

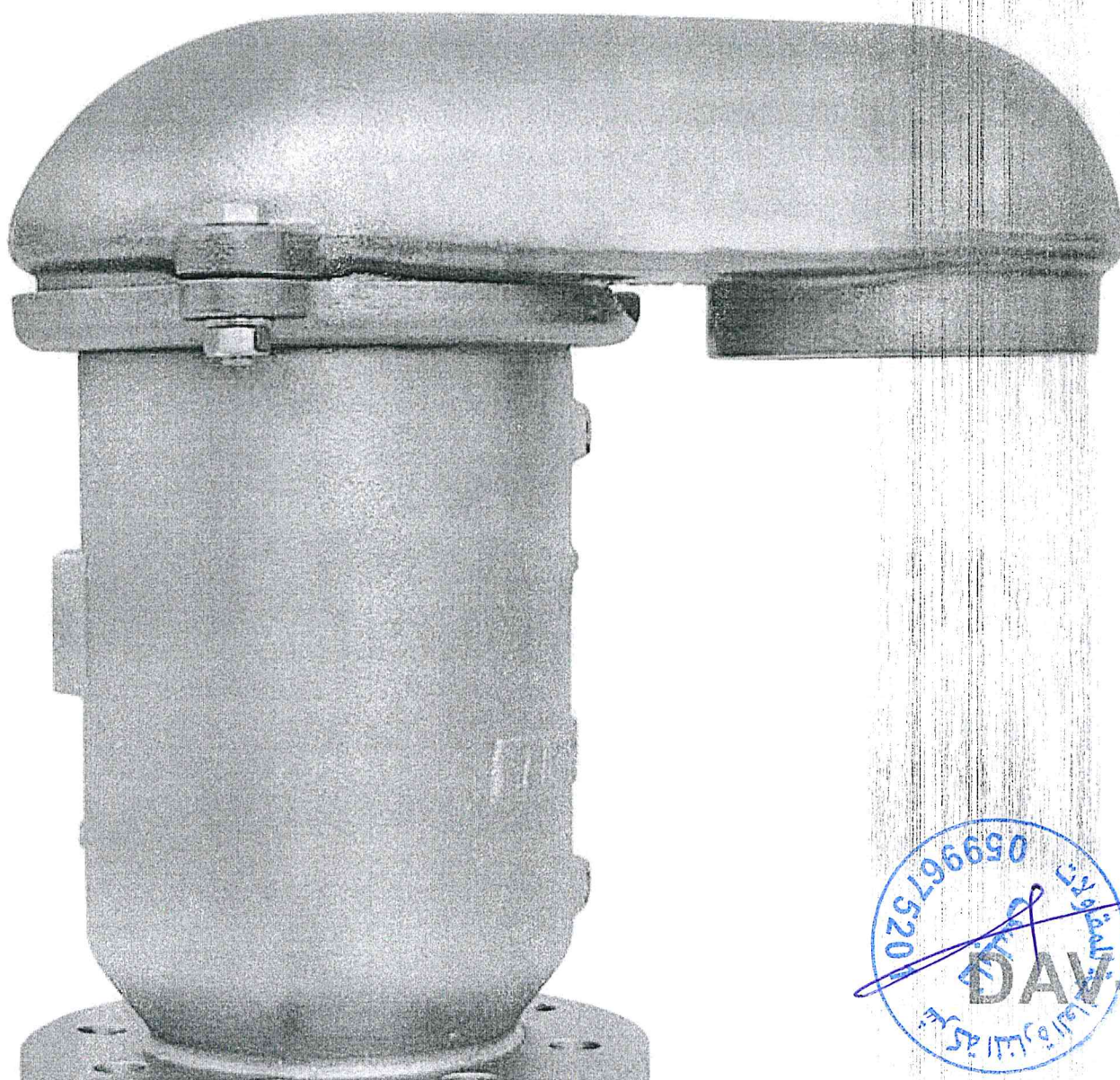


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# DAV SERIES

Air Release & Vacuum Break Valves  
For Corrosive Liquids







## DAV-C

## Air Release & Vacuum Break Valves, for corrosive fluid networks (Sea Water and Mining)

DAV-C valves are made to resist corrosion caused by various liquids in mines, desalinization plants, and the chemical industry. The DAV-C is supplied at PN16 (rated 230psi), PN25 (rated 360psi) and PN40 (rated 580psi).

### Operation:

#### Venting Air from a Filling Pipeline

The standard valve allows discharge of trapped air while the system is being filled with liquid. The valve will remain open, even at very high air flow velocity (A), until the liquid has reached the float and lifted it to its closed position (B).

Available for valve models with suffix "K" and "KA".

### Operation:

#### Vacuum Breaking (Air Intake) of a Draining Pipeline

Decrease of the pressure in the system to negative value and the simultaneous drainage of the valve chamber, forces the floats down, allowing the admittance of air into the pipe, thus preventing negative pressure and possible collapse of the pipe (C).

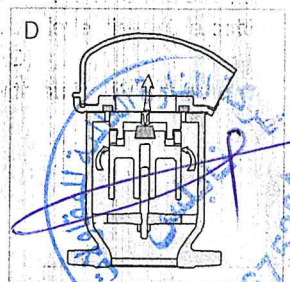
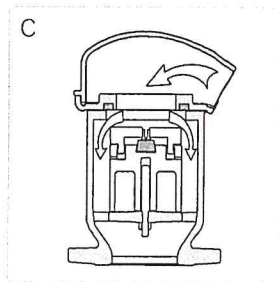
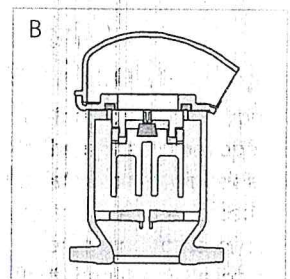
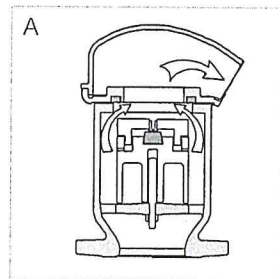
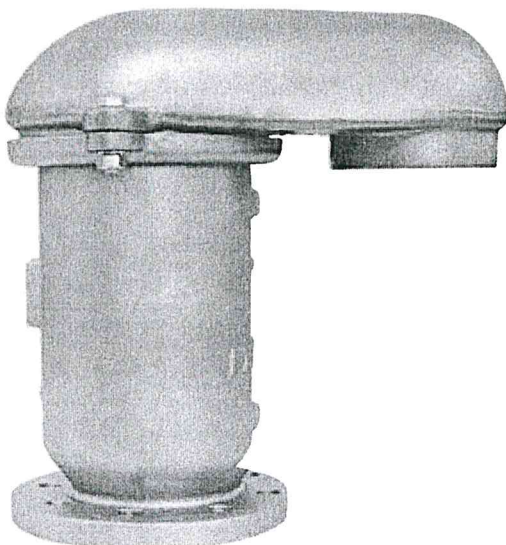
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### Operation:

#### Release of Dissolved Air from a Pressurized Pipeline

Air that is being released from the liquid in the pressurized system or being introduced into the system from open sources and pumping vortexes, accumulates in the air release valves located at high places. The accumulated air forces the liquid out of the valve chamber, so the floating force of the bottom float decreases. The bottom float then drops, allowing for the trapped air to be vented through the small nozzle at the center of the top float. Then, the liquid level rises, the bottom float is lifted and the nozzle closes (D).

Available for valve models with suffix "KA" only.



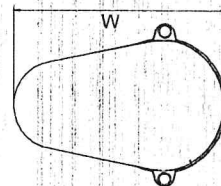
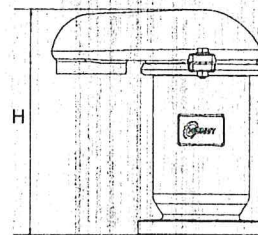


# DAV-C Technical Data

## Dimensions & Weights

| Nominal Diameter |     | Height H |     | Width W |     | Kinetic orifice area |                 | Weight |      |
|------------------|-----|----------|-----|---------|-----|----------------------|-----------------|--------|------|
| inch             | mm  | inch     | mm  | inch    | mm  | inch <sup>2</sup>    | mm <sup>2</sup> | kg     | lbs  |
| 2                | 50  | 11.1     | 282 | 10.0    | 253 | 3.0                  | 1960            | 7.5    | 16.5 |
| 3                | 80  | 13.9     | 354 | 13.3    | 339 | 7.7                  | 5000            | 10     | 22   |
| 4                | 100 | 15.5     | 394 | 15.7    | 400 | 12.2                 | 7855            | 18     | 39.6 |
| 6                | 150 | 19.1     | 486 | 24.5    | 621 | 27.4                 | 17670           | 25     | 55   |

Connections: ISO, ANSI, BS, JIS flanges, BSP, NPT threads (50mm valves only)



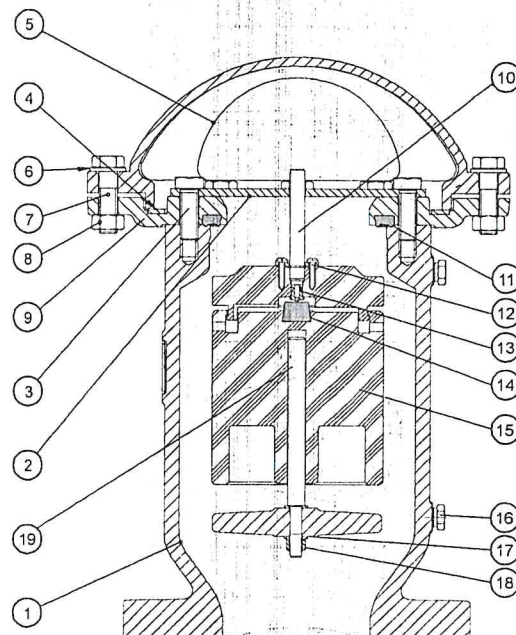
## Specifications

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Nominal sizes                           | 2" / 50mm to 6" / 150mm                     |
| Pressure rating                         | PN16 (230psi), PN25 (350psi), PN40 (580psi) |
| Minimal pressure for drip-tight sealing | 0.2 bar (3psi)                              |
| Max. Temperature                        | 65°C (150°F)                                |

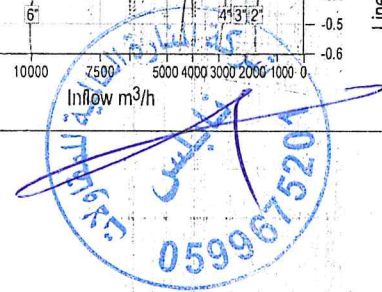
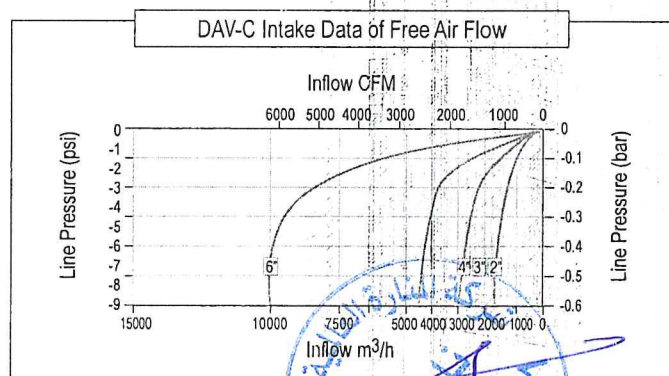
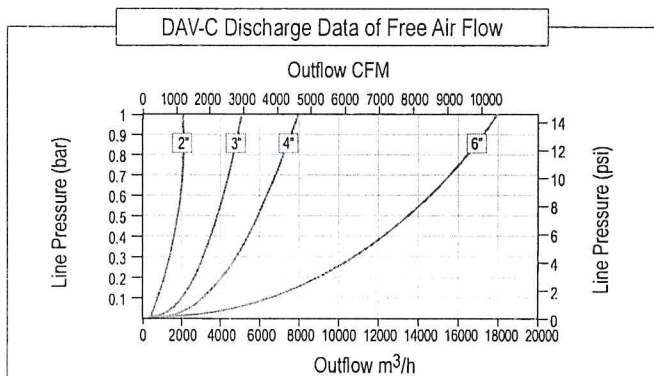
## Components

| No. | Description     | Material |
|-----|-----------------|----------|
| 1   | Body            | CF8M     |
| 2   | Top guide       | SST316   |
| 3   | Bolt            | SST316   |
| 4   | Cover seal      | EPDM     |
| 5   | Cover           | CF8M     |
| 6   | Washer          | SST316   |
| 7   | Bolt            | SST316   |
| 8   | Nut             | SST316   |
| 9   | Seal plate      | CF8M     |
| 10  | Top Guide shaft | SST316   |
| 11  | Main Seal       | NR       |
| 12  | Bolt            | SST316   |
| 13  | Nozzle          | SST316   |
| 14  | Nozzle Seal     | EPDM     |
| 15  | Float           | HDPE     |
| 16  | Plug (optional) | SST316   |
| 17  | Washer          | SST316   |
| 18  | Nut             | SST316   |
| 19  | Guide shaft     | SST316   |

\* Other structure materials: Nickel-Aluminum Bronze, Marine Bronze, SMO, Monel, Duplex, LG2 Bronze, Viton seals - on request



## Aero-Dynamic Performance





# DAV-C-SA

## Surge Arresting Device for DAV valves

### Features

- **Surge Arresting** – Automatically prevents water hammer associated with operation of air release valves.
- **Optimum Performance** – Air outlet can be adjusted according to surge analysis results, on site to a required aero-dynamic performance. The SA addition is assembled on user selected valves only (at local high elevated points). The flow through other valves remains unrestricted.
- **Simplicity** – Can be easily assembled on any of Dorot's DAV-M series air valves.
- **Reliability** – Simple, durable mechanism, fabricated from high grade materials. Can be serviced without having to put the air valve out of service.

### Function

When air is admitted into the pipe, an "Air Pocket" is created in the local high points where the Air / Vacuum valve is located.

The returning flow re-fills the "pocket".

Too-high velocity of the approaching water column may generate a pressure surge when it reaches the valve.

### Operation of the SA addition

#### Air Venting

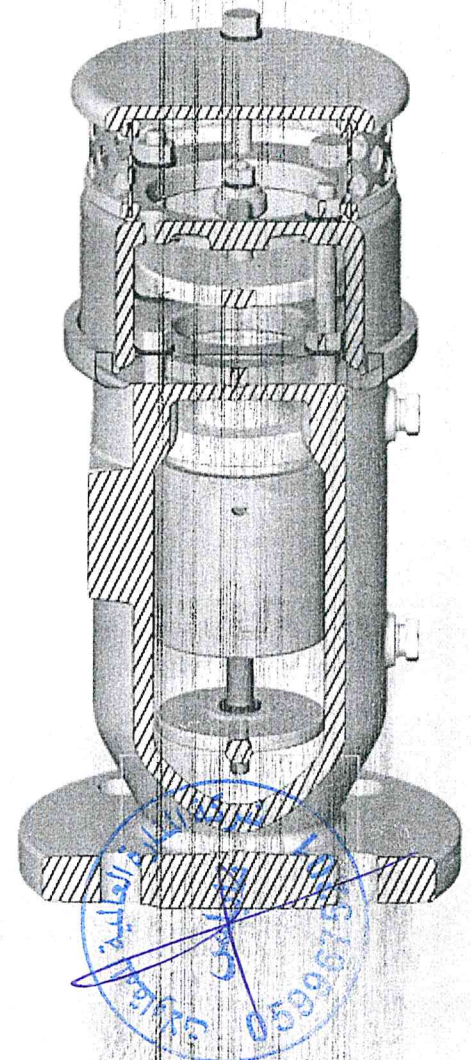
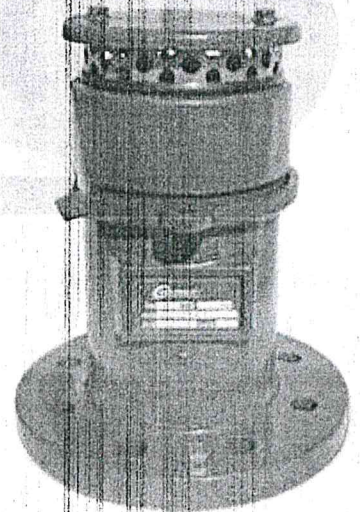
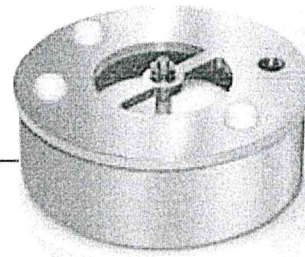
The Surge Arrestor addition of "DAV-M" valves limits the air outflow, when the escaping air velocity exceeds a threshold value.

This optional addition creates a temporary, slow closing "Air Cushion" that decelerates the water velocity, preventing water hammer effect.

Adjustment of the air outflow can be done by plugging or unplugging a set of bores in the SA adjustment plate (see pictures right side).

#### Vacuum Breaking (Air Intake)

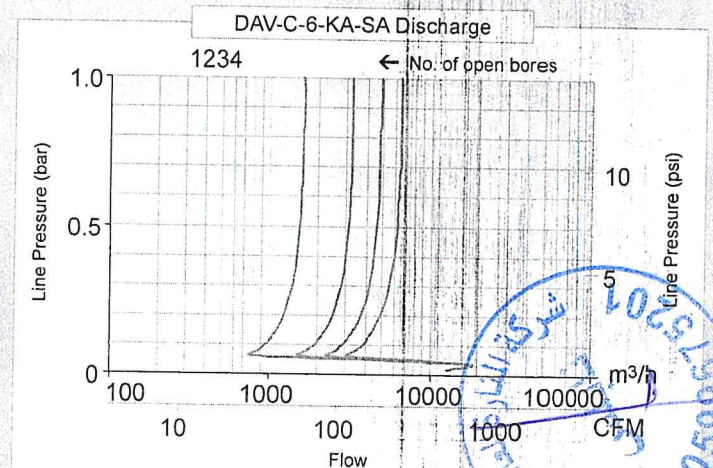
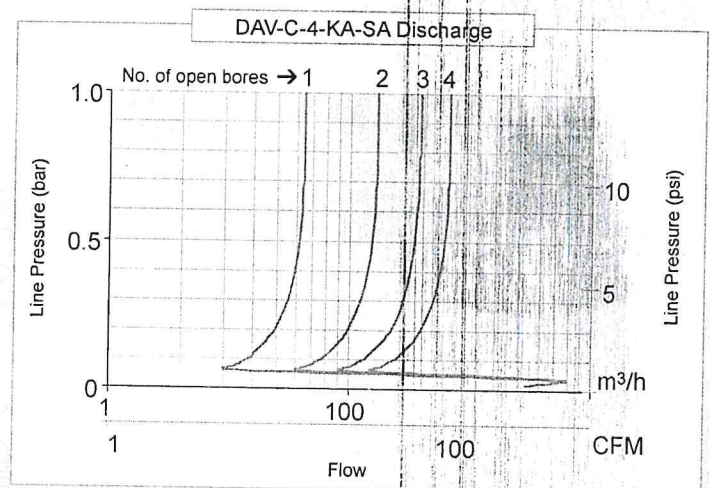
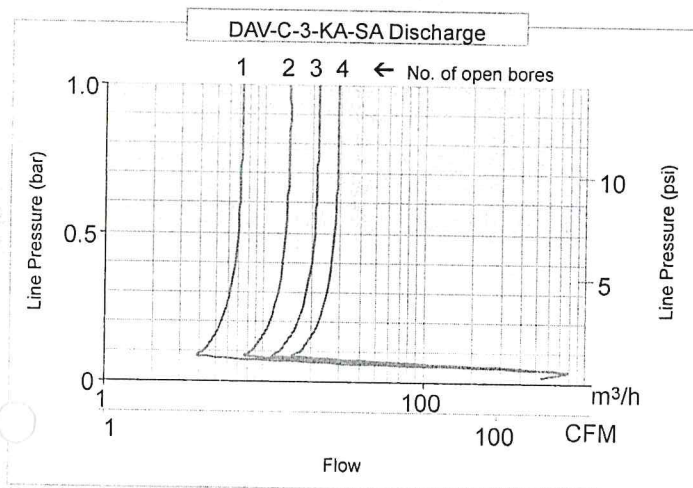
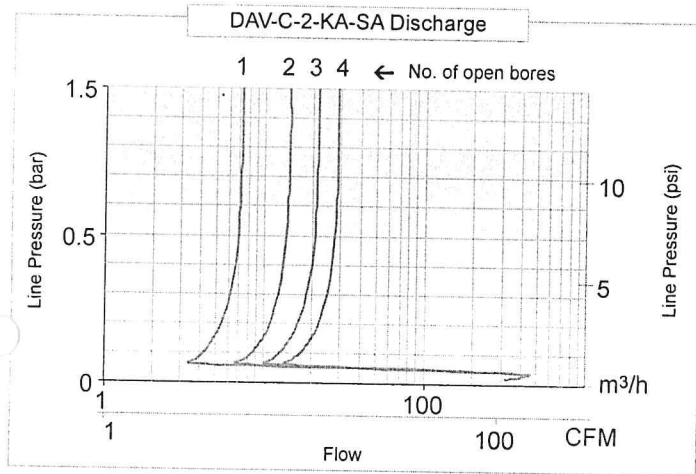
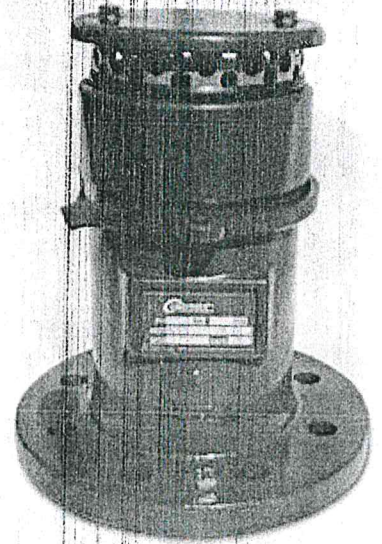
Decrease of the pressure in the system to negative value and simultaneous drainage of the valve chamber - forces the floats down, allowing the admittance of air into the pipe. The SA disc is in its low position, allowing unrestricted air flow into the system.





# DAV-C-SA Technical Data

Aero Dynamic Performance > Free air outflow





## Ordering Guide (Example):

|     |   |   |          |    |    |      |
|-----|---|---|----------|----|----|------|
| DAV | C | 4 | ISO PN16 | KA | SA | PN16 |
|-----|---|---|----------|----|----|------|

### Options:

| DAV | Model   | Diameter            | Connections   | Type  | Optional Addition            | Pressure rating                           |
|-----|---|---------------------|---|---|------------------------------|---|
|     | <div>C</div> Standard<br><div>CT</div> Threaded (2" only) | 2"/50mm to 6"/150mm | ISO PN16<br>ANSI 150<br>BSP<br>NPT<br>BSTD<br>BSTE<br>ISO PN25<br>ANSI 300<br>JIS | <div>KA</div> Combination valve<br><div>K</div> Kinetic | <div>SA</div> Surge Arrestor | PN16/230psi<br>PN25/360psi<br>PN40/580psi |

## DOROT AUTOMATIC CONTROL VALVES

Founded in 1946, DOROT is a leading developer, manufacturer and marketer of a wide range of superior quality automatic control valves. DOROT's experienced Research & Development Dept. has a long tradition of generating innovative solutions for the application of water control systems. These include, waterworks distribution networks, sewage and effluent disposal, fire protection, mining and irrigation systems.

DOROT's commitment to excellence begins with using the highest quality materials. The company's engineering experts are constantly working to provide customers with a broad range of valve patterns and sizes in a wide variety of metals and grades including: Cast Iron, Ductile Iron, Cast Steel, SST, Bronze, Marine Bronze, Polyamide and P.V.C.

The experts at DOROT custom-design each valve application according to specific control requirements. Most of the production process, which includes machining and coating, takes place in modern in-house facilities. Before leaving the factory, each product is hydraulically tested. An advanced testing laboratory simulates the anticipated field conditions.

With distribution in more than 70 countries world-wide, a key component of the DOROT difference is its outstanding customer service. This includes field assistance, technical advice, training programs and follow-up consultations.

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