



3-Way, Mixing or Diverting, Flanged, Control Ball Valves (4–6")

Description and Application

The KMC VEB-56 series control ball valves are three-way mixing or diverting flanged valves, designed for control of hot or chilled water. These valves range in size from 4 to 6 inches with equal-percentage flow characteristics. Leak-proof, blow-out-proof stems, and stainless steel ball and stem make these valves ideal for many applications.

These valves use KMC ControlSet® actuators with **proportional** or **tri-state** inputs. (See the **MEP-7200/7500/7800 Series Data Sheet** for more details.) Proportional models accept a 0–10 VDC or 4–20 mA control signal input from a thermostat, controller, or building automation system. A user-initiated, automapping feature provides better equipment control by reassigning the 0–10 VDC input signal range over the desired reduced rotation range (from 45 to 95°). Plus, they feature a feedback voltage output that is proportional to the actuator position. Tri-state models are designed for use with floating thermostats, controllers, or building automation systems.

An optional, long-life, capacitor-driven "fail-safe" feature allows simple switch-selectable fail direction in either direction upon power loss. Optional auxiliary switches are available for remote position indication or controller and equipment interface. A gear disengagement button allows positioning of the valve stem/plug without energizing the actuator.

Features **Example**

- ◆ Equal percentage flow characteristics
- Mixing or diverting control
- ◆ Stainless-steel stem and ball
- ◆ Proportional or tri-state actuator input options
- Gear disengagement button
- ◆ Fail-safe (switch-selectable fail direction) option
- Auxiliary switch options
- ◆ High close-off and high rangeability
- ◆ Large selection of Cvs for each size
- ◆ Lower torque required to operate compared to globe valves
- ◆ Standard ANSI class 125 flange connections



Models

Use the chart below to select your model.

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Actuator Model

(On 4 and 5 inch valves)

FF: Tri-state (MEP-7201, 120 in-lb.)

FK: 0-10 VDC (MEP-7202, 120 in-lb.)

FH: Fail-safe, tri-state (MEP-7251, 120 in-lb.)

FL: Fail-safe, 0–10 VDC (MEP-7252, 120 in-lb.)

(On 6 inch valves only)

GF: Tri-state (MEP-7501, 180 in-lb.)

GK: 0–10 VDC (MEP-7502, 180 in-lb.)

GH: Fail-safe, tri-state (MEP-7551, 180 in-lb.)

GL: Fail-safe, 0–10 VDC (MEP-7552, 180 in-lb.)

Pipe Size/Cv

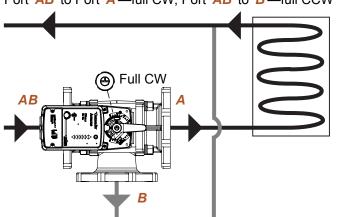
TIPE SIZE/CV	
16A : 4"/91	20D : 5"/309
16B : 4"/118	20E : 5"/400
16C : 4"/152	24A : 6"/208
16D : 4"/197	24B : 6"/268
16E : 4"/254	24C : 6"/346
16F : 4"/327	24D : 6"/441
20A : 5"/144	24E : 6"/577
20B : 5"/185	24F : 6"/650
20C · 5"/240	==11:0 /000

Accessories/Repair Parts

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CME-7001	Rotary aux. cam switch, single
CME-7002	Rotary aux. cam switch, double
HMO-4536	Adjustable stop kit
MEP-7xxx	Actuator (see Models section)

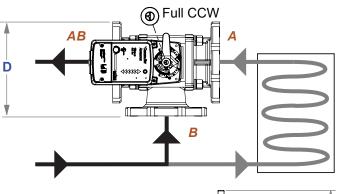
Diverting Flow Action:

Port 'AB' to Port 'A'—full CW; Port 'AB' to 'B'—full CCW



Mixing Flow Action:

Port 'A' to Port 'AB'—full CW; Port 'B' to 'AB'—full CCW



Dimensions (Inches):

Size	Α	В	С	D	E	Weight (lb.)
4"	11.875	9	14.5	10.375	18	80
5"	13.875	10	15.5	12	18.875	95
6"	15.875	11	16.5	13.375	20	110

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A CAUTION

Using mineral oil lubricants or other incompatible substances in system fluids may damage EPDM rubber seals in valves. Before using any lubricant or additive in a water or ethylene glycol base, consult the substance manufacturer for compatibility with EPDM (Ethylene Propylene Diene Monomer).

Specifications

Service Hot or chilled water, up to 50%

glycol

Action $0 \text{ to } 90^{\circ}$

Flow Characteristics Equal percentage

Rangeability 500 to 1

Body Pressure Rating 240 psi at 250° F

Close-Off Rating 70 psi

Cv Rating See Models chart

Leakage Rating ANSI Class IV (0.01% of Cv)

Valve Sizes 4 to 6 inches

Body Type Three-way, flanged connections,

ANSI Class 125

Valve Material

Body Cast iron, ASTM A395, 60-40-18

Ball and stem 316 stainless-steel
Stem seals EPDM O-rings
Ball seals Teflon seals

Actuators See the "Models" section and the MEP-7200/7500/7800 Series

Data Sheet for details

Supply Voltage 24 VAC (+20%/–15%) or 22–35

VDC

Input Proportional 0–10 VDC or tri-

state (floating, 24 VAC)

Fail-Safe Switch-selectable fail direction

(on relevant models)

Torque 120 in-lb. or 180 in-lb.

Material Flame-retardant polymer

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Temperature Limits

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