## VA-7200 Electric Valve Actuator

## /ntroduction

The VA-720x Series synchronous motor driven actuator provides floating, floating with feedback, proportional or proportional with feedback control of valves, with up to 19 mm stroke in heating, ventilation and air conditioning applications.
This compact, non -spring return actuator has a 1000 N nominal force and responds to a variety of input signals.
The VA-7200 Series can be easily field mounted or ordered factory coupled to VG7000, VG8000, VBD, VGS800W1N and VBF Series valves in accordance with the specified maximum close-off pressure ratings (see pertinent valve bulletins).


VA-7200 with VG7000 (left) and VG8000

## Features and Benefits

## 1000N Force Output compact unit

$\square$ Magnetic clutch
$\square$ Unique yoke design
$\square$ Optional hand wheel
$\square$ Positioner with adjustable starting point and span, reverse and direct action modes
$\square$ Built-In resistor for current input control

- Active $0 . . .10 \mathrm{~V}$ position feedback on proportional and floating
$\square$ Auxiliary switches and feedback potentiometer available
$\square$ "Signal fail" safe position

Covers a wide range of applications with one actuator
Provides constant output force for positive close-off of valves, and protects motor in stall conditions

Easy field mounting to valves reduces installation and stroke adjustment time

Allows manual positioning independent of the power supply

Eases setup and installation and allows sequence control

Provides grater application flexibility
Provides active signal for independent position monitoring

Provides potential free contacts for independent monitoring of the actuator's position

Valve safety position after control signal failure, the safety position, up / down, is selectable in-situ

## Ordering data

VA-72


## Valve type

10 VG7000 with threaded stem connection
82 VBF PN6 and PN10 flanged valves and VGS800W1N male threaded valves

## Options

| Floating models |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Factory fitted accessories | Manual override | 230 VAC | 24 VAC |
| 00 | None | No | X | X |
| 01 | 0... 10 V feedback potentiometer | No | - | X |
| 03 | $2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ feedback potentiometer | No | - | X |
| 20 | (2) Auxiliary switches | No | - | X |
| 40 | None | Yes | X | X |
| 41 | 0... 10 V feedback potentiometer | Yes | - | X |
| 43 | $2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ feedback potentiometer | Yes | - | X |
| 50 | (2) Auxiliary switches | Yes | - | X |
| 70 | (1) Auxiliary switches + (1) switch for manual override signal | Yes | - | X |
| Proportional models (0.. $10 \mathrm{~V} / 0 . . .20 \mathrm{~mA}$ ) |  |  |  |  |
|  | Factory fitted accessories | Manual override | 230 VAC | 24 VAC |
| 02 | None | No | - | X |
| 06 | 0... 10 V feedback potentiometer | No | - | X |
| 22 | (2) Auxiliary switches | No | - | X |
| 42 | None | Yes | - | X |
| 46 | 0... 10 V feedback potentiometer | Yes | - | X |
| 52 | (2) Auxiliary switches | Yes | - | X |
| 72 | (1) Auxiliary switch and | Yes | - | X |

Note: All models with manual override and 24 V power supply are equipped with a power cut-off switch.

## Ordering procedure

The actuator can be ordered as a separate unit or a factory fitted valve-actuator combination. Should the latter be requested, please just add " $+\mathbf{M}$ " to the end of the actuator ordering code.

For example:

| Item 1 VG7203AT | (valve body) |
| :--- | :--- |
| Item 2 VA-7242-1001 | (actuator) |

Alternatively, to order a factory fitted combination.
Item 1 VG7203AT (valve body)

Item 2 VA-7242-1001+M (actuator)

## A ctuator / valve combinations

The VA-7200 can be combined with the following valve ranges:

- VG7000 series

Brass trim valves:

| VG72 $\square \mathbf{1} \square \mathrm{T}$ | 2-way PDTC (NO) | DN 25... 50 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| VG74 $\square \mathbf{1} \square \mathrm{T}$ | 2-way PDTO (NC) | DN $25 . . .50$ |
| VG78 $\square \mathbf{2} \square \mathrm{T}$ | 3-way mixing | DN $25 . .50$ |

Stainless steel valves:

| VG72 $\square \mathbf{3} \square \mathrm{T}$ | 2-way PDTC (NO) | DN 15... 50 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| VG74 $\square \mathbf{3} \square \mathrm{T}$ | 2-way PDTO (NC) | DN 15... 50 |
| VG78 $\square 4 \square \mathrm{~T}$ | 3-way mixing | DN 15... 50 |

- VGS800W1N Mixing $+\bmod$ kit $=2$-way PDTO

VGS8 $\square \square$ W1N DN 15... 50

## - VG8000 series

| VG82 | $\square \square$ S1N | 2-way PDTC (NO) | DN 15... 40 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| VG84 | $\square$ S1N | 2-way PDTO (NC) | DN 15... 40 |
| VG88 $\square \square$ S1N | 3-way mixing | DN $15 . .40$ |  |
| VG89 $\square \square$ S1N | 3-way diverting | DN 15... 40 |  |

## - VBD series

VBD-4 $\square \square 4-520 \square$ 2-way PDTO (NC) DN 15... 40

For complete ordering information, please refer to the relevant product bulletin

## $O_{\text {peration }}$

## Floating control models

| Connections | Actuator Stem | "Signal fail" <br> safe position |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1-2$ | extends | $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$ |
| $1-3$ | retracts | $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$ |

## Proportional control models

( $0 . . .10 \mathrm{~V}$ or $0 . . .20 \mathrm{~mA}$ )

| Jumper <br> function | Input control <br> signal | Actuator <br> Stem | "Signal fail" <br> safe position |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Direct | increases | Extends | selectable |
| action | decreases | Retracts | selectable |
| Reverse | increases | Retracts | selectable |
| action | decreases | Extends | selectable |

"Signal Fail" safe position (only for Voltage input)
A signal failure on proportional models will cause the actuator to automatically move the stem to a (via jumper) pre-selected position (100\% extended or 100\% retracted).

## Mounting instructions

When mounting the actuator on a valve, please follow the instructions below:

- It is recommended that the valves be mounted upright in an easily accessible location. When mounted horizontally, the yoke should be fitted such that the stanchions are aligned vertically, one above the other.

- The actuator must be protected against dripping water, which could enter the housing and damage the mechanism or motor.
- Do not cover with insulating material.
- Sufficient clearance must be allowed for actuator removal (refer to the dimension drawings).
- The valve must be installed so that the plug seats against the flow, as indicated by the arrows on the valve.


## $W_{\text {iring instructions }}$

- All wiring must be in accordance with local regulations and national electrical codes and should be carried out by authorised personnel only.
- Make sure that the line power supply is in accordance with the power supply specified on the device.
- See also the instructions in paragraph "Application".


## ! WARNING <br> Shock Hazard

Disconnect the power supply before wiring connections are made to prevent personal injury.

## Equipment Damage Hazard

Make and check all wiring connections before applying power to the system. Short circuited or improperly connected wires may result in permanent damage to the unit.

## $\boldsymbol{W}_{\text {iring Diagrams: }}$

Floating models 24 VAC


VA-7200-xx01 and VA-7240-xx01


VA-7201-xx01 and VA-7241-xx01


VA-7270-xx01

Floating model 230 VAC


VA-7200-xx03 and VA-7240-xx03

VA-7203-xx01 and VA-7243-xx01


## Proportional models 24 VAC



VA-7206-xx01 and VA-7246-xx01


VA-7222-xx01 and VA-7252-xx01


VA-7272-xx01

## A djustments for proportional models

The adjustment procedure varies depending on whether voltage or current control is used, taking this into account, to adjust please carry out the following instructions:

1. Set the stroke jumper to match the valve stroke, this setting is approximate. Jumper location is as depicted below:
Stroke selection jumpers (J5):

| Jumper 18: | 8 mm |
| :--- | ---: |
| Jumper 10: | 10 mm |
| Jumper 13: | 13 mm |
| Jumper 19: | 19 mm |



## VA-72x2 and VA-72x6 PCB Components

The V / A jumper (J3) allows selection of the input signal type as follows:


When the voltage input range (J3) is set the DOWN / UP jumper (J2) allows selection of the actuator "failsafe" stem position as follows:


Note: Disconnecting J7 from PCB, the power supply is interrupted. Therefore the plug must be in place for actuator operation.
2. Set the direct / reverse action jumper (J1) so that the valve stem travels in the desired direction (as per changes in control signal)

- DA (J1 top jumper) stem extends on signal increase.
- RA (J1 bottom jumper) stem retracts on signal increase.

3. Select voltage $(\mathrm{V})$ or current (mA) input signal to match the controller output (if the input signal selection jumper is removed the actuator defaults to voltage input).

Note: When mA input is selected, multiply the "start" and "span" scales by two.
4. Set the signal fail default position to "fully up", or "fully down", if the actuator control signal is lost i.e. an open connection, the actuator will default to this pre-designated position.

Note: When mA input is selected, the actuator will default to the "low" input signal position.
5. Adjust the potentiometers to the nominal values. Set the stroke fine adjustment to midpoint. Set the starting point (offset) to the "low" input signal using the scale printed on the PCB as a reference. Set the span value to the "high" input signal minus the offset; see table below. Use the scales for reference.
6. Apply the voltage specified by application (RA / DA) requirements to drive the actuator to the "fully up" position using the following table. (If mA input is selected, multiply all values by two).

## Calibration values

| Actual |  | Reference |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Minimum | Maximum | Minimum | Maximum |
| 0 | 10 | 1 | 9 |
| 0 | 5 | 1 | 4 |
| 5 | 10 | 6 | 9 |

Note: Using the calibration values ( $\pm 0.5 \mathrm{~V}$ ) will ensure proper close-off throughout the life of the valve (takes seat wear into account).

If the application requires values other than those given, use the
minimum actual value +1 V and the maximum actual value-1 V to determine the reference values.

- DA: "fully up" (min. voltage)
- RA: "fully up" (max. voltage)

When the actuator is in operation the LED will illuminate.
7. Slowly turn the starting point potentiometer clockwise until the valve stem reaches stroke limit, when the valve stem is in the "fully up" position (the LED will be illuminated and there should be no gear movement).
8. Slowly turn the starting point potentiometer anti-clockwise, stop when the LED flashes or goes out.
Note: The actuator electronics contain a time-out feature. If calibration takes longer than $3 \ldots 10$ minutes, the LED will extinguish, falsely indicating a satisfactory condition. Should this occur, cycle the power to the actuator and readjust the starting point.
9. Apply the input voltage requirements specified by the application (RA / DA) to drive the valve stem to the "fully down" position as per chart in step 6.
10. To ensure that the valve stem is in the "fully down" position, slowly turn the stroke potentiometer clockwise until the valve stem reaches stroke limit (the LED will be on and there should be no gear movement).
11. Slowly turn the stroke potentiometer anticlockwise, until the LED extinguishes.
12. If the "fully down" position cannot be achieved, return the stroke potentiometer to the nominal position and then slowly turn the span potentiometer anti-clockwise until "fully down" is achieved. Repeat step 11.
13. Adjust the voltage to drive the actuator to "fully up" position. Verify starting point adjustment.
14. Check for proper operation using the min. and max. operating voltages. Allow the actuator to complete several operating cycles.
Note: The LED will remain illuminated for 3... 10 minutes after the actuator has completed its operation cycle.
15. Refit the cover and secure the screws.

The unit is now ready for operation.

## Factory Settings

The VA-7200 is delivered with the following factory settings:

19 mm stroke
$0 . .10 \mathrm{~V}$ input input signal
Direct action
Fail safe position "fully up"
Starting point 1 V
Span 8 V

## Applications

Actuators with built-in positioner for controllers with $0 . . .10 \mathrm{~V}$ output is sequential operation.


The controller output $0 . .10 \mathrm{~V}$ can operate several actuators with built-in electronic positioner. The electrical wiring for parallel and sequenced operation is identical.

The sequencing and action of the actuator are individually adjustable on each positioner. Each positioner has its own adjustment for starting point between $0 . . .10 \mathrm{~V}$ and span between $2 \ldots 10 \mathrm{~V}$. Using the minimum adjustable span of 2 V therefore enables a maximum of 5 sequenced devices; further sequencing can be accomplished by using additional controller outputs. Each positioner can be switched for direct or reverse action.


## Example of adjustments

## Dimensions (in mm)


VA-7200 for VG7000 Valve Series (section)
VA-7200 for, VBD, VBF and VG8000 Valve Series With and without Manual Override

## Specifications


( $\in$ Compliance: EMC (89/336 EEC) according to the standard EN 50081-1
and EN 50082-1
LVD ( $73 / 23$ EEC) according to the standard EN 60335
The performance specifications are nominal and conform to acceptable industrial standards. For application at conditions beyond these specifications, consult the local Johnson Controls office.
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