

# HEAVY-DUTY FOOT OPERATED VALVES 36 & RM SERIES

## PRODUCT CATALOG





# Foot Operated Pedal and Treadle Valves RM & 36 Series Product Overview

#### **Foot Operated Valves**

ROSS foot operated valves are designed to provide foot actuation in a valve especially suited for remote pilot service. Foot operated poppet valves for small, fast, single or double-acting cylinder or pneumatic actuator applications on machines, jigs, fixtures, etc.



Illustration examples.

VALVE FEATURES				
Poppet Design	Reliable poppet construction			
Simple Design	Easy to operate			
Mounting	Offer flexible and easy installation options			
Rugged Construction	Dependable and long life, with minimum maintenance required			

## **Specifications**



STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS					
	Function	3/2, 4/2, and 5/2 Valve; Norma	ally Closed		
	Construction Design	Poppet			
	Actuation	Pneumatic; Foot Pedal or Trad	le		
GENERAL		Pedal Valve	Spring Return		
	Valve Return Method	Treadle Valve	Detented		
	valve Return Method	Pedal Valve with Guard	with Lock	Spring Return	
		Pedai vaive with Guard	without Lock	Detented	
	Mounting	Inline, Bottom mounting			
	Connection	Threaded	NPT, G		
	Temperature		Ambient	000 / 17505 / 040 / 0000	
		Heavy-Duty Valves	Media	-30° to 175°F (-34° to 80°C)	
			For temperatures below 40°F (4°C) air must be free of water vapor t prevent formation of ice.		
			For temperatures below -30°F (	(-34°C), consult ROSS.	
		Pedal Valve with Guard	Ambient	23° to 140°F (-5° to 60°C)	
OPERATING CONDITIONS			Media	23 10 140 F (-5 10 60 C)	
CONDITIONS			For temperatures below 40°F (4°C) air must be free of water vapor to prevent formation of ice.		
	Flow Media	Filtered air			
		Pedal Valve	E to 150 poi (0.0 to 10 bor)		
	Operating Pressure	Treadle Valve	5 to 150 psi (0.3 to 10 bar)		
		Pedal Valve with Guard	0 to 120 psig (0 to 8.2 bar)		
	Valve Body	Cast Aluminum			
	Poppet	Stainless Steel			
CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL	Seals	Buna-N			
MAILIMAL	Guard (Pedal Valve with Guard only)	Plastic			

IMPORTANT NOTE: Please read carefully and thoroughly all of the CAUTIONS, WARNINGS on the inside back cover.

#### PRODUCT CREDENTIALS

**EAC Conformity Declaration** 

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## **Ordering Information**

#### 3/2 Heavy Duty Valves

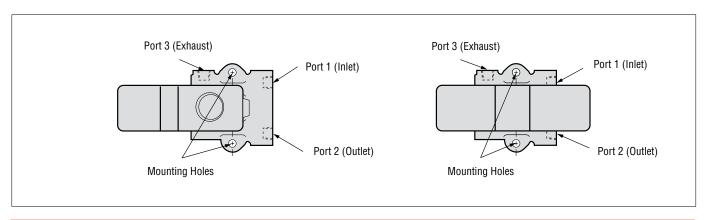
FOOT OPERATED VALVES				3-Way 2-Position Valves
Por	Size	Actuator Type	Valve Model Number	
In-Out Exhaust	Addutor Typo	NPT Thread	G Thread	
1/4	1//	Pedal	3643A2002	D3643A2002
	1/4	Treadle	3643A2001	D3643A2001

Si	ze	Flow	Average Respo	nse Constants*	Weight
Port 1, 2	Port 3	C <sub>V</sub> (NI/min)	1-2	2-3	lb (kg)
1/4	1/4	1.2 (1200)	1.66	1.43	1.3 (0.6)

**Valve Response Time** – Response Time (msec) =  $M + (F \cdot V)$ . This is the average time required to fill a volume V (cubic inches) to 90% of supply pressure or to exhaust it to 10% of supply pressure. F values are given in the chart above. M values for manually operated valves depend on the speed of actuation, and may be taken as zero for most practical applications.

Valve S	chematic
Pedal	Treadle
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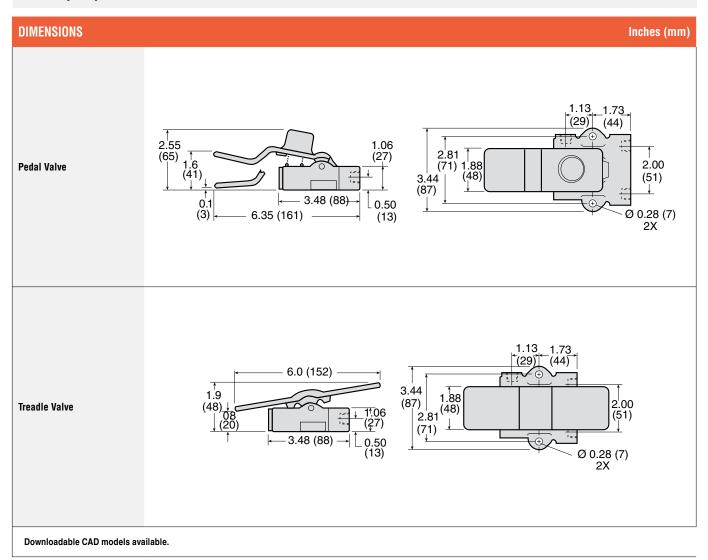
Note: The 3/2 treadle valves are not designed to be used to actuate clutch/brake mechanisms on mechanical power presses.



## **Valve Technical Data**



#### 3/2 Heavy Duty Valves



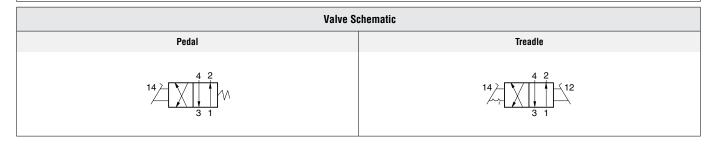
## **Ordering Information**

#### 4/2 Heavy Duty Valves

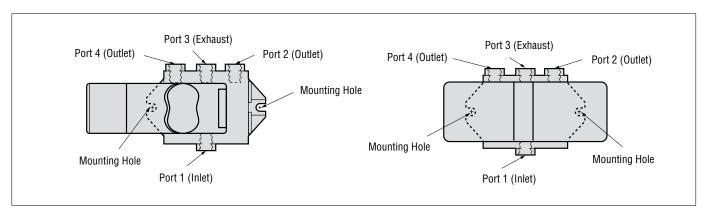
FOOT OPERATED VALVES				4-Way 2-Position Valves	
Port	Size	Actuator Type	Valve Model Number		
In-Out Exhaust	Adductor Typo	NPT Thread	G Thread		
1/4	1/4	Pedal	3646A2002	D3646A2002	
	1/4	Treadle	3646A2001	D3646A2001	

Port 1, 2 Port 3 Cv (NI/min) F Ib (kg)	Si	ze	Flow	Average Respo	nse Constants*	Weight
1-2, 1-4 4-0, 2-0	Port 1, 2	Port 3	_	1.2 1.4	4.3 2.3	
1/4 1/4 1.2 (1200) 1.66 1.43 1.3 (0.6	1/4	1/4	1 2 (1200)	,	,	1.3 (0.6)

**Valve Response Time** — Response Time (msec) =  $M + (F \cdot V)$ . This is the average time required to fill a volume V (cubic inches) to 90% of supply pressure or to exhaust it to 10% of supply pressure. F values are given in the chart above. M values for manually operated valves depend on the speed of actuation, and may be taken as zero for most practical applications.



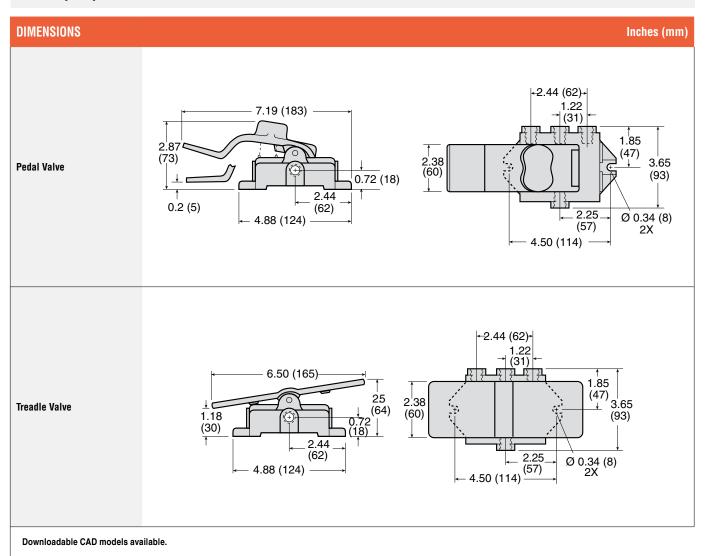
Note: The 4/2 treadle valves are not designed to be used to actuate clutch/brake mechanisms on mechanical power presses.



## **Valve Technical Data**



#### 4/2 Heavy Duty Valves



## **Ordering Information**

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#### 5/2 Foot Pedal with Guard Valves

SELECTOR SWITCH VAL	VES	5-Way 2-Position Valves	
Port Size	Actuator Type	Valve Model Number  NPT Thread	
In-Out			
1//	Non-locking foot pedal	RM4F210-08G	
1/4	Locking foot pedal	RM4F210-08LG	
Size	Flow	Woight	
Port A, B, P	C <sub>V</sub> (NI/min)	Weight Ib (kg)	

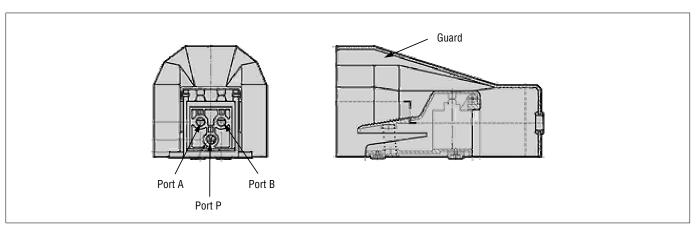
Valve Si	chematic
Spring Return without Lock	Detented with Lock
$\begin{array}{c c} & 2 & 4 \\ \hline & & 15 \\ \hline \end{array}$	2 4 3 1 5

0.5 (490)

2.1 (0.9)

#### Convertible to a 3-Way function.

Note: Designed to meet OSHA 1910.217 Mechanical power presses, with protective guard to prevent accidental actuation.

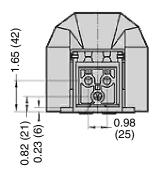


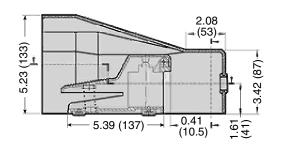
## **Valve Technical Data**

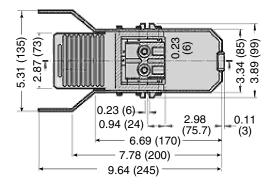


#### 5/2 Foot Pedal with Guard Valves

DIMENSIONS Inches (mm)







Downloadable CAD models available.

## Notes

#### **CAUTIONS, WARNINGS And STANDARD WARRANTY**



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#### PRE-INSTALLATION or SERVICE

- 1. Before servicing a valve or other pneumatic component, be sure all sources of energy are turned off, the entire pneumatic system is shut down and exhausted, and all power sources are locked out (ref: OSHA 1910.147, EN 1037).
- 2. All ROSS Group Products, including service kits and parts, should be installed and/or serviced only by persons having training and experience with pneumatic equipment. Because any product can be tampered with and/or need servicing after installation, persons responsible for the safety of others or the care of equipment must check ROSS Group Products on a regular basis and perform all necessary maintenance to ensure safe operating conditions.
- 3. All applicable instructions should be read and complied with before using any fluid power system to prevent harm to persons or equipment. In addition, overhauled or serviced valves must be functionally tested prior to installation and use. If you have any questions, call your nearest ROSS Group location.
- 4. Each ROSS Group Product should be used within its specification limits. In addition, use only ROSS Group components to repair ROSS Group Products.

#### WARNINGS:

Failure to follow these instructions can result in personal injury and/or property damage.

#### FILTRATION and LUBRICATION

- 1. Dirt, scale, moisture, etc., are present in virtually every air system. Although some valves are more tolerant of these contaminants than others, best performance will be realized if a filter is installed to clean the air supply, thus preventing contaminants from interfering with the proper performance of the equipment. The ROSS Group recommends a filter with a 5-micron rating for normal applications.
- 2. All standard ROSS Group filters and lubricators with polycarbonate plastic bowls are designed for compressed air applications only. Use the metal bowl guard, where provided, to minimize danger from high pressure fragmentation in the event of bowl failure. Do not expose these products to certain fluids, such as alcohol or liquefied petroleum gas, as they can cause bowls to rupture, creating a combustible condition and hazardous leakage. Immediately replace crazed, cracked, or deteriorated bowls.
- 3. Only use lubricants which are compatible with materials used in the valves and other components in the system. Normally, compatible lubricants are petroleum base oils with oxidation inhibitors, an aniline point between 180°F (82°C) and 220°F (104°C), and an ISO 32, or lighter, viscosity. Avoid oils with

phosphate type additives which can harm polyurethane components, potentially leading to valve failure which risks personal injury, and/or damage to property.

#### **WARNINGS:**

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#### **AVOID INTAKE/EXHAUST RESTRICTION**

- 1. Do not restrict air flow in the supply line. To do so could reduce the pressure of the supply air below minimum requirements for the valve and thereby causing erratic action.
- 2. Do not restrict a valve's exhaust port as this can adversely affect its operation. Exhaust silencers must be resistant to clogging and must have flow capacities at least as great as the exhaust capacities of the valves. Contamination of the silencer can result in reduced flow and increased back pressure.

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#### SAFETY APPLICATIONS

- 1. Mechanical Power Presses and other potentially hazardous machinery using a pneumatically controlled clutch and brake mechanism must use a press control double valve with a monitoring device. A double valve without a self-contained monitoring device should be used only in conjunction with a control system which assures monitoring of the valve. All double valve installations involving hazardous applications should incorporate a monitoring system which inhibits further operation of the valve and machine in the event of a failure within the valve mechanism.
- 2. Safe Exhaust (dump) valves without a self-contained monitoring device should be used only in conjunction with a control system which assures monitoring of the valve. All Safe Exhaust valve installations should incorporate a monitoring system which inhibits further operation of the valve and machine in the event of a failure within the valve mechanism.
- 3. Per specifications and regulations, the ROSS L-O-X® and L-O-X® with EEZ-ON®, NO6 and N16 Series operation products are defined as energy isolation devices. NOT AS EMERGENCY STOP DEVICES.

#### **WARNINGS:**

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