# **BERMAD** Irrigation



100 Series h**Y**flow

Flow Control & Pressure Reducing

# Flow Control and Pressure Reducing Valve

Normally Closed with Hydraulic Control

# IR-I72-54-bD

The BERMAD Model IR-172-54-bD is a hydraulically operated, diaphragm actuated control valve that limits system demand and reduces downstream pressure to constant preset maximum values. It is a Normally Closed valve, which opens in response to a remote pressure rise command and shuts in the absence of that command.

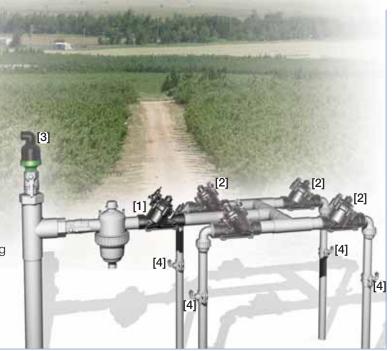


# Features and Benefits

- Hydraulic Pressure Control, Normally Closed
  - Closes upon control failure
  - Limits fill-up rate and consumer over-demand
  - Protects downstream system
  - Amplifies and relays weak remote command
- Adjustable Servo and 2-Way Pilots
- Very low hysteresis, easy setting
- Engineered Plastic Valve with Industrial Grade Design
  - □ Highly durable, chemical and cavitation resistant
- hYflow 'Y' Valve Body with "Look Through" Design
  - Ultra-high flow capacity Low pressure loss
- Unitized Flexible Super Travel (FST) Diaphragm and Guided Plug
  - Accurate and stable regulation with smooth closing
  - Requires low actuation pressure
  - Prevents diaphragm erosion and distortion
- Internal "Differential Pressure Duct" Flow Sensor
  - No moving parts
  - Saves space and simplifies installation

# **Typical Applications**

- Computerized Irrigation Systems
- Line Fill-Up Control
- Pressure Reducing Systems
- Multiple Independent Consumer Systems
- Systems Subject to Varying Supply Pressure
- Energy Saving Irrigation Systems



- [1] BERMAD Model IR-172-54-bD opens upon pressure rise command, protects supply system from excessive flow, limits lateral and distribution line fill-up, and reduces their operating pressure.
- [2] BERMAD Solenoid Controlled Valve Model IR-110-N1-2W
- [3] BERMAD Air Valve Model ARA-A-P-P
- [4] BERMAD Vacuum Breaker Model 1/2"-ARV



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For full technical details, refer to Engineering Section.

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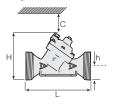
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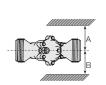
# **Technical Specifications**

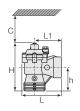
# Dimensions and Weights

| Pattern |      | Angle     | Y (Oblique) |           |           |       |
|---------|------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Size    | DN   | 80-T      | 50-T        | 65-T*     | 80-T      | 80L-T |
|         | Inch | 3-T       | 2-T         | 21/2-T*   | 3-T       | 3L-T  |
| L (L1)  | mm   | 187 (130) | 230         | 230       | 298       | 300   |
|         | inch | 7.4 (5.1) | 9.1         | 9.1       | 11.7      | 11.8  |
| H (Hf)  | mm   | 235 (245) | 170 (185)   | 170 (185) | 180 (195) | 240   |
|         | inch | 9.3 (9.6) | 6.7 (7.3)   | 6.7 (7.3) | 7.1 (7.7) | 9.5   |
| С       | mm   | 53        | 140         | 140       | 140       | 180   |
|         | inch | 2.1       | 6           | 6         | 6         | 8     |
| h       | mm   | 117       | 40          | 40        | 50        | 60    |
|         | inch | 4.6       | 1.6         | 1.6       | 2.0       | 2.4   |
| A; B    | mm   | 320       | 135         | 135       | 190       | 190   |
|         | inch | 12.6      | 6           | 6         | 8         | 8     |
| Weight  | Kg   | 1.6       | 1.35        | 1.4       | 1.6       | 3.0   |
|         | ib.  | 3.5       | 3.0         | 3.1       | 3.5       | 6.6   |

\* 21/2"; DN65 Male Thread BSP-F, for PVC glue Unions.







# **Technical Data**

# Valve Configurations & Size:

Oblique: 2, 21/2, 3, 3L, 4 & 6"; DN50, 65, 80, 80L, 100 & 150

Angle: 3"; DN80

**End Connections:** 

Threaded: 2, 21/2, 3 & 3"L; DN50, 65, 80 & 80L Flanged: 3, 3L, 4, & 6"; DN80, 80L, 100 & 150

Grooved: 6"; DN150

Pressure Rating: 10 bar; 145 psi

Operating Pressure Range: 0.35-10 bar; 5-145 psi

Setting Range: 1-7 bar; 15-100 psi Setting ranges vary according to specific pilot spring. Please consult factory.

Flow Setting Range: ±20% from valve predetermined flow

The "Differential Pressure Duct" is pre-determined in accordance

with the desired flow.

# Materials:

Body, Cover and Plug: Glass-Filled Nylon

Diaphragm: NR, Nylon Fabric Reinforced

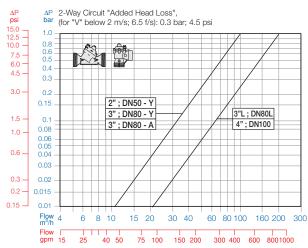
Seals: NR

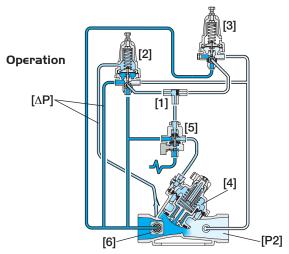
Spring: Stainless Steel Cover Bolts: Stainless Steel

Control Accessories: Plastic

**Tubing and Fittings: Plastic** 

### Flow Chart





The Shuttle Valve [1] hydraulically connects the Flow Pilot (FP) [2] or the Pressure Reducing Pilot (PRP) [3] to the Valve Control Chamber [4], through the 3-Way Hydraulic Relay Valve (3W-HRV) [5]. Pressure Differential [ΔP] across the Differential Pressure Duct [6] is in direct proportion to demand. The FP, continuously sensing  $[\Delta P]$ , commands the Valve to throttle closed should demand rise above setting. The PRP commands the Valve to reduce Downstream Pressure [P2] to pilot setting. Upon a pressure drop command, the 3W-HRV switches and directs line pressure into the control chamber, shutting the Valve.

### How to Order

Please specify the requested valve in the following sequence: (for more options, refer to Ordering Guide.)



