# **BERMAD** Fire Protection



# **Pneumatically Controlled** Deluge Valve

with EasyLock™ Manual Reset

# Model: FP 400E-4M



# **Typical Applications**



Automatic spray or foam systems



Offshore installations



Marine environments



Freezing environments





Seawater / corrosive water supplies



Foam applications

# Features and Benefits

- Pneumatic PORV Best suited for corrosive and freezing conditions
- Latch open Closes upon local reset only
- One-piece molded elastomeric moving part No maintenance required
- Simple design Cost effective
- Obstacle-free full bore Uncompromising reliability
- Factory pre-assembled trim Out-of-box quality
- In-line serviceable Minimal downtime

# **Optional Features**

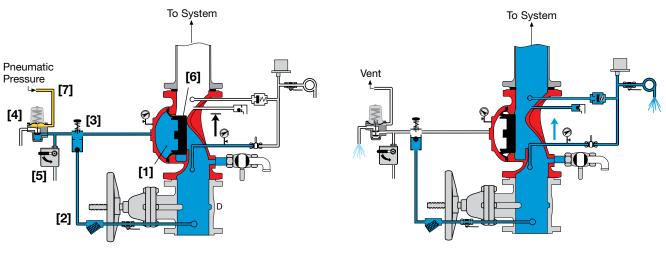
- Water motor alarm
- Alarm pressure-switch (code: P or P7)
- Seawater service (add FS as prefix to model)
- Valve Position Single/Double Limit Switches



## **Operation**

BERMAD's Model FP 400E-4M is suitable for systems that include dry pilot lines with closed pneumatic fusible plugs (thermal releases), and piping systems with a wide variety of open nozzles. Since it is pneumatically controlled, the Model FP 400E-4M is recommended for environments with freezing temperatures and/or corrosive water supply. In the SET position, the line-pressure supplied to the main valve's control chamber **[1]** via the priming line **[2]** and through an EasyLock Manual Reset **[3]**, is trapped by the EasyLock internal check valve, by a closed Pneumatic Pressure Operated Relief Valve (PORV) **[4]** and by a closed Manual Emergency Release **[5]**. The trapped pressure holds the main valve's diaphragm and plug against the valve seat **[6]**, sealing it drip-tight and keeping the system piping dry. The PORV is held closed by the pneumatic pressure maintained in the dry pilot line **[7]**.

Under FIRE or TEST conditions, a pilot line pneumatic pressure drop opens the PORV. Pressure is then released from the main valve's control chamber through the opened PORV, or the Manual Emergency Release. The EasyLock prevents line pressure from entering the control chamber, allowing the main valve to latch open and water to flow into the system piping and to the alarm device.



Valve Closed (set position)

Valve Open (operating condition)

# **Engineer Specifications**

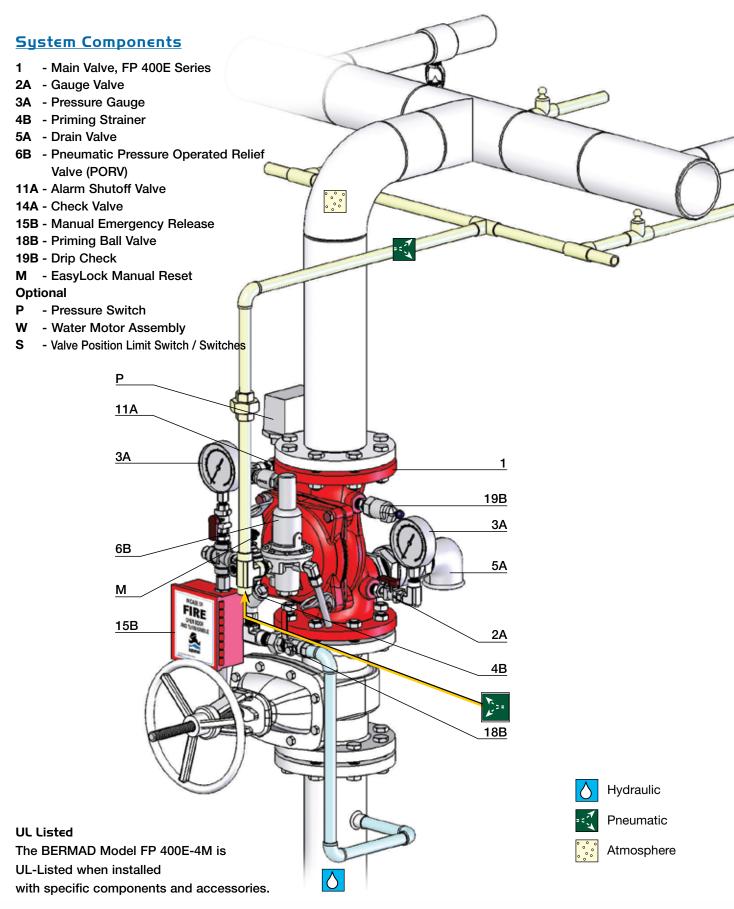
- The Deluge Valve shall be a UL-Listed, pneumatically controlled elastomeric type globe valve with a **rolling-diaphragm**.
- The valve shall have an **unobstructed flow path**, with no stem guide or **supporting ribs**.
- Valve actuation shall be accomplished by a fully peripherally supported, one-piece balanced rolling-diaphragm, vulcanized with a rugged radial seal disk. The diaphragm assembly shall be the only moving part.
- The valve shall have a removable cover for quick in-line service enabling all necessary inspection and servicing.
- The control trim materials shall consist of S.S.316 tubing and fittings, and plated brass accessories, including local EasyLock Manual Reset, PORV Pneumatic Pilot Valve, Y Strainer and Manual Emergency Release.
- The control trim shall be supplied as an assembly, pre-assembled and hydraulically tested at an ISO 9000 and 9001 certified factory.
- The Pneumatically Controlled Deluge Valve shall latch open in response to activation of a releasing device. The valve shall reset the closed position only upon local manual activation of the reset device.



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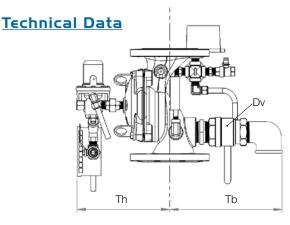


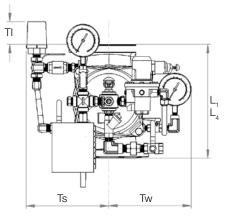
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	Size	1½", 2"		21⁄2"		3"		4"		6"		8"		10"		12"	
Size		mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch
Dimensions	L <sub>1</sub> <sup>(1)</sup>	205	81/16	205	8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	257	101/8	320	125/8	415	165/16	500	1911/16	605	23 <sup>13</sup> /16	725	28 <sup>9</sup> /16
	L <sub>4</sub> <sup>(2)</sup>	205	8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	N/A	N/A	250	9 <sup>13</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	320	125/8	415	16 <sup>5</sup> /16	500	1911/16	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	TI	142	55/8	142	55/8	119	411/16	84	35/16	57	21/4	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Tw	228	9	220	8 11/16	243	9 <sup>9</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	253	10	312	12 <sup>5</sup> /16	326	12 <sup>13</sup> /16	346	135/8	391	15 <sup>3</sup> /8
	Ts	228	9	220	8 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	243	9 <sup>9</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	253	10	318	12 <sup>1</sup> /2	326	12 <sup>13</sup> /16	326	12 <sup>13</sup> /16	391	153/8
	Th	226	87/8	242	9½	262	105/16	261	105/16	356	14	407	16	407	16	546	21 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
	Tb	278	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	289	11 <sup>3</sup> /8	300	<b>11</b> <sup>13</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	337	131/4	378	14 <sup>7</sup> /8	405	15 <sup>15</sup> /16	413	16 <sup>1</sup> /4	473	185/8
	Dv Ø	3⁄4"		1½"		1½"		2"		2"		2"		2"		2"	

Notes:

1. L<sub>1</sub> is for flanged ANSI #150 and ISO PN16.

2.  $L_{4}^{-}$  is for grooved end connections (Ductile Iron Only).

#### **Connection Standard**

- Flanged: ANSI B16.42 (Ductile Iron), B16.5 (Steel & Stainless Steel), B16.24 (Bronze) or ISO PN16
- Grooved: ANSI/AWWA C606 for 2, 3, 4, 6 & 8"

#### Water Temperature

0.5 – 50°C (33 – 122°F)

### **Manufacturers Standard Materials**

- Main valve body and cover
- Ductile Iron ASTM A-536
- Main valve internals
- Stainless Steel 304 & Cast Iron
- **Control Trim System**
- Brass control components/accessories Stainless Steel 316 tubing & fittings
- **Elastomers** • Nylon fabric reinforced polyisoprene NR
- Coating
- Electrostatic Powder Coating Polyester, Red (RAL 3002)

#### Available Sizes

- 1½, 2, 2½, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10 & 12" • UL-Listed for sizes 11/2, 2, 21/2, 3, 4, 6, 8 & 10"
- **Pressure Rating**
- Max. working pressure: 250 psi (17 bar)

### **PORV Setting**

Valve opens on pilot line pressure drop factory set: 20 psi (1.5 bar)

### **Optional Materials**

- Main valve body
- Carbon Steel ASTM A-216 WCB
- Stainless Steel 316
- Ni-Al-Bronze ASTM B-148
- **Control Trim**
- Stainless Steel 316
- Monel® and Ni-Al-Bronze • Hastalloy C-276
- Elastomers
- NBR
- EPDM Coating
- High Built Epoxy Fusion-Bonded with UV Protection, Anti-Corrosion



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3. Provide adequate space around valve for maintenance.

4. Data is for envelope dimensions, specific component positioning may vary.