

Venturi air valves are commonly used for a variety of applications including fume hoods, general exhaust, room supply air, snorkels, toilet exhaust, and general ventilation. The Phoenix Controls 6-inch venturi air valve is specifically designed to be used in locations where precision airflow control is required and space is of a premium. The 6-inch venturi valve can be ordered with options for control system platforms and valve coatings available from Phoenix Controls.

When space is a minimum yet there is still a need for an accurate, repeatable airflow control device, choose the 6-inch venturi air valve from Phoenix Controls.



## FEATURES

- Compact design
- Constant Volume or Variable Air Volume digital controls
- Standard speed and high-speed actuation
- Mechanically Pressure Independent
- Accurate to +/- 5% of setpoint across entire flow range
- No straight duct run requirements
- High turndown ratio
- No required maintenance

### HCAI Certified

This device is certified for HCAI (previously called OSHPD) Preapproval Seismic Certification Preapproval per 2013 CBC, 2012 IBC, ASCE 7-10, and IEC-ES-AC-156. HCAI Special Certification number OSP-0290.

### NVLAP Accreditation

All venturi valves are characterized on NVLAP Accredited Airstations, Lab Code 200992-0. NVLAP is administered by the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST).

### ISO

Phoenix Controls Designs, Develops, Manufactures, and sells products, systems, and service to control the environment and airflow of critical spaces. Phoenix Controls is registered to ISO 9001:2015.

### Warranty

Phoenix Controls Warrants all venturi valves against defects in material and workmanship for a period of 5 years. In addition, all other equipment manufactured by Phoenix Controls, such as sash sensors, fume hood monitors, and equipment supplied but not manufactured by Phoenix Controls is covered by a 3 year warranty.

## SPECIFICATIONS

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### Construction

- 16 ga. spun aluminum valve body with continuous welded seam
- Valve bodies available as uncoated aluminum (Class A) or with corrosion-resistant baked phenolic (Class B and C)
- Valve Cone made from a composite industrial grade material (PPS) with shaft bearings integrated into the cone
- Spring grade stainless steel spring and PPS slider assembly
- Supply valves insulated with 3/8" (9.5 mm) flexible closed-cell polymer-based foam. Flame/smoke rating 25/50. Density is 1.5 lb/ft<sup>3</sup> (24.0 kg/m<sup>3</sup>)

### Operating Range

- 32-122 °F (0-50 °C) ambient  
*Available for 32-250 °F (0-121 °C) internal airflow temperature with special insulation (ask your Applications Engineer for more details)*
- 10-90% non-condensing RH

### Performance

- Minimum differential pressure required: 0.6" WC
- Mechanically pressure independent
- Volume control accurate to ±5% of airflow command signal
- No additional straight duct runs needed before or after valve
- Available flow range 30-350 CFM (51-595 m<sup>3</sup>/hr)
- Actuator drive time after change in command signal to the command signal change:
  - < 1 second: Control Type M and T
  - < 40 seconds: Control Type L
  - < 1 minute: Control Type H (with 60 Hz power)
- Response time to change in duct static pressure: <1 second

### Sound

Designed for low sound power levels to meet or exceed ASHRAE noise guidelines.

### Power

24 Vac (±15%) @ 50/60 Hz

### Power Consumption

*All power consumption VA ratings listed here are based on power-up inrush current and fully-loaded I/O.*

Per valve:

- Low-speed Electric (Control Type H): 10 VA
- Low-speed Electric (Control Type L): 12.5 VA
- High-speed Electric: (Control type M, H, T): 70 VA

### Regulatory Compliance



- RoHS
- FCC

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

1. This device may not cause harmful interference.
2. This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

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# ORDERING GUIDE

**EXV A 1 06 M - A M E H C - PSL -**

**VALVE FAMILY**

**BEV** = Base Upgradeable Exhaust Valve  
**BSV** = Base Upgradeable Supply Valve

**CEV** = Constant Volume Exhaust Valve  
**CSV** = Constant Volume Supply Valve

**EXV** = Celeris Exhaust Valve  
**MAV** = Celeris Supply Valve

**FEV** = Flex Exhaust Valve  
**FSV** = Flex Supply Valve

**HEV** = Theris Exhaust Valve  
**HSV** = Theris Supply Valve

**TEV** = Traccel Exhaust Valve  
**TSV** = Traccel Supply Valve

**VALVE CONSTRUCTION**

**A** = Body and cone uncoated aluminum; *for supply and general exhaust applications*

**B** = Body and cone - baked Phenolic coating; internal components - stainless steel; *for fume hood applications*

**C** = Body, cone, and internal components - baked phenolic coating; *for more corrosive fume hood applications*

**NUMBER OF VALVE BODIES**

**1** = One valve body  
**F** = Round flanges on both ends of single valve

**VALVE SIZE**

**06** = 6" valve (5.83"/148mm actual diameter)  
 30-350 cfm (51-595 m<sup>3</sup>/hr)

**FLOW/PRESSURE OPERATING RANGE**

**M** = Medium pressure, 0.6 in wc (150 Pa) minimum pressure

**VALVE DESIGN**

**A** = Standard Conical Shaped Diffuser, Accel II

**CONTROL TYPE**

**C** = Constant Volume (field adjustable with 7/16" hex driver or wrench); *BxV only*

**F** = Fixed Constant Volume (field adjustable with knob and Increase/decrease label); *BxV only*

**H** = Rotary, low-speed (90 sec) actuator; NEMA 1

**L** = Linear, medium speed (45 sec) actuator; IP56

**M** = Linear, medium speed (1 sec) actuator; IP56

**T** = SMART, Linear Actuator, high-speed (1 sec) proportional 2-10vdc electric motor; IP56; *BxV only, no REI, Controller Designation N only*

**VALVE OPTIONS**

As required, list alphabetically separated by dashes.

**EVI** = Exhaust valve with insulation blocks and insulation

**IBO** = Insulation blocks only, no insulation; *supply and exhaust valves*

**PSL** = Pressure switch, low limit

**REI** = Remote Electronics indoors: 100 ft or 30.4 meters for high-speed actuators, 150 feet or 45.7 meters with low-speed actuators

**SFB** = Square flanges on both ends of the valve; cannot be ordered with Number of Valve Bodies = F

**SFD** = Square flange on discharge side of valve; cannot be ordered with Number of Valve Bodies = F

**SFI** = Square flange on inlet side of valve; cannot be ordered with Number of Valve Bodies = F

**FAIL-SAFE POSITION**

**C** = Closed

**O** = Opened

**Z** = Fails to last position/no fail-safe

**VALVE ORIENTATION**

**H** = Horizontal

**U** = Vertical upflow

**VALVE CONTROLLER DESIGNATION**

**A** = BACnet Traccel, Theris, or Flex TP Supply (controlling valve of tracking pair); *TSV/HSV/FSV only*

**B** = BACnet Traccel or Theris TX Supply (controlling valve of tracking pair with expanded features); *TSV/HSV only*

**C** = BACnet Traccel, Theris, or Flex SO Supply only (no tracking pair ability); *TSV, TEV, HSV, HEV, or FSV only*

**D** = BACnet Traccel, Theris, or Flex EO Exhaust only (no tracking pair ability); *TSV, TEV, HSV, HEV, or FEV only*

**E** = LON Traccel TP Supply (controlling valve of tracking pair); *TSV only*

**E** = LON Theris TP Supply (controlling valve of tracking pair); *HSV only*

**E** = Electronic controller; *MAV and EXV only*

**F** = Flow feedback in a small black plastic enclosure; *BxV only*

**H** = Hood controller; *EXV only*

**N** = No electronics; *BxV only, tracking valve - TEV, HEV, or FEV*

**N** = No electronics; *tracking exhaust/return valve for TEV or HEV*

**O** = Traccel SO Supply only, no tracking pair ability; *TSV only*

**O** = Theris SO Supply only, no tracking pair ability; *HSV only*

**P** = Programmable Traccel BACnet controller (open programmability with valve position control)

**V** = BACnet Linearization module, 2-10vdc or BACnet command/feedback signals; *FxV and HxV only*

**X** = LON Traccel TX Supply, controlling valve of tracking pair with expanded features; *TSV only*

**X** = LON Theris TX Supply, controlling valve of tracking pair with expanded features; *HSV only*

**Y** = Traccel or Theris TX-RTN, supply controlling primary exhaust and return valves; *TSV or HSV only*

**Z** = Traccel or Theris TX-EXH, supply controlling primary exhaust and locally controlled exhaust; *TSV or HSV only*

**FLOW/PRESSURE OPERATING RANGE**

Designation	Size	Operating Range CFM (m <sup>3</sup> /hr)	Pressure Drop Across Valve
<b>M</b> = Medium Pressure	<b>06"</b>	30-350 (51-595)	0.6" WC (150 Pa)

## PHOENIX CONTROLS WIRING RECOMMENDATIONS

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- Use cables recommended by Phoenix Controls.
- Stranded wire is strongly recommended for ease of installation.
- Follow good wiring practices:
  - Do not run the communications cable in the same conduit or wire way as the power cables.
  - If the communications cables must cross power cables, it is best to do so at a 90-degree angle.
  - Shield or drain wires, if present, should be wrapped with insulating tape to prevent contact with exposed conductors or contacts.
  - Maintain a consistent color code or polarity all the way through the wiring system.
  - All connections must meet the requirements of an NEC Class 2 circuit.
- Local and national electrical codes take precedence.
- Consult the project specific wiring diagrams for exact details.

## TRANSFORMERS

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Valve controller requires the use of a step-down transformer (either 120/24 volt or 240/24 volt). Any transformer used to power valve controllers must meet the requirements of an NEC Class 2 circuit.

- The secondary transformer must be limited to a maximum of 30 Vac.
- Secondary power shall be current limited with either internal circuit breaker protection or with a four-amps slow-blow fuse, in accordance with NEC Class 2 power requirements.

Phoenix Controls offers the following recommendations; however, designers, installers and owners should always consult their national and local electrical codes before selecting transformers for their systems.

- Transformers should not exceed 100 VA. Use multiple transformers, rather than larger transformers, when more than 100 VA is required.
- Each pressurization zone should have either a dedicated single-phase primary circuit or a secondary circuit disconnect.
- If an earth ground is provided, it should not be connected to the Celeris valve controller, even though there is a three-terminal connector on the controller board.

**NOTE:** AC line voltage polarity must be maintained on all Celeris valve controllers and AC powered ancillary devices.

### Power Conductor Sizing

#### Low-Speed Electric Valves

- Can be powered in a BUS configuration.
- For loads up to 96 VA, use 18 AWG cable with a maximum length of 110 feet (33 meters) between the transformer and the last daisy-chained device.

#### Medium-Speed and High-Speed Electric Valves in a HOME-RUN Configuration

- MUST be powered in a HOME-RUN configuration.
- For loads up to 96 VA, use a dedicated 14 AWG cable with a maximum length of 110 feet (33 meters) home-run between the transformer and the valve.
  - No other valves can be daisy-chained from this power.
  - Bus power configurations are NOT allowed between high-speed valves.

## MAINTENANCE

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Phoenix Controls Venturi Valves require no ongoing preventive maintenance. Once the field engineer has completed the field startup, the valves will provide years of continuous operation.