



A500 Series Pneumatic Actuators for Gemini 76, 86, 96 & 309 Series Ball Valves

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Spring-Return



Double-Acting

FEATURES

- Compact, Lightweight Aluminum Body and Bracket featuring Teflon[®] Impregnated Hard Anodized Surfaces
- Standard 'In Line' or 'Cross Mount' Valve to Actuator Configurations
- Spring-Return Design Accommodates Air Supply as Low as 50 psi
- Stainless Steel External Trim & Viton[®] O-rings Standard
- Direct Valve Stem Coupling to Actuator Shaft Minimizes Backlash
- Manual Override
- Available with Integral NAMUR Pilot Valve or can be Remotely Piloted
- Available with Limit Switches
- Optional ISO 5211.2 FO3 & F05 Valve & NAMUR Accessory Mounting Brackets Available

Product Information

The A500 Series pneumatic actuators offer the latest technology from Gemini Valve for pneumatically actuating our 76, 86, 96 & 309 Series ball valves.

Again, we are combining the three key elements for long, reliable, trouble free life - a premium quality ball valve, a quality actuator designed to meet the torque requirements of the valve, and a mounting system which assures alignment and rigidity.

Gemini Ball Valves' low operating torque makes possible a compact actuator which is both economical to install and operate. Precise machining of all the valve components, including the seats, controls the sealing preload. This assures bubble-tight sealing, minimizes the operating torque and optimizes the valve life.

The A500 Series Actuators represents the combination of the latest in machining technology and our more than twenty five years experience in producing high performance pneumatic actuators. The simplicity of our rack and pinion design is made possible through our unique manufacturing techniques. The results - a compact, ball valve

actuator which is efficient and trouble free.

Our mounting system precisely couples the actuator drive shaft to the valve stem. Additionally, the valve stem nut is fixed within the actuator shaft. These features combined with a rigid mounting bracket, results in a pneumatically actuated ball valve which minimizes backlash, assures optimum stem seal life and prevents any possibility of stem nut back off.

All 500 Series are designed to operate using an air supply of 50 - 125 psi. The air can be delivered by direct mounting pilot valves having NAMUR interfaces or from remote pilot valves connected via means of 1/8" NPT female threaded orifices in the actuator face plates. Gemini Valve 4GP Series four way solenoid operated pilot valves are available for NAMUR interface mounting.

Special brackets and pinion shaft extensions are available for mounting the Gemini Valve LS-1 limit switch assemblies, as well as, auxiliary equipment, such as positioners and signal transmitters, requiring NAMUR standard interface mounting compatibility.

A500 Series Actuators are also available with ISO 5211.2 F03 (9mm female square driver) and F07 (14mm female square driver) mounting configurations. Actuators with ISO 5211 mounting configurations have special pinion shafts installed at the factory and therefore, are not interchangeable with units mounting onto our ball valves.

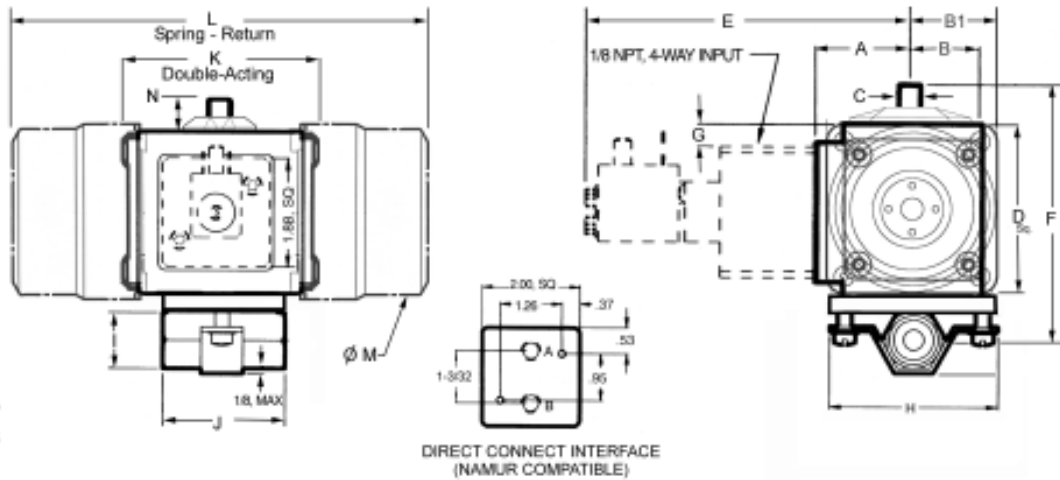
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Have questions?
Want to place an order?

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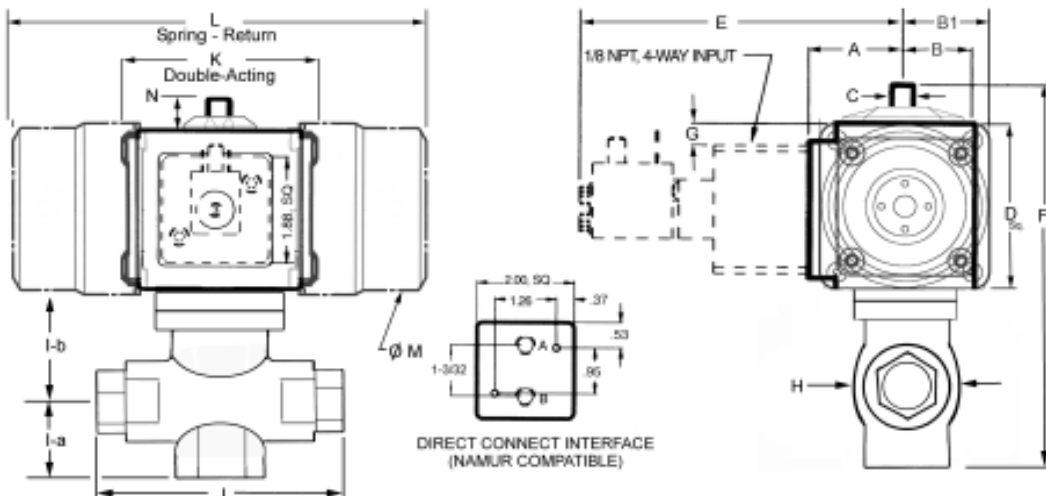
Dimensions

A500 with 76, 86 & 96 Series Valves



Valve Size & Series			Actuator Model		Approximate Dimensions, Inches															
76	86	96	Spring Return	Double Acting	A	B	B1	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J		K	L	M	N
															76	86/96				
1/2	1/4 & 3/8	-	A512SR	A512D	1.36	1.00	1.53	.31	3.06	4.67	3.88	.32	3.00	1.00	2.18	2.18	3.62	8.31	2.81	.57
3/4	1/2	-									4.06			1.18	2.22	2.61				
1	3/4	1/2									4.38			1.50	2.76	2.94				
1-1/4	1	3/4									6.44			2.00	3.02	3.32				
1-1/2	1-1/4	1	A522SR	A522D	1.87	1.55	2.25	.50	4.50	5.18	7.59	1.10	4.75	2.12	3.45	3.70	5.28	11.23	3.50	.82
2	1-1/2	1-1/4									8.09			2.62	4.04	4.25				
-	2	1-1/2									8.47			3.00	-	4.57				

A500 with 309 Series Valves



Valve Size & Series		Actuator Model		Approximate Dimensions, Inches															
309		Spring Return	Double Acting	A	B	B1	C	D	E	F	G	H	I-a	I-b	J	K	L	M	N
1/2	309	A512SR	A512D	1.36	1.00	1.53	.31	3.06	4.67	5.77	.32	1.63	1.55	2.00	3.85	3.62	8.31	2.81	.57
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Specifications

Air Supply

An air supply pressure of 50 - 125 psi. Sufficient air delivery must be available at the actuator to ensure dependable operation. The following precautions should be observed:

Air supply should be clean and free of moisture. When dirty or wet air is a problem; a filter / separator should be specified; these units are most effective when installed as closely as possible to the actuator. A filter, when used, should permit a minimum flow of 4 scfm at an upstream pressure of 60 psi.

Eliminate severe restrictions to air flow (certain solenoid valves & fittings). The most restricted passage must have an area no smaller than .012 inches square, the area of 1/8" diameter orifice. If more than a single actuator is to be supplied by an individual pilot, the minimum passage requirement applies per actuator.

Tubing: For short runs up to 5 feet 5/32" I.D. is suitable, 1/4" I.D. will serve up to 30 feet. For longer runs, use 3/8" I.D. or larger.

Temperature

Pneumatic Actuators are designed to operate in ambient temperatures between -20°F (-28.0°C) and +350°F (+175°C). Care must be taken to assure that the moisture content of the air supply is sufficiently low to prevent icing within the actuator.

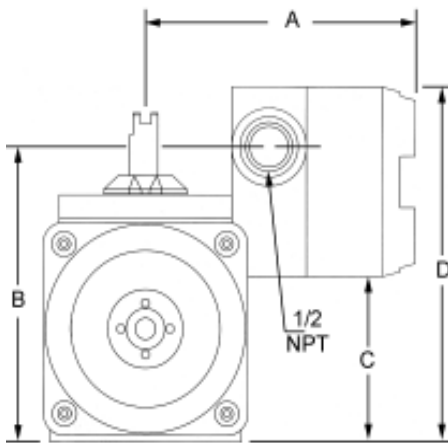
Port Connections: 1/8" NPT

Accessories

Solenoid pilot valves and limit switches are available. Please see our literature or contact us direct.

Dimensions

A500 with LS-1 Limit Switch



Actuator	A	B	C	D
A512D, A512SR	3.97	4.23	2.37	5.10
A522D, A522SR	4.24	5.91	4.05	6.78

Torque Output

Torque Output - in. - lbs.*

Model	50 psi	60 psi	70 psi	80 psi	90 psi	100 psi	Spring Stroke	
							Start	End
A512D	56	67	78	90	101	112	N/A	N/A
A512SR	50	60	70	82	94	105	100	56
A522D	180	225	270	360	405	450	N/A	N/A
A522SR	180	225	270	360	405	450	360	255

CAUTION: Care must be taken to assure the output torque of the A500 Series Actuator selected is adequate to turn the valve or device to be operated. Note: Does not apply for mounting of Gemini Valves to A500 Series Actuators. Gemini Valve offers a selection chart for your convenience. See our literature for details. Note also; special sizing considerations should be given when a valve is handling suspended solids, abrasives, dirty media, oxygen and dry gasses.

* - Approximate



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LIMITED WARRANTY - Copy Available Upon Request.

Specifications subject to change without notice and without obligation on the part of the manufacturer.