extended bonnet available for cryogenics or high temperature ranges. Consult your local representative or Sinclair Collins with specific application.



Pneumatic Positioner

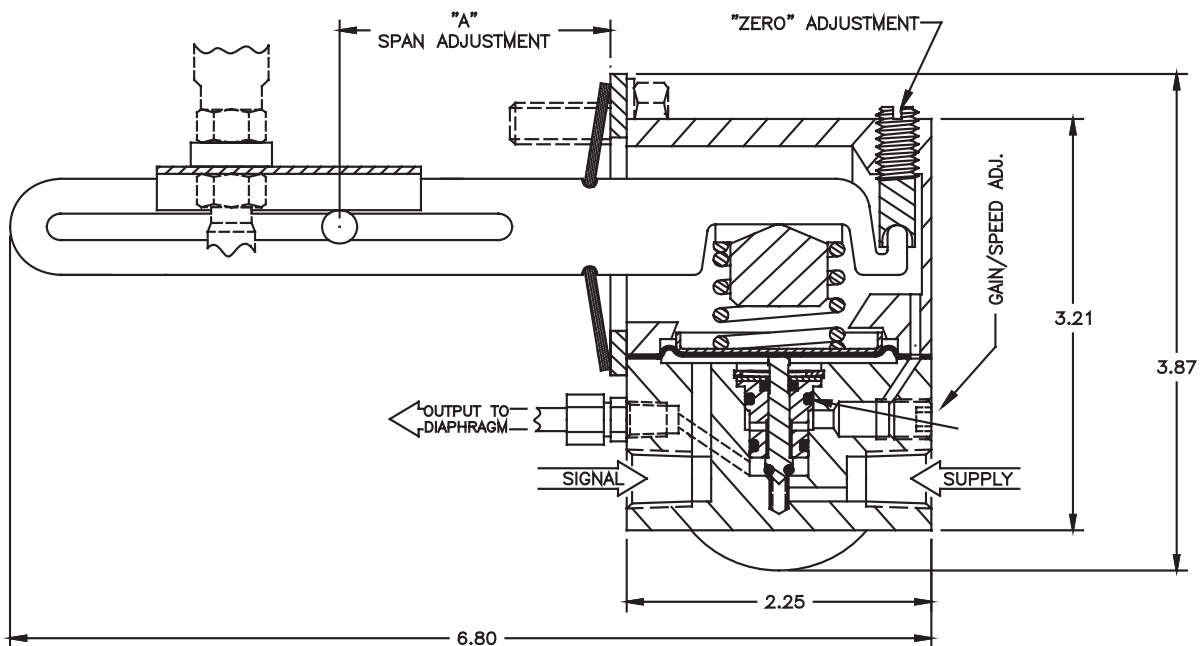
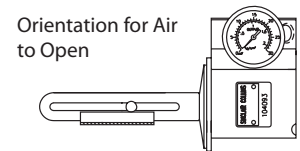
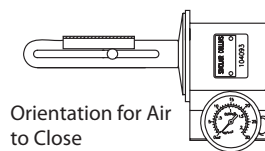
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Single acting positioner assures an exact relationship between controlled input signal and actuator valve stem position.

Specifications

Travel	3/4"
Signal Input	3-15 PSIG
Maximum Open Loop Gain	150:1
Minimum Open Loop Gain	50:1
Steady State Air Consumption @ 9 PSIG Signal & 30 PSIG Supply	.15 SCFM
Linearity	<+1.3% of Span
Hysteresis	<0.4% of Span
Dead Band	<0.2% of Span
Travel Time, 37 Actuator 3/4" Stroke @ 30 PSIG Supply*	1.2 Seconds, Air In 3.0 Seconds Air Out
Supply Pressure Effect	0.12% of Span
Ambient Temperature Effect	0.1% per 2°F
Ambient Temperature Range	-10° to +250°F
Connections	1/4" NPT Signal & Supply 1/8" NPT Output & Gauge
Manifold Body Material	Anodized Aluminum
Cover Material	Anodized Aluminum, Epoxy Coated
External Feedback Parts	Stainless Steel
Dimensions	2 1/2" x 3 1/4" x 3 3/4"
Weight	1.75 lbs.

* At maximum speed setting (gain screw flush)



I/P Transducer

K10-7

I/P 3-15 PSI output for direct actuator or with pneumatic positioner.

K10-9

I/P 1-18 output for direct actuation only.



Air Preparation Unit

K10-4

Filter/Regulator "piggyback" includes 1/4" NPT, 5 micron filter and 1-60 PSI relieving type regulator.

Gauge must be ordered separately.

Other units are available. Consult factory.



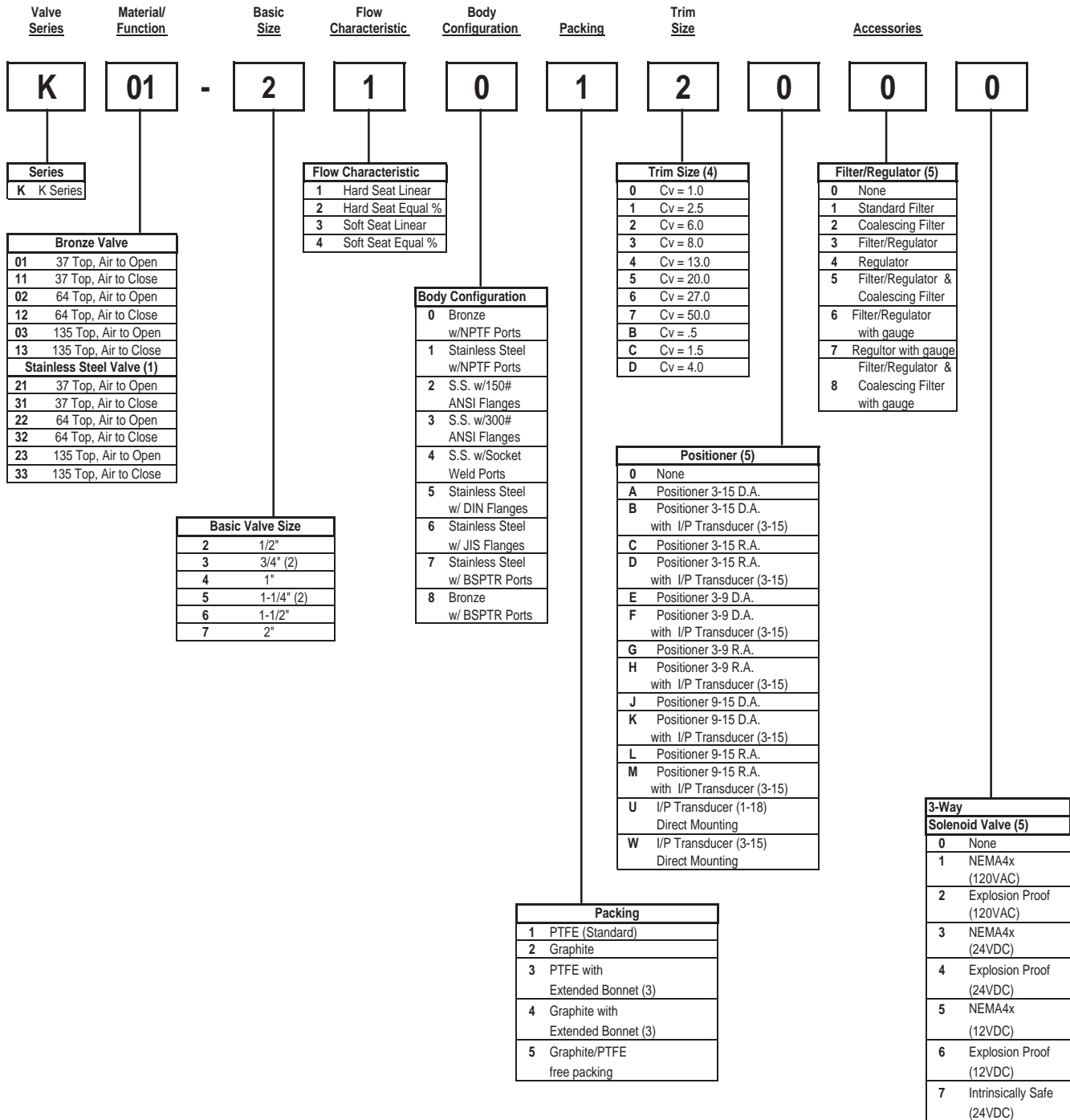
Solenoid Valve

K10-30

Three-way universal solenoid valve, 110 VAC, NEMA4x enclosure.

Other units are available. Consult factory.





- Notes:** (1) See pages 2 & 4 of catalog for body size/actuator combinations
 (2) Bronze only
 (3) Consult factory for specific applications
 (4) See pages 2 & 4 of catalog for body size/trim combinations
 (5) Includes installation charge unless ordered separately.

Example: K01-21012000 K Series, bronze air to open valve with 37 actuator, 1/2" linear hard seat body with NPTF ports, PTFE packing, Cv of 6, no accessories.

To size and select a process control valve, a number of factors must be considered. For more in-depth information, see following pages.

Valve Selection

- 1) Service
 - a) Modulating
 - b) On/Off
- 2) Media
 - a) Gas
 - b) Liquid
- 3) System Pressure (P1)
 - a) Maximum and minimum
- 4) Pressure Drop (ΔP)
 - a) Maximum and minimum
- 5) Flow Required
 - a) Maximum and minimum
- 6) Actuation
 - a) Air to Open (Fail to Close)
 - b) Air to Close (Fail to Open)
- 7) Actuator Signal (Source)*
- 8) Valve Characteristic
 - a) Equal percentage
 - b) Linear
- 9) Shutoff required
 - a) Class IV
 - b) Class VI
- 10) Body material
 - a) Bronze
 - b) Stainless steel
- 11) End connections
 - a) Threaded ports
 - b) Flanges
 - c) Socket weld
- 12) Packing (Seals)
- 13) Accessories
 - a) Positioner
 - b) I-P
 - c) Airset
 - d) Solenoid valve

* The actuator signal can come from an I-P transducer and/or a positioner. If the signal is from an I-P, specify the output span of the unit.

Calculating Flow Capacity (Cv)

Pressure Drop (ΔP)

For sizing a control valve when the pressure drop is unknown, use 5% of the system pressure for systems with pressure greater than 200 PSI (1375.95 kPa). For systems with pressure less than 200 PSI (1375.95 kPa), use 10 PSI (68.95 kPa).

Liquid

$$Cv = \frac{q_f}{N_1 F_p F_r} \sqrt{\frac{G_f}{\Delta P}}$$

Choked flow*: $\Delta P \geq FL^2 (P_1 - FrP_v)$.

If actual ΔP is greater than the value for choked flow, use the lower of the two values for sizing.

Gas/Steam

Flow by Volume

$$Cv = \frac{q_g}{N_7 F_p P_1 Y} \sqrt{\frac{G_g T_1 Z}{x}}$$

Flow by Weight

$$Cv = \frac{w}{N_8 F_p P_1 Y} \sqrt{\frac{T_1 Z}{xM}}$$

Choked flow*: $\Delta P \geq P_1 F_{kxt}$

If actual ΔP is greater than the value for choked flow, substitute (F_{kxt}) for x.

Non-choked

$$Y = 1 - \frac{(x)}{3 F_{kxt}}$$

Choked

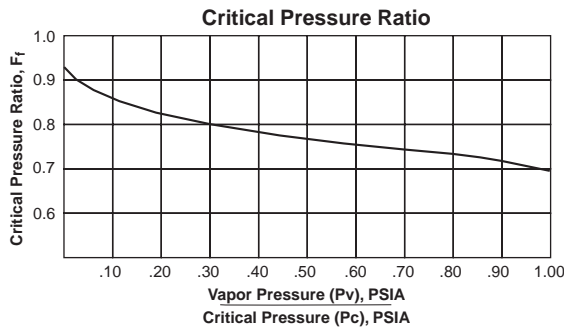
$$Y = 1 - \frac{(F_{kxt})}{3 F_{kxt}} = \frac{2}{3}$$

*Choked Flow

This is the point where additional pressure drop will not result in an increase in flow.

Where:

- Cv Universal valve sizing coefficient
- Ff Liquid critical pressure ratio (see chart below). Use when the fluid has a high temperature and the vapor pressure is approaching that of the inlet pressure.



- Fk Ratio of specific heat factor to air = k/1.4
- FL Factor for the amount of pressure that a liquid recovers as it flows through the geometry of a valve and the effect it has on the maximum capacity. Representative value = 0.9
- Fp Piping geometry factor. This value is an adjustment to the Cv of a valve that is to be installed between pipe reducers. Although this factor can be crucial for rotary valves the effect on globe style valves is minimal. If the valve selected has a full size trim, an addition of 5% to the calculated Cv will be sufficient. If the valve has reduced trim, then the effect of the reducers is even less and this adjustment can be ignored.
- Fr Factor for Reynolds number. Use a factor of (1) unless the fluid has a viscosity greater than 40 centistokes or Cv's less than 0.2. This adjusts the Cv for non turbulent flow conditions.
- Gf Specific gravity of liquids at flowing temperatures relative to water @ 60°F.
- Gg Specific gravity of gas relative to air with both at standard pressure and temperature.
- k Ratio of specific heat. Air = 1.4, Steam = 1.3
- M Molecular weight (steam has a molecular weight of 18.03)
- P1 Upstream pressure (absolute)
- P2 Downstream pressure (absolute)
- Pc Thermodynamic critical pressure.
- Pv Vapor pressure. The pressure and temperature at which a fluid begins to boil
- ΔP Pressure drop (P1 - P2)
- qf Flow rate by volume – liquid
- qg Flow rate by volume – gas
- T Absolute temperature.
US = R (460 + °F) SI = K (273 + °C)
- Vc Vena contracta. This is the point downstream of the valve orifice where the flow is at the greatest velocity and lowest pressure.

- w Flow rate by weight
- x Ratio of pressure drop to upstream pressure (ΔP / P1)
- xt Value of x when Y is at the lowest limit (.667). At this point an additional increase in ΔP will not result in an increase of flow. Representative value = 0.7
- Y Expansion factor. This factor represents the change of the specific weight of a gas as it passes from the inlet of the valve to the vena contracta (Vc).
- Z Compressibility Factor. This is a function for determining the relationship of the density of a gas to the actual temperature and pressure conditions. At pressures below 720 PSI, the effects are minimal and a factor of (1) can be used.

Additional Factors:

- Kc Cavitation index. This describes the point where the flow begins to depart from the proportional relationship of flow versus the square root of pressure drop.
Kc = ΔP / P1 - Pv
- ΔPm The amount of pressure drop required to produce choked flow

$$\Delta P_m = F_L^2 (P_1 - F_r P_v) \text{ in PSI}$$

Commonly Used Units		
	U.S.	S.I.
Steam and vapors (weight units)	lb/hr	kg/hr
Gases (volumetric units)	scfh	m ³ /h
Liquids (volumetric units)	gpm	m ³ /h
Pressure	psia	kPa

Values for Use in Calculations		
	U.S.	S.I.
N1	1.0	.0865
N7	1,360	4.17
N8	19.3	.948
qf	gpm	m ³ /h
qg	scfh	m ³ /h
P	psia	kPa
w	lb/hr	kg/h
T	R (460 + °F)	K (273 + °C)

Common Subscripts	
1	upstream
2	downstream
f	liquid
g	gas

Trim Size

In the discussion of sizing and flow characteristics for Sinclair Collins valves, the components referred to as trim (full or reduced) will be the plug/stem assembly and the valve seat.

Actuator Selection

Air to Open and Air to Close

Actuators can be ordered air to open (fail to close) or air to close (fail to open).

Actuator Sizing

Select valve body size based on Cv and system requirements. Identify the maximum system pressure (P₁) that the valve has to seal against.

The tables to the right show pressure required to actuate an air to open or air to close actuator for various system pressure ranges. For example, a 1" valve with a 37 actuator air to open, will begin to actuate with a 3 PSI signal against a system pressure up to 70 PSI (full open at 15). If the same valve is used in a system that has a pressure of 150 PSI, then 7 PSI would be required to the actuator to start opening and 19 PSI would be required to fully open the valve.

Actuation Pressure

If an I-P is supplying the air pressure (PSI) to the actuator, then identify the output span of the unit for proper selection. A common output range is 3-15 PSI. However, additional pressures and spans are available. The charts on the right identify the minimum pressure required to actuate the valve. Once the minimum pressure is identified, an additional 12 PSI will fully extend the actuator. Please note that an air to close valve requires a pressure greater than 15 PSI for shutoff. Therefore, an I-P will have to be selected with an output sufficient to met this requirement or consider the use of a positioner.

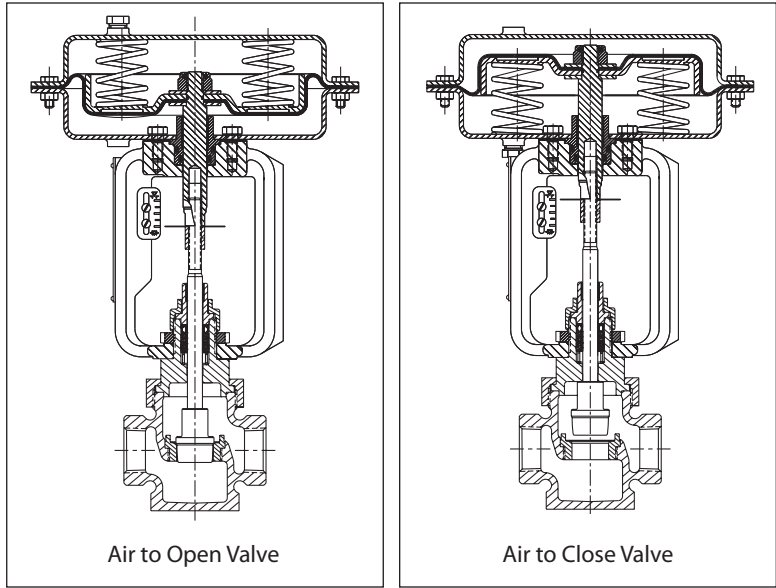
If a positioner is used, select an actuator based on the valve size and the system pressure. This is possible because the positioner is regulated by the valve's stem position and therefore can supply a higher pressure (PSI) to the actuator.

Shutoff

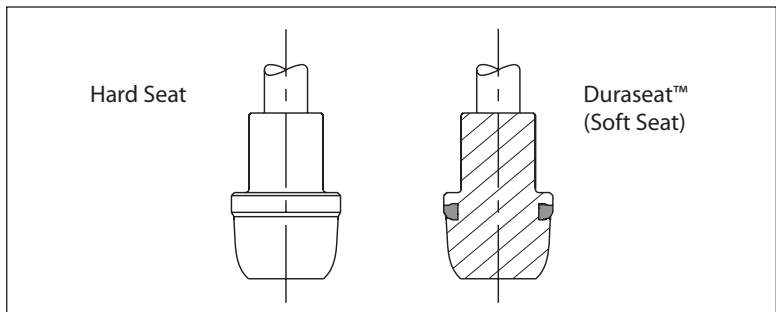
K Series valves are available with either hard or soft seat. Normally the hard seat offers Class IV sealing. For Class VI shutoff, Sinclair Collins features the exclusive Duraseat™ that combines the sealing qualities of PTFE with the toughness of stainless steel to the plug.

Class IV Sealing – Leakage rate of 0.01% of rated valve capacity

Class VI Sealing – Maximum permissible leakage associated with resilient seating valves. Expressed as bubbles per min as per RP39.6*.



Air to Open							
Set Distance "A"	0.75	0.81	0.88	0.94	1.00	1.06	
PSI to Actuator at which Stroke Starts	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Air to Close							
Set Distance "A"	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	
PSI to Actuator Required For Shutoff	18	19	20	21	22	23	
Line/System Pressure to Shut-Off							
Port	Actuator	Pressure Range (PSI)					
1/2"	37	0-110	111-140	141-170	171-200	201-230	231-250
	64	0-200	201-250				
3/4"	37	0-110	111-140	141-170	171-200	201-230	231-250
	64	0-200	201-250				
1"	37	0-70	71-100	101-120	121-140	141-160	161-190
	64	0-140	141-180	181-220	221-250		
1 1/4"	37	0-50	51-60	61-80	81-100	101-110	111-130
	64	0-90	91-120	121-150	151-180	181-210	211-240
	135	0-200	201-250				
1 1/2"	37	—	0-50	51-60	61-70	71-90	91-100
	64	0-70	71-90	91-120	121-140	141-160	161-180
	135	0-160	161-200	201-250			
2"	64	—	0-50	51-70	71-80	81-90	91-110
	135	0-90	91-120	121-150	151-170	171-200	201-230



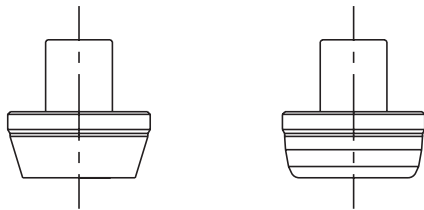
Flow Characteristic

Flow characteristic is the relationship in a valve between a change of signal to the actuator and a corresponding change in flow.

Quick Opening – Normally used for on/off service and not throttling applications. A quick open contour is designed for a rapid increase in flow.

Equal % – Equal increments of stem travel will yield an equal percentage of change to the existing flow. In the installed condition, this design becomes more linear with a decreasing proportion of pressure drop across the valve.

Linear – Equal increments of stem travel will yield equal increments of flow. This is represented by a straight line on a chart depicting flow vs. stem travel. If smaller proportions of the system pressure drop are taken across the valve, this design results in a flow similar to a quick opening plug.



Linear Plug

Equal %

NOTE: Many times a valve is sized at approximately 50% of capacity for various reasons. In this condition, a linear plug will use only 50% of the valve stroke. An equal percentage design will use approximately 80% of its stroke under the same conditions and therefore offer a larger span of control.

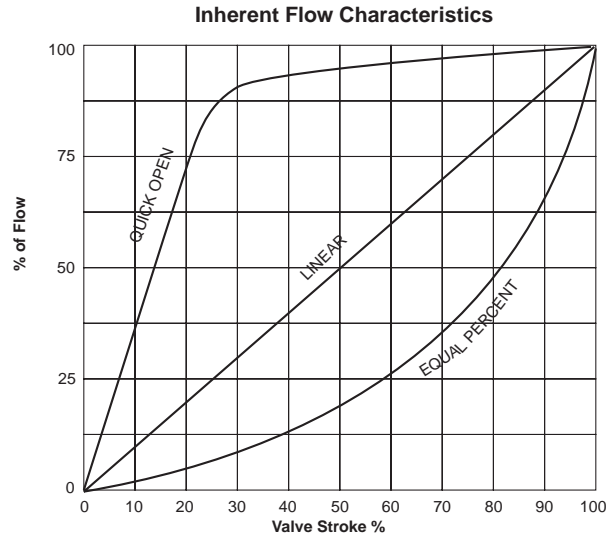
Installed Flow Characteristics

These charts graphically represent how flow through a valve changes in relation to the valve stroke for three common flow characteristics. The "inherent" graph reflects a constant pressure drop that is maintained throughout the stroke of the valve. The "installed" graph reflects a pressure drop that changes according to the valve stroke and the corresponding change in flow.

The graphs do not reflect piping losses that could affect an installed valve. These losses would further exaggerate the installed curve in relation to the inherent curve.

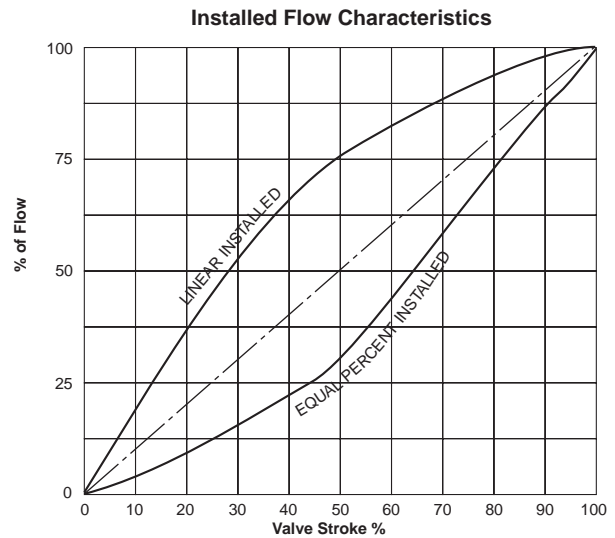
Inherent Flow Characteristic

This is the flow characteristic of the valve as designated by the manufacturer. It does not include system variables.



Installed flow characteristic

The installed flow characteristic of the valve does include certain system variables. This will better reflect the performance of the valve installed in a system.



% Stroke vs. Cv

Bronze Valves, Linear Plug

Valve Size	Trim Size	% Stroke									
		10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100
1/2"	6.0	0.50	1.80	2.70	3.50	4.20	4.70	5.20	5.80	6.20	6.3
	2.5	0.13	0.51	0.88	1.24	1.53	1.77	2.01	2.25	2.44	2.76
	1.0	0.12	0.23	0.34	0.45	0.55	0.64	0.73	0.82	0.90	1.0
3/4"	8.0	0.60	1.80	3.00	3.90	4.70	5.30	6.10	6.80	7.60	8.0
	2.5	0.13	0.51	0.88	1.24	1.53	1.77	2.01	2.25	2.44	2.76
	1.0	0.12	0.23	0.34	0.45	0.55	0.64	0.73	0.82	0.90	1.00
1"	13.0	1.30	2.80	4.20	5.40	6.50	7.20	8.10	9.70	11.00	13.0
	8.0	0.96	1.90	2.80	3.67	4.64	5.49	6.24	6.83	7.43	8.0
	6.0	0.98	1.85	2.49	2.98	3.47	3.98	4.50	4.85	5.35	6.0
	2.5	0.13	0.54	0.93	1.28	1.60	1.86	2.11	2.32	2.45	2.70
1 1/4"	20.0	1.3	3.9	6.2	8.2	10.3	12.3	14.4	16.5	19.1	21.5
	13.0	1.3	2.6	3.9	5.2	6.5	7.8	9.1	10.4	11.7	13.0
	8.0	0.60	1.80	3.00	3.90	4.70	5.30	6.10	6.80	7.60	8.0
1 1/2"	27.0	2.8	6.2	9.2	12.2	15.0	17.6	20.4	22.5	25.9	27.0
	20.0	1.3	3.9	6.2	8.2	10.3	12.3	14.4	16.5	19.1	21.5
	13.0	1.3	2.6	3.9	5.2	6.5	7.8	9.1	10.4	11.7	13.0
2"	50.0	5.3	10.3	15.3	20.7	25.7	31.6	36.4	40.5	46.1	50.0
	27.0	2.8	6.2	9.2	12.2	15.0	17.6	20.4	22.5	25.9	27.0
	20.0	1.3	3.9	6.2	8.2	10.3	12.3	14.4	16.5	19.1	21.5

Bronze Valves, Equal % Plug

Valve Size	Trim Size	% Stroke									
		10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100
1/2"	6.0	0.30	0.50	0.60	0.70	1.00	1.50	2.20	2.90	4.20	6.3
	2.5	0.05	0.07	0.09	0.21	0.32	0.61	0.91	1.33	1.80	2.58
	1.0	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.15	0.23	0.39	0.56	0.81	1.00
3/4"	8.0	0.40	0.50	0.70	1.10	1.70	2.30	4.10	5.90	7.30	8.0
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1"	13.0	0.50	0.80	1.30	1.90	2.50	3.60	6.50	9.00	11.10	13.0
	8.0	0.47	0.30	0.41	0.72	1.02	2.45	3.72	5.38	6.68	8.0
	6.0	0.33	0.43	0.61	0.82	1.13	1.46	2.04	2.72	4.00	6.0
	2.5	0.05	0.07	0.09	0.21	0.32	0.61	0.91	1.33	1.80	2.58
1 1/4"	20.0	0.8	1.7	2.4	3.8	5.1	6.3	9.3	14.1	16.4	20.0
	13.0	0.3	0.5	0.7	1.1	1.6	2.5	3.8	5.7	8.6	13.0
	8.0	0.40	0.50	0.70	1.10	1.70	2.30	4.10	5.90	7.30	8.0
1 1/2"	27.0	0.9	1.7	2.8	4.8	7.1	12.1	17.5	21.8	24.4	27.0
	20.0	0.8	1.5	2.4	3.5	4.7	6.2	9.2	13.2	16.1	19.6
	13.0	0.3	0.5	0.7	1.1	1.6	2.5	3.8	5.7	8.6	13.0
2"	50.0	1.6	3.1	5.2	9.7	20.5	28.4	35.5	43.5	49.5	52.7
	27.0	0.9	1.7	2.8	4.8	7.1	12.1	17.5	21.8	24.4	27.0
	20.0	0.8	1.5	2.4	3.5	4.7	6.2	9.2	13.2	16.1	19.6

% Stroke vs. Cv

Stainless Steel Valves, Linear Plug

Valve Size	Trim Size	% Stroke									
		10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100
1/2"	6.0	1.00	2.10	3.10	4.00	4.10	4.30	4.80	5.10	5.50	6.0
	2.5	0.13	0.51	0.88	1.24	1.53	1.77	2.01	2.25	2.44	2.76
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	20.0	1.3	3.9	6.2	8.2	10.3	12.3	14.4	16.5	19.1	21.5
	13.0	1.3	2.6	3.9	5.2	6.5	7.8	9.1	10.4	11.7	13.0
2"	50.0	4.7	10.8	15.9	20.5	25.1	30.1	34.7	39.5	46.6	52.1
	27.0	2.3	5.7	9.3	12.0	14.6	16.8	19.0	20.9	25.1	27.7
	20.0	1.3	3.9	6.2	8.2	10.3	12.3	14.4	16.5	19.1	21.5

Stainless Steel Valves, Equal % Plug

Valve Size	Trim Size	% Stroke									
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	2.5	0.05	0.07	0.09	0.21	0.32	0.61	0.91	1.33	1.80	2.58
	1.0	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.15	0.23	0.39	0.56	0.81	1.00
1"	12.0	0.49	0.80	1.10	1.80	2.50	3.30	6.10	7.40	10.60	12.0
	8.0	0.47	0.30	0.41	0.72	1.02	2.45	3.72	5.38	6.68	8.0
	6.0	0.33	0.43	0.61	0.82	1.13	1.46	2.04	2.72	4.00	6.0
	2.5	0.05	0.07	0.09	0.21	0.32	0.61	0.91	1.33	1.80	2.58
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	20.0	0.8	1.5	2.4	3.5	4.7	6.2	9.2	13.2	16.1	19.6
	13.0	0.3	0.5	0.7	1.1	1.6	2.5	3.8	5.7	8.6	13.0
2"	50.0	1.9	3.6	6.1	11.9	20.5	28.0	35.8	44.4	50.8	53.4
	27.0	0.9	1.7	2.8	4.8	7.1	12.1	17.5	21.8	24.4	27.0
	20.0	0.8	1.5	2.4	3.5	4.7	6.2	9.2	13.2	16.1	19.6



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