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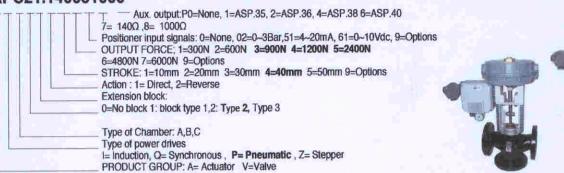
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# **Pneumatic Actuators**

Diaphragm with linear travel shaft

APC21.140...

### APC21.140651000



### Description

Pneumatic actuators for the actuation of two and three port seat valves having stroke from 20 to 40mm linear action.

- APA2... effective area of 125 cm<sup>2</sup>
- APB2.. effetcive area of 250 cm<sup>2</sup>
- APC2... effective area of 500 cm<sup>2</sup>
- all types with or without

  - positioneer position indicator
  - position switches
  - manual handle

## Application

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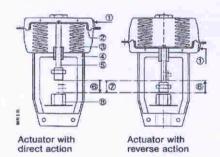
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### Operation

#### Acuators

The piston, which is connected to the actuator spindle, is in an equilibrium position when the operating pressure on one side of the piston and the force of the springs on t he other are identical. An increase of the operating pressure causes the spindle to move. The pison is reset by means of the springs after the operating pressure has been reduced.

Visual differentiation between direct and reverse acting actuators is possible by the location of the air chamber and the reset springs as shown below

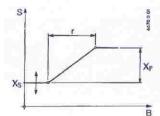


- Operating pressure(compressed air)
  Piston and diaphragm
- 3.Spring
- 4.Console
- 5. Actuator spindle
- 6. Direction of travel when operating pressure is increased
- 7.Stroke (Max. travel lof actuator spindle) 8.Coupling piece between actuator and valve spindle (This part may be differeent according to the type number)

#### Postioner

The postioner is a pneumatic, direct acting P-controller with a large, variable porportional band. The true position of the actuator spindle is fed back t o the positioner by measns of a spring. The feedback force is a measure for the correction of the spindle position if it does not correspond with the signal pressure.

#### Function diagram

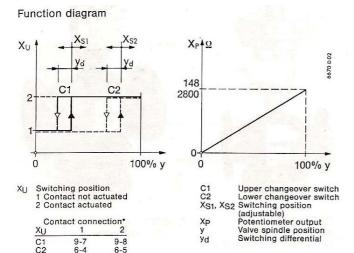


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- g range of positioner onal band)

#### **Postion indicator**

The positioner can be selected according to the application. Thus, we describe our standard type.

The movement of a cam fitted to the actuator spindle is transmitted to two other cams which actuate two serparate micro switches. Likewise, the wiper arm of a potentiomenter is kept in a position which is proportional to the spindle position.



<sup>\*</sup> Refer to the Internal Diagram and the Wiring Diagram for the position indicator.

#### Hand adjuster

Turning the hand wheel causes the actuator spindle to move up and down.

### **Design Features**

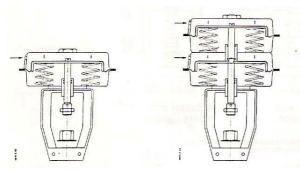
#### **Actuators**

Maintenace free pneumatic actuators, consisting of die cast aluminium housing with sheet metal pison, fiber reinsforced diaphragm, coil springs, stainless steel spindle and a console made of die cast alumnium.

#### Modular design:

Direct and reverse acting actuators which consist of identical acxtuator modules. Direct or reverse action is achieved by the appropriate mounting of the module.

The Apc. actuator provides the equivalant thrust of two APB actuators by mounting two modules in tandem.



APB.... with one standard module direct action.

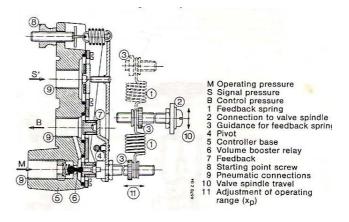
APC.... with two standard module direct action.

#### **Positioner**

The positioner is a proportional controller using the power comparion principle with feedback and volume booster relay. The controller base is made of die cst aluminium. The feedback of the spindle position to the controller is achieved with the help of a position indicator bracket which can be fitted to the spindle and a spring, the size of which depends on the stroke of the actuator. The positioner can be easily fitted to reverse action is obtained by the appropriate mounting of the positioner.

The starting point is seleted with the aid of a setting sctrew fitted to the controller base. The operating reange (Xp) is adjusted by changing the leverage of the feedback spring.

The controller base is provided with internal pas threades for the pneumatic connection between the polsitioner and the air chamber(s) of the actuators(s). A aluminium cover protects the positioner from unautherrized interference.



#### Hand adjuster

The auxiliary switches and potentiometer are contrained in an elegant die cast aluminium housing with cable entry glands. The position indicator is fitted to the actuator console.

#### Hand adjuster

The adjuster consits of a sleeve and a spindle both of which are made of plated steel, and a hand wheel made of bakelite. The hand adjuster is supplied with a valve console if it is mounted directly onto the valve.

### **Application Advice**

Actuators have to be privided with a positioner if they are used in control loops where precise value control position is required, However good results can be obtained without a positioner if the valve size DN is between 15 and 25mm and the differential pressure across the valve small.

Actuators with a postioner must ve used for sequence control(e.g. heating/cooling). The operating ranges have to be adjusted so that there is a dead zone of about 10kPa(0.1bar) between the sequence operation (e.g. closing of teh heating valve/opening of the cooling valve). A dead zone is not required if valves with the same action are used in sequence operation(e.g. heating/heating). The positioner is direct acting but it can be used with both direct

The positioner is direct acting but it can be used with both direct and reverse acting actuatrors without having to make modifications and without accessories.

The hand adjuster has been designed for temporary use when the installation is serviced. It can be easily mounted or removed without having to employ special tools.

The ambient remperature must not drop below the pressure dewpoint temperature of the compressed air used, in order to prevent condensation in the actuator head.

#### Installation advice

The action of teh actuators can be easily changed on site. It is prossble to convert a SPB., actuators into a APC., or vise versa without having to use special tools. All accessories can be subsequently be mounted.

Each type of actuator can be fitted with all accessories. If the hand adjuster is to be mounted at a later stage, allowance must be made for the cessary spave above the actuator.

Actuator and hand adjuster should be mounted in a vertical position.

#### **Commissioning Notes**

Checking of the actuator action:

Actuator action: Movement of teh actuaror spindle

when control pressure rises:

direct spindle extends reverse spindle retracts

Action of positioner:

An increase of the signal pressure (S) causes the control pressure (B) to rise. An increase of the force of the feedback spring causes the control pressure (B) to drop.

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#### **Summary of Types** Combiation with Actuators APB21.120 - - - -**Actuators** APB21.220 - - - - -APC21.140 -Dia Nominal Operating Type Action area stroke range in designation Actuator type Bar cm<sup>2</sup> mm kPa - extention block none 0 0.4-0.8 APB20.120 direct 20 250 40-80 block type 1 for VT(X)F. 0.4-0.8 APB20.220 reverse 20 250 40-80 block type 2 for None Standard 2 direct 20 500 40-80 0.4-0.8 APC20.120 direct 0.4-0.8 APC20.220 - action 20 500 reverse 40-80 reverse 2 0.4-0.8 APC20.130 30 500 direct 40-80 0.4-0.8 APC20.230 500 reverse 30 40-80 20 mm 20 stroke 0.4-0.8 APC20.140 40 40-80 500 direct 30 mm 30 500 reverse 40 40-80 0.4-0.8 APC20.240 40 mm 40 direct 20 0.4-0.8 APB21.120 250 40-80 actuator return force Nf 4 0.4-0.8 APB21.220 20 reverse 250 40-80 1=300,2=600,3=900,4=1200 5 0.4-0.8 APB21.130 250 direct 30 40-80 5=2400,6=4800,7=6000,8=8000 6 30 250 reverse 40-80 0.4-0.8 APB21.230 0.4-0.8 APC21.120 direct 20 500 40-80 - without positioner 00 0.4-0.8 APC21.220 reverse 20 40-80 500 - with positioner and mounting kit direct 30 40-80 0.4-0.8 APC21.130 500 ASP 51 (4~20mA) 5 reverse 30 40-80 0.4-0.8 APC21.230 500 ASP 61 (0~10Vdc) 61 0.4-0.8 APC21.140 40 direct 40-80 500 ASP 02 (0~3Bar) 02 0.4-0.8 APC21.240 40 reverse 40-80 500 - without positioner indicator 0 - with position indicator ASP.35 ASP.36 ASP.38 2 **Positioner** - with 1 limit switch 4 - without mounting kit 4~20mA **ASP.50** - with 2 limit switches ASP.40 6 - without mounting kit 0~10Vdc ASP.60 - Aux output 0~140 Ω - mounting kit for YTL1000 ASP.1 0~1000 Ω 8 - mounting kit for YTL2000 ASP.2 - without hand adjuster **Position indicator** - with hand adjuster ÁSP.80/ ASP.81 - 2 aux. swtches and potentiometer **ASP.30** ASP.85 of 140 ohms without mounting kit **ASP.31** 2 aux, switches and potentiometer Technical Data of 2800 ohms without mounting kit - mounting kit for ASP.30 and ASP.31 ASP.5 Actuators position indicators used with APA, 350 (3.5) Nominal operating pressure in kPa(Bar) APB, APC Actuators Max.operating pressure in kPa(Bar) 400(4.0) Action see summary Hand adjuster Diaphragm area of types - for use with APA. **ASP.80** Stroke - for used with APB,APC **ASP.81** Operating range Permissible ambient temperature - Actuator adjustment handle **ASP.85** -15...+50°C APC2 APB2 Combiation with auxiliary units - ASP.50 positioner with **ASP.51** Operating range 20 - 40 40 - 80 40 - 80 40 - 80kÞa(Bar) (04-0.8)(04-0.8)(0.2-0.4)ASP.1. mounting kit (04-0.8)- ASP.60 positioner with Spinde travel 0 ASP.61 Max 0 Max 0 l Max Max 0 ASP.1 mounting kit - ASP.00 positioner with ASP.02 Control pressure for other range of operating pressure in the ASP.2 mounting kit please consult with local dealers air chamber - ASP.30 position indicator wtih **ASP.35** 164C 350C 0 kPa(0 Bar) 175C ASP.5 mounting kit 200 200 850 450 820 |140C| 1<u>2</u>0č 470C 2600 140kPa(1.4Bar) 2350 130C - ASP.31 position indicator wit **ASP.36** 700 115C ASP.5 mouting kit APC2 APA2 APB2 Air chamber volume in dm3 Ordering Specification at a stroke of 20mm 2.2 0.41.1 When ordering, please give full designation and type 25mm 0.5 1.55 3.10 40mm reference of unit: Connection Number 1 G1/8' G1/8' G1/8 Ex: APC21.140-6-51-00 Pnuematic Valve Actuator Weight in kg Int thread Int thread Int thread Proportional, 0.. 10 V.d.c - complete with console 8.0 2.5 2.0 4.2 3.0 40mm Stroke,24Vac,60s,2400Nf

#### **Positioner**

Console

- Actuator module

See positioner manuals provided with the actuators.

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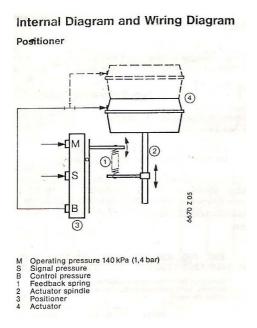
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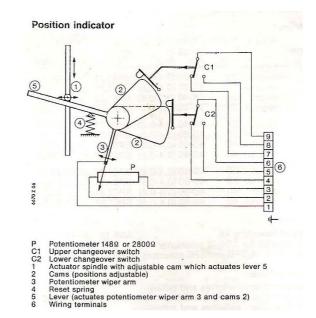
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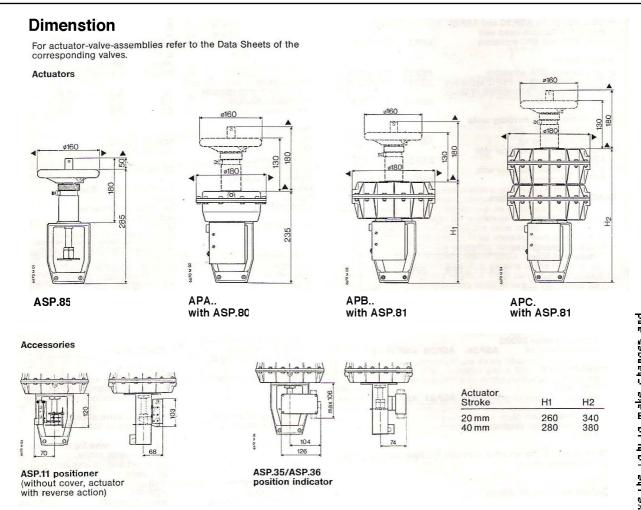
### Internal diagarm

Internal diagrams are different according to the type of positioner and the control characteristics.

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Dimensions in mm