4 WAYS ROTOR MIXING VALVES

Threaded from 3/4" to 2" Flanged from DN 40 to DN 100



OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

INSTALLING

For every type of valve be very careful to line up the pipes which it is connected to, in order not to overload the valve causing the block of the internal rotor.

PN=6 bar; Operative temperature $2 \div 110^{\circ}$ C;

Connection of servomotor: distance between centers 50mm;

For a possible motorization of the valve, install it with the rod in horizontal or vertical position and the servomotor looking upwards. There is a typical hydraulic layout:

holes M6; Sleeve Q8

LAYOUT FOR USING THE 4 WAYS ROTOR MIXING VALVE



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4 ways rotor valve, mixing, can be installed only according to the shown way. Fig. 1 Boiler water (C) is mixed with water returning (R) both in the delivery side (M) and recirculating side (F)

Note that the shown layout lets the hydraulic circuit having constant flow rate: this is the primary condition for a good working.

In the example shown above, valve is placed to the right of the boiler. This position of course is not obligatory: for an installation of the valve to the left of the boiler it will be sufficient to rotate of 180° the rotor, in order to put it in the correct condition of working.

To position correctly the rotor inside with the valve already installed, look at the rod and at the mark engraved on it:

side the 10-0 scale.

the reference mark pointing towards the water coming from boiler means "valve at half travel"(fig. 3)





DIMENSIONING

The correct dimensioning of mixing valves is necessary for

their good working: - A too big valve can't supply an efficient regulation because little shiftings produce great changes of flow rate and thus of temperature;

On the other side a too small valve can't satisfy needs of the plant. Furthermore inside the valve high velocity gradients can originate: they can damage the crossing ports.

In order to correctly dimension a valve, first of all it is necessary to determine its pressure drop Δp ; usually this must be between 15 and 25% of total pressure drop of the plant, otherwise valve cannot perform a good regulation. Dimensioning is done using the diagram with the curves Δp / Q or with calculus of Kv.

Dimensioning using the diagram (see Fig. 5) Diameter of the valve is given by the intersection of the line of the

flow rate with the line of the pressure drop. Example: if flow rate is $Q = 3,5m^3/h$ and pressure drop is $\Delta p = 250$ mm of water column, valve must have a diameter DN32 (when

intersection is between two curves, always the greater diameter must be choosen). 500 **DN100** 200 **DN8**0 m³/h **DN65** 100 **DN50** 50 FLOW RATE **DN**40 **DN32** 20 DN25 DN20 10



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