# Solenoid valves for gas VGP

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- Safety valves for gas
- Compact design saves space
- Low power consumption
- Simplified equipment saves costs
- EC type-tested and certified
- FM and AGA approved
- Certified by Gosstandart pursuant to GOST-R



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# 1 Application



Gas solenoid valves VGP for safeguarding and controlling the air and gas supply to gas burners and gas appliances. For use in gas control and safety systems in industrial and commercial heat generation, such as the foodstuffs and ceramics industries.

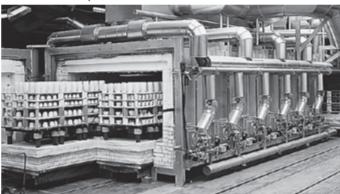
# 1.1 Examples of application



Ceramics industry: roller hearth kiln



Ceramics industry: intermittent shuttle kiln



Ceramics industry: intermittent shuttle kiln

#### 2 Certification

### EC type-tested and certified



#### pursuant to

 Gas Appliances Directive (2009/142/EC) in conjunction with EN 161.

#### Meets the requirements of the

- Low Voltage Directive (2006/95/EC),
- FMC Directive (2004/108/FC).

#### FM approved



Factory Mutual Research Class: 7410 and 7411 Safety overpressure slam shut valves

Designed for applications pursuant to NFPA 85 and NFPA 86. <u>www.fmglobal.com</u> → Products and Services → Product Certification → Approval Guide

#### AGA approved



Australian Gas Association, Approval No.: 5567 www.aga.asn.au/product\_directory

#### Approval for Russia



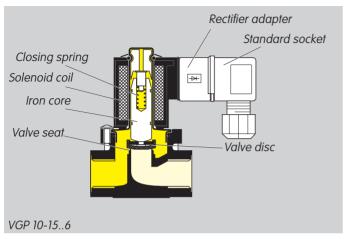
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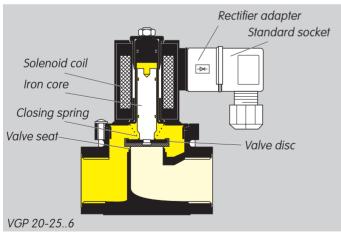
Scan of the approval for Russia (RUS) – see <a href="https://www.docuthek.com">www.docuthek.com</a> → Elster Kromschröder → Products → 03 Valves and butterfly valves → Solenoid valves for gas VGP → Kind of document: Certificate → VGP B 13957 (nat. Zertifikat Russland) (RUS)



#### 3 Function



field in the solenoid coil. The magnetic field attracts the iron core and lifts the valve disc from the valve seat, acting against the effective inlet pressure and the closing spring force. The gas solenoid valve VGP opens and the gas supply is released. Closing: when the voltage is disconnected, the magnetic field collapses and within 1 s, the closing spring pushes the iron core with valve disc back onto the valve seat, assisted by the inlet pressure. The gas solenoid valve VGP closes and the gas supply is stopped.

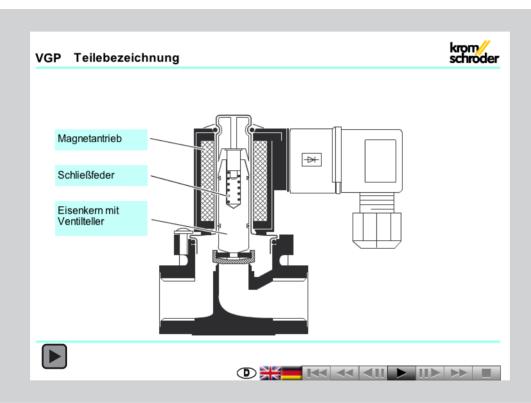


The gas solenoid valve VGP is closed when de-energized.

Opening: the applied AC voltage is rectified (the rectifier adapter must be installed for this) and generates a powerful magnetic



#### 3.1 Animation



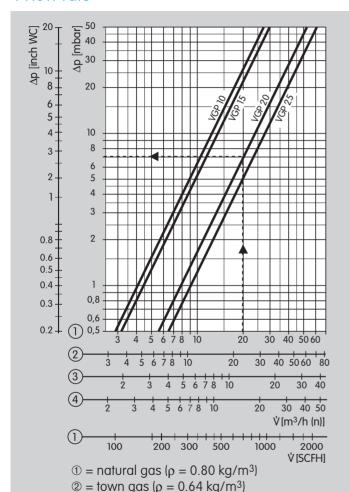
The interactive animation shows the function of the gas solenoid valve VGP.

**Click on the picture.** The animation can be controlled using the control bar at the bottom of the window (as on a DVD player). To play the animation, you will need Adobe Reader 9 or a newer version. If you do not have Adobe Reader on your system, you can download it from the Internet.

Go to <u>www.adobe.com</u>, click on "Download – Adobe Reader" and follow the instructions.

If the animation does not start to play, you can download it from the document library (Docuthek) as an independent application.

#### 4 Flow rate



③ = LPG (ρ = 2.01 kg/m<sup>3</sup>) ④ = air (ρ = 1.29 kg/m<sup>3</sup>) Reading instructions: should operating cubic metres  $(\dot{V}_b)$  have been used in the flow rate diagram, instead of standard cubic metres  $(\dot{V}_b)$ , then the pressure loss read  $(\Delta p)$  must be multiplied by the absolute inlet pressure in bar (1 + positive pressure in bar).

Example:

inlet pressure  $p_e$  (positive pressure) = 0.1 bar,

gas type: natural gas,

operating flow rate  $\dot{V}_b = 20 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$ ,

 $\Delta p$  from diagram = 7 mbar,

 $\Delta p = 7 \text{ mbar x } (1 + 0.1) = 7.7 \text{ mbar on the solenoid valve}$ 

VGP 20

# 5 Selection

Туре	R	Ν	01	02	W	Q	5	6
VGP 10		$\circ$	_				•	
VGP 15		0	-		•			
VGP 20		0		-		•		
VGP 25		0		_	•	•		•

 $\bullet = standard, \bigcirc = available$ 

Order example

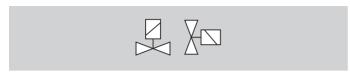
VGP 20R01W6

# 5.1 Type code

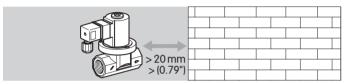
Description
Gas solenoid valve
D, 25 Nominal diameter
T-product
Rp internal thread NPT internal thread
p <sub>e</sub> max. 150 mbar (2 psig) p <sub>e</sub> max. 200 mbar (3 psig)
Mains voltage 120 V AC; 50/60 Hz Mains voltage 230 V AC; 50/60 Hz
Connection via rectifier adapter without standard socket Connection via rectifier adapter and standard socket

# 6 Project planning information

#### 6.1 Installation

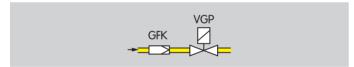


Installation position: black solenoid actuator in the vertical upright position or tilted up to the horizontal, not upside down.



The gas solenoid valve VGP must not be in contact with masonry. Minimum clearance 20 mm (0.79").

Do not store or install the unit in the open air.



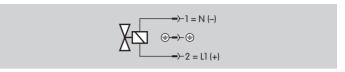
Sealing material and dirt, e.g. thread cuttings, must not be allowed to get into the valve housing.

Install a filter (GFK) upstream of every system.



The solenoid body heats up during operation depending on ambient temperature and voltage.

#### 6.2 Wiring



Wiring to EN 60204-1.

It is absolutely necessary to install a rectifier adapter (included in the delivery).

#### 7 Technical data

Gas types: natural gas, town gas, LPG (gaseous), biologically produced methane (max. 0.1 %-by-vol.  $H_2S$ ) or clean air; other gases on request. The gas must be dry in all temperature conditions and must not contain condensate.

Opening time: 0.5 s. Closing time: < 1 s.

Ambient temperature:  $-20 \text{ to } +60^{\circ}\text{C}$  (-4 to +140°F). Storage temperature:  $-20 \text{ to } +40^{\circ}\text{C}$  (-4 to +104°F).

Safety valve:

Class A Group 2 pursuant to EN 161,

Factory Mutual (FM) Research Class: 7410 and 7411.

Mains voltage:

230 V AC, +10/-15%, 50/60 Hz, 120 V AC, +10/-15%, 50/60 Hz.

Electrical connection:

plug with socket to EN 175301-803.

Power consumption:

Туре	120/230 V~ [W]
VGP 10	26
VGP 15	26
VGP 20	35
VGP 25	35

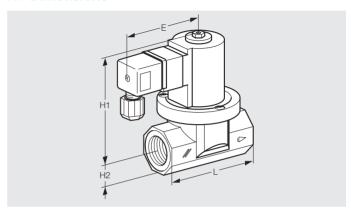
Enclosure: IP 54. Duty cycle: 100%.

Power factor of the solenoid coil:  $\cos \varphi = 1$ .

Solenoid coil insulation: class F insulating material.

Switching frequency: any. Valve housing: aluminium, valve disc: Perbunan. Internal thread: Rp to ISO 7-1, NPT to ANSI/ASME.

#### 7.1 Dimensions



#### Data table [mm]

Туре	Conne	ection	Dimensions				p <sub>e</sub> max.	Weight
			L	H1	H2	Е		
	Rp	DN	mm	mm	mm	mm	mbar	g
VGP 10	3/8	10	71	89	16	77	200	500
VGP 15	1/2	15	71	89	16	77	200	480
VGP 20	3/4	20	91	105	23	78	150	800
VGP 25	1	25	91	105	23	78	150	780

#### Data table (inch)

Conne	ection		Dime	nsions	p <sub>e</sub> max.	Weight	
		L	H1	H2	Е		
NPT	DN	inch	inch	inch	inch	inch WC	lbs
3/8	10	2.8	3.5	0.63	3.03	78.74	1.1
1/2	15	2.8	3.5	0.63	3.03	78.74	1.06
3/4	20	3.58	4.13	0.91	3.07	59.06	1.76
1	25	3.58	4.13	0.91	3.07	59.06	1.72
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# 8 Maintenance cycles

At least once a year, twice a year in the case of biologically produced methane.



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