

## Data sheet

# Pressure reduction controllers (PN 25)

**AVD** - for water

**AVDS** - for steam

## Description



AVD(S) is a self-acting pressure reduction controller primarily for use in district heating systems. The controller is normally opened and closes on rising pressure.

The controller has a control valve, an actuator with one control diaphragm and a spring(s) for pressure setting.

**Main data AVD:**

- DN 15-50
- $k_{vs}$  0.4-25 m<sup>3</sup>/h
- PN 25
- Setting range:  
1-5 bar / 3-12 bar
- Temperature:  
- Circulation water/glycolic water up to 30 %:  
2 ... 150 °C
- Connections:  
- Ext. thread (weld-on, thread and flange tailpieces)  
- Flange

**Main data AVDS:**

- DN 15-25
- $k_{vs}$  1.0-6.3 m<sup>3</sup>/h
- PN 25
- Setting range:  
1-5 bar / 3-12 bar
- Temperature:  
- Steam/circulation water/glycolic water up to 30 %: 2 ... 200 °C
- Connections:  
- External thread (weld-on, thread and flange tailpieces)

## Ordering

**Example 1 - AVD controller:**  
Pressure reduction controller for water, DN 15,  $k_{vs}$  4.0, PN 25, setting range 1-5 bar,  $T_{max}$  150 °C, ext. thread

- 1x AVD DN 15 controller  
Code No: **003H6644**

**Option:**  
- 1x Weld-on tailpieces  
Code No: **003H6908**

The controller will be delivered completely assembled, inclusive impulse tube between valve and actuator.

**AVD Controller**

Picture	DN (mm)	$k_{vs}$ (m <sup>3</sup> /h)	Connection	Pressure setting range (bar)	Code No.	Pressure setting range (bar)	Code No.
	15	0.4	Cylindr. ext. thread acc. to ISO 228/1	1-5	003H6957	3-12	003H6978
		1.0			003H6958		003H6979
		4.0			003H6644		003H6650
		6.3			003H6645		003H6651
		8.0			003H6646		003H6652
	25	12.5	Flanges PN 25, acc. to EN 1092-2	G 1/4 A	003H6659	3-12	003H6662
		20			003H6660		003H6663
		25			003H6661		003H6664

**Note:** other controllers available on special request.

**Ordering (continuous)**

**Example 2 - AVDS controller:**  
**Pressure reduction controller for steam, DN 15,  $k_{vs}$  3.2, PN 25, setting range 1-5 bar,  $T_{max}$  200 °C, ext. thread**

- 1x AVDS DN 15 controller  
Code No: **003H6667**
- 1x Impulse tube set AV 1/8  
Code No: **003H6852**

**Option:**

- 1x Weld-on tailpieces  
Code No: **003H6908**
- 1x Seal pot  
Code No: **003H0277**

The controller will be delivered completely assembled. External impulse tube (AV) and seal pot must be ordered separately.

**AVDS Controller<sup>1)</sup>**

Picture	DN (mm)	$k_{vs}$ (m³/h)	Connection		Pressure setting range (bar)	Code No.	Pressure setting range (bar)	Code No.	
	15	1.0	Cylindr. ext. thread acc. to ISO 228/1	G 3/4 A	1-5	003H6665	3-12	003H6670	
		1.6				003H6666		003H6671	
		3.2				003H6667		003H6672	
	20	4.5		G 1 A		003H6668		003H6673	
		6.3				003H6669		003H6674	

<sup>1)</sup> Seal pot has to be used on impulse tubes always in steam applications when  $T_{max} \geq 150$  °C

**Accessories**

Picture	Type designation	DN	Connection	Code No.			
	Weld-on tailpieces	15	-	003H6908			
		20		003H6909			
		25		003H6910			
	External thread tailpieces	15	Conical ext. thread acc. to EN 10226-1	003H6902			
		20		003H6903			
		25		003H6904			
	Flange tailpieces	15	Flanges PN 25, acc. to EN 1092-2	003H6915			
		20		003H6916			
		25		003H6917			
	Impulse tube set AV	Description: - 1x copper tube Ø 6 x 1 x 1500 mm - 1x compression fitting for imp. tube connection to pipe Ø 6 x 1 mm		R 1/8    003H6852 R 3/8    003H6853 R 1/2    003H6854			
	① 10 compression fittings for impulse tube connection to pipe, Ø 6 x 1 mm R 1/8			003H6857			
	② 10 compression fittings for impulse tube connection to pipe, Ø 6 x 1 mm R 3/8			003H6858			
	③ 10 compression fittings for impulse tube connection to pipe, Ø 6 x 1 mm R 1/2			003H6859			
	④ 10 compression fittings for impulse tube connection to actuator, Ø 6 x 1 mm G 1/8			003H6931			
	Shut off valve Ø 6 mm			003H0276			
	⑤ Seal pot, 0.3 l, with two compression fittings Ø 6 x 1 mm			003H0277			

<sup>1)</sup> Compression fitting consists of a nipple, compression ring and nut.

<sup>2)</sup> Seal pot has to be used on impulse tubes always in steam applications when  $T_{max} \geq 150$  °C

**Service kits**

Picture	Type designation	DN	$k_{vs}$ (m³/h)	Code No.
	Valve insert <sup>1)</sup>	15	0.4	003H6869
			1.0	003H6870
			4.0	003H6873
		20	6.3	003H6874
		25	8.0	003H6875
		32/40/50	12.5/20/25	003H6876
	Valve body extension with stuffing box <sup>2)</sup>	15	3.2	003H6877
		20	4.5	
		25	6.3	
	Actuator with setting spring	Pressure setting range (bar)		Code No.
		1-5		003H6844
		3-12		003H6845

<sup>1)</sup> for AVD controller only

<sup>2)</sup> for AVDS controller only

## Technical data

## Valve (AVD)

Nominal diameter	DN	15	20	25	32	40	50
$k_{vs}$ value	m³/h	0.4	1.0	4.0	6.3	8.0	12.5
Cavitation factor z		≥ 0.6		≥ 0.55		≥ 0.5	
Leakage acc. to standard IEC 534	% of $k_{vs}$		≤ 0.02		≤ 0.05		
Nominal pressure	PN		25				
Max. differential pressure	bar		20		16		
Medium			Circulation water / glycolic water up to 30 %				
Medium pH			Min. 7, max. 10				
Medium temperature	°C		2 ... 150				
Connections	valve		External thread		Flange		
	tailpieces		Weld-on, external thread and flange		-		

## Materials

Valve body	thread	Red bronze CuSn5ZnPb (Rg5)	-
	flange	-	Ductile iron EN-GJS-400-18-LT (GGG 40.3)
Valve seat	Stainless steel, mat. No. 1.4571		
Valve cone	Dezincing free brass CuZn36Pb2As		
Sealing	EPDM		
Pressure relieve system	Piston		

## Valve (AVDS)

Nominal diameter	DN	15	20	25
$k_{vs}$ value	m³/h	1.0	1.6	3.2
Cavitation factor z		≥ 0.6		≥ 0.55
Leakage acc. to standard IEC 534	% of $k_{vs}$		≤ 0.02	
Nominal pressure	PN		25	
Max. differential pressure	bar		10	
Medium		Circulation water / glycolic water up to 30 %		
Medium pH		Min. 7, max. 10		
Medium temperature	°C	2 ... 200 <sup>1)</sup>		
Connections	valve	External thread		
	tailpieces	Weld-on, external thread and flange		

## Materials

Valve body	Red bronze CuSn5ZnPb (Rg5)
Valve seat	Stainless steel, mat. No. 1.4571
Valve cone	Stainless steel, mat. No. 1.4122
Pressure relieve system	Bellows

<sup>1)</sup> Seal pot has to be used on impulse tubes always in steam applications when  $T_{max} \geq 150$  °C

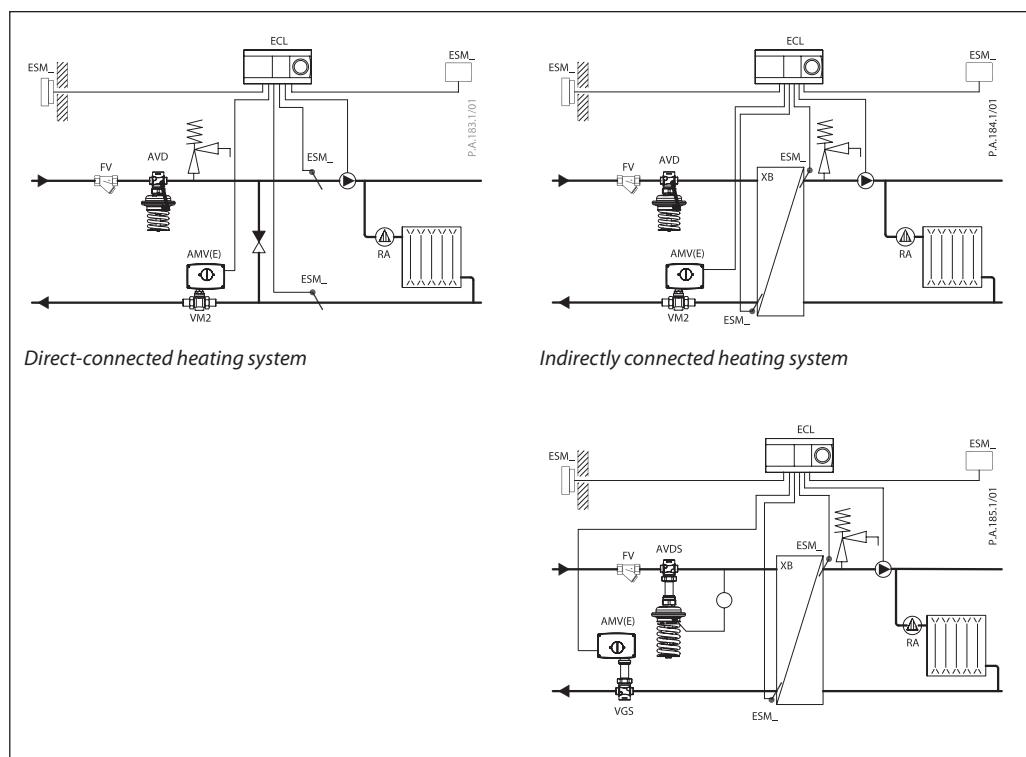
## Actuator

Type	AVD, AVDS		
Actuator size	cm²	54	
Nominal pressure	PN	25	
Pressure setting ranges and spring colours	bar	1-5	3-12
		blue	black, green

## Materials

Actuator housing	Upper casing of diaphragm	Stainless steel, mat. No. 1.4301
	Lower casing of diaphragm	Dezincing free brass CuZn36Pb2As
Diaphragm	EPDM	
Impulse tube	Copper tube Ø 6 × 1 mm	

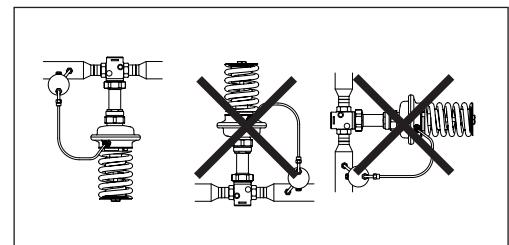
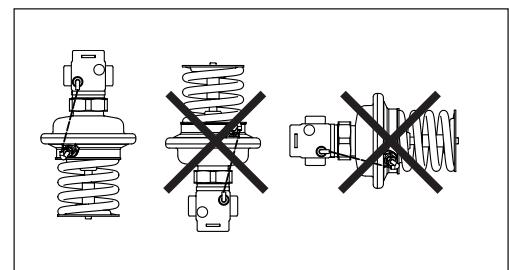
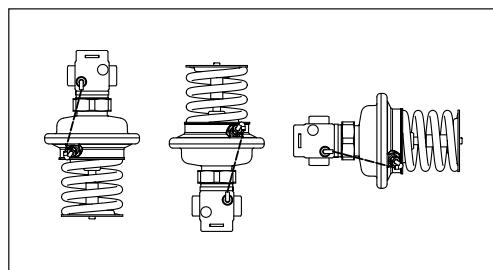
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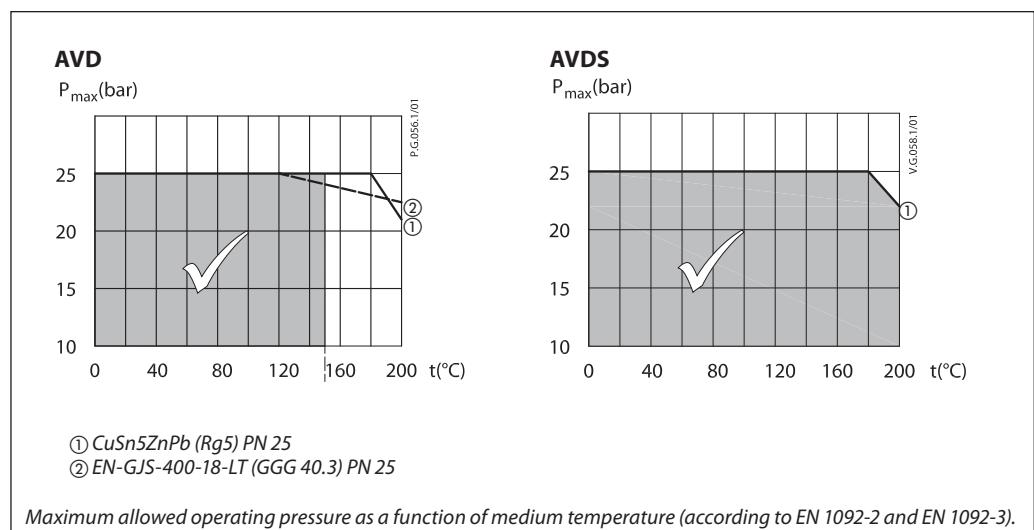


## Installation positions

Up to medium temperature of 100 °C the controllers can be installed in any position (valid for AVD controller only).

For higher temperatures (valid for AVD controller) and **always** in steam applications (AVDS controller) the controllers have to be installed in horizontal pipes only, with a pressure actuator oriented downwards.



**Pressure temperature diagram**

**Sizing**

Pressure reduction controller has to control 6.0 bar behind the controller. Max. flow through the system is less than  $2.0 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$ , min. flow pressure is 7.5 bar.

*Given data:*

$$\begin{aligned} Q_{\max} &= 2.0 \text{ m}^3/\text{h} \\ p_{1\min} &= 7.5 \text{ bar} \\ p_{\text{reduced}} &= 6.0 \text{ bar} \end{aligned}$$

Nominal pressure PN 25

The min. differential pressure across the controller is calculated from the formula:

$$\Delta p_{AVD} = p_{1\min} - p_{\text{reduced}} = 7.5 - 6.0$$

$$\Delta p_{AVD} = 1.5 \text{ bar}$$

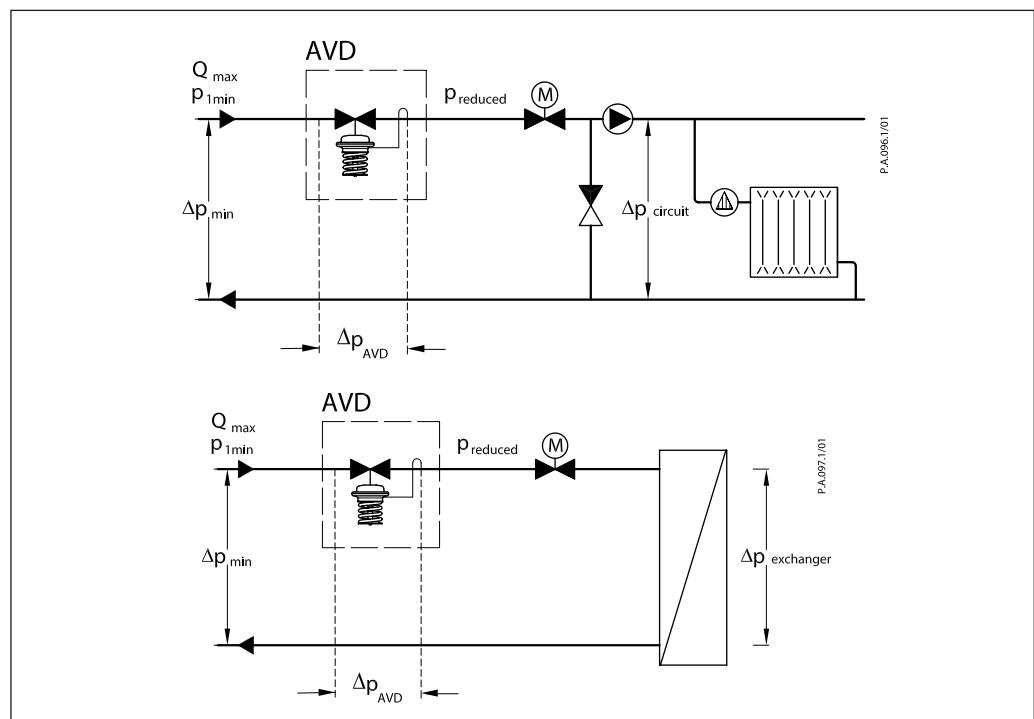
$k_v$  value is calculated according to formula:

$$k_v = \frac{Q_{\max}}{\sqrt{\Delta p_{AVD}}} = \frac{2,0}{\sqrt{1,5}}$$

$$k_v = 1.6 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$$

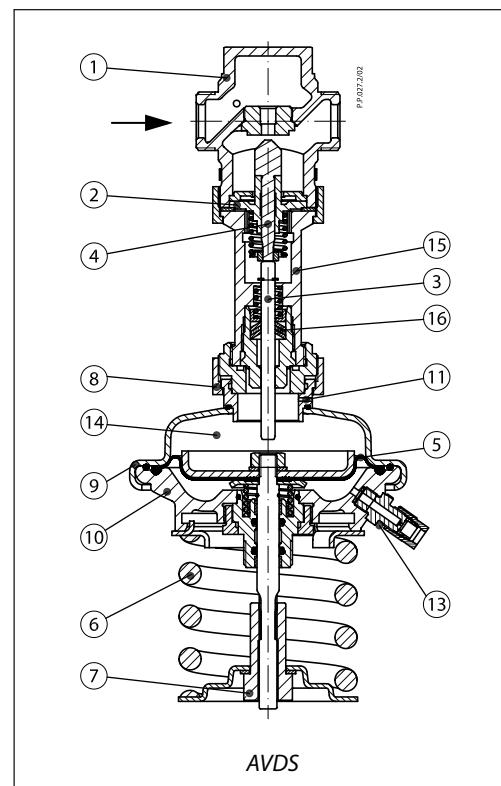
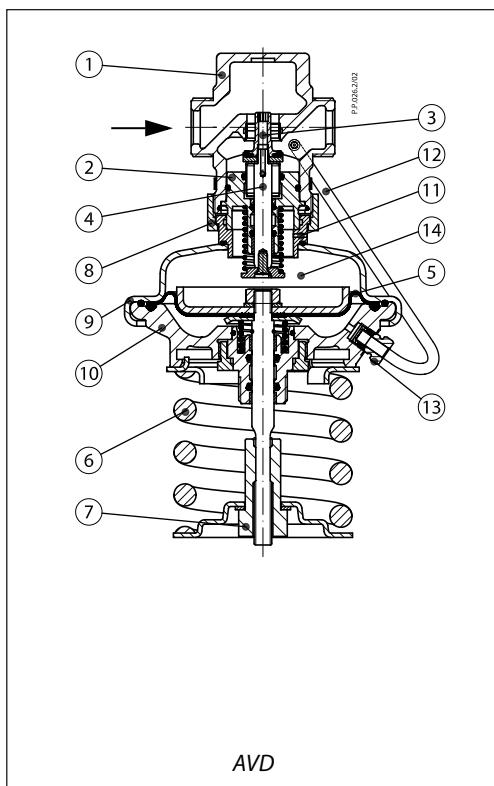
*Solution:*

The example selects AVD DN 15,  $k_{vs}$  value 4.0, with pressure setting range 3-12 bar



**Design**

1. Valve body
2. Valve insert
3. Pressure relieved valve cone
4. Valve stem
5. Control diaphragm
6. Setting spring for pressure control
7. Adjuster for pressure setting, prepared for sealing
8. Union nut
9. Upper casing of diaphragm
10. Lower casing of diaphragm
11. Air space bore
12. Impulse tube
13. Compression fitting for impulse tube
14. Actuator
15. Valve body extension
16. Stuffing box

**Function**

The pressure behind of the control valve is being transferred through the impulse tube to the actuator chamber and act on control diaphragm. On the other side of the diaphragm atmospheric pressure is acting (through air space bore). Control valve is normally opened. It closes on rising pressure and opens on falling pressure to maintain constant pressure.

**Settings***Pressure setting*

Pressure setting is being done by the adjustment of the setting spring for pressure control. The adjustment can be done by means of spring for pressure setting and/or pressure indicators.

## Dimensions

DN	L	L <sub>1</sub>	H	H*	H <sub>1</sub>	H <sub>1</sub> *	H <sub>2</sub>	H <sub>3</sub>	Weight (kg)	
	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	1-5 bar	3-12 bar
15	65	-	215	275	-	-	34	-	3.5	3.7
20	70	-	215	275	-	-	34	-	3.5	3.7
25	75	-	215	275	-	-	37	-	3.7	3.8
32	-	180	-	-	250	320	-	70	10.2	10.4
40	-	200	-	-	250	320	-	75	11.8	11.9
50	-	230	-	-	250	320	-	82	13.9	14.0

**Note:** Other flange dimensions - see table for tailpieces.

AVD  
DN 15-25  
 $\Delta p = 1-5 \text{ bar}$

AVD  
DN 32-50  
 $\Delta p = 1-5 \text{ bar}$

AVD  
DN 15-25  
 $\Delta p = 3-12 \text{ bar}$

AVD  
DN 32-50  
 $\Delta p = 3-12 \text{ bar}$

AVDS  
DN 15-25  
 $\Delta p = 1-5 \text{ bar}$

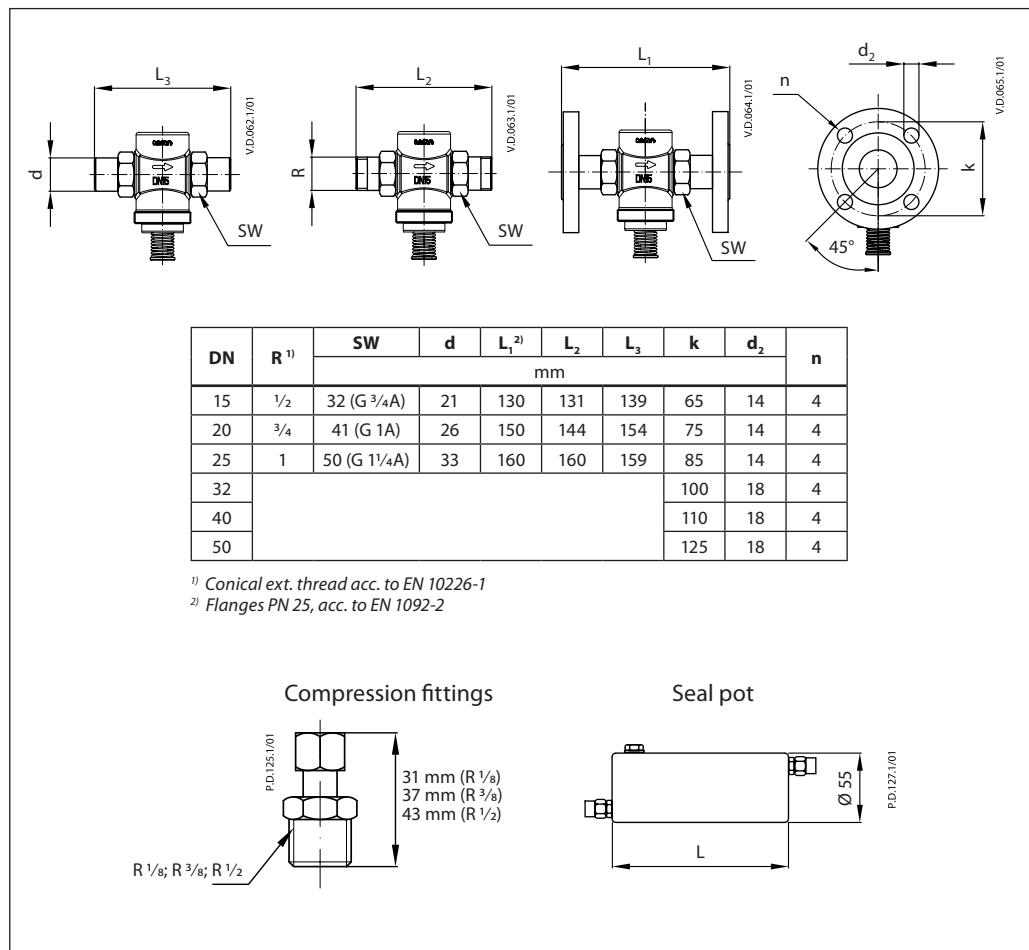
AVDS  
DN 15-25  
 $\Delta p = 3-12 \text{ bar}$

DN	L	H	H*	H <sub>2</sub>	Weight (kg)	
	mm	mm	mm	mm	1-5 bar	3-12 bar
15	65	290	345	34	3.5	3.7
20	70	290	345	34	3.5	3.7
25	75	290	345	37	3.7	3.9

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## Dimensions (continuous)

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