

Data sheet

RA-C valves for cooling and heating circuits

Description



Together with Danfoss selfacting and electronic controls, RA-C valves make up a perfect combination for control of cooling and heating circuits.

The RA-C valve is a normally open valve. In an application with self-acting sensors type FEK or FED it is ensured that the cooling valve opens when the room temperature is rising above the set temperature.

The RA-C valve has 4 presettings, thus the correct quantity of water is ensured for each cooling circuit and it is PN16 approved.

The valve has two external threads thus fittings for various pipe types may be mounted.

Moreover, Danfoss can also offer a comprehensive range of fittings (see back page).

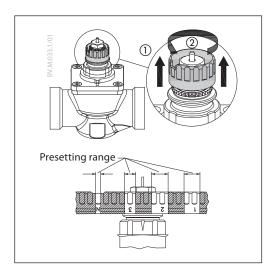
Shut-off (for isolation during system maintenance) using manual shut off knob

Ordering and Specification

Valve	Connections	Presettings: kv-value ¹⁾ , m³/h			Max. k _{vs} working	Max. differential	Test	Water temperature	Code No.		
		1	2	3	N		pressure 3)	pressure 2)	pressure	temperature	
RA-C 15	2 × G ³ / ₄ A	0.30	0.55	0.75	0.90	1.20	- 10 bar │	0.6 bar	16 bar	10 - 120°C	013G3094
RA-C 20	2×G1A	0.80	1.10	1.70	2.60	3.30					013G3096

¹⁾ The kv-values show the flow (Q) in m3/h at a differential pressure (Δp) of 1 bar through the valve. At presetting N the kv-value is shown at Xp = 3 K. The Xp-value decreases at lower presettings thus the kv-value at presetting 1 is shown at Xp = 1 K.

Presetting



With the valve body type RA-C the calculated setting can be set easily and exactly without using special tools:

- remove the protective cap or sensor element,
- raise the setting ring,
- turn the scale on the setting ring until the required scale value faces the reference mark,
- release the setting ring.

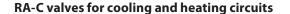
The presetting can be set at the values: 1- 2 - 3 and N. At setting N, the valve is completely open.

A setting in the shaded areas should be avoided. When the sensor element is mounted, the pre-setting is hidden, and is thus protected against alteration.

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²⁾ The max. differential pressure specified is the maximum pressure at which the valves give satisfactory regulation. As with any device which imposes a pressure drop on the system, noise may occur under certain flow/pressure conditions. A differential pressure between 0.1 and 0.3 bar across the valves is recommended. The differential pressure can be reduced using Danfoss differential pressure regulators. ²⁾

³⁾ Shut-off PN10 approved.





Pressure and noise conditions

Special demands are made on the various components of the system. This is due to water temperature conditions, the chosen pipe types and pipe dimensions of both chilled ceilings and fancoils/induction units and the structure of the cooling circuits.

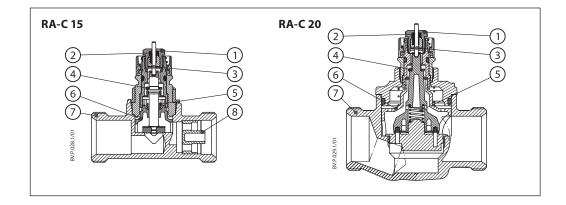
In chilled ceilings and fancoils/induction-units relatively large differential pressure and water flow are

often used compared to normal heating systems. This may lead to noise nuisance.

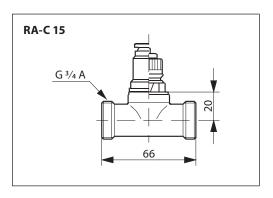
The RA-C valve has especially been designed to correspond to these demands, no matter whether selfacting or electronic controls are used.

Design

- 1. Gland seal
- **2.** O-ring
- 3. Pressure pin
- 4. Seal
- 5. Regulation spring
- **6.** Presetting bush
- **7.** Valve body
- 8. K_v-nozzle



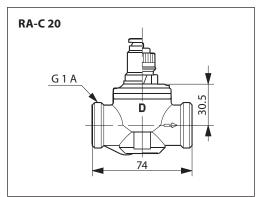
Dimensions



Materials in contact with flow medium 1)

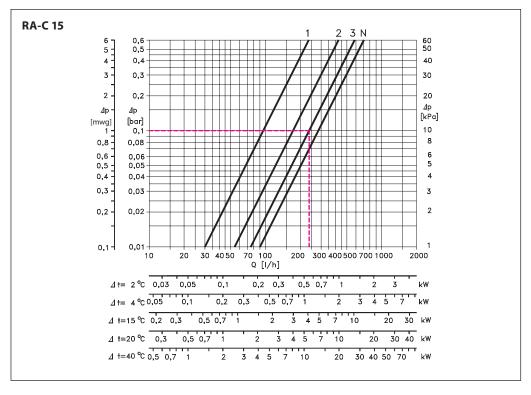
Valve body and other metal parts	Corrosion resistant brass
Spindle	Corrosion resistant brass
Throttle nozzle	PPS
O-rings	EPDM
Valve cone	NBR
Gland seal pressure pin	Chrome steel
k _v -nozzle	PP

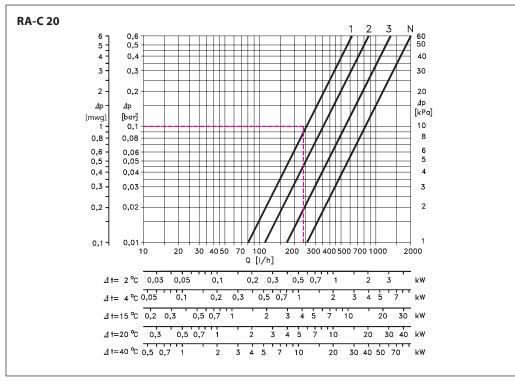
¹⁾ Flow medium: water and water mixtures with secondary coolants like glycols (regarding suitability and usage especially in not oxygen tight systems please see the instructions given by the coolant producer).





Capacities





Sizing example, chilled ceiling:

Cooling demand:	Φ = 0.55 kW		
System temperature rise:	Δt = 2 °C		
Differential pressure:	$\Delta p = 0.1 \text{ bar}$		
Calculated water quantity:	$Q = \frac{550}{2 \times 1.16} = 237 \text{ l/h}$		

The setting is found in the capacity diagramme: RA-C 15: Presetting value 3 $\,$ RA-C 20: Presetting value 1 $\,$

Capacities with P-band between 1 and 3 \mbox{K}

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Accessories:

Compression fittings for PEX plastic tubing

Compression fittings are for connecting Danfoss valves to circuits in heating systems only. Compression fittings are used for connecting PEX plastic tubings in accordance with DIN 16892/16893.

Maximum operating pressure and temperature are given by the tubing manufacturer. However, 10 bar and 95° C must not be exceeded.
One set consists of one olive, one supporting bush and one union nut.

Compression fittings for Alupex tubing

Einbau im Vor- oder Rücklauf

Compression fittings are for connecting Danfoss valves to circuits in heating systems only. When connecting circuits with compression fittings for Alupex tubing, always observe the maximum operating pressure and temperature which are given by the tubing manufacturer. However, 10 bar and 95° C must not be exceeded. One set consists of one olive, one supporting bush, one insulation washer and one union nut.

Compression fittings for steel and copper tubing

Compression fittings are for connecting Danfoss valves to circuits in heating systems only. Compression fittings are used for connecting steel and copper pipes in accordance with DIN 1786/391.

One set consists of one olive and one union nut. It is recommended to use supporting bushes with soft pipes.

Picture	For PEX plastic tubing Connection	Tube dimension	Max. working pressure	Test pressure	Max. flow	Code No.
	G ¾", internal thread	12 × 2 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4152
-		13 × 2 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4153
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000		15 × 2.5 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4155
Mr.		16 × 1.5 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4157
External thread		16 × 2 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4156
		16 × 2.2 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4163
DE E		17 × 2 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4162
W. F. B.		18 × 2 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4158
Apr.		18 × 2.5 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4159
Internal thread		20 × 2 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4160
		20 × 2.5 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4161

Picture	For PEX plastic tubing Connection	Tube dimension	Max. working pressure	Test pressure	Max. flow	Code No.
A.		12 × 2 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4182
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FE.		15 × 2.5 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4185
External thread		16 × 2 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4186
	G ¾", internal thread	16 × 2.25 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4187
TE BY		18 × 2 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4188
W		20 × 2 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4190
Internal thread		20 × 2.5 mm	6 bar	10 bar	95 °C	013G4191

Picture	For PEX plastic tubing Connection	Tube dimension	Max. working pressure	Test pressure	Max. flow	Code No.	
		10 mm	10 bar	16 bar	120 °C	013G4120	
		12 mm	10 bar	16 bar	120 °C	013G4122	
Charles of the same	C 2/// !	14 mm	10 bar	16 bar	120 °C	013G4124	
External thread	G ¾", internal thread	15 mm	10 bar	16 bar	120 °C	013G4125	
		16 mm	10 bar	16 bar	120 °C	013G4126	
		18 mm	10 bar	16 bar	120 °C	013G4128	
All .	G 1″	18 mm	10 bar	16 bar	120 °C	013U0134	
Internal thread		22 mm	10 bar	16 bar	120 °C	013U0135	
	Manual shut off knob, high pressure						
	Manual shut off knob						
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	Raccords pour joints plats Pour RAC 20						

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