# **BERMAD** Irrigation

# Flow Control and Pressure Reducing Valve

Normally Closed with Hydraulic Control

## IR-172-54-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 Dulling high file and the second s
- Ultra-high flow capacity Low pressure lossUnitized 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

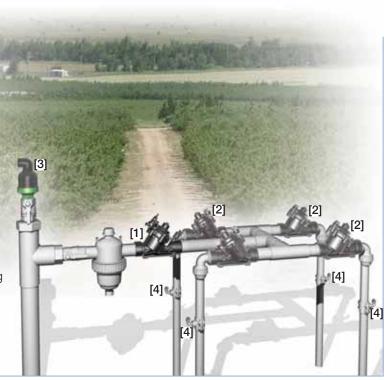
# **Typical Applications**

- 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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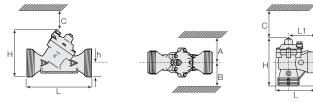
For full technical details, refer to Engineering Section.

## **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		
А; В	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		

 $^{\star}$  21/2"; DN65 Male Thread BSP-F, for PVC glue Unions.



# **Technical Data**

#### Valve Configurations & Size:

Oblique: 2, 2½, 3, 3L, 4 & 6"; DN50, 65, 80, 80L, 100 & 150 Angle: 3"; DN80

### End Connections:

Threaded: 2, 2½, 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

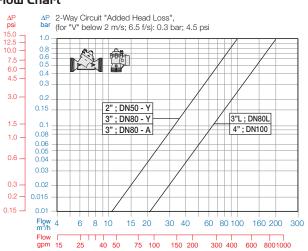
Setting Range: 1-7 bar; 15-100 psi Setting ranges vary according to specific pilot spring. Please consult factory. Flow Setting Range: ±20% from valve predetermined flow

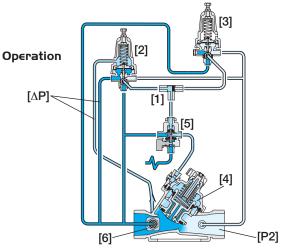
The "Differential Pressure Duct" is pre-determined in accordance with the desired flow.

#### 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 [ $\Delta$ P] 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.)

Sector	Size	Primary Feature	Additional Feature	Pattern	Construction Materials	End Connections	Control Type	Voltage -Main Valve Position	Additonal Attributes
	2-4" Other sizes available on request.	172	54	Y	Р	FF	2W/3W	-	bD
		olique gle (3"; DN80 Only)	Y A	Threaded Plastic Fla	d BSP (Female) d NPT (Female) langes* anges* ("Corona")	BP NP FF CC	Flow Stem	Pressure Duct with Position Indicate	b D M or MP
					* Comply to: ISO PN10, ANSI #1 Jis K-10, BS-D		Other attribu	Other attributes available on request	



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