

CHARACTERISTICS	
1. General	
Symbol	
Type designation Construction	686 EP Y Pilot-operated pilot control = seat valve main control = piston-type valve
Weight Mounting position Direction of volume flow Ambient temperature range	2,4 kg Any, if possible, vertical P to A or A to T -10℃ to +50℃
2. Hydraulic characteristics	
Rated pressure / max. pressure	Port P; A and B= 315 barPort T= 70 bar in case of external control oil drainPort T= In case of internal control oil drain, depressurized and separately to the tank
Min. pressure difference P to A Setting pressure range Min. setting pressure	Port Y = Depressurized and separately to the tank 15 bar 70 bar; 140 bar; 210 bar; 300 bar < 1 bar
Rated volume flow Hydraulic fluid Temperature range of hydraulic fluid	30 I/min Hydraulic oil according to DIN 51 524 (1,2) -20°C to +70 °C
Control volume flow Approx. Contamination level / filtering	400 cm ³ /min Class 16/13 according to ISO 4406 or 7 according to NAS 1638 (recommended filter: min. retaining rate $\beta_{5-10} \ge 75$)
3 Operation	Electric - proportional solenoid
3.1 Solenoid	
Design Voltage Rated voltage	Simple solenoid - pushing, pressure-sealed DC 12 V
Rated voltage Rated current Limiting current	1,6 A 1,9 A
Rated resistance Rated capacity Connection type	12,3 W Device plug and socket connection according to ISO 4400
Protective system	IP 65 according to DIN 40 050 (with installed mating connector)
4. Iransmission	(Definition according to DIN 24 311)
Receptivity accuracy	approx. 1% of the setting pressure range
Range of reversal	approx. 1%
Hysteresis	approx. 4%
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Time Response

shows the step-function response of the pressure signal to a setting value jump of 10% to 90% and vice versa. Measured at a volume flow of 20 l/min. The values are extremely systemdependent.





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Characteristic of the pressure signal function the characteristic typical of the valve for the function pressure setting value. It given information on the linearity and the hysteresis.



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the control response of the valve for the secondary pressure at the different setting pressure ranges, dependent on the variable volume flow, at a primary pressure of 20 bar each above the setting pressure.

DESCRIPTION OF THE VALVE

1. Valve

These valves are double-stage valves, consisting mainly of the main control part which is controlled by a pilot valve with the proportional actuating solenoid. Due to the pilot control, the pressure is controlled or limited almost independent of the volume flow. The control oil for the pilot control is taken from the inlet side and kept as concept by a flow controller.

The control circuit is protected against large contamination's by a filter (100 μ m). In case of perturbations, the filter can easily be dismounted and cleaned. The pressure setting is done infinitely by the proportional solenoid which is actuated by an electronic control amplifier. The proportional solenoid is an electro-mechanic converter. Its output variable force is proportional to the input signal current. The result is an approximately linear relation between solenoid current and pressure. The magnetic force acts via a pressure spring valve cone upon the anticipatory control valve seat, against the hydraulic force of the hydraulic liquid in the control circuit. The resulting pressure is stamped on the control piston in the main valve as reference pressure. The control piston is used as a pressure maintaining valve which controls the pressure in the control circuit to the pilot pressure.

The valve is equipped with four or five ports, the main ports **P** and **A** for in- and outlet, port **T** for the protection of the secondary circuit, port **B** and if desired **Y** for the separate control oil drain. For the valve type **internal control oil drain**, the control oil is let via **T**. In order to prevent valve oscillations, we recommend - according to the chosen control oil outlet - to conduct the corresponding line depressurized and trouble free, separately to the tank. We recommend the valve type with external control oil drain since it is the best guarantee for a trouble free function.

Via port **B**, the valve can be unloaded and operated by external remote control; it must locked if the function is not required. Yet, we recommend to provide this port in control blocks or sub plates, because the dampening characteristics of the valve can be changed via this port in case of system vibrations.

The valve should be bled via the provided bleeding screw during commissioning (see dimensions drawing).

2. Material

The valve parts are made from steel. All wear parts are hardened. The outer pieces of the valve are burnished, the solenoid coil is covered in plastic housing.

For applications not covered by the specified characteristics, please contact us.

All specified characteristics are based partly on long years of experience and on measurements made in laboratories. The data are typical of the valves and can differ in series. All measurements were carried out on a test stand with an oil viscosity of 36 mm²/s, a filter mesh of < 10 mm and optimum control electronics. All data given here should be used as description for the product only and they are not to understand as warranty (zugesicherte Eigenschaft) in the sense of law.



In the interest of further development, we reserve the right to changes.

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