



Vented, load reactive load control valves with pilot assist combine two valves; a check valve and a relief valve. The check valve allows free flow from the directional valve (port 2) to the load (port 1) while a direct-acting, pilot-assisted relief valve controls flow from port 1 to port 2. Pilot assist at port 3 lowers the effective setting of the relief valve at a rate determined by the pilot ratio. Backpressure at port 2 does not affect the valve setting because the spring chamber references the vent (port 4).

TECHNICAL DATA NOTE: DATA MAY VARY BY CONFIGURATION. SEE CONFIGURATION SECTION.

Cavity	T-23A
Series	3
Capacity	60 gpm
Maximum Operating Pressure	5000 psi
Pilot Ratio	1.5:1
Maximum Recommended Load Pressure	See Technical Features
Adjustment - No. of CCW Turns from Min. to Max. Setting	9
Check Cracking Pressure	25 psi
Factory Pressure Settings Established at	2 in ³ /min.
Maximum Valve Leakage at Reseat	5 drops/min.
Reseat	≥77% of setting
Valve Hex Size	1 1/4 in.
Valve Installation Torque	150 - 160 lbf ft
Adjustment Screw Internal Hex Size	5/32 in.
Locknut Hex Size	9/16 in.
Locknut Torque	80 - 90 lbf in.
Seal kit - Cartridge	Buna: 990-023-007
Seal kit - Cartridge	Polyurethane: 990-023-002
Seal kit - Cartridge	Viton: 990-023-006

OPTION SELECTION EXAMPLE: MWGBLHNV

CONTROL	(L) FUNCTIONAL SETTING RANGE	(H) SEAL MATERIAL	(N) MATERIAL/COATING
L Standard Screw Adjustment	H 1000 - 4000 psi (70 - 280 bar), 3000 psi (210 bar) Standard Setting J 2000 - 5000 psi (140 - 350 bar), 3000 psi (210 bar) Standard Setting	N Buna-N V Viton	Standard Material/Coating /AP Stainless Steel, Passivated

TECHNICAL FEATURES

- Set at least 1.3 times the maximum load induced pressure (1.5 times when the setting is less than 2000 psi or 140 bar).
- The maximum recommended load pressure for the H range is 3080 psi (212 bar).
- The maximum recommended load pressure for the J range is 3850 psi (265 bar).
- Turn adjustment clockwise to decrease setting and release load.
- Full clockwise setting is 1000 psi (70 bar) for the H range and 2000 psi (140 bar) for the J range.
- These valves are capable of modulating over a broader range of flows than the pure poppet designs. The longer stroke allows us to incorporate a uni-directional damping device that smooths the opening and lets the valve close quickly.
- This valve is functionally a 4-port counterbalance valve. It seats as a poppet valve and modulates as a spool valve, offering the best of both valve types.
- All 4-port counterbalance, load control, and pilot-to-open check cartridges are physically interchangeable (i.e. same flow path, same cavity for a given frame size).
- Corrosion resistant cartridge valves are intended for use in corrosive environments and are identified by the model code suffix /AP for external stainless steel components, or /LH for external zinc-nickel plated components. See the CONFIGURATION section for all options. For further details, please see the Materials of Construction page located under TECH RESOURCES.
- Sun load control and counterbalance cartridges can be installed directly into a cavity machined in an actuator housing for added protection and improved stiffness in the circuit.
- This valve has positive seals between all ports.
- This valve has full relief capacity.
- Incorporates the Sun floating style construction to minimize the possibility of internal parts binding due to excessive installation torque and/or cavity/cartridge machining variations.

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