VALVES AND AIR ELIMINATORS

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1. GENERAL

1.1 Scope

- .1 Gate valves.
- .2 Globe or angle valves.
- .3 Ball valves.
- .4 Check valves.
- .5 Plug cocks.
- .6 Eccentric plug valves.
- .7 Butterfly valves.
- .8 Drain valves.
- .9 Air eliminators.

1.2 Manufacturer

- .1 Provide valves of the same type by the same manufacturer throughout.
- .2 Provide valves with manufacturer's name and pressure rating clearly marked on outside of body.

1.3 Shop Drawings

- .1 Submit copies of valves "ordering schedule" for approval before ordering valves.
- .2 Submit detailed shop drawings clearly indicating make, model, size, pressure rating, materials of construction and intended service.

2. PRODUCTS

2.1 Piping Drains

- .1 Ball Valves up to 50 mm: Brass body, chrome plated brass ball, threaded or solder ends, TFE seat and packing. 4134 kPa non-shock WOG rating. Threaded, Red-White Fig. 5044A. Solder joint, Red-White Fig. 5049A.
- .2 Globe Valves up to 50 mm: Bronze body, screw over bonnet, threaded ends rating 1035 kPa steam, solder ends rating 2070 kPa water. Threaded, Red-White Fig. 221. Solder ends, Red-white Fig. 222.

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Globe Valves 65 mm and over: Cast iron body, flanged ends, O.S. and Y, renewable bronze seat ring, renewable composition disc. Rating 860 kPa steam. 1380 kPa. Red-White Fig. 400

.3 Gate Valves up to 50 mm: Bronze body, inside screw, travelling stem, solid wedge, screw-in bonnet, threaded ends rating 860 kPa steam, solder ends rating 1380 kPa water. Threaded, Red-White Fig. 293. Solder ends, Red-White Fig. 299.

Gate Valves 65 mm and over: Cast iron body, bronze trim, O.S. and Y, rising stem, solid wedge, flanged ends, rating 860 kPa steam. Red-White Fig. 421.

2.2 Valve Operators

- .1 Provide suitable hand wheels for gate, globe or angle, and drain valves.
- .2 Provide one plug cock wrench for every ten plug cocks sized 50 mm and smaller, minimum of one. Provide each plug cock sized 65 mm and larger with a wrench, with set screw.
- .3 Provide valves larger than 100 mm located more than 2.1 m from floor in equipment rooms with chain operated sheaves. Extend chains to 1.5 m above floor and hook to clips to arrange to clear walking aisles.

2.3 Air Eliminators

.1 Provide Spirax Sarco 13W air eliminators, or approved equal.

3. EXECUTION

3.1 Installation and Application

- .1 Install valves with stem upright or horizontal, not inverted.
- 2 Provide threaded lug type butterfly valves for equipment isolation service. Provide wafer or threaded lug type valves for zone shut-off service.
- .3 Use eccentric plug valves in water systems for throttling/balancing service.
- .4 Provide drain valves at main shut-off valves, low points of piping and apparatus.
- .5 Size drain lines and drain valves equal to size of apparatus drain connection.
- .6 For pipe sizes 20 mm and over, minimum drain size to be 20 mm
- .7 Provide quick-connect coupling for drain sizes not piped directly to floor drains.
- 8 Install air eliminators at high points on each section of piping that can be isolated on header connecting Branch I and Branch II pump discharges, and on Branch I UV discharge header. Provide piping to floor for vents.

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3.2 Painting

.1 Paint all valves and air eliminators in accordance with Section 13060.

3.3 Spare Parts

.1 Provide spare parts for valves and air eliminators in accordance with the manufacturers recommendations.

3.4 Testing

.1 Test valves and air eliminators in accordance with Sections 13035 and 13042.

END OF SECTION