## **DELUGE VALVE**

## **MODEL: SD-DVH3**

## **TECHNICAL DATA**

MATERIAL

SEVICE PRESSURE

1.4 to 17.5 Bar (20 to 250 PSI)

**BSPT** 

200,150,100, 80, 50 NB

Grade 65-45-12

Vertical or Horizontal

35 Kg/sq.cm. (500 PSI)

ANSI B 16.5 # 150 FF

As per graph in the catalogue

(RF-Optional)

Ductile Iron ASTM A536-77

THREADED OPENING

MOUNTING

FACTORY HYDOSTATIC TEST PRESSURE

FLANGE CONNECTION

WET PILOT SPRINKLER HEIGHT LIMITATION

NET WEIGHT WIHTOUT TRIM

FINISH

ORDERING INFORMATION 50 NB - 32 Kg RAL 3000

80 NB - 35 Kg

200 NB - 153 Kg

150 NB - 79 Kg 100 NB - 50 Kg

 Size of Valve
 Flange specification
 Valve trim vertical or horizontal
 Trim type

## DESCRIPTION

Deluge Valve is known as a system control valve in a deluge system, used for fast application of water in a spray system. Deluge valve protects areas such as power transformer installation, storage tank, conveyor protection and other industrial application etc. With the addition of foaming agent deluge valve can be used to protect aircraft hanger and inflammable liquid fire.

## **VALVE OPERATION**

SHIELD Deluge valve is a quick release, hydraulically operated diaphragm valve. It has three chambers, isolated from each other by the diaphragm operated clapper and seat seal. While in SET position, water pressure is transmitted through an external



bypass check valve and restriction orifice from the system supply side to the top chamber, so that supply pressure in the top chamber act across the diaphragm operated clapper which holds the seat against the inlet supply pressure because of the differential pressure design.

On detection of fire the top chamber is vented to atmosphere through the outlet port via opened actuation devices. The top chamber pressure cannot be replenished through the restricted inlet port, and the upward force of the supply pressure lifts the clapper allowing the water flow to the system piping network and alarm devices.

## **TRIM DESCRIPTION**

The trims are functionally termed as Dry Pilot Trim, Wet Pilot Trim, Electric Trim and Test and Alarm Trim as per the method of actuation of the deluge valve.

The functionality of these trims is described below.

#### a) DRY PILOT TRIM (PNEUMATIC RELEASE)

Dry pilot operation uses a pilot line of closed Sprinkles/QB detectors containing air under pressure, located in the area to be protected. It requires regulated dry air supply with main supply point through restricted orifice. The air pressure to be maintained as specified in the catalogue of Dry Pilot Actuator. The pilot line is connected to air inlet side of actuator. The top chamber of the deluge valve is connected to water inlet side of actuator.

When there is an air pressure drop, or due to release of any of the release device on detection of fire, the diaphragm of actuator is lifted and allows the water to drain. This releases the water pressure in the top chamber of the deluge valve, allowing the deluge valve to open and water to flow into the system piping & alarm devices. Recommended air

supply pressure for dry pilot trim system is 3.5 kg/sq.cm.

User must install non return valve at air supply connection to deluge valve trim.

#### b) WET PILOT TRIM (HYDRAULIC RELEASE)

Wet pilot operation uses a pilot line of closed Sprinklers/ QB detectors containing pressurized water, supplied through the upstream side of the Deluge valve, through a restricted orifice. All the release lines are connected to a common release line. Due to release of any one of the release device, the water pressure in the top chamber of the Deluge valve drops and the Deluge valve opens.

#### c) ELECTRIC RELEASE TRIM

To actuate a Deluge valve electrically, a solenoid valve is provided to drain the water from the top chamber of the Deluge valve. A pressure switch is provided to activate an electric alarm, to shut down the desired equipment or to give "Tripped" indication of the Deluge valve. In addition to this a pressure switch can also monitor "Low air pressure" and "Fire condition" when used in dry pilot air line.

#### d) TEST AND ALARM TRIM

This trim is supplied with a test valve is provided to test the normal operation of the sprinkler alarm bell. The sprinkler alarm can be supplied additionally, which bells on actuation of the Deluge valve.

#### e) DRAIN AND DRIP TRIM

This consists of main and system drain valve in addition with drip valve.

## **TRIM TYPES**

The trims are designated as following. W =Wet Pilot trim. D = Dry Pilot Trim

#### a) Type SH3-TW and SH3-TD

This type of trim is basic trim required to operate the deluge valve. A solenoid valve for electric remote actuation and pressure switch for sensing & annunciation are optional.

#### b) Type SH3-TWD and SH3-TDD

This trim type is a combination of components of normal trim along with the drip and drain trim. A solenoid valve for electric remote actuation and pressure switch for sensing & annunciation are optional.

#### c) Type SH3-TWT and SH3-TDT

This trim type is a combination of components of normal trim along with the test and alarm trim. In dry pilot trim, an actuator is provided. A solenoid valve for electric remote actuation and pressure switch for sensing & annunciation are optional.

TRIM MODEL NO.	TRIM DESCRIPTION	MOUNTING	SCHEMATIC NO.
SH3-TW	Basic Wet Pilot Trim	Vertical	Schematic 1
SH3-TD	Basic Dry Pilot Trim	Vertical	Schematic 2
SH3-TWT	Basic Wet Pilot Trim with Test and Alarm Trim	Vertical	Schematic 3
SH3-TDT	Basic Dry Pilot Trim with Test and Alarm Trim	Vertical	Schematic 4
SH3-TWD	Basic Wet Pilot Trim with Drip and Drain Trim	Vertical	Schematic 5
SH3-TDD	Basic Dry Pilot Trim with Drip and Drain Trim	Vertical	Schematic 6
SH3-NTW	Basic Wet Pilot Trim with Test and Alarm Trim & Drip and Drain Trim	Vertical	Schematic 7
SH3-NTD	Basic Dry Pilot Trim with Test and Alarm Trim & Drip and Drain Trim	Vertical	Schematic 8
SH3-TW	Basic Wet Pilot Trim	Horizontal	Schematic 9
SH3-TD	Basic Dry Pilot Trim	Horizontal	Schematic 10
SH3-TWT	Basic Wet Pilot Trim with Test and Alarm Trim	Horizontal	Schematic 11
SH3-TDT	Basic Dry Pilot Trim with Test and Alarm Trim	Horizontal	Schematic 12
SH3-TWD	Basic Wet Pilot Trim with Drip and Drain Trim	Horizontal	Schematic 13
SH3-TDD	Basic Dry Pilot Trim with Drip and Drain Trim	Horizontal	Schematic 14
SH3-NTW	Basic Wet Pilot Trim with Test and Alarm Trim & Drip and Drain Trim	Horizontal	Schematic 15
SH3-NTD	Basic Dry Pilot Trim with Test and Alarm Trim & Drip and Drain Trim	Horizontal	Schematic 16

#### d) Type SH3-NTW and SH3-NTD

This trim type is a combination of components of normal trim along with the test and alarm trim as well as the drip and drain trim. A solenoid valve for electric remote actuation and pressure switch for sensing & annunciation are optional.

## RESETTING PROCEDURE FOR THE DELUGE VALVE

(i) Close the upstream side stop valve provided below the deluge valve

ii) Open both the drain valves/ drain plugs and close when the flow of water has ceased

(iii) Close the release device/replace the Sprinkler if release was through Sprinkler/QB Detector

iv) Inspect and release if required, or close the section of the detection system subjected to "Fire condition"

(v) In case of dry pilot detection system, open the air supply valve to build-up air pressure. Open the priming valve fully. Open the upstream side of the stop valve provided below the Deluge valve. No water should flow into the system.

vi) Where priming shut off valve is provided for resetting, in addition to above steps press the knob on actuator while resetting

## CAUTION

(a) Do not close the priming valve, downstream and upstream stop valves, while the system is in service.

(b) The releasing device must be maintained in the open position, when actuated, to prevent the deluge valve from closure if anti shut off valve is not provided.

(c) While using a Deluge valve in the wet pilot system the height and the length of the wet pilot detection line is to be limited as shown in the wet pilot sprinkler height limitation graph.

(d) Do not connect the Sprinkler Alarm outlet drain line to close a common drain as it may create back pressure and Sprinkler Alarm may not function.

(e) Deluge valve must have support to absorb sudden opening or closing vibration shock to the piping.

(f) To avoid water damage, take precautions when opening the water supply main control valve, since water will flow from all open system valves. (g) The responsibility of maintenance of the protection system and devices in proper operating condition lies with the owner of the system.

### SYSTEM TESTING PROCEDURE

(i) Keep the upstream side of the stop valve partially open. To avoid water flow to system side close the system side stop valve. This valve is to be kept in open position after the testing is completed.

(ii) Let any of the release devices to trip. This will result in a sudden drop of water pressure in the deluge valve top chamber which in turn will open the deluge valve. Close the upstream side stop valve immediately.

(iii) Reset the valve as per the procedure given under heading "RESETTING PROCEDURE FOR THE DELUGE VALVE"

## **INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE**

Installed system piping network must be flushed properly before placing the Deluge valve in service.

A qualified and trained person must commission the system. After few initial successful tests, an authorized person must be trained to perform inspection and testing of the system. It is recommended to have regular inspection and test run of the system as per NFPA guideline or in accordance to the organisation having local jurisdiction.

#### (i) WARNING

Inspection and testing is to be carried out only by authorised and trained personnel. DO NOT TURN OFF the water supply or close any valve to make repair(s) or test the valve, without placing a roving fire patrol in the area covered by the system. Also inform the local security personnel and central alarm station, so that there is no false alarm signal.

It is recommended to carry out physical inspection of the system at least twice in a week. The inspection should verify that all the control valves are in proper position as per the system requirement and that there are no damages to any component.

The frequency of inspections must be increased in the presence of contaminated water supplies, corrosive/ scaling water supplies, and corrosive atmospheres.

#### (ii) NORMAL CONDITION

(a) All main valves are open and are sealed with tamper proof seal

- (b) Drain valves must be kept closed
- (c) No leak or drip is detected from the drip valve

(d) All the gauges except the system side water pressure gauge, should show the required pressure

SHIELD

(e) There should be no leakage in the system

#### (iii) NORMAL CONDITION TEST

(a) The system should be checked for normal condition at least once in a week

(b) Test the sprinkler alarm bell or electric alarm by turning the alarm test valve to the test position. The alarm should sound. This test should be carried out at least once in a week

(c) Depress the drip valve knob. Significant accumulation indicates a possible seat leakage

(d) Conduct the water flow test as per the procedure of system testing at least once a month

#### (iv) PERIODIC CHECK

Conduct the water flow test by actuating few of the release devices provided in the system. Clean all strainer(s) and priming line restriction. This test is to be carried out at least once in three months.

#### **ABNORMAL CONDITION**

#### (i) ALARM FAILS TO SOUND

(a) Check for any obstruction in the alarm test line, make certain that the sprinkler alarm is free to operate

(b) If an electric alarm is provided, check the electrical circuitry to the alarm

#### (ii) FALSE TRIPS

(a) Check for clogging in priming line, restriction orifice check valve, priming valve & strainer

(b) Leakage in the release system

(c) The deluge air panel orifice clogged or low supply pressure

#### (iii) LEAKAGE THROUGH THE DELUGE VALVE

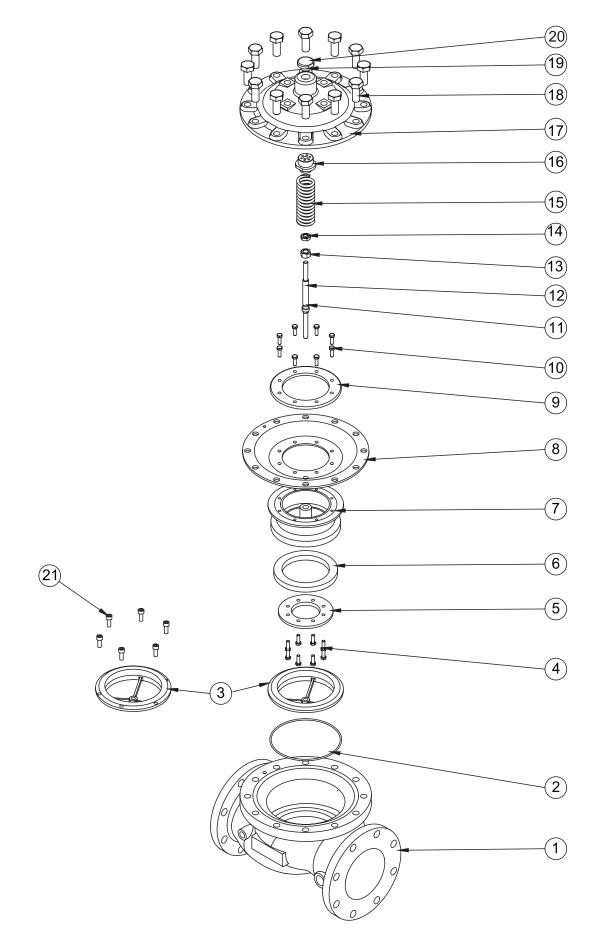
(a) Damaged deluge valve seat or obstruction on the seat face by foreign object

(b) Leakage in release system

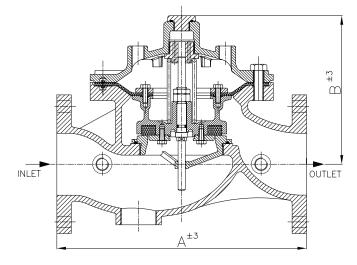
(c) Partly clogged priming line restriction orifice check valve

(d) Low air pressure on release system line or leakage in release system

## NOMINAL PRESSURE LOSS VS FLOW



## **DELUGE VALVE MODEL - SD-DVH3**



Dimension in mm. (Approximate)

Valve Nominal Size	'A'	'B'
200 NB	552	332
150 NB	462	282
100 NB	412	245
80 NB	372	232
50 NB	320	232

	PART NO.			DECODIDENCI	QTY.				MATERIAL		
ITEM	200 NB	150 NB	100 NB	80 NB	50 NB	DESCRIPTION	200 NB	150 NB	100 NB	80/50NB	SPECIFICATION
1	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Housing	1	1	1	1	Ductile Iron
2	H3202	H3602	H3102	H3802	H3502	"O" Ring	1	1	1	1	Neoprene Rubber
3	H3203	H3603	H3103	H3803	H3503	Seat	1	1	1	1	Stainless Steel*
4	H3204	H3604	H3104			Bolt	8	4	4		Stainless Steel
5	H3205	H3605	H3105	H3805	H3505	Rubber Clamp	1	1	1	1	Ductile Iron**
6	H3206	H3606	H3106	H3806	H3506	Rubber Seat	1	1	1	1	Neoprene Rubber
7	H3207	H3607	H3107	H3807	H3507	Clapper	1	1	1	1	Ductile Iron**
8	H3208	H3608	H3108	H3808	H3508	Diaphram	1	1	1	1	Neoprene Rubber
9	H3209	H3609	H3109	H3809	H3509	Clamp Ring	1	1	1	1	Ductile Iron**
10	H3210	H3610	H3110	H3810	H3510	Bolt	12	8	8	8	Stainless Steel
11	H3211	H3611	H3111	H3811	H3511	"O" Ring	1	1	1	1	Neoprene Rubber
12	H3212	H3612	H3112	H3812	H3512	Spindle	1	1	1	1	Stainless Steel
13	H3213	H3613	H3113	H3813	H3513	Nut	1	1	1	1	Stainless Steel
14	H3214	H3614	H3114	H3814	H3514	Lock Nut	1	1	1	1	Stainless Steel
15	H3215	H3615	H3115	H3815	H3515	Spring	1	1	1	1	Stainless Steel
16	H3216	H3616	H3116	H3816	H3516	Adaptor	1	1	1	1	Brass
17	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Cover	1	1	1	1	Ductile Iron
18	H3218	H3618	H3118	H3818	H3518	Bolt	16	12	12	12	Carbon Steel
19	H3219	H3619	H3119	H3819	H3519	"O" Ring	1	1	1	1	Neoprene Rubber
20	H3220	H3621	H3120	H3820	H3520	Plug	1	1	1	1	Steel Plated
21	H3221					Allen Bolt	6				Stainless Steel

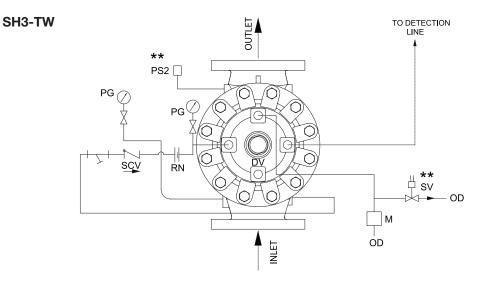
## **PART LIST**

NA - Part Replacement Not Available

\* Stainless Steel is standard supply Bronze is optional supply.
\*\* Ductile Iron is standard supply Bronze/Stainless Steel is optional supply.

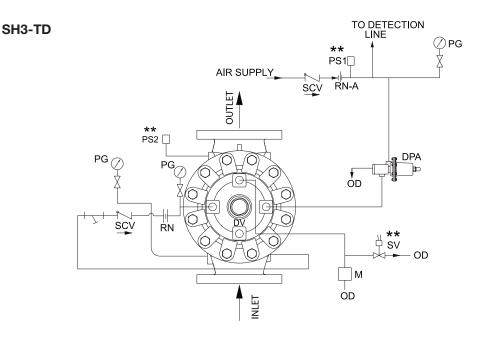


## SCHEMATIC FOR WET PILOT BASIC FOR VERTICAL MOUNTING



**SCHEMATIC 1** 

## SCHEMATIC FOR DRY PILOT BASIC TRIM FOR VERTICAL MOUNTING



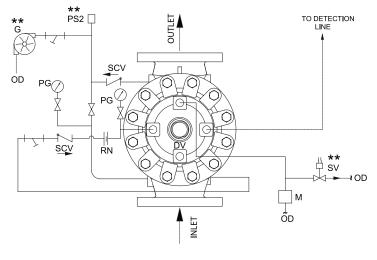
#### **SCHEMATIC 2**

DV	Deluge Valve	$\bowtie$	Valve	$\sim$	Swing Check Valve
SV	Solenoid Valve		By User	$\bowtie$	Angle Valve
G	Sprinkler Alarm (WMG)	**	Optional	DPA	Dry Pilot Actuator
Μ	Emergency Release Station	Η	Strainer	RN-A	Restriction Nozzle (Air Line)
RN	Restriction Nozzle (Priming Line)	OD	Open Drain	SCV	Swing Check Valve
PS1	Low Air Alarm Pressure Switch	PG	Pressure Guage		
PS2	Waterflow Pressure Alarm Switch				

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## SCHEMATIC FOR WET PILOT BASIC TRIM WITH TEST AND ALARM TRIM FOR VERTICAL MOUNTING

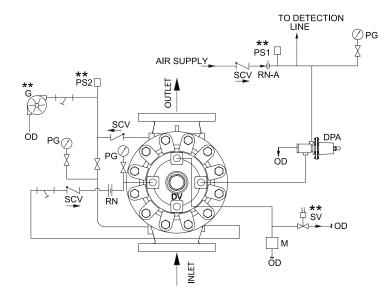
SH3-TWT



**SCHEMATIC 3** 

## SCHEMATIC FOR DRY PILOT BASIC TRIM WITH TEST AND ALARM TRIM FOR VERTICAL MOUNTING

SH3-TDT



#### **SCHEMATIC 4**

Deluge Valve	$\bowtie$	Valve	$\sim$	Swing Check Valve
Solenoid Valve		By User	$\bowtie$	Angle Valve
Sprinkler Alarm (WMG)	**	Optional	DPA	Dry Pilot Actuator
Emergency Release Station	ΗŻΗ	Strainer	RN-A	Restriction Nozzle (Air Line)
Restriction Nozzle (Priming Line)	OD	Open Drain	SCV	Swing Check Valve
Low Air Alarm Pressure Switch	PG	Pressure Guage		

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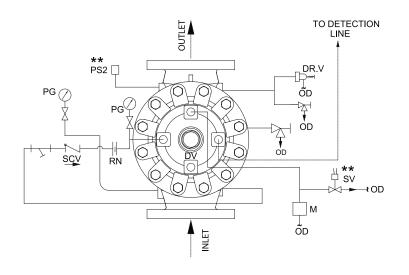
PS1

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SHIELD

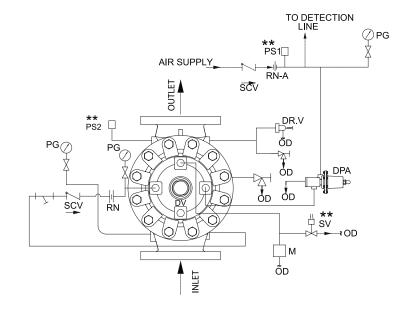
#### SH3-TWD



**SCHEMATIC 5** 

## SCHEMATIC FOR DRY PILOT BASIC TRIM WITH DRIP AND DRAIN TRIM FOR VERTICAL MOUNTING

SH3-TDD

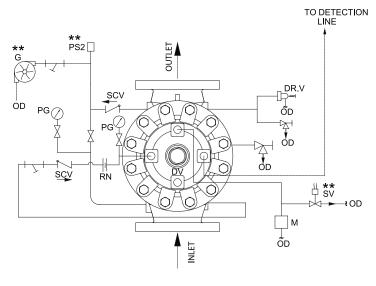


#### **SCHEMATIC 6**

DV	Deluge Valve	$\bowtie$	Valve	$\sim$	Swing Check Valve
SV	Solenoid Valve		By User	$\bowtie$	Angle Valve
G	Sprinkler Alarm (WMG)	**	Optional	DPA	Dry Pilot Actuator
Μ	Emergency Release Station	Η	Strainer	RN-A	Restriction Nozzle (Air Line)
RN	Restriction Nozzle (Priming Line)	OD	Open Drain	SCV	Swing Check Valve
PS1	Low Air Alarm Pressure Switch	PG	Pressure Guage		
PS2	Waterflow Pressure Alarm Switch				

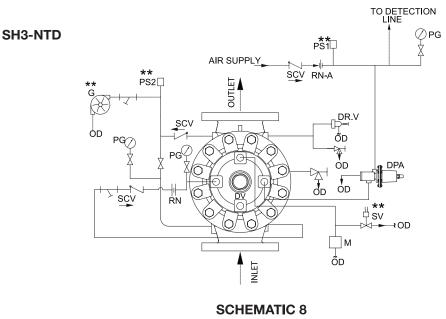
## SCHEMATIC FOR WET PILOT BASIC TRIM WITH TEST AND ALARM TRIM & DRIP AND DRAIN TRIM FOR VERTICAL MOUNTING

#### SH3-NTW



**SCHEMATIC 7** 

## SCHEMATIC FOR DRY PILOT BASIC TRIM WITH TEST AND ALARM TRIM & DRIP AND DRAIN TRIM FOR VERTICAL MOUNTING

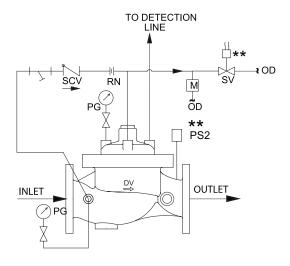


Swing Check Valve DV Deluge Valve  $\bowtie$ Valve  $\sim$ Solenoid Valve Angle Valve SV By User ---\*\* DPA G Sprinkler Alarm (WMG) Optional Dry Pilot Actuator H RN-A Restriction Nozzle (Air Line) **Emergency Release Station** Strainer М SCV Swing Check Valve RN Restriction Nozzle (Priming Line) OD Open Drain PS1 Low Air Alarm Pressure Switch PG Pressure Guage PS2 Waterflow Pressure Alarm Switch



## SCHEMATIC FOR WET PILOT BASIC TRIM FOR HORIZONTAL MOUNTING

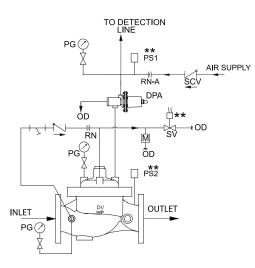
SH3-TW



**SCHEMATIC 9** 

## SCHEMATIC FOR DRY PILOT BASIC TRIM FOR HORIZONTAL MOUNTING

SH3-TD



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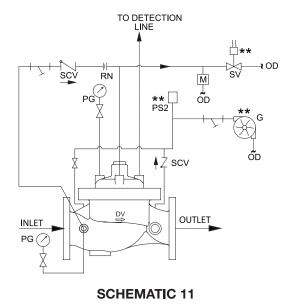
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SV	Solenoid Valve
G	Sprinkler Alarm (WMG)
Μ	Emergency Release Station
RN	Restriction Nozzle (Priming Line)
PS1	Low Air Alarm Pressure Switch
PS2	Waterflow Pressure Alarm Switch

$\bowtie$	Valve
	By User
**	Optional
Γ	Strainer
OD	Open Drain
PG	Pressure Guage

$\mathbb{N}$	Swing Check Valve
$\vdash \!$	Angle Valve
DPA	Dry Pilot Actuator
RN-A	Restriction Nozzle (Air Line)
SCV	Swing Check Valve

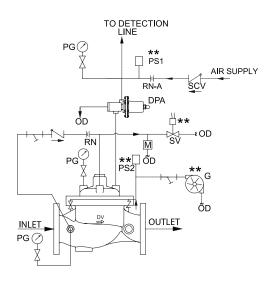
## SCHEMATIC FOR WET PILOT BASIC TRIM WITH TEST AND ALARM TRIM FOR HORIZONTAL MOUNTING

#### SH3-TWT



## SCHEMATIC FOR DRY PILOT BASIC TRIM WITH TEST AND ALARM TRIM FOR HORIZONTAL MOUNTING

SH3-TDT



#### **SCHEMATIC 12**

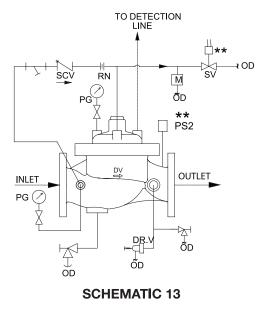
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	Solenoid Valve		By User	$\bowtie$	Angle Valve
	Sprinkler Alarm (WMG)	**	Optional	DPA	Dry Pilot Actuator
	Emergency Release Station	Η	Strainer	RN-A	Restriction Nozzle (Air Line)
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2	Waterflow Pressure Alarm Switch				

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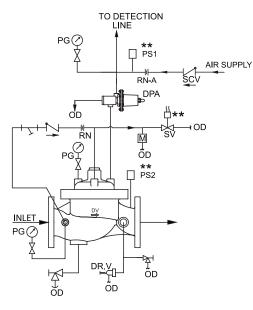
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#### SH3-TWD



SCHEMATIC FOR DRY PILOT BASIC TRIM WITH DRIP AND DRAIN TRIM FOR HORIZONTAL MOUNTING

SH3-TDD



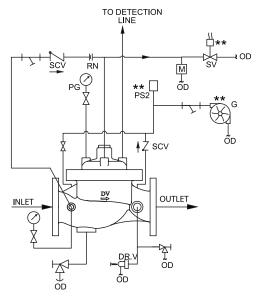
#### **SCHEMATIC 14**

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SV	Solenoid Valve		By User	$\bowtie$	Angle Valve
G	Sprinkler Alarm (WMG)	**	Optional	DPA	Dry Pilot Actuator
Μ	Emergency Release Station	⊢ <del>∑  </del>	Strainer	RN-A	Restriction Nozzle (Air Line)
RN	Restriction Nozzle (Priming Line)	OD	Open Drain	SCV	Swing Check Valve
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PS2	Waterflow Pressure Alarm Switch				

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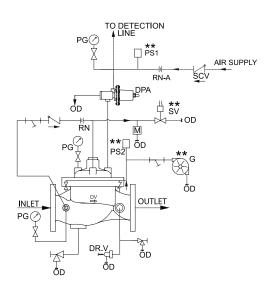
#### SH3-NTW



**SCHEMATIC 15** 

### SCHEMATIC FOR DRY PILOT BASIC TRIM WITH TEST AND ALARM TRIM & DRIP AND DRAIN TRIM FOR HORIZONTAL MOUNTING

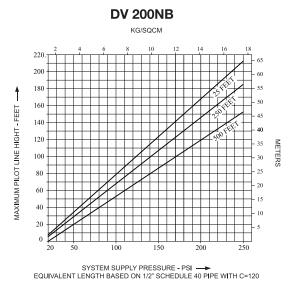
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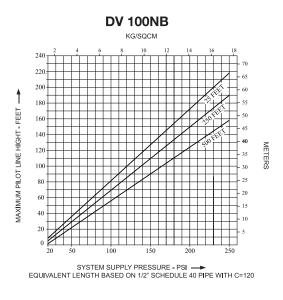


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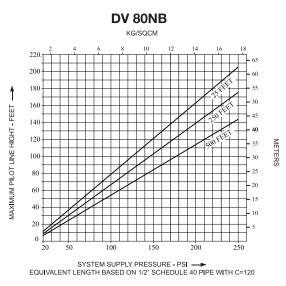
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## **SPRINKLER HEIGHT LIMITATION**

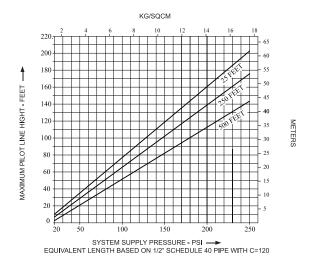




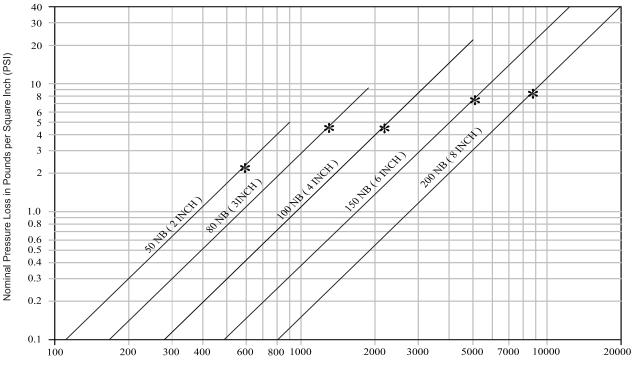
METERS



**DV - 50NB** 



## NOMINAL PRESSURE LOSS VS FLOW



(\* Flow at 15 feet per second [4.57 meter per second])

Flow Rate in Liters Per Minute (LPM)

\* 2.3 PSI Pressure loss @ 15 feet per second (4.57 met/sec) velocity having flow of 594 LPM thru 50NB DV

\* 4.7 PSI Pressure loss @ 15 feet per second (4.57 met/sec) velocity having flow of 1308 LPM thru 80NB DV

\* 4.7 PSI Pressure loss @ 15 feet per second (4.57 met/sec) velocity having flow of 2255 LPM thru 100NB DV

\* 7.5 PSI Pressure loss @ 15 feet per second (4.57 met/sec) velocity having flow of 5117 LPM thru 150NB DV \* 8.4 PSI Pressure loss @ 15 feet per second (4.57 met/sec) velocity having flow of 8854 LPM thru 200NB DV