

High capacity, closed center, flow divider-combiner valve

Capacity: **15 - 70 gpm (60 - 270 L/min.)**

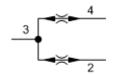
Functional Group:

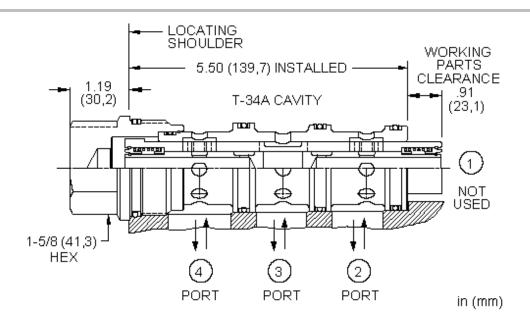
Products: Cartridges: Flow Divider: Divider/Combiner: Closed Center - High Capacity

Model: FSFH

Product Description

High-capacity, closed-center flow divider/combiners are sliding-spool, pressure-compensated devices used to split flow in one direction and combine flow in the opposite direction. These valves have approximate 15% greater capacity than standard closed-center divider/combiners and are designed for use in tractive drive systems. Note: Accuracy on these cartridges is not equivalent to the accuracy of standard closed-center divider/combiners.





Technical Features

- All flow divider and divider/combiner cartridges are physically interchangeable (i.e. same flow path, same cavity for a given frame size).
- Operating characteristics cause the leg of the circuit with the greatest load to receive the higher percentage of flow in dividing mode. If a rigid mechanism is used to tie actuators together, the lead actuator may pull the lagging actuator and cause it to cavitate.
- In combining mode, compensating characteristics will cause the leg of the circuit with the lowest load to receive the higher percentage of flow. If a synchronization feature is not included, an additive accuracy error will be experienced with each full stroke of the actuator.
- In applications involving rigid mechanisms between multiple actuators, operating inaccuracy will cause the eventual lock-up of the system. If the mechanical structure is not designed to allow for the operating inaccuracy inherent in the valve, damage may occur.
- In motor circuits, rigid frames or mechanisms that tie motors together, and/or complete mechanical synchronized motion of the output shaft of the motors, either by wheels to the pavement or sprockets to conveyors, will contribute to cavitation, lock-up and/or pressure intensification.
- Variations in speed and lock-up can be attributed to differences in motor displacement, motor leakage, wheel diameter variance and friction of wheels on the driving surface.

- Extreme pressure intensification can occur on multiple wheel drive vehicles.
- Differential slip for tractive drive systems must be achieved with orifices in the body/manifold.
- Divisional and combining accuracy are equal.
- Below the minimum flow rating there is not enough flow for the valve to modulate. It is effectively a tee. If flow starts at zero and rises, there will be no dividing or combining control until the flow reaches the minimum rating.
- 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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	U.S. Units	Metric Units		
Cavity	T-3	T-34A		
Capacity	15 - 70 gpm	60 - 270 L/min.		
Divisional Accuracy at Max Input Flow	50% ±3.5%			
Divisional Accuracy at Minimum Input Flow	50% ±6.5%			
Maximum Operating Pressure	5000 psi	350 bar		
Pressure Drop at Maximum Rated Input Flow	350 psi	24 bar		
Pressure Drop at Minimum Rated Input Flow	30 psi	2 bar		
Series (from Cavity)	Series 4			
Valve Hex Size	1 5/8 in.	41,3 mm		
Valve Installation Torque	350 - 375 lbf ft	475 - 500 Nm		
Seal Kits - Cartridge	Buna: 990-034-007			
Seal Kits - Cartridge	Viton: 990-034-006			
Model Weight	3.04 lb.	1.38 kg.		

Split	Input Flow		Rated Accuracy	Maximum Possible Flow Variation	
50:50	Max	70 gpm	±3.5%	32.5 - 37.5 gpm	
	Rated	270 L/min	13.576	125 - 145 L/min	
	Min	15 gpm	±6.5%	6.5 - 8.5 gpm	
	rated	60 L/min	10.576	26 - 34 L/min	

The maximum possible variation is at 5000 psi (350 bar) differential between legs with the high pressure leg being the higher flow in dividing mode and the lower flow in combining mode.

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	Control		Flow Split		Seal Material
Sta	ndard Options	Standa	rd Options	Standa	ard Options
X	Not Adjustable	A	50/50	N	Buna-N
				V	Viton