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### FULL PORT

The VSS ball valves are engineered to be a true process piping component to specifically meet the demanding processes found in pharmaceutical industries.

Three pieces ball valve are machined from solid round bar in AISI 316L (1.4404 – 1.4435) and put quality and reliability into your process. The VSS ball valves are a full bore / full port design according to ASTM A 269 dimensions, the tube-ID port opening is dimensionally identical to the adiacent tubing to comply with ASME-BPE Guidelines;

Full bore / full port design minimizes line turbolence and pressure drop.

### SIZE RANGE

Model VSS...-TC - clamped from ½" up to 4" - Tube OD (2 way)
Model VSS...-SS - butt weld from ½" up to 4" - Tube OD (2 way)
Model VSF...-TB/BW - tank bottom flush weld from ½" up to 2"
Model VSK...-TB/TK - tank bottom TK-Conn removable
from ½" up to 2"

### **■ END CONNECTIONS**

Interchangeable end caps are available for different applications.

Completely machined from bar, no welded tube extension clamped – BS 4825

butt weld - Tube OD, or extended tube weld for orbital welding

### SURFACE FINISH

Internal body surfaces 0,5 micron Ra or better External scotch-brite.

Enhanced surface finishes and electropolished valves also available on request.

### **■ SEAT MATERIAL**

Modified PTFE cavity-filled complying with FDA guidelines and USP Class VI, is standard on VSS

Cavity filled seats are not suitable for steam service.

Alternative o-rings seat materials available: EPDM, FKM, FKKM, Silicone



### OPERATOR

The valve can be fitted with manual handle or with ISO NAMUR mounting pad for pneumatic actuators
Stainless steel manual handle (quarter-turn for open/close)
Pneumatic actuator (DA double acting

- SR spring return)

### MARKING

To guarantee full traceability, following information will directly be marked on the valve body:

AR logo (identif. constructor) - code, material and size - max. operating pressure - CE Mark (when necessary) - serial number.

Additional information such as customer tag number is available upon request



Working pressure From ½" to 2"½ Vacuum ÷ 30barg rating (common use) 3" and 4" Vacuum ÷ 10barg

Working temperature rating (common use)

 $0^{\circ}\text{C} \div 150^{\circ}\text{C}$  (only for sterilization or short time)

Working conditions

(continuous steam)

1/2"-3/4"-3"-4" Max 5barg - Max 159°C (VSS standard version)

1"-1"1/2-2"-2"1/2 Max 5barg - Max 159°C (VSV version, dedicated seats)





cavity filled seat Modified PTFE for high purity applications (not suitable for steam service)





Modified PTFE for steam service

### **OPTIONAL:**

- Pneumatic stainless steel simple effect
- Pneumatic stainless steel double effect
- Manual lockable version
- Electropolishing
- Other Materials
- Connections according to other norms
- · Costumizable on request
- ATEX certification **(€** II 2G Ex h IIB T6...T3 Gb X II 2D Ex h IIIC T85°C...T165°C Db X

## VSF TANK BOTTOM BALL VALVE WELDED BODY

### **Application:**

The "TB" Series Flush Tank ball valve incorporates all the advantages of VSS. Available in different executions, may be fit at the tank bottom by welding plate or TK-Connection; for special applications on existing reactors, we also manufactures special adaptor plates in order to accommodate customer request.

The special design of the welding plate, is an integral welded part of the tank surface and preventing stagnation of the media.

The VSS-TB-BW ball valve is a process accessory to be used for clear or viscous liquid.



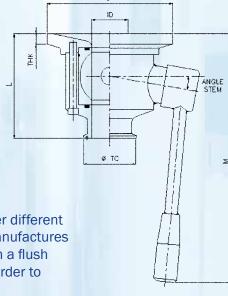
### MANUAL

### Benefits over conventional Flush Tank Valve:

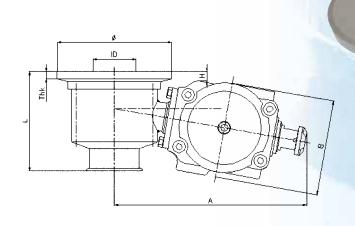
Valve mounts flush with the inside vessel wall, minimizing dead space Angle stem allow actuator clearance on jacketed or insulated tanks Higher CV with full bore, no pressure drop Simple quarter-turn opening

### **Operating conditions:**

Minimum /max working pressure Vacuum / 6 bar g Minimum /max working temperature 0°C to 150°C



Special executions available on request: Welding plate with radius or bigger different thikness, extended tube for orbital welding. For special applications, we manufactures special adaptor plates, when replacing a conventional flush tank valve, with a flush tank ball valve and also to ship the plate independently from the valve, in order to accommodate customer requests.





# **FEATURES**

BODY

Three-Piece Sanitary design enables in-line maintenance of ball valve. Full flow body design minimizes line turbulence and pressure drop through the valve.

**2** END CONNECTION

Clamp end connections are self-aligning for fast, easy takedown and reassembly without tools. Butt-weld end connections also available for dependable service in permanently installed pipelines.

**8** BODY BOLTING

Body bolting in 304 Stainless Steel permits easy assembly/disassembly.

4 BALL

Precision machined from solid bar and polished to a mirror finish for bubble tight shut-off. Each ball is designed to have minimum torque and provides high life cycle.

**6** STEM

Stem and packing design eliminates possibility of stem becoming dislodged or blown out.

Designed for installation of handle for manual operation or for direct mounting of pneumatic actuator that meets ISO 5211 specifications.

6 ANTISTATIC DEVICE

To eliminate possibility of static electrical charges within the valve, two grounding connections are set in the stem to ensure electrical continuity for the entire ball valve.

HANDLE

Ball valves fall under the general category of "rotary valves": quarter-turn for open/close. Handle gives visual indication of flow with stop lug.

8 MOUNTING PAD

A set of ISO 5211 mounting patterns are available to accommodate a range of pneumatic actuators. Machined flat surface ensures correct alignment of actuator to the stem top for minimum side loading during operation.

**9** BALL SEAT

Various seat materials and executions are available for different applications. Standard: Modified PTFE cavity-filler seat are intended to prevent the build up of product that may-when entrapped between the ball and body cavity-solidify or otherwise inhibit the smooth operation of the valve closure member on critical process applications. The valves used in steam service (24 hours continuously) should not utilize this seat arrangement.

STEM SEAT

Two o-ring in Viton and two stem guide in Modified PTFE ensuring sealing integrity of the stem.

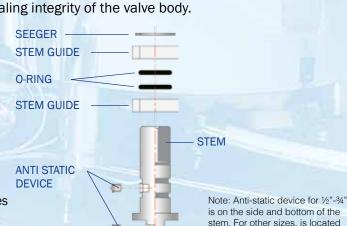
BODY SEAT

Two o-ring in Viton for each end connections ensuring sealing integrity of the valve body.

# **BENEFITS**

Ball valves are well proven in the most rigorous applications. Some key advantages of the design includes:

- Economical compared to most other valves design
- High flow rate through an unobstructed flow path
- Quick, quarter-turn operation
- Easy to automate pneumatically
- Inherently flexible to meet a wide range of pressures and temperatures
- Simple maintainability
- High hygienic design



as shown in the drawing.

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SANITARY SAMPLING VALVES



**SANITARY SAMPLING BOTTLE** 





SPRING CHECK VALVES



**HIGH PURITY BALL VALVES** 



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