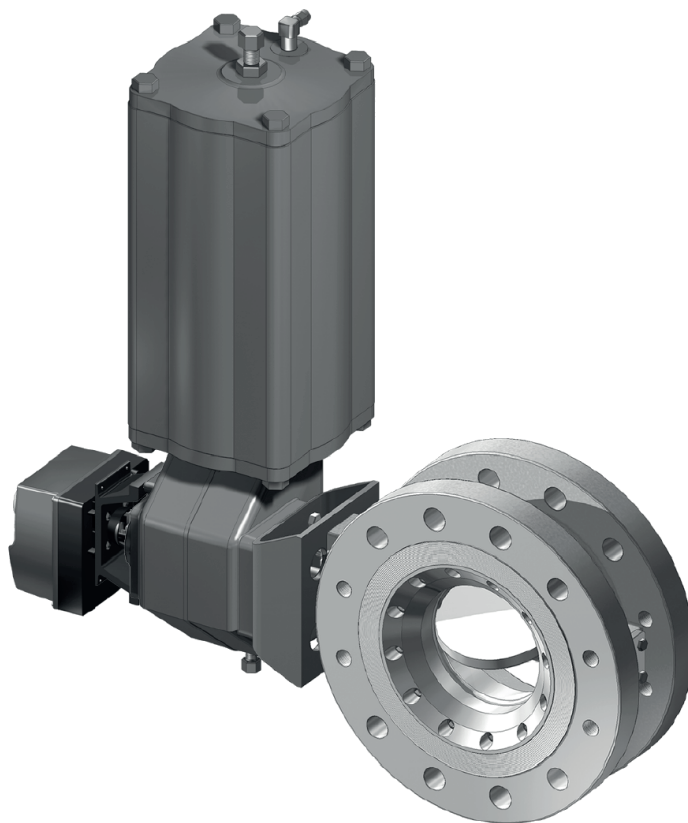


# Neles™ Neldisc™ high performance butterfly valves

## Series L6, L4

Installation, maintenance and  
operating instructions



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# L series Neles™ Neldisc™ high performance butterfly valves

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These instructions assume that operators already have a general understanding of the requirements for safe operation of mechanical and electrical equipment in potentially hazardous environments. Therefore, these instructions should be interpreted and applied in conjunction with the safety rules and regulations applicable at the site and the particular requirements for operation of other equipment at the site.

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# INTRODUCTION

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## SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS!

The following instructions should be thoroughly reviewed and understood prior to installing, operating or performing maintenance on this equipment. Throughout the text, safety and/or caution notes will appear and must be strictly adhered to, otherwise, serious injury or equipment malfunction could result.

Valmet has highly skilled personnel available for startup, maintenance and repair of our valves and component parts.

Arrangements for this service can be made through your local Valmet representative or sales department. When performing maintenance use only Valmet replacement parts. Parts are obtainable through your local representative or spare parts department.

When ordering parts, always include Model and Serial Number of the unit being repaired.

## 1. GENERAL

These installation and maintenance instruction apply to 4-80" (DN100-2000), pressure class 150,300 and 600 L6, L4 series valves regardless of the type of material used. The L series valves are designed with built in versatility making them well-suited to handle a wide variety of process applications.

Recommended spare parts required for maintenance refer to section 9. The model number, size, rating and serial number of the valve are shown on the identification tag located on the valve.

### 1.1 Scope of the manual

This manual provides essential information for users of Neles™ Neldisc™ triple eccentric disc valves. If you need further information on actuators and other accessories, please refer to the individual manuals on their installation, operation and maintenance.

#### NOTE:

Selection and use of the valve in a specific application requires close consideration of many different aspects. Due to the nature of the product, this manual cannot cover all the individual situations that may occur when the valve is used. If you are uncertain about use of the valve or its suitability for your intended purpose, please contact Valmet for more information.

For valves in oxygen service, please see also the separate installation, maintenance and operating instructions for oxygen service (see Neles document id:10O270EN.pdf)

### 1.2 Description

Neles™ Neldisc™ series L6 is a metal seated triple eccentric butterfly valve available in double flanged style.

Neles™ Neldisc™ series L4 is a metal seated triple eccentric butterfly valve available in wafer style.

### Offset Design

The disc is elliptical and has a triple eccentric mounting. When the valve is closed, the elliptical disc at the major axis displaces the seat ring outward, causing the seat ring to contact the disc at the minor axis. When the valve is opened, the contact is released, and the seat ring returns to its original circular shape (see Figure 1).

The disc is connected to the shafts with pins and there are no holes through the disc. Construction details of individual valves are included in the type code shown on the valve identification plate.

To interpret the type code, please refer to Section 12. The valve Operates both in control and shut-off applications.

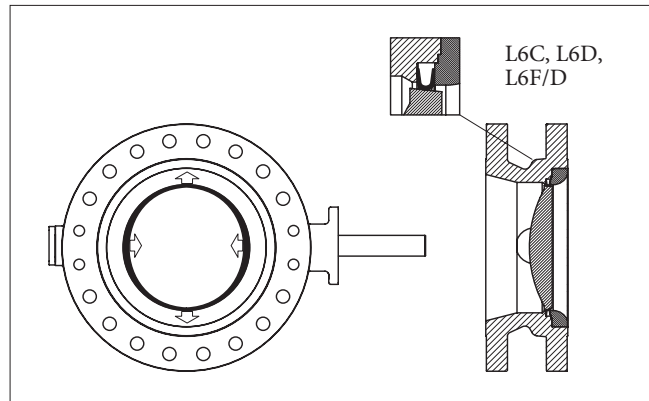


Fig. 1 Neldisc seating principle

### 1.3 Valve markings

Body markings are cast or stamped on the body. The valve also has an identification plate attached to it (see Fig. 2).



Fig. 2 Identification plate

Identification plate marking:

1. Size
2. Pressure class
3. Type code
4. Body material
5. Seat material
6. Model number
7. Date
8. Trim material
9. Shaft material
10. Maximum shut-off pressure
11. Maximum temperature
12. Certification and approvals, eg. CE, Atex etc.

## 1.4 Technical specifications

Type:

L6	Flanged metal seated triple eccentric disc valve
L4	Wafer metal seated triple eccentric disc valve

The following designs are available in sizes 3"-24" (DN 80-600):

	Wafer	Lugged	Double Flanged
Design	API 609	API 609	API 609
	ASME B16.34	ASME B16.34	ASME B16.34
	EN 593	EN 593	EN 593
Pressure Class	ASME Class 150 & 300	ASME Class 150 & 300	ASME Class 150 & 300
	PN 10-40	PN 10-40	PN 10-40
Face to Face	API 609 Cat B EN 558 Part 1, Table 5 Basic Series 16, 20 & 25	API 609 Cat B EN 558 Part 1, Table 5 Basic Series 16, 20 & 25	API 609 Cat B Short Pattern EN 558 Part 1, Table 5 Basic Series 13 ISO 5752 Series 13
Flange Connection/Drilling	ASME B16.5 / ASME B16.47 EN 1092-1	ASME B16.5 / ASME B16.47 EN 1092-1	ASME B16.5 / ASME B16.47 EN 1092-1
Temp Range	-50°C to 600°C (-58°F to 1120°F)		

Pressure class:

L6C	ASME Class 150
L6D	ASME Class 300
L6F/D	Body ASME Class 600 Trim ASME Class 300
L4F/D	Body ASME Class 600 Trim ASME Class 300

Possible flange drillings:

L6C	ASME B16.5 & B16.47 Class 150 EN 1092-1 PN 10 & PN 16 ISO 7005 PN 20 JIS 2210 10K & 16K
L6D	ASME B16.5 & B16.47 Class 300 EN 1092-1 PN 25 & PN 40 ISO 7005 PN 50 JIS 20K & 30K

Temperature range: -200 °C to +600 °C  
(-328 °F to +1100 °F)

Flow direction: Free (L6C, L6D, L6F/D, L4F/D)

Dimensions: See Section 11

Weights: See Section 11

## 1.5 Valve Approvals

API 607 Fire Test for Quarter-turn Valves and Valves Equipped with Nonmetallic Seats

ISO 15848 INDUSTRIAL VALVES. MEASUREMENT, TEST AND QUALIFICATION PROCEDURES FOR FUGITIVE EMISSIONS Group II Category 2 according to directive 2014/34/EU (ATEX).  
NACE MR0103 & MR0175

## 1.6 CE and ATEX marking

The valve meets the requirements of the European Directive 2014/68/EU relating to pressure equipment and has been marked according to the Directive.

When applicable, the valve meets the requirements of the European Directive 2014/34/EU relating to equipment and protective systems intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres, and has been marked according to the Directive.

## 1.7 Recycling and disposal

Most valve parts can be recycled if sorted according to material.

Most parts have material marking. A material list is supplied with the valve. In addition, separate recycling and disposal instructions are available from the manufacturer. A valve can also be returned to the manufacturer for recycling and disposal against a fee.

## 1.8 Safety precautions

### WARNING:

#### DO NOT EXCEED THE VALVE PERFORMANCE LIMITATIONS!

Exceeding the pressure or temperature limitations marked on the valve identification plate may cause damage and lead to uncontrolled pressure release. Damage or personal injury may result.

### WARNING:

#### SEAT AND BODY RATINGS!

The practical and safe use of this product is determined by both the seat and body ratings. Read the identification plate and check both ratings. This product is available with a variety of seat materials. Some of the seat materials have pressure ratings that are less than the body ratings. All of the body and seat ratings are dependent on valve type and size, seat material, and temperature. Do not exceed these ratings!

**WARNING:****DO NOT DISMANTLE THE VALVE OR REMOVE IT FROM THE PIPELINE WHILE THE VALVE IS PRESSURIZED!**

Dismantling or removing a pressurized valve will result in uncontrolled pressure release. Always isolate the relevant part of the pipeline, release the pressure from the valve and remove the medium before dismantling the valve.

Be aware of the type of medium involved. Protect people and the environment from any harmful or poisonous substances. Make sure that no medium can enter the pipeline during valve maintenance. Failure to do this may result in damage or personal injury.

**WARNING:****BEWARE OF DISC MOVEMENT!**

Keep hands, other parts of the body, tools and other objects out of the open flow port. Leave no foreign objects inside the pipeline. When the valve is actuated, the disc functions as a cutting device. Disconnect any pneumatic supply lines, any electrical power sources and make sure springs in spring-return actuators are in the full extended/relaxed state before performing any valve maintenance. Failure to do this may result in damage or personal injury!

**WARNING:****WHEN HANDLING THE VALVE OR VALVE/ACTUATOR ASSEMBLY, TAKE ITS WEIGHT INTO ACCOUNT!**

Never lift the valve or valve/actuator assembly by the actuator, positioner, limit switch or their piping. Place lifting devices securely around the valve body. Failure to follow these instructions may result in damage or personal injury from falling parts.

Please consult separate document: instructions for lifting Neles products. (See Neles document id: 10LIFT70EN.PDF).

**CAUTION:****BEWARE OF NOISE EMISSIONS!**

The valve may produce noise in the pipeline. The noise level depends on the application. Observe the relevant work environment regulations on noise emission. This can be measured or calculated using Neles™ Nelprof™ software.

**CAUTION:****BEWARE OF A VERY COLD OR HOT VALVE!**

The valve body may be very cold or very hot during use. Protect yourself against cold injuries or burns.

**NOTE:**

Do not turn the disc more than 90° as this could damage the seat. The valve is so constructed that the disc operates only between 0-90°.

## ATEX/Ex Safety

**CAUTION:**

Potential electrostatic hazard, ensure the protection (grounding, etc.) in the process.

**CAUTION:**

The actual surface temperature of valve is dependent on the process temperature. The protection from high or low temperature must be considered by the end user before valve is put into service.

**CAUTION:**

Ensure the general process and worker protection from static electricity in the facilities. Note! Within series there is possibility to Category 2, Category 3 and non-ATEX valve.

## 1.9 Welding notes

**WARNING:**

Welding and/or grinding stainless steel and other alloys containing chromium metal may cause the release of hexavalent chromium. Hexavalent chromium(VI) or Cr(VI), is known to cause cancer. Be sure to use all appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) when welding metals containing chromium.

**NOTE:**

A qualified welder must do the installation welding. The welder and welding procedure should be qualified in accordance with the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code Section IX or other applicable regulation.

**CAUTION:**

To prevent damage to the seat and seals, do not allow the temperature of the seat and body seal area to exceed 94 °C (200 °F). It is recommended that thermal chocks be used to check the temperature in these areas during welding.

**CAUTION:**

Ensure that any weld splatter does not fall onto the valve closing members eg. trim or seats. This may damage critical seating surfaces and cause leaks.

## 2. TRANSPORTATION, RECEPTION AND STORAGE

Check the valve and the accompanying devices for any damage that may have occurred during transport.

Store the valve carefully before installation, preferably indoors in a dry place.

Do not remove the flow port protectors until installing the valve.

Move the valve to its intended location just before installation. The valve is usually delivered in the closed position. A valve equipped with a spring-return actuator is delivered in a position determined by the spring. During storage the valve must be lightly closed.

If the valve(s) are to be stored for a long duration, follow the recommendations of M-1147-En.

## 2.1 Unpacking

Care must be exercised when unpacking the valve to prevent damage to the accessories and component parts. Contact the local Valmet Sales office or Service Center with any issues or problems.

Be sure to note the valve model number and serial number in all correspondence.

## 3. INSTALLATION

### 3.1 General

Remove the flow port protectors and check that the valve is undamaged and clean inside.

Before installing the valve in the line, clean piping and valve of all foreign material such as welding chips, scale, oil, grease or dirt. Gasket surfaces should be thoroughly cleaned to ensure leak-proof joints.

### 3.2 Installing into the pipeline

Flush or blow the pipeline carefully before installing the valve. Foreign particles, such as sand or pieces of welding electrode, will damage the disc sealing surface and seat.

The valve may be installed in any position and offers tightness in both directions (L6C/D, L6F/D).

Install the valve in the pipeline so that the shaft is horizontal if possible. However, we do not recommend installing the valve with the actuator on the underside because dirt in the pipeline may then enter the body cavity and damage the gland packing.

If the valve is equipped with a flow balancing trim (type code S-...), it must be on the down stream side of the valve body. The valve must be mounted so that the perforated plate will not collect any impurities in the pipeline (see Fig. 3).

Not recommended mounting position coding for valve-actuator unit if using S-disc: A-HL, B-HL, C-HL and D-HL.

Select flange gaskets according to the operating conditions.

Do not attempt to correct pipeline misalignment by means of flange bolting.

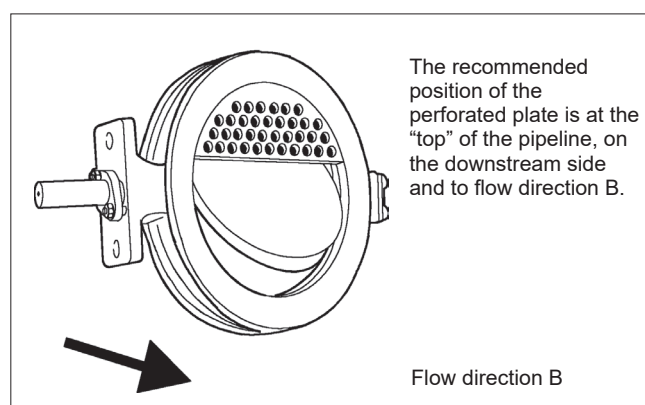


Fig. 3 Position of the flow balancing trim

It may be necessary to firmly support the pipeline to protect the valve from excess stress. Sufficient support will also reduce pipeline vibration and this ensures proper functioning of the positioner. Do not fasten supports to the flange bolting or to the actuator.

It is recommended that the length of any straight pipe preceding the control valve is at least 2 x pipe diameter.

The flow causes a so-called dynamic torque against the valve disc which attempts to close the valve. In a pipe elbow the pressure on the outer edge is higher than on the inner edge.

When installing the triple eccentric disc valve immediately after a pipe elbow, the valve shaft must be directed toward the centre point of the pipe (see Fig. 4). This is especially important when the valve is used as a control valve.

The valve shaft of a valve mounted after the centrifugal pump must be perpendicular to the pump shaft (see Fig. 5).

When thus installed, the valve discs will be more evenly loaded and vibrations otherwise possible in the intermediate positions will be eliminated.

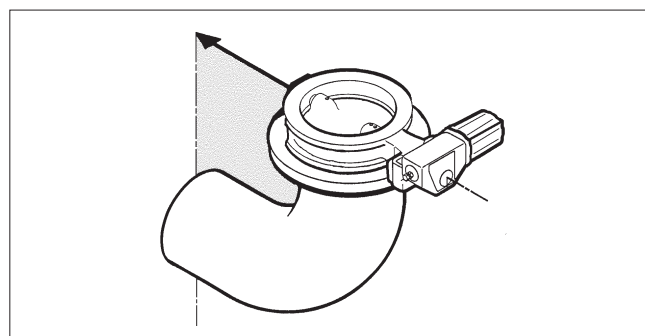


Fig. 4 Mounting after a pipe elbow

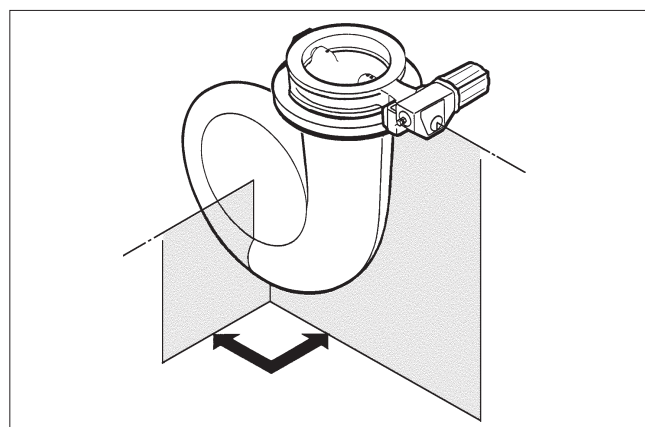


Fig. 5 Mounting after the centrifugal pump

When mounting the valve it must be in a closed position and be carefully centred between the pipe flanges so that the turning disc does not touch the pipe edge or flange gaskets, see Fig. 6 and Table 1.

Use caution when installing valve with Spring-to-open actuator. Valve must be in closed position during installation if the disc exceeds the Face-to-face length. Energy supply for the actuator must be safely fastened and it cannot suffer damage or break off during the installation.

In case of sudden shutdown of the energy supply the valve will open unexpectedly due to pre-stressed spring package. This may cause significant harm to people and material around the valve.

In L6/L4 none of the flange bolts do not pass the valve body. The valve body is thus equipped with holes, see Fig. 7 and Tables 2...5.

Ensure that the disc can turn to the open position after preliminary tightening of the flange bolts. The actuators of control valves can be equipped with position stops which usually only allow the disc to open 80°.

See Figure 7 and Tables 2...5, length of stud bolts are based on:

- gasket thickness of 3 mm
- heavy nuts
- flange thickness of weldneck flanges per ASME

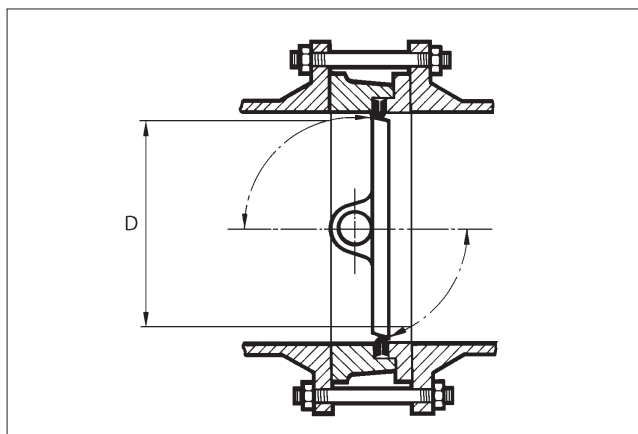


Fig. 6 Minimum pipe inside dimensions

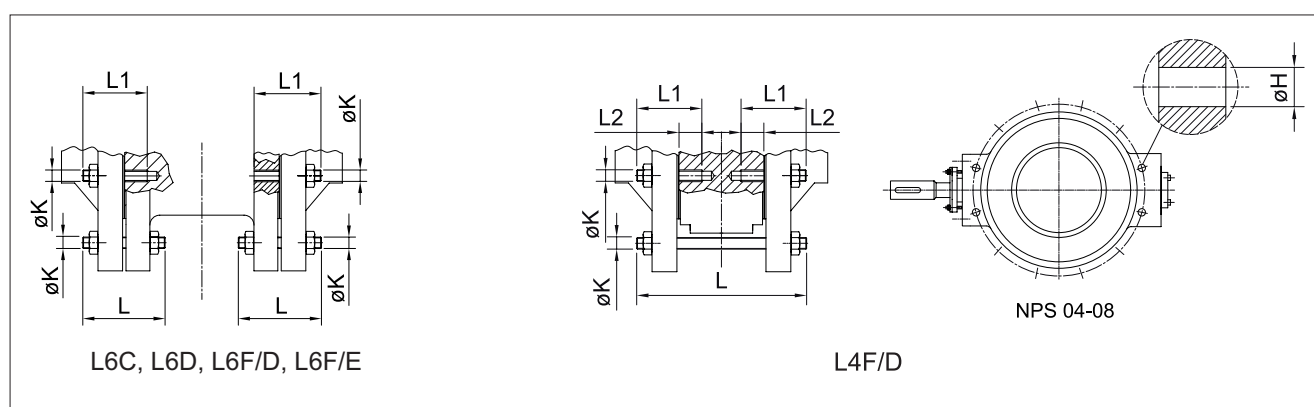


Fig. 7 Stud bolt length

Table 1 Minimum pipe inside dimensions (mm / in)

Valve size	L6C		L6D		L6F/D & L6F/E		L4F/D	
DN / NPS	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch
4	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	2.4
5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	20	0.8	20	0.8	-	-	110	4.3
8	70	2.8	60	2.4	115	4.5	140	5.5
10	135	5.3	125	4.9	-	-	180	7.1
12	215	8.5	200	7.9	190	7.5	190	7.5
14	275	10.8	265	10.4	-	-	175	6.9
16	305	12.0	300	11.8	220	8.7	220	8.7
18	355	14.0	335	13.2	270	10.6	-	-
20	400	15.7	385	15.2	335	13.2	335	13.2
24	445	17.5	425	16.7	415	16.3	415	16.3
26	-	-	535	21.1	395	15.6	-	0.0
28	530	20.9	535	21.1	450	17.7	535	21.1
30	525	20.7	520	20.5	450	17.7	-	-
32	640	25.2	640	25.2	435	17.1	640	25.2
36	755	29.7	690	27.2	690	27.2	690	27.2
38	755	29.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	835	32.9	690	27.2	-	-	-	-
42	850	33.5	820	32.3	-	-	-	-
48	920	36.2	810	31.9	-	-	-	-
56	1115	43.9	1115	43.9	-	-	-	-
64	1285	50.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
72	1505	59.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
80	1440	56.7	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 2 Stud bolt dimensions (mm), L6C ASME Class 150 flange. Both flanges included.

Size NPS	Thread K	L		L1	
		Length	Qty	Length	Qty
04	5/8-UNC	90	12	80	4
05	3/4-UNC	95	12	80	4
06	3/4-UNC	100	12	80	4
08	3/4-UNC	110	12	90	4
10	7/8-UNC	115	20	95	4
12	7/8-UNC	120	20	100	4
14	1-UNC	135	20	110	4
16	1-UNC	135	24	110	8
18	1 1/8-8UN	145	24	130	8
20	1 1/8-8UN	160	32	130	8
24	1 1/4-8UN	170	32	140	8
28*	1 1/4-8UN	230	48	170	8
30*	1 1/4-8UN	230	48	170	8
32*	1 1/2-8UN	260	48	200	8
34*	1 1/2-8UN	260	56	200	8
36*	1 1/2-8UN	280	56	210	8
40*	1 1/2-8UN	280	64	200	8
42*	1 1/2-8UN	290	56	210	16
48*	1 1/2-8UN	310	72	240	16
52*	1 3/4-8UN	350	72	280	16
56*	1 3/4-8UN	360	80	290	16

\*) flanges acc. to ASME B16.47 series A

Table 3 Stud bolt dimensions (mm), L6D ASME Class 300 flanges. Both flanges included.

Size NPS	Thread K	L		L1	
		Length	Qty	Length	Qty
04	3/4-UNC	115	12	100	4
05	3/4-UNC	120	12	100	4
06	3/4-UNC	120	16	100	8
08	7/8-UNC	140	16	110	8
10	1-UNC	160	24	120	8
12	1 1/8-8UN	170	24	130	8
14	1 1/8-8UN	180	32	140	8
16	1 1/4-8UN	190	32	150	8
18	1 1/4-8UN	195	40	150	8
20	1 1/4-8UN	205	40	160	8
24	1 1/2-8UN	230	40	180	8
26*	1 5/8-8UN	270	48	210	8
28*	1 5/8-8UN	280	40	210	16
30*	1 3/4-8UN	300	48	230	8
32*	1 7/8-8UN	320	40	250	16
36*	2-8UN	360	48	260	16
42*	1 5/8-8UN	350	48	250	16
44*	1 3/4-8UN	320	48	260	16
48*	1 7/8-8UN	390	48	340	16
56*	2 1/4-8UN	460	48	360	8

\*) flanges acc. to ASME B16.47 series A

Table 4 Stud bolt dimensions (mm), L6F/D & L6F/E ASME Class 600 flanges. Both flanges included.

Size NPS	Thread K	L		L1	
		Length	Qty	Length	Qty
04	7/8-UNC	170	8	130	4
06	1 UNC	200	16	135	8
08	1 1/8-8UN	225	16	150	8
10	1 1/4-8UN	250	24	170	8
12	1 1/4-8UN	260	32	170	8
14	1 3/8-8UN	250	32	150	8
16	1 1/2-8UN	300	32	210	8
18	1 5/8-8UN	320	32	220	8
20	1 5/8-8UN	290	32	195	8
24	1 7/8-8UN	330	32	225	8
28*	2-8UN	370	48	260	8
30*	2-8UN	370	40	260	16
36*	2 1/2-8UN	415	32	270	8

\*) flanges acc. to ASME B16.47 series A

Table 5 Stud bolt dimensions (mm), L4F/D ASME Class 600 flanges

Size NPS	Thread K	øH mm	L		L1		L2
			Length	Qty	Length	Qty	
04	7/8-UNC	25,4	210	8	-	-	-
06	1-8UN	28,4	250	12	-	-	-
08	1 1/8-8UN	31,7	290	12	-	-	-
10	1 1/4-8UN	-	340	12	160	8	40
12	1 1/4-8UN	-	410	16	170	8	45
14	1 3/8-8UN	-	440	16	170	8	44
16	1 1/2-8UN	-	490	16	200	8	60
20	1 5/8-8UN	-	540	20	210	8	48
24	1 7/8-8UN	-	610	20	230	8	60
28*	2-8UN	-	680	24	250	8	60
32*	2 1/4-8UN	-	710	28	230	8	55
36*	2 1/2-8UN	-	770	28	260	8	60

\*) flanges acc. to ASME B16.47 series A

## Valve insulation

If necessary, the valve may be insulated. Insulation must not continue above the upper level of the valve body, see Figure 8.

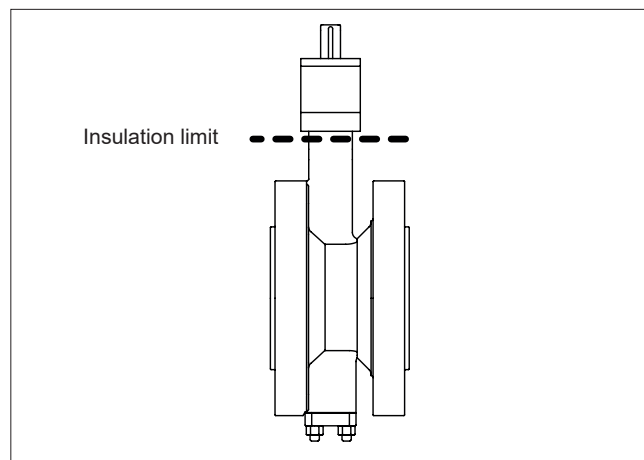


Fig. 8 Insulation of the valve

## 3.3 Actuator

When installing the actuator on the valve, make sure that the valve package functions properly. See instructions for installing in Section 6.

Observe the space needed for removal of the actuator.

The upright position is recommended for the actuator cylinder.

The actuator must not touch the pipeline, because pipeline vibration may damage it or interfere with its operation.

In some cases, e.g. when a large-size actuator is used or when the pipeline vibrates heavily, supporting the actuator is recommended. Please contact Valmet for further information.

## 4. COMMISSIONING

Ensure that no dirt or foreign objects are left inside the valve or pipeline. Flush the pipeline carefully. Keep the valve 30–40° open during flushing.

When starting up the pump, ensure that the valve in the pipeline is closed or, at the very most, 20° open.

A waterhammer, which follows the start-up of high-capacity pumps, creates a torque peak in the disc. This can damage the pin connection between disc and shaft when the valve is 30–90° open.

The packing construction is live loaded. If the leakage occurs, re-tighten the gland nuts but don't exceed the values in the Tables 6 and 7 by 50 % or do not fully compress the disc springs.

## 5. MAINTENANCE

### CAUTION:

Observe the safety precautions mentioned in Section 1.8 before maintenance!

### CAUTION:

When handling the valve or the valve package as a whole, bear in mind the weight of the valve or the entire package.

**CAUTION:**

For safety reasons the retaining plates **MUST** always be installed according to Section 5.3.



## 5.1 Maintenance general

Although Neles valves are designed to work under severe conditions, proper preventative maintenance can significantly help to prevent unplanned downtime and in real terms reduce the total cost of ownership. Valmet recommends inspecting the valves at least every five (5) years. The inspection and maintenance interval depends on the actual application and process condition. The inspection and maintenance intervals can be specified together with your local Valmet experts. During this periodic inspection the parts detailed in the Spare Part Set should be replaced. Time in storage should be included in the inspection interval.

Maintenance can be performed as presented below. For maintenance assistance, please contact your local Valmet office. The part numbers in the text refer to the exploded view and to the parts list in Section 9, unless otherwise stated.

**WARNING:**

**FOR YOUR SAFETY IT IS IMPORTANT THE FOLLOWING PRECAUTIONS BE TAKEN PRIOR TO REMOVAL OF THE VALVE FROM THE PIPELINE OR BEFORE ANY DISASSEMBLY:**

1. Wear any protective clothing or equipment normally required when working with the fluid involved.
2. Depressurize the pipeline and cycle the valve as follows:
  - Place the valve in the open position and drain the pipeline.

After removal and before any disassembly, cycle the valve again several times.

**NOTE:**

When sending goods to the manufacturer for repair, do not disassemble them. Clean the valve carefully and flush the valve internals.

For safety reasons, inform the manufacturer of the type of medium used in the valve (include material safety data sheets (MSDS)).

**NOTE:**

In order to ensure safe and effective operation, always use original spare parts to make sure that the valve functions as intended.

**NOTE:**

For safety reasons, replace pressure retaining bolting if the threads are damaged, have been heated, stretched or corroded.

## 5.2 Removing the valve from the pipeline

**CAUTION:**

Do not dismantle the valve or remove it from the pipeline while the valve is pressurized!

It is generally most convenient to detach the actuator and its auxiliary devices (see Section 6), before removing the valve from the pipeline. If the valve package is small or difficult to access, it may be more practical to remove the entire package at the same time.

Ensure that the valve is not pressurized and the pipeline is empty. Ensure that the medium cannot flow into the section where servicing is to take place. The valve must be in a closed position when removing.

Support the valve carefully with a hoist. Place ropes carefully and unscrew the pipe flange bolts. Ensure that the ropes are positioned correctly.

## 5.3 Replacing the gland packing

**CAUTION:**

Do not dismantle the valve or remove it from the pipeline while the valve is pressurized!

PTFE V-rings are used as a standard gland packing and graphite rings for high temperature constructions. The packing construction is live loaded as standard.

The gland packing (20) must be changed if leakage occurs even after the hex nuts (25) have been tightened as recommended.

### L6C, L6D, L6F/D and L4F/D

- Make sure the valve is not pressurized.
- Unfasten the nuts (25) and remove the disc spring (TA-Luft) kits (44), the retaining plates (42) and the gland (9).
- Remove old packing rings (20). Do not damage the surfaces of the packing ring counterbore and shaft. It is not necessary to change anti-extrusion ring (22).
- Ensure that there are no burrs in the keyway groove which could damage the packing. Clean the gland packing and packing ring counterbore. Install new set of packings (V-ring or graphite). Slip the rings onto the shaft.
- Install the gland.
- Mount the retaining plates with the text UPSIDE on top (see Fig. 9).

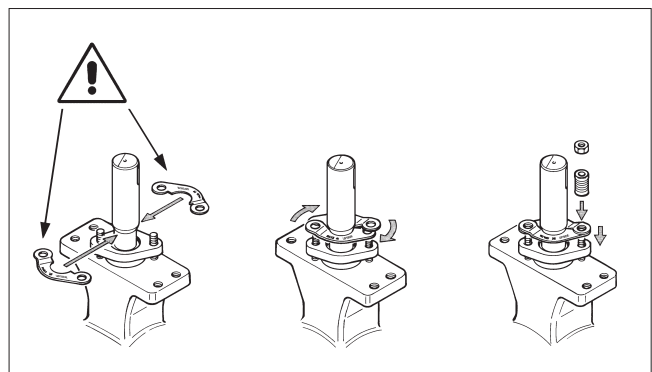


Fig. 9 Mounting the retaining plates

- Mount the disc spring kits.
- Place the nuts on the studs.
- Pre-compress the gland packing by tightening the nuts with a tool until the disc springs have value of compression ( $h_1-h_2$ ) as in Tables 6 and 7.
- Carry out 3...5 operation cycles with the valve. Suitable range of movement is about 80 %.

- It is not necessary to fully close or open the valve during the operation.
- Unfasten the nuts and disc springs.
- Measure the height  $h_1$  of the disc springs and use these values as a basis when defining the final height of the springs (as compressed condition).
- Re-install the disc springs and tighten the nuts with the tool. Tighten the nuts until the set value of compression ( $h_1-h_2$ ) of disc springs is achieved, see Tables 6 and 7.

Table 6 Tightening of gland packing, L6C and L6D

L6C	L6D	Spring set dia	Thread	Compression ( $h_1-h_2$ ), mm	
				Packing ring material	
DN / NPS	DN / NPS	mm	M, UNC	Graphite + PTFE	PTFE
100 / 4	100 / 4	20	M8, 5/16	2.0	1.0
150 / 6, 200 / 8	150 / 6	20	M8, 5/16	2.5	1.5
250 / 10	200 / 8	25	M10, 3/8	2.5	1.5
300 / 12		25	M10, 3/8	3.0	1.5
350 / 14	250 / 10	25	M10, 3/8	3.0	2.0
400 / 16		25	M10, 3/8	3.0	2.0
450 / 18	300 / 12	35.5	M14, 1/2	4.5	2.5
500 / 20	350 / 14	35.5	M14, 1/2	4.5	2.5
600 / 24	400 / 16	35.5	M14, 1/2	4.5	3.0
700 / 28, 750 / 30	450 / 18, 500 / 20	40	M18, 5/8	5.0	3.0
800 / 32	600 / 24	40	M18, 5/8	5.5	3.5
900 / 36, 950 / 38	700 / 28, 750 / 30	50	M20, 3/4	6.0	4.0
1000 / 40		50	M20, 3/4	6.5	4.0
1200 / 48		50	M20, 3/4	6.0	5.0
	800 / 32	56	M24, 1	6.5	5.5
	900 / 36	50	M22, 7/8	6.5	5.0
1400 / 56		71	M30, 1 1/4	6.5	6.5
	1000 / 40, 1200 / 48	56	M24, 1 (4 pcs.)	6.5	6.0
	1400 / 56	80	M36, 1 1/2	9.0	6.5

Table 7 Tightening of gland packing, L6F/D and L4F/D

L6F/D L4F/D	Spring set dia	Thread	Compression ( $h_1-h_2$ ), mm	
			Packing ring material	
DN / NPS	mm	M, UNC	Graphite + PTFE	PTFE
100 / 4	25	M10, 3/8	1.5	1.0
150 / 6	25	M10, 3/8	1.5	1.0
200 / 8	35.5	M14, 1/2	2.0	1.0
250 / 10	40	M18, 5/8	3.5	1.5
300 / 12	50	M20, 3/4	4.0	2.0
350 / 14	50	M20, 3/4	3.5	2.0
400 / 16	50	M20, 3/4	3.5	2.0
450 / 18	50	M22, 7/8	4.0	2.5
500 / 20	56	M24, 1	6.0	3.5
600 / 24	56	M24, 1	6.5	4.0
700 / 28	71	M30, 1 1/4	6.5	4.0
750 / 30	71	M30, 1 1/4	6.5	4.0
900 / 36	56	M24, 1 (4 pcs.)	6.5	5.0

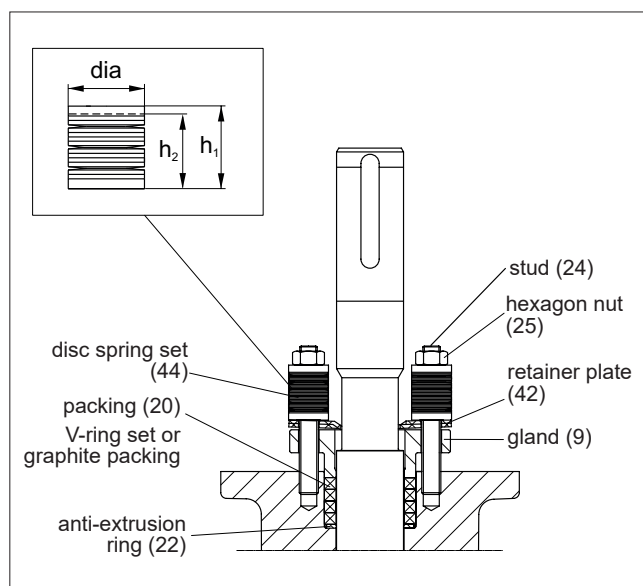


Fig. 10 Gland packing; L6C, L6D, L6F/D and L4F/D

- If the leakage still occurs when the valve is pressurized, re-tighten the nuts but don't exceed the values in the Tables 6 and 7 by 50 % or do not fully compress the disc springs.

## 5.4 Valve leakage

Valve leakage is not always caused by a damaged seat ring or disc. The reason can also be that the disc is not in the closed position.

- Check the position of the actuator relative to the valve. The screws may be loose or the bracket damaged.
- Check the adjustment in the closed position (see Section 6.5).

The marking line parallel to the disc on the valve shaft head shows roughly the closed position of the disc (see Fig. 11).

Pressure shocks can cause loosening of the pin connection between disc and shaft; consequently the shaft moves while the disc remains in place and this prevents full closing of the disc.

If the reason for the leakage does not become apparent after doing the above, the valve must be disassembled for replacing the parts.

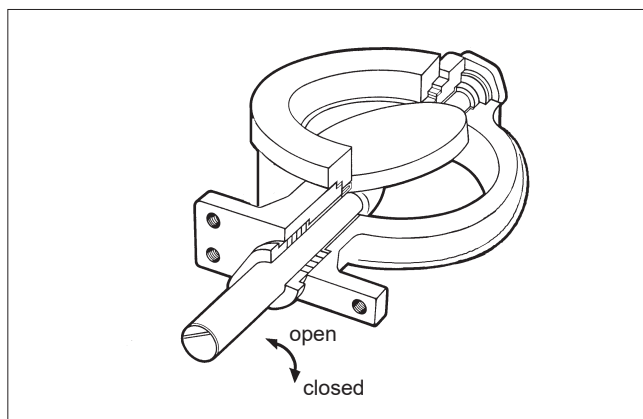


Fig. 11 Open and closed positions of the valve

## 5.5 Replacing the seat ring

### CAUTION:

Do not dismantle the valve or remove it from the pipeline while the valve is pressurized!

- Ensure that the valve is not pressurized.
- Remove the valve from the pipeline. The valve must be in a closed position during removal.

### L6C, L6D, L6F/D, L6F/E and L4F/D

- Remove the clamp ring (2) by untightening the screws (27).
- Remove the old body seal (19) and the seat ring (4). Change the seat ring if it is damaged.
- Clean all the surfaces of the seats and check the surface of the seat ring.
- Check also the condition of the disc. A damaged disc must be changed (see Section 5.6).
- Check the condition of the pin connection. Repair it if necessary (see Section 5.6).
- Mount a new, self-adhesive body seal (19) into the body. The surface must be clean and free of grease. Handle the ends of the seal according to Fig. 12.

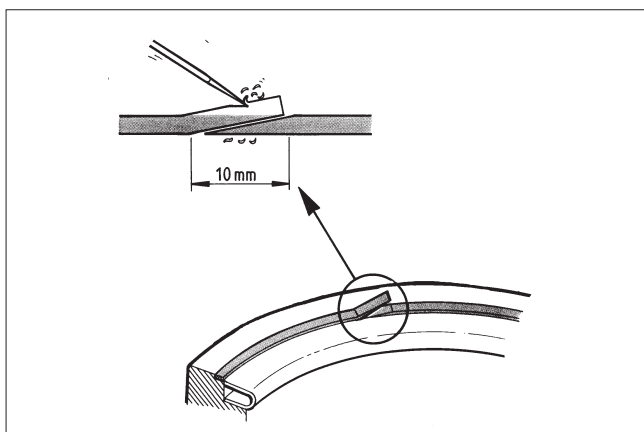


Fig. 12 Mounting the body seal

- Spray a thin layer of dry lubricating fluid, e.g. Molykote 321R or equivalent, into the seat groove, surfaces of the clamp ring, seat ring and screws.
- Centre the seat ring (4) carefully into its groove and turn the disc to maintain light contact with the seat.
- Mount the clamp ring and tighten the screws (27) lightly.
- Turn the disc slightly open and pull it back to set the seat into the proper position.
- Tighten the screws (27) crosswise and evenly. First to 50 % of recommended torque, then to 100 %. Recommended torque values for screws are listed in Table 8. An unevenly tightened flange may damage the seat ring. The screw heads must be below the flange surface in lug type valves.

Table 8 Clamp ring / blind flange screw torque, Nm  $\pm$  10 %

TORQUE FOR B8M CL2 & 8M		TORQUE FOR L7M		TORQUE FOR B16 & 16		TORQUE FOR INC625	
Thread size (mm)	Torque (Nm)	Thread size (mm)	Torque (Nm)	Thread size (mm)	Torque (Nm)	Thread size (mm)	Torque (Nm)
M5	7.5	M5	6	M5	8	M5	5
M6	13	M6	10	M6	14	M6	8
M8	31	M8	25	M8	33	M8	19
M10	60	M10	50	M10	66	M10	38
M12	100	M12	85	M12	110	M12	65
M14	170	M14	140	M14	180	M14	100
M16	260	M16	210	M16	280	M16	160
M20	420	M20	420	M20	550	M20	310
M24	720	M24	720	M24	950	M24	540

- Check the position between the seat ring and the disc. The valve closes clockwise (see Fig. 11).
- Mount the actuator into the valve. Adjust the closed position limit and check the open position limit (see Section 6).

## 5.6 Replacing the disc, shafts and bearings

### Disassembling the valve

The pin connection of the disc must be opened by drilling for changing the disc (3), shafts (11, 12) and bearings (15, 16).

- Remove the valve from the pipeline and the actuator from the valve.
- Remove the clamp ring (2) and seat ring (4) according to section 5.5.
- Set the valve horizontally on a sturdy surface so that the flat side of the disc lays against the surface (see Fig. 13).

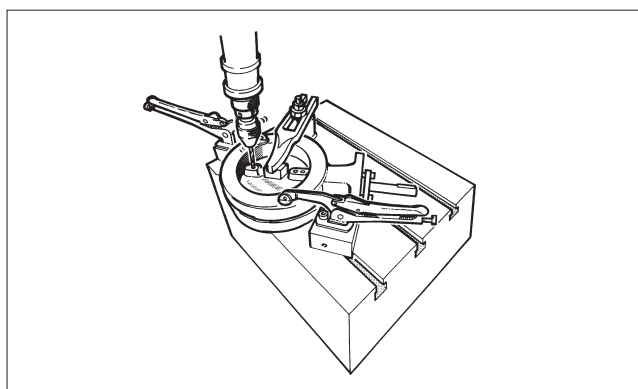


Fig. 13 Drilling the pins

- Drill the holes carefully to the centre of the pins (14). Choose a drill 0.2-0.5 mm smaller than the diameter of the pin.
- Drill the holes deep, but not enough to reach the disc.
- Pull the pins out.
- Dismantle the gland packing including anti-extrusion ring (22), when applicable, according to Section 5.3.
- Detach the screws (26) and the blind flange (10) and remove the gasket (18).
- Place rubber strips or other protection between the disc edge and the body and remove the shafts (see Fig. 14).
- Remove the bearings (15, 16).
- Clean and check all parts carefully.

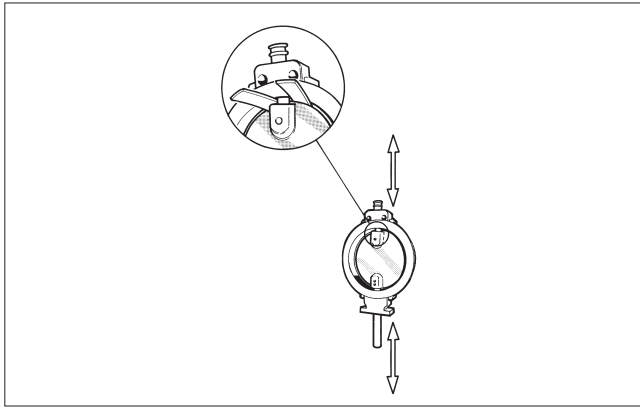


Fig. 14 Protecting the disc during disassembly and assembly

## 5.7 Assembling the valve

- Replace damaged parts with new ones.
- Set the disc and the shaft together beforehand. File off any burrs from the shafts.

The bearings for the valves (N, U and H constructions) are cobalt alloy bushings which are mounted into the body together with the shafts.

- Mount the bearing into the shaft. Spray a thin layer of dry lubricating fluid, e.g. Molykote 321R or equivalent, into the inside surface of the bushing and the shaft bearing area. Press the bushing with a tightening ring into the shaft bearing area and fit the shaft with the bearings carefully into the body through the tightening ring.
- Place the disc horizontally on a surface so that the flat side of the disc lays against the surface. Lift the body around the disc so that the shaft bores are aligned with the bores in the disc. Protect the disc (see Fig. 14).
- Press the shafts into the disc drillings. Align the pin holes. The shaft (11) position against the disc must be according to Fig. 11.

### NOTE:

Use only pins supplied by the manufacturer!

### NOTE:

The pins must be pressed with enough force to deform them so that the connection will be free from backlash.

- Support the disc well in a horizontal position during mounting of the pins. Push the new pins into the holes and press them in a press to final form (see Fig. 15). Use a smaller tool than the pin diameter. See Table 9 for forces.

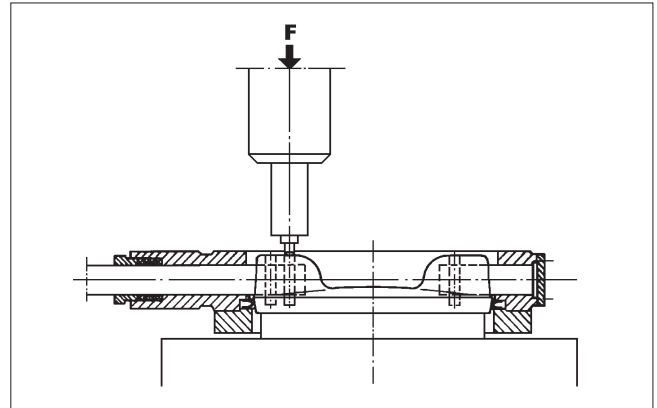


Fig. 15 Pressing the pins

Table 9 Pin Pressing force, kN

PIN material	DIAMETER OF PIN (mm)											
	5.1	6.9	8.4	10.2	11.9	13.4	15.4	16.9	18.9	23.9	28.9	32.4
	DIA OF PRESSING TOOL (TOOL MUST BE SAME AS PIN OR SIZE BIGGER)											
	6	8	10	12	12	15	20	20	20	25	30	35
PIN PRESSING FORCE (kN)												
AISI316 strain hardened	25	45	67	99	135	171	226	272	340	544	795	1000
Nimonic80A	47	87	129	190	259	328	433	522	652	1043	1525	1917
XM-19HS, Nitronic 50	51	93	139	204	278	353	466	561	701	1122	1640	2061
Inconel 718	65	119	177	260	355	450	594	715	894	1430	2091	2628
UNS S31254, SMO 254	35	64	94	139	189	240	317	381	477	763	1115	1402
MONEL K 500	49	90	134	197	268	340	449	541	677	1082	1583	1989
17-4PH H1150D	44	80	119	176	239	303	400	482	603	965	1410	1773

- Install the gasket (18) and the blind flange (10). Tighten the screws (26) lightly.
- Then tighten the screws (26) crosswise and evenly. First to 50 % of recommended torque, then to 100 %. Recommended torque values for screws are listed in Table 8.
- Install the seat ring. See details in Section 5.5.
- Install the body seal (19) and the clamp ring (2). See details in Section 5.5.
- Install the gland packing (see Section 5.3).
- Check the contact line between the seat ring and the disc.

## 6. INSTALLING AND DETACHING THE ACTUATOR

### 6.1 General

#### CAUTION:

When handling the valve or the valve package, bear in mind its weight!

#### CAUTION:

Do not detach a spring-return actuator unless a stop-screw is carrying the spring force!

**NOTE:**

Do not turn the disc more than 90° as this could damage the seat. The valve is so constructed that the disc operates only between 0-90°.

**NOTE:**

Before dismantling, carefully observe the position of the valve with respect to the actuator and positioner/limit switch so as to ensure that the package can be properly reassembled.

The actuator is factory-mounted on the valve and the stroke limit stop screws are adjusted in advance.

## 6.2 Installing the B1 series actuator

- Turn the valve to the closed position before mounting the actuator.
- Clean the shaft and the shaft bore and file off any burrs which could interfere with mounting. Protect the joint surfaces from corrosion, e.g. with Cortec VCI 369 or an equivalent anti-corrosive agent.
- If a bushing is required between the actuator shaft bore and the valve shaft, mount it first in the actuator shaft bore.
- The valve keyway is on the side opposite the flat side of the disc. The actuator shaft bore has two keyways set 90° apart.
- For double-acting cylinder actuator, B1C, and spring-return cylinder actuator, B1J (spring-to-close), choose the keyway which establishes the piston in its upper position (at the top end of the cylinder) when the valve is closed. In the spring-return cylinder actuator B1JA (spring-to-open), choose the keyway which establishes the piston in its lower position when the valve is open.
- Check visually that the actuator is correctly positioned relative to the valve. Tighten all the fastening screws.
- Adjust the stop screws to the closed position (see Section 6.7).
- The opening angle in a control valve can be limited by a stop screw to 80°. The opening angle of a shut-off valve is 90°.
- When a shaft extension is required, the sizing of the shaft extension must be discussed with the valve manufacturer.

## 6.3 Detaching the B1 series actuators

- Disconnect the actuator from its power source; detach the air supply pipe and control signal cables or pipes from their connectors.
- Unscrew the bracket screws.
- Detach the actuator using a suitable extractor. The correct tool can be ordered from the manufacturer (see Fig. 16).
- Remove the bracket and coupling, if any.

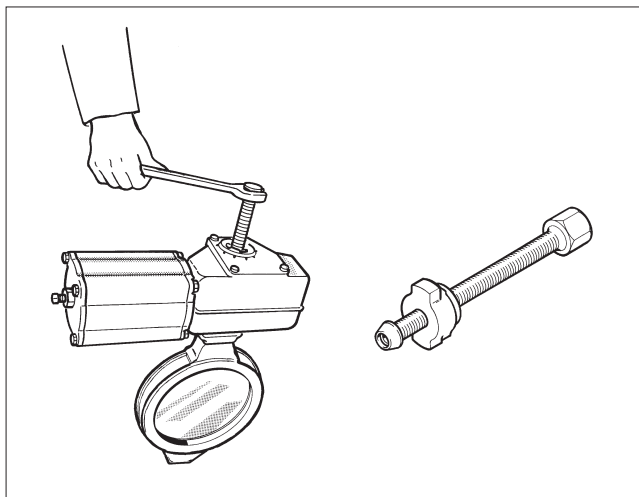


Fig. 16 Actuator removal, B1 series

## 6.4 Detaching and installing other actuator types

See actuator's manual for details.

## 6.5 Stop screw adjustment

### General

Close the metal seated triple eccentric disc valve by turning the disc with a torque against the seat. Choose the torque from Tables 11, 12 and 13 for adjusting the stop screw to the closed position of the actuator. Try not to exceed the given values since excessive torque would strain the seat and the joint between the disc and the shaft. Always readjust the stop screw after changing the seat and after mounting the actuator.

### Actuators other than tabulated

Close the valve as per the tabulated torque  $M_c$  and adjust the stops accordingly. Note the increased torque created by the actuator while the valve is closed.

**NOTE:**

Valmet accepts no responsibility for compatibility of actuators not installed by Valmet.

## Changing the mounting position

**WARNING:**

The actuator must not be removed from the valve in a pipeline under pressure as it will result dynamic torque!

Always remove the actuator from the valve shaft before mounting it into another key area. Readjust the closed position limit as instructed.

If manually operated, the valve should close when the handwheel is turned clockwise. In a double-action cylinder, the piston must be in the upper position of the cylinder when the valve is closed. In this position the actuator creates maximum torque. **Do not turn the disc more than 90° as this could damage the seat.**

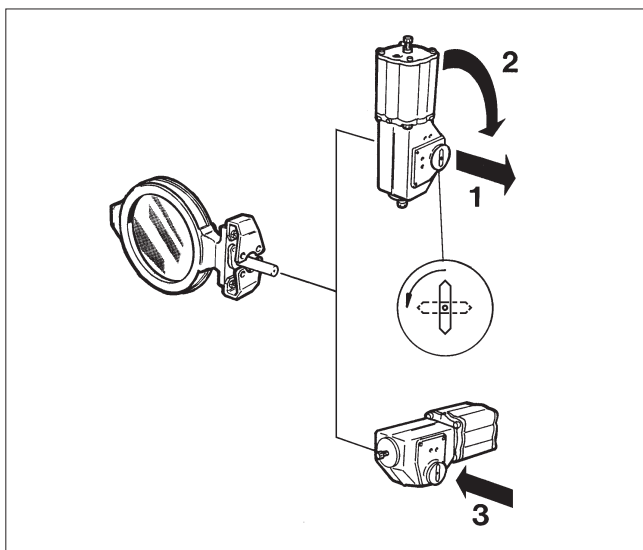


Fig. 17 Changing the mounting position

## Double-acting cylinder actuator B1C

- Apply the tabulated shut-off pressure  $P_c$  to the air connection at the cylinder base.
- With the stop screw removed, check through the air connection hole that the piston does not touch the cylinder end. If it does, loosen the bracket screws and turn the actuator clockwise to increase the adjusting margin.
- Turn the closed position stop screw until it touches the piston, then turn back 1/4 turn and lock up. An O-ring is used for leakproofing the stop screw.
- An extra long screw is needed for opening angles  $< 80^\circ$ .

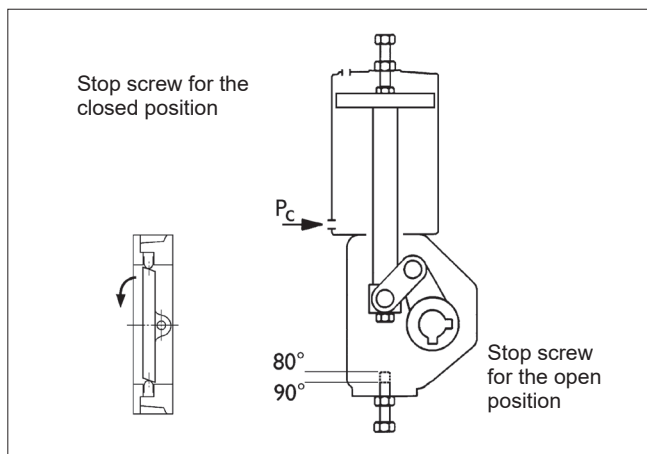


Fig. 18 Cylinder actuator, series B1C

## Spring-return cylinder actuator B1J

### “Spring-to-close”

- Before mounting the cylinder, screw in the closed position stop screw completely.
- The tables indicates \*) *spring* when the spring-created torque does not exceed the maximum permitted closing torque  $M_c$ . Otherwise, apply the tabulated pressure  $P_c$  into the air connection at the cylinder end against the spring force. **The stop screw must not be removed when the cylinder is pressurized!** Open the stop screw until it does not touch the piston.

- Turn the closed position stop screw until it touches the piston, then turn back 1/4 turn and lock up. An O-ring is used for leakproofing the stop screw.
- After adjusting, check the adjusting margin through the air connection hole. The piston must not touch the cylinder end. If necessary, increase the margin by loosening the bracket screws and turning the actuator clockwise.
- An extra long screw is needed for opening angles  $< 80^\circ$ .

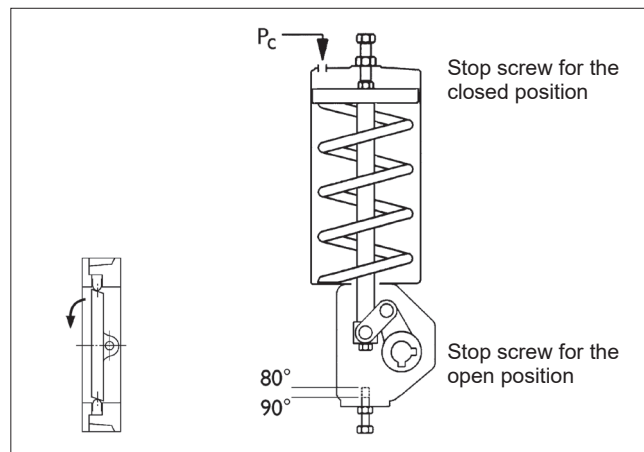


Fig. 19 Cylinder actuator, series B1J

## Spring-return cylinder actuator B1JA

### “Spring-to-open”

- The actuator being unpressurized the valve is open. Unscrew the close limit stop screw (actuator housing). Apply tabulated shut-off pressure  $P_c$  to the air connection at the cylinder bottom end against the spring force to close the valve.
- Check through the stop screw hole that the piston rod does not touch the cylinder top end. If it does, loosen the bracket screws and turn the actuator clockwise to increase the adjusting margin.
- Turn the closed position stop screw until it touches the piston, then turn back 1/4 turn and lock up. An O-ring is used for leakproofing the stop screw.
- An extra long screw is needed for opening angles  $< 80^\circ$ .

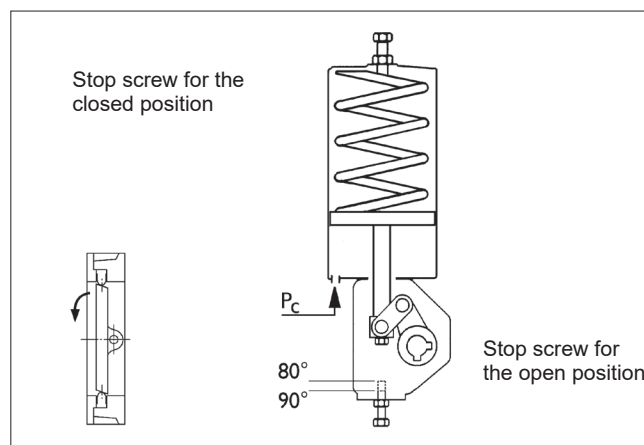


Fig. 20 Cylinder actuator, series B1JA

## M-series operator

- Close the valve as per the tabulated primary torque M1 (handwheel torque) given in Tables 11, 12 and 13.
- Tighten the closed position stop screw until it touches the linkage, then turn back 1/4 turn and lock up with Loctite locking glue.

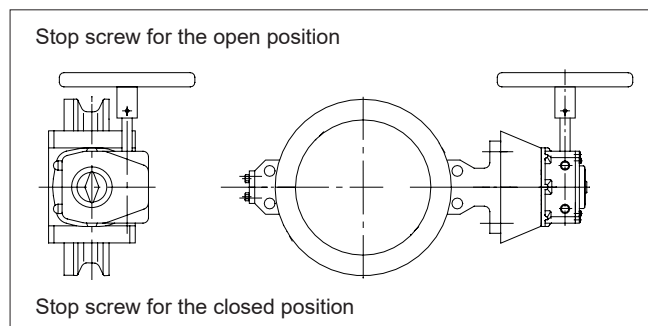


Fig. 21 Actuator, series M

## 7. TROUBLE SHOOTING TABLE

Table 10 Trouble shooting table

Symptom	Possible fault	Recommended action
Leakage through a closed valve	Wrong stop screw adjustment of the actuator	Adjust the stop screw for closed position
	Faulty zero setting of the positioner	Adjust the positioner
	Damaged seat	Replace seat
	Damaged closing member	Replace the closing member
	Closing member in a wrong position relative to the actuator	Select the correct keyway in the actuator
Leakage through body joint	Damaged gasket	Replace the gasket
	Loose body joint	Tighten the nuts or screws
Irregular valve movements	Actuator or positioner malfunction	Check the operation of the actuator and positioner
	Process medium accumulated on the sealing surface	Clean the sealing surfaces
	Closing member or seat damaged	Replace the closing member or seat
	Crystallizing medium has entered the bearing spaces	Flush the bearing spaces
Gland packing leaking	Gland packing worn or damaged	Replace the gland packing
	Loose packing	Tighten the packing nuts

## 8. TOOLS

No special tools are needed for servicing the valve. However, we recommend an extractor tool (ID-code table in actuator's IMO) for removing the actuator from the valve. The tool can be ordered from the manufacturer.

## 9. ORDERING SPARE PARTS

When ordering spare parts, always include the following information:

- type code, sales order number, serial number (stamped on a valve body)
- number of the parts list, part number, name of the part and quantity required

This information can be found from the identification plate or documents.

Table 11 Series L6C, closing torques

L6C DN SIZE	Mc		BC and BJ	BC pc		BJ pc		BJA** pc		BJK pc		BJKA** pc		BJV pc		BJVA** pc		Q-P actuator	Spring close			Spring open			Manual operator	Input torque M1	
	Nm	lbf ft	SIZE	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi		bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi		Nm	lbf ft
100 4"	45	33	6	2.5	36													QP2C	0.6	9	3.6	52	M07	4	3		
			8	2.1	30	0.7	10	3.3	48	0.3	4	2.8	41	1.1	16	4	58	QP3C	1.1	16	3.2	46					
			10	1.6	23	1.1	16	2.8	41	0.7	10	2.2	32	1.6	23	3.4	49										
125 5"	75	55	6	4.1	59													QP2C				4.3	62	M07	7	5	
			8	3.4	49	0.2	3	3.8	55	*)spring		3.3	48	0.6	9	4.6	68	QP3C	0.8	12	3.5	51					
			9	2.1	30																						
			10	1.9	28	0.9	13	3.1	45	0.5	7	2.6	38	1.4	20	3.7	54										
			11	1.1	16																						
150 6"	110	80	6	6	87													QP3C	0.3	4	3.9	57	M07	10	7		
			8	5	72	*)spring		4.5	65			3.8	55	*)spring		5.3	77	QP4C	1	14	3.3	48					
			9	3	43																						
			10	2.4	35	0.6	9	3.4	49	0.2	3	2.9	42	1.1	16	4	58										
			11	1.5	22																						
			12	1.3	19	1.1	16	3	43	0.7	10	2.2	32	1.6	23	3.7	54										
200 8"	150	110	6	8.2	119													QP3C				4.3	62	M07	14	10	
			9	4.1	59														QP4C	0.8	12	3.5	51				
			10	3.3	48	0.2	3	3.8	55	*)spring		3.2	46	0.8	12	4.3	62										
			11	2.1	30																						
			12	1.6	23	0.9	13	3.1	45	0.5	7	2.6	38	1.5	22	3.9	57										
			10	6.5	94	*)spring		5	72			4.4	64	*)spring		5.6	81	QP4C				4.3	62	M07	26	19	
250 10"	300	220	11	4.2	61													QP5C	0.8	12	3.5	51	M10	27	20		
			12	3.3	48	0.2	3	3.8	55	*)spring		3.2	46	0.8	12	4.6	68										
			13	2.1	30																						
			16	1.6	23	0.9	13	3.1	45	0.5	7	2.6	38	1.3	19	3.8	55										
			12	5.5	80	*)spring		4.6	67			4	58	*)spring		5.5	80	QP5C	0.1	1	4.1	59	M10	43	32		
			13	3.5	51																		M12	44	32		
300 12"	500	370	16	2.8	41	0.5	7	3.6	52	0		3	43	1	14	4.3	62										
			17	1.8	26																						
			13	5.8	84																			M12	69	51	
			16	4.5	65	*)spring		4.2	61			3.6	52	0.3	4	5	73							M14	51	38	
			17	3	43																						
350 14"	825	610	20	2.3	33	0.6	9	3.4	49	0.2	3	2.8	41	1.1	16	3.9	57										
			16	6.4	93	*)spring		4.9	71			4.3	62	*)spring		5.7	83							M14	72	53	
			17	4.2	61																						
			20	3.3	48	0.3	4	3.7	54	*)spring		3.1	45	0.8	12	4.2	61										
			25	1.7	25	0.9	13	3.1	45	0.5	7	2.6	38	1.4	20	3.6	52										
400 16"	1160	860	16	9.5	138			5.9	86			5.2	75	*)spring		6.8	99							M14	125	92	
			17	6	87																			M15	80	59	
			20	4.7	68	*)spring		4.2	61			3.6	52	0.3	4	4.7	68										
			25	2.4	35	0.6	9	3.4	49	0.2	3	2.8	41	1.1	16	3.9	57										
			20	6.3	91	*)spring		4.8	70			4.2	61	*)spring		5.3	77							M15	107	79	
500 20"	2200	1620	25	3.2	46	0.4	6	3.7	54	*)spring		3.1	45	0.9	13	4.2	61							M16	83	61	
			32	1.6	23	0.9	13	3.1	45	0.5	7	2.5	36	1.4	20	3.7	54										
			25	3.9	57	0.1	1	3.9	57	*)spring		3.3	48	0.6	9	4.4	64							M16	102	75	
			32	1.9	28	0.8	12	3.2	46	0.4	6	2.7	39	1.3	19	3.8	55							M25	98	72	
600 24"	2700	1990																									
			25	6.4	93	*)spring		4.8	70			4.2	61	*)spring		5.3	77							M16	166	122	
700 28"	4400	3240	32	3.2	46	0.4	6	3.7	54	*)spring		3.1	45	0.8	12	4.3	62										
			40	1.5	22																						
750 30"	4400	3240																									
800 32"	6500	4790	32	4.7	68	*)spring		4.2	61			3.6	52	0.3	4	4.8	70							M25	244	180	
			322			0.6	9			0.2	3																
			40	2.3	33																						
			50	1.2	17																						
900 36"	9400	6930	322			0.3	4			*)spring																	
950 38"	9400	6930	40	3.3	48																						
1000 40"	12600	9290	50	1.7	25																						
						*)spring																					
			322																								
1200 48"	16400	12090	40	4.4	64																						
			50	2.3	33																						
			40	5.7	83																						
1400 56"	25600	18880	50	2.9	42																						
			502	1.3	19																						
			50	4.8	70																						
1600 64"	35000	25800	502	2	29																						
			50	6.6	96																						
1700 68"	22000	16200	502	2.7	39																						
1700 68"	22000	16200	50	4.2	61																						
			502	1.7	25																						
1800 72"	22000	16200	50	4.2	61																						
			502	1.7	25																						
2000 80"	22000	16200	50	4.2	61																						
			502	1.7	25																						

Table 12 Series L6D, closing torques

L6D DN SIZE	Mc		BC and BJ	BC pc		BJ pc		BJA** pc		BJK pc		BJKA** pc		BJV pc		BJVA** pc		Q-P actuator	Spring close		Spring open		Manual operator	Input torque M1	
	Nm	lbf ft		SIZE	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar		psi	bar	psi	bar		psi	Nm
100 4"	45	33	6	2.5	36													QP2C	0.6	9	3.6	52			
			8	2.1	30	0.7	10	3.3	48	0.3	4	2.8	41	1.1	16	4	58	QP3C	1.1	16	3.2	46	M07	4	2
			10	1.6	23	1.1	16	2.8	41	0.7	10	2.2	32	1.6	23	3.4	49								
125 5"	75	55	6	4.1	59													QP2C			4.3	62			
			8	3.4	49	0.2	3	3.8	55	*)spring		3.3	48	0.6	9	4.6	68	QP3C	0.8	12	3.5	51	M07	7	5
			9	2.1	30																				
			10	1.9	28	0.9	13	3.1	45	0.5	7	2.6	38	1.4	20	3.7	54								
			11	1.1	16																				
150 6"	110	80	6	6	87													QP3C	0.3	4	3.9	57	M07	10	7
			8	5	72	*)spring		4.5	65			3.8	55	*)spring		5.3	77	QP4C	1	14	3.3	48			
			9	3	43																				
			10	2.4	35	0.6	9	3.4	49	0.2	3	2.9	42	1.1	16	4	58								
			11	1.5	22																				
			12	1.3	19	1.1	16	3	43	0.7	10	2.2	32	1.6	23	3.7	54								
200 8"	230	170	10	5	72	*)spring		4.4	64			3.8	55	0.1	1	5	73	QP4C	0.3	4	3.9	57	M07	20	15
			11	3.2	46													QPC5	1	14	3.3	48	M10	21	15
			12	2.5	36	0.5	7	3.5	51	0.1	1	2.9	42	1.1	16	4.3	62								
			13	1.6	23																				
			16	1.3	19	0.9	13	3	43	0.6	9	2.3	33	1.5	22	3.7	54								
250 10"	460	340	11	6.4	93													QPC5	0.3	4	3.9	57	M10	40	29
			12	5	72	*)spring		4.4	64			3.8	55	0.1	1	5.3	77						M12	38	28
			13	3.2	46																		M14	28	21
			16	2.5	36	0.5	7	3.5	51	0.1	1	2.9	42	1	14	4.2	61								
			17	1.7	25																				
			20	1.4	20	1	14	2.9	42	0.6	9	2.3	33	1.5	22	3.5	51								
			13	5.6	81																			M14	49
300 12"	800	590	16	4.4	64	*)spring		4.2	61			3.6	52	0.4	6	4.9	71								
			17	2.9	42																				
			20	2.3	33	0.7	10	3.3	48	0.3	4	2.8	41	1.2	17	3.8	55								
			17	4.6	67		1																	M15	61
350 14"	1250	920	20	3.6	52	0.2	3	3.8	55	*)spring		3.2	46	0.7	10	4.3	62						M16	44	32
			25	1.8	26	0.8	12	3.2	46	0.4	6	2.6	38	1.3	19	3.7	54								
			32	1	15																				
			17	6.4	93																		M15	85	63
400 16"	1750	1290	20	5	72	*)spring		4.3	62			3.7	54	0.2	3	4.8	70						M16	62	46
			25	2.6	38	0.6	9	3.4	49	0.2	3	2.9	42	1.1	16	3.9	57								
			32	1.3	19	1	14	2.9	42	0.6	9	2.3	33	1.5	22	3.6	52								
			25	3.6	52	0.2	3	3.8	55	*)spring		3.2	46	0.7	10	4.3	62						M16	94	69
			32	1.8	26	0.8	12	3.2	46	0.4	6	2.6	38	1.3	19	3.8	55						M25	91	67
450 18"	2500	1840	40	0.9	13																				
			25	4.9	71	*)spring		4.3	62			3.7	54	0.2	3	4.8	70						M16	128	94
			32	2.4	35	0.6	9	3.4	49	0.2	3	2.8	41	1.1	16	4	58								
500 20"	3400	2510	322			1	15	2.9	42	0.6	9	2.2	32	1.5	22	3.4	49								
			40	1.2	17																				
			32	3	43	0.4	6	3.6	52	*)spring		3	43	0.9	13	4.2	61						M16	155	114
			40	1.4	20																		M25	149	110
600 24"	4100	3020	322			0.9	13	3	43	0.5	7	2.4	35												130
			50	0.8	12																				
			502	0.3	4																				
			32	4.8	70	*)spring		4.3	62			3.6	52	0.2	3	4.9	71						M25	244	180
700 28"	6700	4940	322			0.6	9			0.2	3														
750 30"			40	2.3	33																				
800 32"	9800	7230	322			0.2	3			*)spring															
			40	3.4	49																				
			50	1.8	26																				
900 36"	12000	8850	322			*)spring																			
			40	4.2	61																				
			50	2.2	32																				
1000 40"	19000	14010	50	3.4	49																				
502			1.5	22																					
1250 50"																									
1400 56"	38000	28000	50	7.2	104																				
			502	2.9	42																				
			602	2	29																				
1500 60"																									

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Table 13 Series L6F/D, L6F/E, L4F/D, closing torques

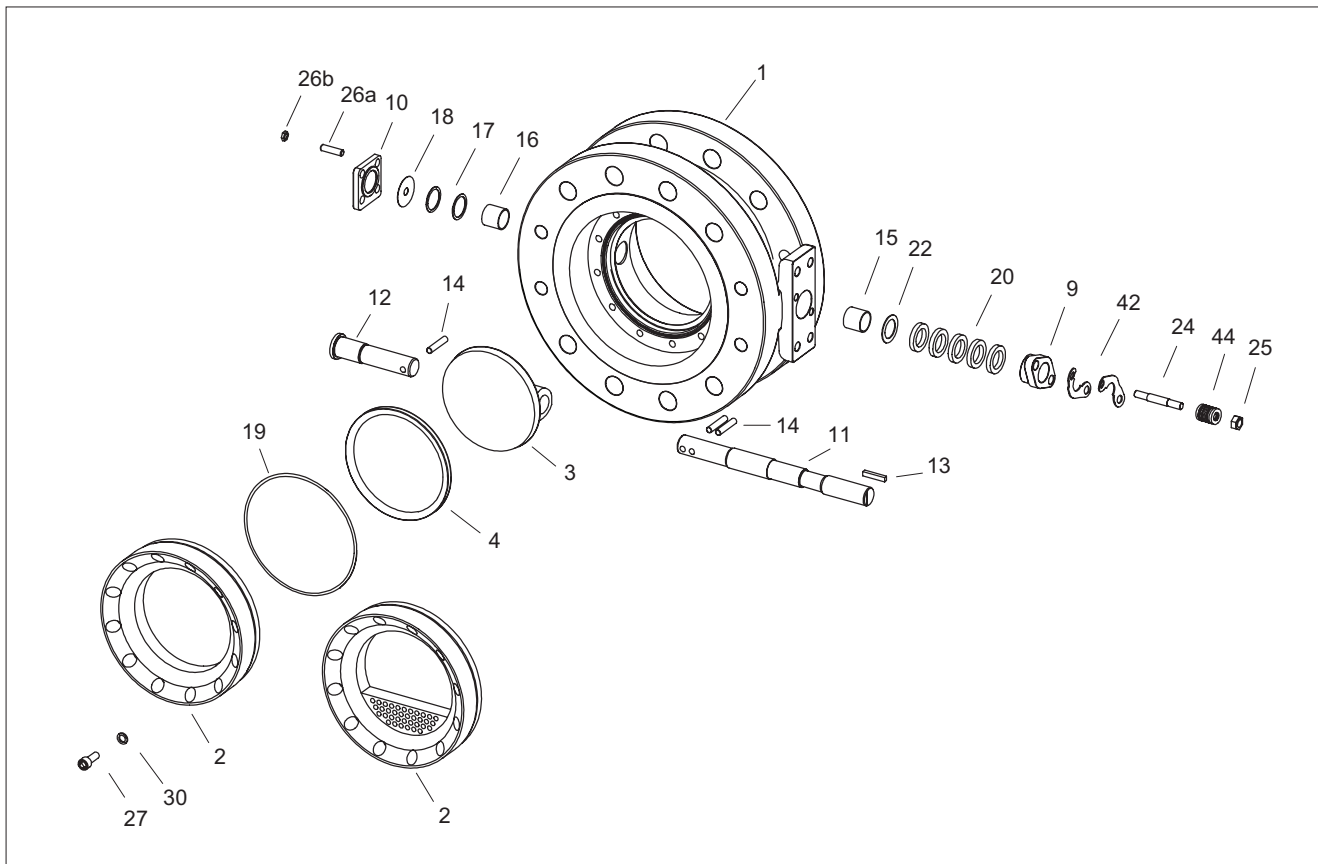
L6F/D L4F/D DN SIZE	Mc		BC and BJ			BJ pc		BJA* pc		BJK pc		BJKA* pc		BJV pc		BJVA* pc		Q-P actuator	Spring close		Spring open		Manual operator	Input torque M1	
	Nm	lbf ft	SIZE	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar	psi		bar	psi	bar	psi		Nm	lbf ft
100 4"	60		6	3.3	48													QPC2	0.5	7	4.7	68	M07	5	4
			8	2.7	39	0.5	7	4.3	62	0.2	3	3.6	52	0.8	12	5.2	75	QPC3	0.8	12	4.2	61			
			10	2.1	30	0.8	12	3.6	52	0.5	7	2.9	42	1.2	17	4.4	64								
125 5"			6	5.3	77													QPC2			5.6	81	M07	9	7
			8	4.4	64	0.2	3	4.9	71			4.3	62	0.5	7	6.0	87	QPC3	0.6	9	4.6	67			
			9	2.7	39																				
			10	2.5	36	0.7	10	4.0	58	0.7	10	3.4	49	1.1	16	4.8	69								
			11	1.4	20																				
150 6"	150		6	7.8	113													QPC3	0.2	3	5.1	74	M07	13	10
			8	6.5	94			5.9	86			4.9	71			6.9	100	QPC4	0.8	12	4.3	62			
			9	3.9	57																				
			10	3.1	45	0.5	7	4.4	64	0.2	3	3.8	55	0.8	12	5.2	75								
			11	2.0	29																				
200 8"	300		12	1.7	25	0.8	12	3.9	57	0.5	7	2.9	42	1.2	17	4.8	70								
			10	6.5	94			5.7	83			4.9	71	0.1	1	6.5	94	QPC4	0.2	3	5.1	74	M07	21	16
			11	4.2	61													QPC5	0.8	12	4.3	62	M10	27	20
			12	3.3	48	0.4	6	4.6	67	0.1	1	3.8	55	0.8	12	5.6	81								
			13	2.1	30																				
250 10"	600		16	1.7	25	0.7	10	3.9	57	0.5	7	3.0	44	1.2	17	4.8	69								
			11	8.3	120													QPC5	0.2	3	5.1	74	M12	21	16
			12	6.5	94			5.7	83			4.9	71	0.1	1	6.9	100						M14	36	27
			13	4.2	61																				
			16	3.3	48	0.4	6	4.6	67	0.1	1	3.8	55	0.8	12	5.5	80								
300 12"	1050		17	2.2	32																				
			20	1.8	26	0.8	12	3.8	55	0.5	7	3.0	44	1.2	17	4.6	67								
			13	7.3	106																		M14	60	44
			16	5.7	83			5.5	80			4.7	68	0.3	4	6.4	93								
			17	3.8	55																				
350 14"	1050		20	3.0	44	0.5	7	4.3	62	0.2	3	3.6	52	0.9	13	4.9	71								
			17	3.8	55																		M15	60	44
			20	3.0	44	0.5	7	4.3	62	0.2	3	3.6	52	0.9	13	4.9	71								
			25	2.3	33	0.6	9	4.2	61	0.3	4	3.4	49	1	15	4.8	70								
			17	8.3	120																				
400 16"	1630		20	6.5	94			5.6	81			4.8	69	0.2	3	6.2	90								
			25	3.4	49			4.4	64	0.2	3	3.8	55	0.8	12	5.1	74								
			32	1.7	25			3.8	55	0.5	7	3.0	44	1.2	17	4.7	68								
			25	4.7	68			4.9	71			4.2	61	0.5	7	5.6	81						M15	92	68
			32	2.3	33			4.2	61	0.3	4	3.4	49	1	15	4.9	71								
450 18"	2280		25	6.4	93			5.6	81			4.8	69	0.2	3	6.2	90						M16	88	65
			32	3.1	45			4.4	64	0.2	3	3.6	52	0.8	12	5.2	75								
			40	1.6	23																				
600 24"	5330	3930	32	3.9	57	0.3	4	4.7	68			3.9	57	0.7	10	5.5	80						M25	147	108
			40	1.8	26																				
			322			0.7	10	3.9	57	0.4	6	3.1	45												
700 28"	8710	6422	32	6.2	90			5.6	81			4.7	68	0.2	3	6.4	93								
			322			0.5	7			0.2	3														
750 30"			40	3.0	44																				
			322			0.2	3																		
800 32"	12740	9390	40	4.4	64																				
			50	2.3	33																				
900 36"	15600	11495	40	5.5	80																				
			50	2.9	42																				

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\*\*) Adjust the supply pressure regulator to the pressure below. Do not exceed given value.

## 10. EXPLODED VIEW AND PARTS LIST

### 10.1 L6C, L6D



Item	Qty	Description	Spare part category
1	1	Body	
2	1	Clamp ring	
3	1	Disc	3
4	1	Seat ring	2
9	1	Gland	
10	1	Blind flange	
11	1	Drive shaft	3
12	1	Shaft	3
13	1	Key	3
14	3	Pin	3
15	1	Bearing	3
16	1	Bearing	3
17	2	Thrust bearing	
18	1	Gasket	1
19	1	Body seal	1
20	1 set	Gland packing	1
21	1	Spring washer	
22	1	Anti-extrusion ring	
24	2	Stud	
25	2	Hexagon nut	
26a	4	Stud	
26b	4	Nut	
27		Socket head screw	
29	1	Identification plate	
30		Washer	
42	2	Retaining plate	
44	2	Disc spring set	

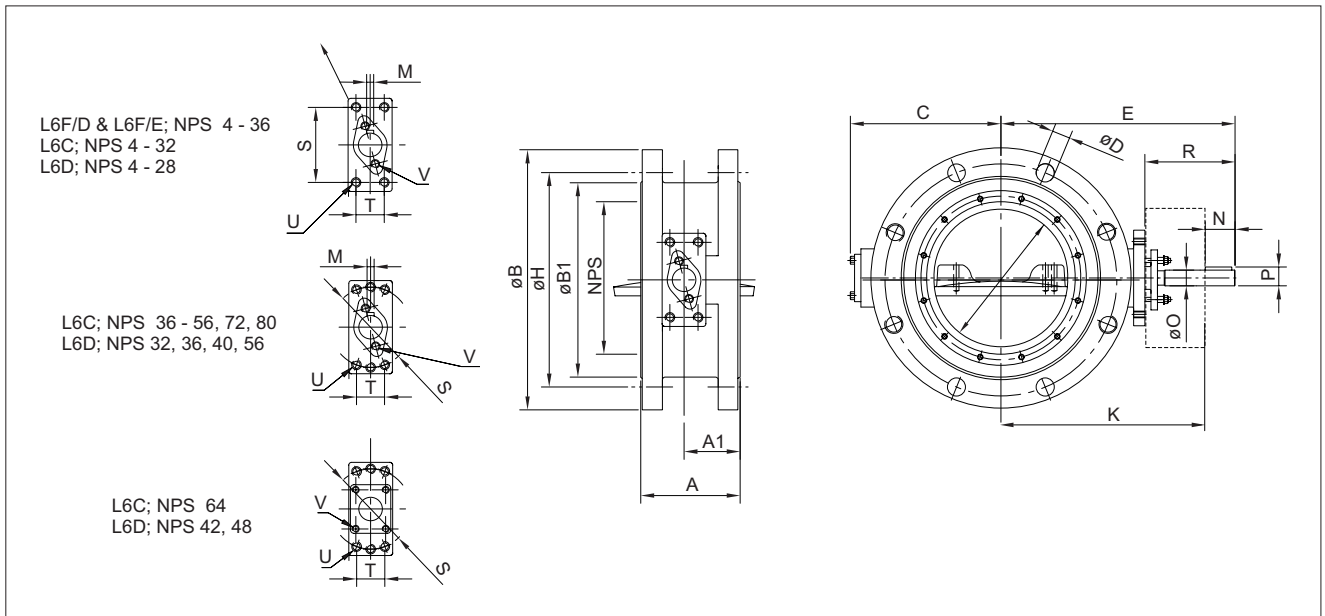
Spare part set category 1: Recommended soft parts, always needed for the repair. Delivered as a set.

Spare part category 2: Parts for replacing of the seat

Spare part category 3: Parts for replacing of the closing element

Spares for the full overhaul: All parts from the categories 1, 2 and 3

# 11. DIMENSIONS AND WEIGHTS



## L6C, ASME CLASS 150

NPS	Dimensions, mm																kg	U	V
	A	A1	$\phi B$	$\phi B1$	$\phi H$	$\phi D$	C	E	$\phi O$	R	P	M	N	K	S	T			
4	127	74	230	157.2	190.5	19	90	273	15	105	17	4.76	25	248	70	-	25	M10	M8
5	140	80	255	185.7	215.9	23	135	307	20	125	22.2	4.76	35	272	90	-	34	M12	M8
6	140	79	280	215.9	241.3	23	135	330	20	125	22.2	4.76	35	295	90	-	40	M12	M8
8	152	82.5	345	269.9	298.5	23	160	352	20	125	22.2	4.76	35	317	110	32	60	M12	M8
10	165	88	405	323.8	362	26	185	393	25	136	27.8	6.35	46	347	110	32	85	M12	M10
12	178	104	485	381	431.8	26	225	451	30	161	32.9	6.35	51	400	130	32	120	M12	M10
14	190	118	535	412.8	476.3	29	280	490	35	170	39.1	9.52	58	430	130	32	150	M12	M10
16	216	134	595	469.9	539.8	29	315	545	40	190	44.2	9.52	68	475	160	40	220	M16	M10
18	222	131	635	533.4	577.9	32	340	568	45	200	50.4	12.7	80	488	160	40	250	5/8	1/2
20	229	129	700	584.2	635	32	370	608	50	230	55.5	12.7	90	518	160	55	320	3/4	1/2
24	267	158	815	692.2	749.3	35	435	669	55	230	60.6	12.7	90	579	160	55	490	3/4	1/2
28*	292	144	925	800	863.6	35	464	820	70	300	78.2	19.05	119	701	230	90	700	1	5/8
30*	318	170	985	857	914.4	35	492	785	70	300	78.2	19.05	119	666	230	90	850	1	5/8
32*	318	159	1060	914	977.9	42	530	875	85	325	94.7	22.23	146	730	230	90	1050	1	5/8
36*	330	150	1170	1022	1085.8	42	630	995	95	375	104.8	22.23	156	839	330	120	1350	1 1/4	3/4
38*	330	150	1240	1073	1149.3	42	695	1085	95	375	104.8	22.23	156	929	330	120	1400	1 1/4	3/4
40*	410	222	1290	1124	1200.2	42	645	1090	105	395	116	25.4	180	913	330	120	1600	1 1/4	3/4
48*	470	256	1510	1359	1422.4	42	756	1235	120	425	133.8	31.75	205	1030	330	120	2300	1 1/4	3/4
56*	530	288	1745	1575	1651	48	1001	1470	150	530	181	38.1	280	1190	400	160	4600	1 1/2	1 1/4
64*	600	370	1870	1714	1790	38	1097	1540	165	530	181	38.1	280	1260	400	160	5200	1 1/2	1 1/4
72*	356	160.5	2020	1917	1957	29	1130	1512	135	475	148.9	31.75	225	1287	360	135	4800	1 1/4	7/8
80*	540	274.5	2345	2213	2257	45	1173	1700	135	475	148.9	31.75	225	1475	360	135	6900	1 1/4	7/8

NPS	Dimensions, in																lb	U	V
	A	A1	$\phi B$	$\phi B1$	$\phi H$	$\phi D$	C	E	$\phi O$	R	P	M	N	K	S	T			
4	5.00	2.91	9.13	6.18	7.50	0.75	3.54	10.75	0.59	4.13	0.67	0.19	0.98	9.76	2.76	-	55	M10	M8
5	5.51	3.15	10.12	7.31	8.50	0.91	5.31	12.09	0.79	4.92	0.87	0.19	1.38	10.71	3.54	-	75	M12	M8
6	5.51	3.11	11.81	8.50	9.50	0.91	5.31	12.99	0.79	4.92	0.87	0.19	1.38	11.61	3.54	-	88	M12	M8
8	5.98	3.25	13.62	10.62	11.75	0.91	6.30	13.86	0.79	4.92	0.87	0.19	1.38	12.48	4.33	1.26	132	M12	M8
10	6.50	3.46	16.18	12.75	14.25	1.02	7.28	15.47	0.98	5.35	1.09	0.25	1.81	13.66	4.33	1.26	187	M12	M10
12	7.01	4.09	19.21	15.00	17.00	1.02	8.86	17.76	1.18	6.34	1.30	0.25	2.01	15.75	5.12	1.26	264	M12	M10
14	7.48	4.65	21.22	16.25	18.75	1.14	11.02	19.29	1.38	6.69	1.54	0.37	2.28	16.93	5.12	1.26	330	M12	M10
16	8.50	5.28	23.70	18.50	21.25	1.14	12.40	21.46	1.57	7.48	1.74	0.37	2.68	18.70	6.30	1.57	484	M16	M10
18	8.74	5.16	25.00	21.00	22.75	1.26	13.39	22.36	1.77	7.87	1.98	0.50	3.15	19.21	6.30	1.57	550	5/8	1/2
20	9.02	5.08	27.52	23.00	25.00	1.26	14.57	23.94	1.97	9.06	2.19	0.50	3.54	20.39	6.30	2.17	704	3/4	1/2
24	10.51	6.22	32.01	24.77	29.50	1.38	17.13	26.34	2.17	9.06	2.39	0.50	3.54	22.80	6.30	2.17	1078	3/4	1/2
28*	11.50	5.67	36.50	31.50	34.00	1.38	18.27	32.28	2.76	11.81	3.08	0.75	4.69	27.60	9.06	3.54	1540	1	5/8
30*	12.52	6.69	38.74	33.75	36.00	1.38	19.37	30.91	2.76	11.81	3.08	0.75	4.69	26.22	9.06	3.54	1870	1	5/8
32*	12.52	6.26	41.73	36.00	38.50	1.65	20.87	34.45	3.35	12.80	3.73	0.88	5.75	28.74	9.06	3.54	2310	1	5/8
36*	12.99	5.91	45.98	40.25	42.75	1.65	24.80	39.17	3.74	14.76	4.13	0.88	6.14	33.03	12.99	4.72	2970	1 1/4	3/4
38*	12.99	5.91	48.74	42.24	45.25	1.65	27.36	42.72	3.74	14.76	4.13	0.88	6.14	36.57	12.99	4.72	3080	1 1/4	3/4
40*	16.14	8.74	50.75	44.25	47.24	1.65	25.39	42.91	4.13	15.55	4.57	1.00	7.08	35.94	12.99	4.72	3520	1 1/4	3/4
48*	18.50	10.08	59.49	53.50	56.00	1.65	29.76	48.62	4.72	16.73	5.27	1.25	8.07	40.55	12.99	4.72	5060	1 1/4	3/4
56*	20.87	11.34	68.90	62.01	65.00	1.89	39.41	57.87	5.91	20.87	7.13	1.50	11.02	46.85	15.75	6.30	10120	1 1/2	1 1/4
64*	23.62	14.57	73.62	67.48	70.47	1.50	43.19	60.63	6.50	20.87	7.13	1.50	11.02	49.61	15.75	6.30	11440	1 1/2	1 1/4
72*	14.02	18.13	83.46	78.39	80.00	1.14	44.49	59.53	5.31	18.70	5.86	1.25	8.86	50.67	14.17	5.31	10560	1 1/4	7/8
80*	21.26	10.81	92.32	87.13	88.86	1.77	46.18	66.93	5.31	18.70	5.86	1.25	8.86	58.07	14.17	5.31	15180	1 1/4	7/8

\*) Size 28" and bigger acc. to ASME B16.47 Series A, drilling for sizes 64" and bigger to be agreed with the factory

# L6D, ASME CLASS 300

NPS	Dimensions, mm																kg	U	V
	A	A1	øB	øB1	øH	øD	C	E	øO	R	P	M	N	K	S	T			
4	127	74	255	157.2	200	23	90	273	15	105	17	4.76	25	248	70	-	34	M10	M8
5	140	80	280	185.7	235	23	120	307	20	125	22.2	4.76	35	272	90	-	50	M12	M8
6	140	79	320	215.9	269.9	23	135	330	20	125	22.2	4.76	35	295	90	-	60	M12	M8
8	152	80	380	269.9	330.2	26	165	368	25	136	27.8	6.35	46	322	110	32	90	M12	M10
10	165	83	445	323.8	387.4	29	205	440	35	166	39.1	9.52	58	382	130	32	135	M12	M10
12	178	96.5	520	381	450.8	32	280	520	45	200	50.4	12.7	80	440	160	40	200	M16	M14
14	190	110.5	585	412.8	514.4	32	335	590	50	230	55.5	12.7	90	500	160	55	250	M20	M14
16	216	126.5	650	469.9	571.5	35	375	630	55	230	60.6	12.7	90	540	160	55	330	M20	M14
18	222	115.5	710	533.4	628.6	35	395	725	70	310	78.2	19.05	119	606	230	90	420	1	5/8
20	229	116	775	584.2	685.8	35	445	750	70	310	78.2	19.05	119	631	230	90	510	1	5/8
24	267	140	915	692.2	812.8	41	510	810	85	310	94.7	22.23	146	664	230	90	760	1	5/8
26	292	140	970	749	876.3	45	575	955	95	375	104.8	25.4	156	799	330	120	900	1 1/4	3/4
28*	292	140	1035	800	939.8	45	575	975	95	395	104.8	25.4	156	819	330	120	1100	1 1/4	3/4
32*	318	159	1150	914	1054	51	640	1055	120	425	133.8	31.75	205	850	330	120	1400	1 1/4	1
36*	330	165	1270	1022	1168.4	54	780	1175	135	475	149	31.75	225	950	360	135	1900	1 1/4	1 1/4
40*	410	165	1240	1086	1155.7	45	780	1175	135	475	149	31.75	225	950	360	135	1900	1 1/4	1 1/4
42*	410	205	1290	1137	1206.5	45	820	1260	165	530	181	38.1	280	980	360	135	2530	1 1/4	1 1/4
48*	470	255	1465	1302	1371.6	51	940	1380	165	530	181	38.1	280	1100	360	135	3530	1 1/4	1 1/4
56*	530	285	1710	1518	1600.2	60	1110	1590	200	590	222.1	50.8	340	1250	460	180	5650	1 1/2	1 1/2

NPS	Dimensions, in																lb	U	V
	A	A1	øB	øB1	øH	øD	C	E	øO	R	P	M	N	K	S	T			
4	5.00	2.91	10.12	6.19	7.87	0.91	3.54	10.75	0.59	4.13	0.67	0.19	0.98	9.76	2.76	-	75	M10	M8
5	5.51	3.15	11.14	7.31	9.25	0.91	4.72	12.09	0.79	4.92	0.87	0.19	1.38	10.71	3.54	-	110	M12	M8
6	5.51	3.11	12.64	8.50	10.63	0.91	5.31	12.99	0.79	4.92	0.87	0.19	1.38	11.61	3.54	-	132	M12	M8
8	5.98	3.15	15.12	10.62	13.00	1.02	6.50	14.49	0.98	5.35	1.09	0.25	1.81	12.68	4.33	1.26	198	M12	M10
10	6.50	3.27	17.72	12.75	15.25	1.14	8.07	17.32	1.38	6.54	1.54	0.37	2.28	15.04	5.12	1.26	297	M12	M10
12	7.01	3.80	20.71	15.00	17.75	1.26	11.02	20.47	1.77	7.87	1.98	0.50	3.15	17.32	6.30	1.57	440	M16	M14
14	7.48	4.35	23.19	16.25	20.25	1.26	13.19	23.23	1.97	9.06	2.19	0.50	3.54	19.69	6.30	2.17	550	M20	M14
16	8.50	4.98	26.18	18.50	22.50	1.38	14.76	24.80	2.17	9.06	2.39	0.50	3.54	21.26	6.30	2.17	726	M20	M14
18	8.74	4.55	28.00	21.00	24.75	1.38	15.55	28.54	2.76	12.20	3.08	0.75	4.69	23.86	9.06	3.54	924	1	5/8
20	9.02	4.57	30.50	23.01	27.00	1.38	17.52	29.53	2.76	12.20	3.08	0.75	4.69	24.84	9.06	3.54	1122	1	5/8
24	10.51	5.51	36.00	27.25	32.00	1.61	20.08	31.89	3.35	12.20	3.73	0.88	5.75	26.14	9.06	3.54	1672	1	5/8
26	11.50	5.51	38.27	29.50	34.50	1.77	22.64	37.60	3.74	14.76	4.13	1.00	6.14	31.46	12.99	4.72	1980	1 1/4	3/4
28*	11.50	5.51	40.75	31.50	37.00	1.77	22.64	38.39	3.74	15.55	4.13	1.00	6.14	32.24	12.99	4.72	2420	1 1/4	3/4
32*	12.52	6.26	45.28	37.80	41.50	2.01	25.20	41.54	4.72	16.73	5.27	1.25	8.07	33.46	12.99	4.72	3080	1 1/4	1
36*	12.99	6.50	50.00	40.25	46.00	2.13	30.71	46.26	5.31	18.70	5.87	1.25	8.86	37.40	14.17	5.31	4180	1 1/4	1 1/4
40*	16.14	6.50	48.74	42.75	45.50	1.77	30.71	46.26	5.31	18.70	5.87	1.25	8.86	37.40	14.17	5.31	4180	1 1/4	1 1/4
42*	16.14	8.07	50.75	40.35	47.50	1.77	32.28	49.61	6.50	20.87	7.13	1.50	11.02	38.58	14.17	5.31	5566	1 1/4	1 1/4
48*	18.50	10.04	57.76	51.25	54.00	2.01	37.01	54.33	6.50	20.87	7.13	1.50	11.02	43.31	14.17	5.31	7766	1 1/4	1 1/4
56*	20.87	11.22	67.24	59.75	63.00	2.36	43.70	62.60	7.87	23.23	8.74	2.00	13.39	49.21	18.11	7.09	12430	1 1/2	1 1/2

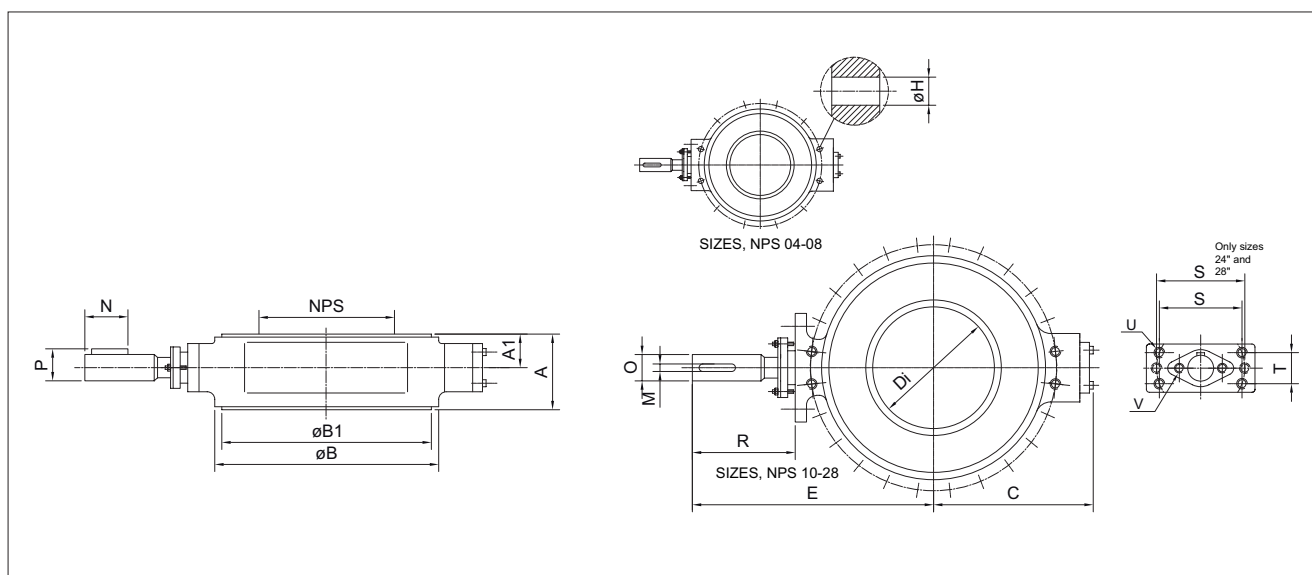
\*) Size 28" and bigger acc. to ASME B16.47 Series A

# L6F/D & L6F/E, ASME CLASS 600/300

NPS	Dimensions, mm																kg	U	V
	A	A1	øB	øB1	øH	øD	C	E	øO	R	P	M	N	K	S	T			
4	190	110	275	157.2	215.9	25.4	108	271	15	126	17	4.8	25	246	110	32	45	1/2	3/8
6	210	125	355	215.9	292.1	29	167	335	20	135	22.2	4.8	35	300	110	32	90	1/2	3/8
8	230	177	420	270	349.2	31.8	238	397	25	167	27.8	6.4	46	351	110	32	150	1/2	1/2
10	250	145	510	323.8	431.8	35	238	493	35	208	39.1	9.5	58	435	160	40	215	5/8	5/8
12	270	181	560	381	489	35	333	642	45	260	50.4	12.7	80	562	230	90	350	1	3/4
14	290	145	605	412.8	527.1	38.1	330	595	45	260	50.4	12.7	80	515	230	90	410	1	3/4
16	310	202	685	469.9	603.2	42	409	707	50	271	55.5	12.7	90	617	230	90	450	1	3/4
18	330	220	745	533.4	654.1	44.5	426	660	55	270	60.6	12.7	90	570	230	90	600	M24	7/8
20	350	243.5	815	584.2	723.9	44.5	527	803	70	303	78.2	19.1	119	684	230	90	895	1	1
24	390	256.5	952.4	692.2	838.2	50.8	567	971	85	366	94.6	22.2	146	825	330	120	1225	1 1/4	1
28*	430	200	1075	800.1	965.2	54	645	1001	95	376	104.8	22.2	156	845	330	120	1625	1 1/4	1 1/4
30*	430	200	1130	857	1022.4	53.9	721	941	95	316	104.8	22.2	156	785	330	120	1795	1 1/4	1 1/4
36*	510	345	1314	1022.3	1193.8	66.7	835	1385	135	665	149	31.8	225	1160	360	135	2770	1 1/4	1

NPS	Dimensions, in																lb	U	V
	A	A1	øB	øB1	øH	øD	C	E	øO	R	P	M	N	K	S	T			
4	7.48	4.33	10.83	6.19	8.50	1.00	4.25	10.67	0.59	4.96	0.67	0.19	0.98	9.69	4.33	1.26	99	1/2	3/8
6	8.27	4.92	13.98	8.50	11.50	1.14	6.57	13.19	0.79	5.31	0.87	0.19	1.38	11.81	4.33	1.26	198	1/2	3/8
8	9.06	6.97	16.54	10.63	13.75	1.25	9.37	15.63	0.98	6.57	1.09	0.25	1.81	13.82	4.33	1.26	331	1/2	1/2
10	9.84	5.71	20.08	12.75	17.00	1.38	9.37	19.41	1.38	8.19	1.54	0.38	2.28	17.13	6.30	1.57	474	5/8	5/8
12	10.63	7.13	22.05	15.00	19.25	1.38	13.11	25.28	1.77	10.24	1.98	0.50	3.15	22.13	9.06	3.54	772	1	3/4
14	11.42	5.71	23.82	16.25	20.75	1.50	12.99	23.43	1.77	10.24	1.98	0.50	3.15	20.28	9.06	3.54	904	1	3/4
16	12.20	7.95	26.97	18.50	23.75	1.65	16.10	27.83	1.97	10.67	2.19	0.50	3.54	24.29	9.06	3.54	992	1	3/4
18	12.99	8.66	29.33	21.00	25.75	1.75	16.77	25.98	2.17	10.63	2.39	0.50	3.54	22.44	9.06	3.54	1323	M24	7/8
20	13.78	9.59	32.09	23.00	28.50	1.75	20.75	31.63	2.76	11.93	3.08	0.75	4.69	26.93	9.06	3.54	1973	1	1
24	15.35	10.10	37.50	27.25	33.00	2.00	22.32	38.23	3.35	14.41	3.73	0.88	5.75	32.48	12.99	4.72	2701	1 1/4	1
28*	16.93	7.87	42.32	31.50	38.00	2.13	25.39	39.41	3.74	14.80	4.13	0.88	6.14	33.27	12.99	4.72	3583	1 1/4	1 1/4
30*	16.93	7.87	44.49	33.74	40.25	2.12	28.39	37.05	3.74	12.44	4.13	0.88	6.14	30.91	12.99	4.72	3957	1 1/4	1 1/4
36*	20.08	13.58	51.73	40.25	47.00	2.63	32.87	54.53	5.31	26.18	5.86	1.25	8.86	45.67	14.17	5.31	6107	1 1/4	1

\*) Size 28" and bigger acc. to ASME B16.47 Series A



## L4F/D, ASME CLASS 600/300

Size	Dimensions, mm														UNC		Weight
NPS	Di	A	A1	øB	øB1	C	E	O	R	P	M	N	S	T	U	V	kg
04	3	64	26	275	157.2	135	270	15	125	17.0	4.76	25	110	32	1/2	3/8	17
06	5	76	30	355	215.9	190	335	20	135	22.2	4.76	35	110	32	1/2	3/8	30
08	6	89	36	420	269.9	225	386	25	146	27.8	6.35	46	110	32	1/2	1/2	65
10	8	114	49	510	323.8	300	525	35	180	39.1	9.52	58	160	40	5/8	5/8	140
12	10	178	89	560	381	326	612	45	230	50.4	12.70	80	230	90	1	3/4	190
14	10	190	95	605	412.8	350	585	45	230	50.4	12.70	80	230	90	1	3/4	270
16	12	216	108	685	469.9	400	676	50	240	55.5	12.70	90	230	90	1	3/4	300
20	16	229	122.5	815	584.2	460	778	70	278	78.2	19.05	119	230	90	1	1	450
24	20	267	133.5	940	692.2	560	951	85	346	94.7	22.23	146	330	120	1 1/4	1	660
28*	24	292	140	1075	800	640	1006	95	316	104.8	22.23	156	330	120	1 1/4	1	840
32*	28	318	159	1195	914	660	1066	120	426	133.7	31.75	205	330	120	1 1/4	1	1225
36*	30	330	165	1315	1022	685	1195	135	475	148.9	31.75	225	360	135	1 1/4	1	1625

Size	Dimensions, in														UNC		Weight
NPS	Di	A	A1	øB	øB1	C	E	O	R	P	M	N	S	T	U	V	lb
04	3	2.52	1.02	10.83	6.19	5.31	10.63	0.59	4.92	0.67	0.19	0.98	4.33	1.26	1/2	3/8	37
06	5	2.99	1.18	13.98	8.50	7.48	13.19	0.79	5.31	0.87	0.19	1.38	4.33	1.26	1/2	3/8	66
08	6	3.50	1.42	16.54	10.63	8.86	15.20	0.98	5.75	1.09	0.25	1.81	4.33	1.26	1/2	1/2	143
10	8	4.49	1.93	20.08	12.75	11.81	20.67	1.38	7.09	1.54	0.37	2.28	6.30	1.57	5/8	5/8	308
12	10	7.01	3.50	22.05	15.00	12.83	24.09	1.77	9.06	1.98	0.50	3.15	9.06	3.54	1	3/4	418
14	10	7.48	3.74	23.82	16.25	13.78	23.03	1.77	9.06	1.98	0.50	3.15	9.06	3.54	1	3/4	594
16	12	8.50	4.25	26.97	18.50	15.75	26.61	1.97	9.45	2.19	0.50	3.54	9.06	3.54	1	3/4	660
20	16	9.02	4.82	32.09	23.00	18.11	30.63	2.76	10.94	3.08	0.75	4.69	9.06	3.54	1	1	990
24	20	10.51	5.26	37.01	27.25	22.05	37.44	3.35	13.62	3.73	0.88	5.75	12.99	4.72	1 1/4	1	1450
28*	24	11.50	5.51	42.32	31.50	25.20	39.61	3.74	12.44	4.13	0.88	6.14	12.99	4.72	1 1/4	1	1848
32*	28	12.52	6.26	47.05	35.98	25.98	41.97	4.72	16.77	5.26	1.25	8.07	12.99	4.72	1 1/4	1	2695
36*	30	12.99	6.50	51.77	40.24	26.97	47.05	5.31	18.70	5.86	1.25	8.86	14.17	5.31	1 1/4	1	3575

\*) Size 28" and bigger acc. to ASME B16.47 Class A

## 12. EU DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY FOR ATEX APPROVED VALVES



### EU DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY for ATEX approved valves



Manufacturer:  
Valmet Flow Control Oy  
01380 Vantaa, Finland  
\*Valmet Flow Control (Jiaxing) Co., Ltd.  
Jiaxing, China  
\*) Also manufactures certain series

EU Authorised Representative: Valmet Flow Control Oy, Vanha Porvoontie 229, 01380 Vantaa, Finland. Contact details: [+358 10 417 5000](tel:+358104175000)

This declaration of conformity is issued under the sole responsibility of the manufacturer.

Product:	Neles Butterfly Valves
Type:	L-series (L1, L2, L4, L5, L6, L12, LG, LW),
ATEX group and category:	Ex II 2 GD, II 3 GD
Ex GAS:	Ex h IIC 85°C...Tmax Gb
Ex DUST:	Ex h IIIC T85°C...T(Tmax) Db

Tmax= valve max. temperature in name plate

#### Manufacturer's certificates:

Standard / Directive	Notified Body and NoBo number	Certificate No.
ISO 9001:2015	LRQA (Certification body)	10531829
PED 2014/68/EU Module H	DNV Business Assurance Italy S.r.l. 0496	142306-2013-CE-FIN-ACCREDIA
ATEX 2014/34/EU Annex IV	DNV Product Assurance AS Norway 2460	Presafe 18 ATEX 91983Q Issue 6

ATEX 2014/34/EU Annex VIII technical files are archived by Notified Body number 0537

The object of the declaration described above is in conformity with the relevant Union harmonisation legislation:

PED 2014/68/EU	Valve
ATEX 2014/34/EU	Non-electrical equipment

#### Main components:

Valve:
The valve is suitable for service up to PED Cat III
Valve design standard: ASME B16.34

Installation, Maintenance and Operating instructions manual (IMO) must be followed before installation in order to ensure proper and safe mounting and usage of equipment.

The product above is manufactured in compliance with the applicable European directives and technical specifications/standards (EN10204). The product is in conformity with the customer order.

Instrumentation and accessories having equal protection concept, level and performance specification with the original can be presumed to be in conformity with this Declaration of Conformity.

Protection from e.g. static electricity caused by the process or connected equipment must be considered by the user (EN 60079-14 § 6). EN 60079-19 applies for modifications.

Non-electrical equipment is according EN 80079-37:2016 and EN 80079-36:2016. The actual surface temperature of non-electrical equipment is depended on the process and ambient conditions (EN 80079-36:2016 § 6.2.5 and 6.2.7). The protection from high or low temperature must be considered by the end user before put into service.

The product does not possess any residual risk according to hazard analysis conducted under the applicable directives providing that the procedures stated by the IMO are followed and the product is used under conditions mentioned in the technical specifications.

Documents with digital and/or e-signature conveyed by Valmet Flow Control conform to the Regulation (EU) No 910/2014 as well as the national code on e-signatures. In order to secure the integrity of the document, the authenticity of the sender, and indisputableness of the dispatch the identification is covered by individual ID codes, passwords, and by regularly changing passwords. The authorization to sign documents is based on organizational position and/or is task related. The impartial third party in the company bestows the access right with predefined authorities to particular databases.

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# 13. TYPE CODE

Neles™ Neldisc™ high performance butterfly valves. Series L6, L4													
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.		12.	13.
	L6	C	B	N	08	P	A	C	A	G	/		

1.	S-DISC CONSTRUCTION
S-	Flow balancing trim on downstream side of body flow port

2.	PRODUCT SERIES / DESIGN
L6	L6C and L6D pressure ratings are flanged and face-to-face according to EN 558 part 1, basic series 13, ISO 5752 series 13, API 609 category B, double flanged, short pattern L6F/D and L6F/E are flanged and face-to-face according to EN 558 part 1, basic series 14, ISO 5752 series 14, API 609 category B
L4	Wafer, reduced bore, face-to-face: ISO 5752 series 16 / BS 5155 / API 609 4" to 10" and series 13 / BS 5155 12" to 28"

3.	PRESSURE RATING
C	Body ASME Class 150
D	Body ASME Class 300
F/D	Body ASME Class 600 / Internals ASME Class 300
F/E	Body ASME Class 600 / Internals extended ASME Class 300

4.	SEAT DESIGN
B not L6F/D or L6F/E	Metal seat - actuator mounting neles standard / metric threads with drive shaft with 2 key ways - pipe flange threads according to pipe flange standard applied (sign 13) Used together with sign 5, codes N, C, H, S (also NACE versions)

5.	CONSTRUCTION
N or 1N (NACE)	STANDARD in size range 4" ...24" (cl.150, cl.300) - $t_{max} = +425\text{ °C} / +800\text{ °F}$ - bearings cobalt based alloy, shaft bearing surface nitrated (17-4PH shaft) - body and blind flange gaskets graphite - bare shaft valve ATEX II 2 G c - not used in L6F/D or L6F/E
A	Standard design in size range 04" ...24" (cl.150, cl.300) - Bearings PTFE + C25 + AISI 316 or PTFE + C25 + Alloy 625 depending on body material, shaft bearing surface non-nitrated. - $t_{max} = +260\text{ °C} / +500\text{ °F}$ - Gr. 630 (17-4PH) shaft - body and blind flange gaskets graphite
U or 1U (NACE)	Standard design in size range 28" ...80" (cl.150, cl.300) and 4"-36" L6F/D & L6F/E - $T_{max} = +425\text{ °C} / +800\text{ °F}$ - shaft bearings surfaces chrome plated - bearings NITRONIC 60 (not NACE) - bearings cobalt based alloy (NACE) - body and blind flange gaskets graphite - clamp ring screws Gr. 660 (NACE) - bare shaft valve ATEX II 2 G c
H or 1H (NACE)	High temperature / High Cycle - bearing surfaces of shafts cobalt based alloy - bearings cobalt based alloy - body and blind flange gaskets graphite (ATEX II 2 G c)
C	Cryogenic, $t = -200\text{ °C} \dots +260\text{ °C}$ , code C $t = -50\text{ °C}$ or $-100\text{ °C} \dots +260\text{ °C}$ , code 1C $t = -200\text{ °C} \dots +260\text{ °C}$ , code 2C - extended bonnet and drive shaft (Cryo extension for $T = -200\text{ °C}$ to $+260\text{ °C}$ ) - bearings PTFE+ C25 + AISI 316 - body and blind flange gaskets graphite
X or 1X (NACE)	LOW EMISSION CONSTRUCTION - Low emission graphite packing - Low emission blind flange - Low emission blind flange bolting - Otherwise as construction "N" or "1N"
S or 1S (NACE)	STEAM JACKET WITH BEARING PROTECTION - steam jacket on valve body and graphite bearing protection, otherwise as construction "BN" or "BU"
Z	OXYGEN CONSTRUCTION - BAM tested non-metallic materials - $T = -50 \dots +200\text{ °C}$ - Max pressure as per body rating - Bearings cobalt based alloy - Oxygen cleaning acc. to manufacturer internal procedures. (See IMO 100270EN.pdf)

6.	SIZE
	L6C: 04, 06, 08, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 28, 30, 32, 36, 38, 40, 42, 48, 52, 54, 56, 60, 64, 72, 80 L6D: 04, 06, 08, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 36, 40, 42, 44, 48, 50, 56 L4F/D: 04, 06, 08, 10, 12, 14, 16, 20, 24, 28 L6F/D & L6F/E: 04, 06, 08, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 28, 30, 36

7.	BODY MATERIALS
A	ASTM A 351 gr. CF8M. Standard.
P	ASTM A 216 gr. WCB. Standard.
F	ASTM A 352 gr. LCC

8.	DISC MATERIAL
A	ASTM A 351 gr. CF8M / F 316. Standard.

9.	SHAFT AND PIN MATERIAL
C	Gr. 630 (17-4PH). Standard.
H	Nimonic 80A (high temp. above $+425\text{ °C} / +800\text{ °F}$ )

10.	SEAT MATERIAL
A Not L6F/E	Incoloy 825, hard chrome plated.
B	W.no. 1.4418, hard chrome plated (AVESTA 248 SV).
D Not L6F/E	F6NM, hard chrome plated (Nace) $t = -75\text{ °C}$ to $+425\text{ °C} / -100\text{ °F}$ to $+800\text{ °F}$
H	Nimonic 80A, hard chrome plated, (high temp. above $+425\text{ °C} / +800\text{ °F}$ ).

11.	PACKING MATERIAL OPTION
G	Live loaded graphite packing, Fire-safe
T	Live loaded PTFE V-ring packing

12.	FLANGE FACING
-	Ra 3.2 - 6.3, standard, without sign cover: EN 1092-1 Type B1 (Ra 3.2 - 12.5) ASME B16.5, Ra 3.2 - 6.3 (125 - 250 $\mu\text{in}$ )

13.	FLANGE DRILLING
-	According to ASME B16.5, without sign (4" - 24"). According to ASME B16.47 series A (26" and up).
B	ASME B16.47 Series B Class 150 & Class 300 (size 26" and bigger)

<b>Examples:</b>		
L6CBN08AACAG	=	Standard construction with metal bearings, stainless steel body and disc. Max. temperature $+425\text{ °C}$
L6CBN08AACAT	=	Max. temperature $+230\text{ °C}$
L6CBU28AACAG	=	Standard construction in bigger sizes, metal bearings, stainless steel body and disc. Flanges acc. to ASME B16.47 Series A. Max. temperature $+425\text{ °C}$
L6CBH10AAHHG	=	High temperature construction
L6CBC12AACAG	=	Cryo construction
L6F/DMU08PACAG	=	Standard construction with metal bearings, carbon steel body and stainless steel disc. Body ASME Class 600, Internals ASME Class 300

# 14. GENERAL SAFETY WARNINGS AND DISCLAIMERS

## General safety warnings (Only for Neles Neldisc™ L-series)

### Lifting

1. Always use a lifting plan created by a qualified person to lift this equipment. Lifting guidance is provided in this IMO (Installation, Maintenance and Operation manual) to assist in lifting plan development. Think about the center of gravity (CG) of the equipment being lifted. Make sure the CG is always under the central lifting point.
2. Valves may be equipped with lifting threads on the body or on the flanges. These are intended to be used with the lifting plan.
3. Use only correct and approved lifting devices. Ensure that lifting devices and straps are securely attached to the equipment prior to lifting.
4. Check, that lifting devices are not damaged and in good condition with a valid check stamp prior to use.
5. Workers must be trained for lifting and handling valves.
6. Never lift an assembly by the instrumentation (solenoid, positioner, limit switch, etc.) or by the instrumentation piping. Straps and lifting devices should be fitted to prevent damage to instrumentation and instrumentation piping. Failure to follow the lifting guidance provided may result in damage and personal injury from falling objects.

### Work activities on the valve

1. Wear your personal safety equipment. Personal safety equipment includes but is not limited to protective shoes, protective clothing, safety glasses, helmet, hearing protection and working gloves.
2. Always follow the local safety instructions in addition to the Valmet instructions. If Valmet instructions conflict with local safety instructions, stop work and contact Valmet for more information.
3. Before beginning service on the equipment, make sure that the actuator is disconnected from any kind of power source (pneumatic, hydraulic, and/or electric), and no stored energy is applied on the actuator (compressed spring, compressed air volumes, etc.). Do not attempt to remove a spring return actuator unless the stop screw is carrying the spring force.
4. Make sure that there is a LOTOTO (Lock Out / Tag Out / Try Out) procedure in place for the system in which the valve is installed and strictly follow it.
5. Always make sure that the pipeline is depressurized and in ambient temperature condition before maintenance work is started.
6. Keep hands and other body parts out of the flow port when the valve is being serviced and the actuator is connected to the valve. There is a high risk of serious injury to hands and/or fingers due to malfunction if the valve suddenly starts to operate.
7. Beware of Trim (Disc, Ball or Plug) movement even when the valve is disassembled. Trim may move simply due to the weight of the part or change in position of the valve. Keep hands or other body parts away from locations where they may be injured by movement of the trim. Do not leave objects near or in the valve port which may fall in and need to be retrieved.

## General disclaimers

### Receiving, handling and unpacking.

1. Respect the safety warnings above!
2. Valves are critical components for pipelines to control high pressure fluids and must therefore be handled with care.
3. Store valves and equipment in a dry and protected area until the equipment is installed.
4. Do not exceed the maximum storage temperatures given in the IMO (installation, maintenance, and operating instructions).
5. Keep the original packaging on the valve as long as possible to avoid environmental contamination by dust, water, dirt, etc.
6. Remove the valve endcaps just before mounting into the pipeline.
7. FOR YOUR SAFETY IT IS IMPORTANT TO FOLLOW THESE PRECAUTIONS BEFORE REMOVAL OF THE VALVE FROM THE PIPELINE OR ANY DISASSEMBLY:
  - Be sure you know what flow medium is in the pipeline. If there is any doubt, confirm with the proper supervisor.
  - Wear any personal protective equipment (PPE) required for working with the flow medium involved in addition to any other PPE normally required.
  - Depressurize the pipeline, bring to ambient temperature, and drain the pipeline flow medium.
  - Cycle the valve to relieve any residual pressure in the body cavity.
  - After removal but before disassembly, cycle the valve again until no evidence of trapped pressure remains.
  - The valves with offset shaft (Butterfly, eccentric rotary plug) have greater trim area on one side of the shaft. This will cause the valve to open when pressurized from the FTO direction.
  - **WARNING:** DO NOT PRESSURIZE THE ECCENTRIC VALVE WITHOUT A HANDLE OR AN ACTUATOR MOUNTED ON IT!
  - **WARNING:** DO NOT REMOVE A HANDLE OR AN ACTUATOR FROM AN ECCENTRIC VALVE WHILE PRESSURIZED!
  - Before installing the eccentric valve in or remove it from the pipeline, cycle the valve closed. Eccentric valves must be in the closed position to bring the trim within the face to face of the valve. Failure to follow these instructions will cause damage to the valve and may result in personal injury.

### Operating

8. The identification plate (ID-plate, type plate, nameplate, or engraved markings) on the valve gives the information of max. process conditions to the valve.
9. (For soft seats) The practical and safe use of this product is determined by both the temperature and pressure ratings of the seat and body. Read the identification plate and check both ratings. This product is available with a variety of seat materials. Some seat materials have pressure ratings that are lower than the body ratings. All body and seat ratings are dependent on the valve type, size and material of the body and seat. Never exceed the marked rating.
10. Temperatures and pressures must never exceed values marked on the valve. Exceeding these values may cause uncontrolled release of pressure and process medium. Damage or personal injury may result.
11. The operating torque of the valve may rise over time due to wear, particles or other damage of the seat. Never exceed the actuator torque preset values (air supply, position). Application of excessive torque may cause damage to the valve.

12. Valmet valves typically are designed to be used in atmospheric conditions. Do not use valves under external pressurized conditions unless specifically designed and explicitly marked for this service.
  13. Avoid Pressure shocks or water hammer. Systems with high pressure valves should be equipped with a bypass to reduce the differential pressure before opening the valve to avoid pressure shock.
  14. Avoid thermal shock. High temperature, Low temperature and cryogenic valves should be operated in a way that limits the rate of increase or decrease in temperature. The valve should be thermally stabilized before being pressurized.
  15. Materials of the valve are carefully selected for the process conditions. Changes to the process media can have a major impact on function and safety of the valve. Always confirm the materials are suitable for the service prior to installation.
  16. As the use of the valve is application specific, several factors should be considered when selecting a valve for a given application. Therefore, some situations in which the valves are used are outside the scope of this manual.
  17. It is the end user's responsibility to confirm compatibility of the valve materials with the intended service, however if you have questions concerning the use, application, or compatibility of the valve for the intended service, contact Valmet for more information.
  18. Never use a valve with enriched or pure oxygen if the valve is not explicitly designed and cleaned for oxygen. Selected materials and design have a major impact on the safety to operate the valve with oxygen.
  19. Valves intended for use in or with explosive atmospheres must be equipped with a grounding device and marked according ATEX (or equivalent international standards).
  20. Manual handles are available for specific butterfly valve sizes and maximum line pressures. Do not operate a valve with a handle or wrench outside the size and pressure limits stated in the IMO. High line pressure may create a large enough force to pull the handle from the operator's hands. Damage or personal injury may result.
29. Do not use sharp tools, grinding machines, or files to work on functional surfaces such as sealing, seating or bearing surfaces as this can damage these surfaces.
  30. Check the condition of sealing surfaces on the seats, trim (disc, ball, plug, etc.), body and body cap. Replace parts if there are significant wear, scratches, or damage.
  31. Check the wear of bearings and bearing contact surfaces on the shaft and replace damaged parts if necessary.
  32. Do not weld on pressure retaining parts without an ASME and PED qualified procedure and personnel.
  33. Pressure retaining parts of valves in high temperature applications must be carefully examined for the effects of material creep and fatigue.
  34. Make sure that the valve is positioned in the correct flow direction into the pipeline.
  35. If the valves are marked to be suitable for explosive atmospheres, the correct function of the discharging device must be tested before returning to service.
  36. Always work in a clean environment. Avoid getting particles inside the valve due to machining, grinding, or welding nearby.
  37. Never store a valve in maintenance without flow port protection.
  38. When pressure testing valve seats, never exceed the maximum operating pressure of the system or the maximum shut-off pressure marked on the valve identification plate.
  39. Actuator mounting and unmounting:
    - Before installing the actuator on to the valve, be sure the actuator is properly indicating the valve position. Failure to assemble these to indicate correct valve position may result in damage or personal injury.
    - When installing or removing a linkage kit, best practice is to remove the entire linkage assembly, including couplings which may fall off the valve during lifting or when position changes.
    - Mounting sets have been designed to support the weight of the Valmet actuator and recommended accessories either as is or with additional actuator support. Use of the linkage to support additional equipment or additional weight such as people, ladders, etc. may result in equipment damage or personal injury.
  40. The valve should be installed between flanges using appropriate gaskets and fasteners that are compatible with the application, and in compliance with applicable piping codes and standards. Center the gaskets carefully when fitting the valve between the flanges. Do not attempt to correct pipeline misalignment by means of the flange bolting.
  41. Repairs on valves for special service like Oxygen, Chlorine, and Peroxide, have special requirements.
    - Parts must be cleaned appropriate to the service and protected from contamination prior to assembly.
    - Assembly areas and tools must be clean and dry to prevent contamination of the parts during assembly.
    - Test equipment must be clean and dry to prevent contamination during testing. This includes the test equipment internals that may allow particles or other contamination into the test medium during the test.
    - Lubrication shall be used only if specifically required in the instructions. Where lubrication is required, the lubricant must be approved for the service by the end user.

## Maintenance

21. Respect the safety warnings above!
22. Plan service and maintenance actions, that spare parts, lifting devices and service personnel is available.
23. Maintain the valve within the recommended minimum maintenance intervals or within the recommended maximum operating cycles.
24. Always make sure that the valve and the pipeline is depressurized before starting any kind of maintenance work at a valve.
25. Always check the position of the valve before starting maintenance work. Follow the Lock out /tag out (LOTO) rules at the site before starting any maintenance activity.
  - See IMO for the correct stem position.
  - Consider that the positioner may give the wrong signals.
26. Sealing materials (soft sealing parts) should be changed when the valve is in maintenance. Always use original equipment manufacturers (OEM) spare parts to ensure proper performance of the repaired valve.
27. All pressure containing parts must be inspected visually for damage or corrosion. Damaged parts must be replaced.
28. Valve pressure retaining parts and all internals must be inspected for corrosion or erosion which may result in reduced wall thickness on pressure retaining parts. Damaged pressure

retaining parts must be replaced with original equipment manufacturer's (OEM) replacement parts or repaired to factory specifications by an authorized Valmet service partner in order to maintain the warranty.







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