

**Directional spool valves**  
**hand lever operated type WMM6**  
**rotary knob operated type WMD6**  
**roller operated type WMR6**  
**hydraulically operated type WH6**

**NS6**

**up to 31,5 MPa**

**up to 80 dm<sup>3</sup>/min**

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**APPLICATION**

Directional spool valves are intended for change in direction of fluid flow in a hydraulic system and thus it allows to change direction of movement of a receiver - mostly piston rod of a cylinder or hydraulic motor as well to use functions: *on* and *off*.

Directional spool valves can be made in differently operated design versions:

- hand lever operated type **WMM6**
- rotary knob operated type **WMD6/WMDA6**
- roller operated type **WMR6/WMU6**
- hydraulically operated type **WH6**

These directional valves are intended for subplate mounting in any position in hydraulic system.



**DESCRIPTION OF OPERATION**

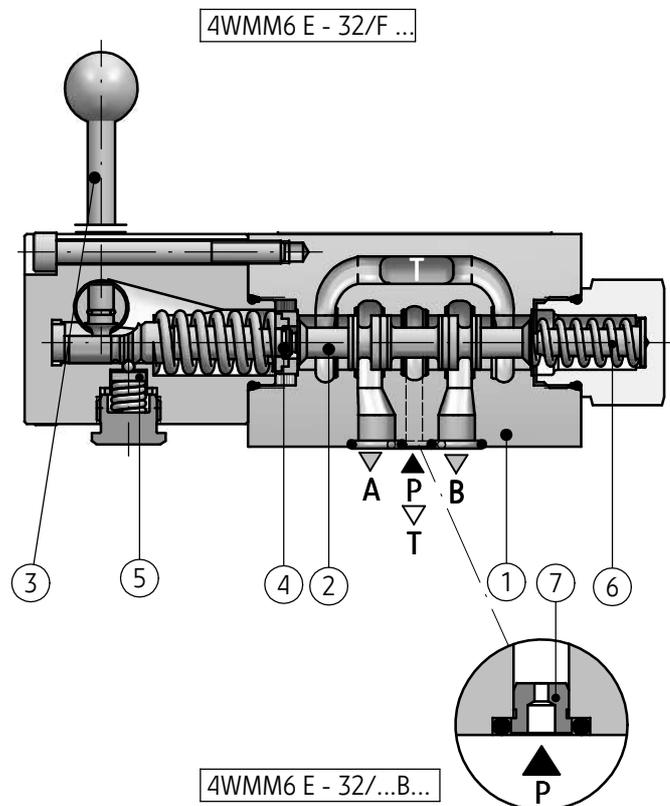
**General information**

Main bore and annular ports **P**, **T**, **A**, **B** are made in the housing (1) and are connected to its subplate connection.

Directional valve is switched by shifting the spool (2) into one end position. Various control functions are dependent on shape of the spool (2), which affects the change in configuration of connections among ports **P**, **T**, **A**, **B** in the housing (1).

**Directional spool valve - hand lever operated type WMM6**

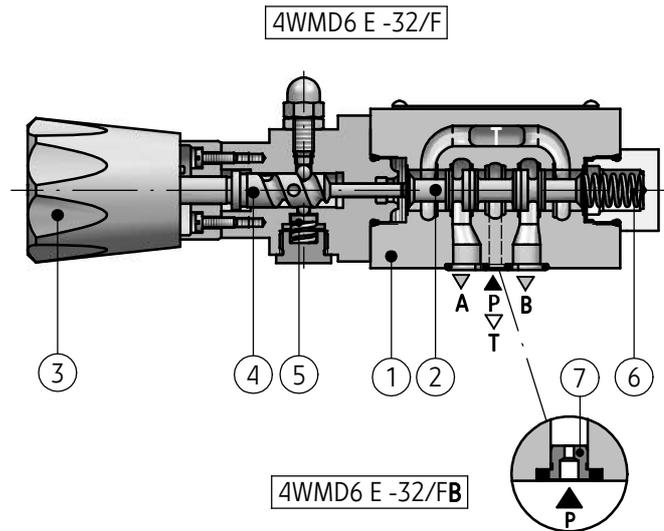
The spool (2) is shifted as a result of changing position of the hand lever (3), by means of pin (4). The spool return (2) to its rest is secured by springs (6) - version ...WMM6.../... or the spool (2) is positioned by means of the detent (5) - versions ...WMM6.../F. Directional spool valve may be equipped with throttle insert (7) placed in port **P** - version WMM6.../...B.



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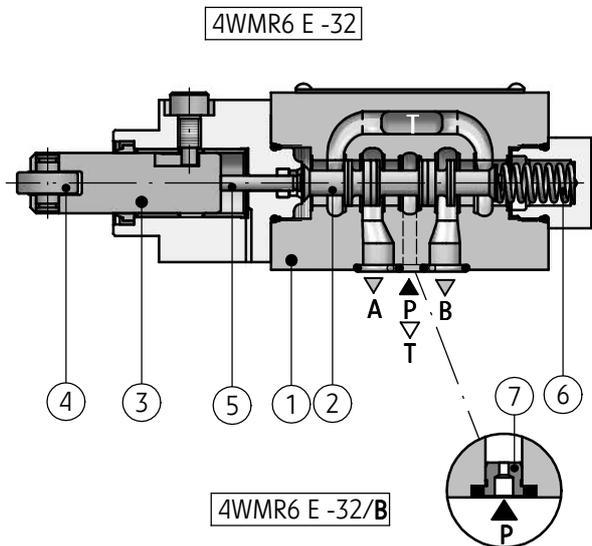
### Directional spool valve - rotary knob operated type WMD6, WMDA6

The spool (2) is shifted by means of rotary knob (3) through the spindle (4) and by means of the spring (6). The spool is positioned by means of detent (5). Directional spool valve may be provided with orifice (7) placed in port P - version ...WMD6.../FB.



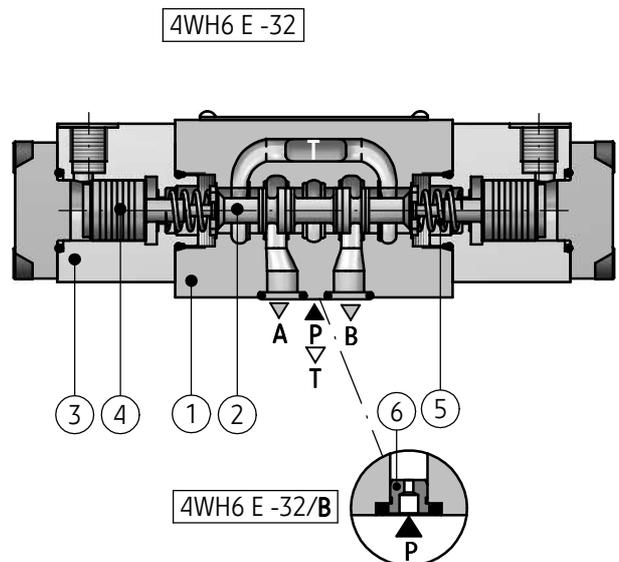
### Directional spool valve - roller operated type WMR6/WMU6

The spool (2) is shifted by means of the pin (3) with the roller (4) at the end of pin, through the plunger (5). Spool return (2) to its rest position is secured by the spring (6). Directional spool valve may be provided with orifice (7) placed in port P - version ...WMR.../B.



### Directional spool valve -hydraulically operated type WH6

The spool (2) is shifted by means of the pressure supplied to connections of the caps (3) and thus it allows to move spools (4). Spool return (2) and its centering in neutral position (3-position directional valves) or fixing end positions (2-position directional valves) is secured by the springs (5) - version ...WH6...-12/...; hydraulically (with oil pressure) - version ...WH6.../O... or by means of detent - version ...WH6.../OF.... In versions: ...WH6.../O... and ...WH6.../OF... the spool position (4) is not fixed in case of the lack of supply. Directional spool valve may be provided with orifice (6) placed in port P - version ...WH6.../...B.



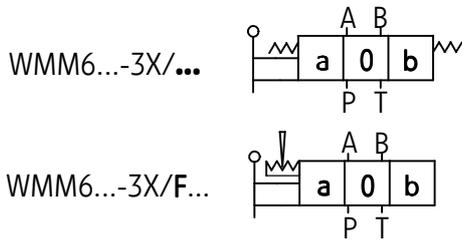
## TECHNICAL DATA

Hydraulic fluid	mineral oil							
<b>Required filtration</b>	<b>up to 16 µm</b>							
Recommended filtration	up to 10 µm							
Nominal fluid viscosity	37 mm <sup>2</sup> /s at temperature 55 °C							
Viscosity range	2,8 up to 380 mm <sup>2</sup> /s							
Fluid temperature range (in a tank)	recommended	40°C up to 55°C						
	max	-20°C up to +70°C						
Ambient temperature range	- 20°C up to +70°C							
<b>Features</b>	<b>type WMM6</b>		<b>type WMD6/WMDA6</b>		<b>type WMR6/WMU6</b>		<b>type WH6</b>	
<b>Max operating pressure</b>	ports		ports		ports		ports	
	P, A, B	T	P, A, B	T	P, A, B	T	P, A, B	T
	31,5 MPa	16 MPa	31,5 MPa	16 MPa	31,5 MPa	6 MPa	31,5 MPa	16 MPa
<b>Control pressure</b>	—		—		—		min 0,6 - 1 MPa max 20 MPa	
<b>Switching force</b>	pressure in port T		—		100 - 200 N		—	
	0 MPa	15 MPa						
	~ 20 N	~ 30 N						
Tightening torque of rotary knob	—		150 Ncm		—		—	
<b>Max angle of control cam</b>	—		—		30°		—	
<b>Weight</b>	1,4 kg		1,4 kg		1,4 kg		version with 2 control ports 1,8 kg	
							version with 1 control port 1,3 kg	
Flow section in $\theta$ (central) position	spool <b>Q</b> - 6 % nominal section spool <b>W</b> - 3 % nominal section							

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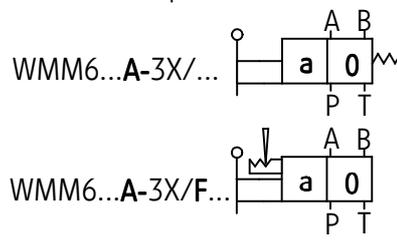
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Graphic symbols of 3-position  
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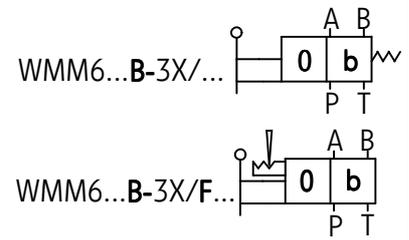


Graphic symbols of 2-position  
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versions with positions **a, 0**



versions with positions **0, b**



### Graphic symbols of spools

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and indirect  
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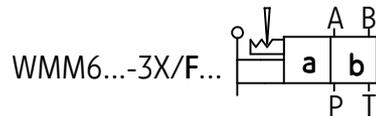
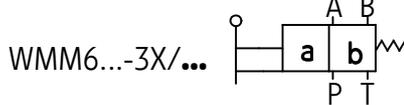
Flow sections in **0** (central) position achieved with spools:  
Q and W - according to technical data on page 3.

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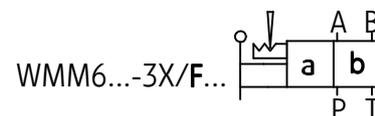
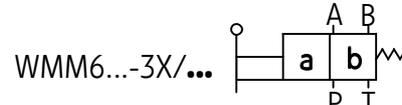
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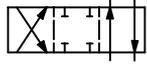
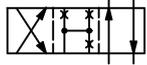
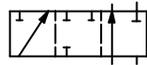
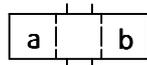


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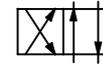
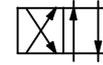
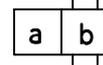
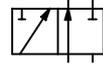
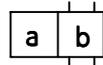


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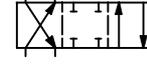
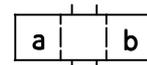
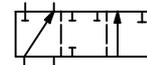
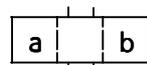


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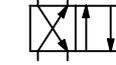
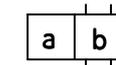
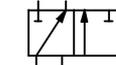
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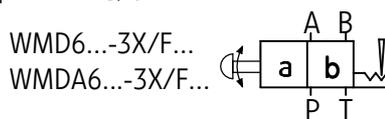
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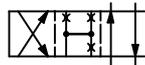
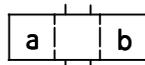
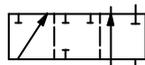
Graphic symbols of 2-position  
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versions with positions a, b

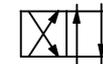
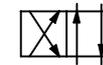
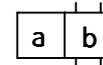
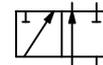
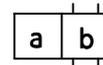


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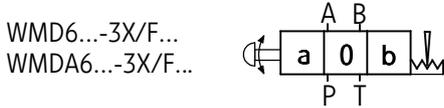
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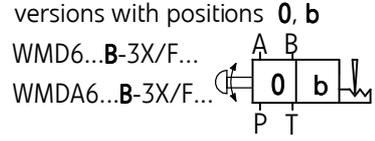
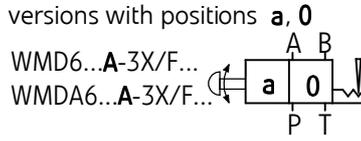
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Graphic symbols of 3-position directional spool valves



Graphic symbols of 2-position directional spool valves



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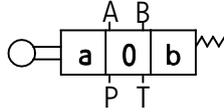
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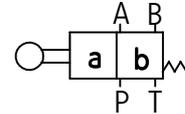
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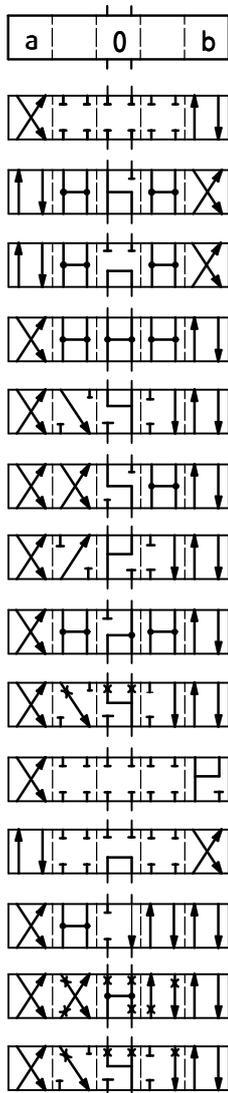
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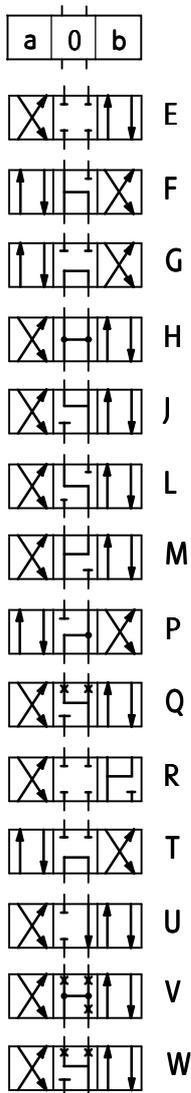


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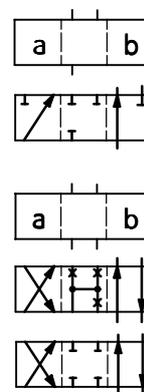


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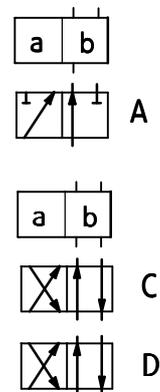


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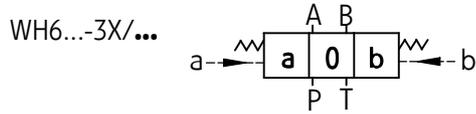
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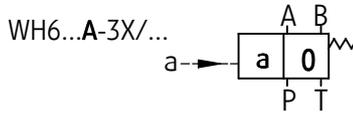
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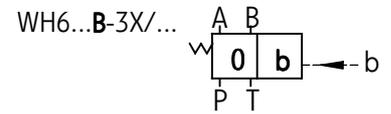


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versions with positions 0, b



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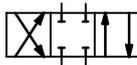
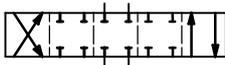
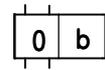
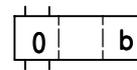
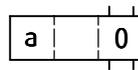
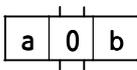
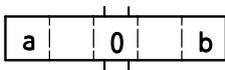
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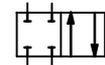
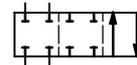
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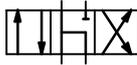
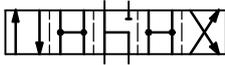
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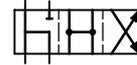
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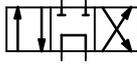
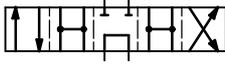
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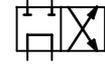
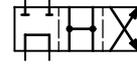
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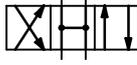
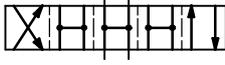
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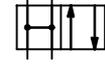
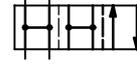
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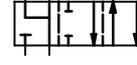
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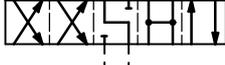
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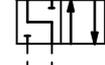
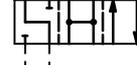
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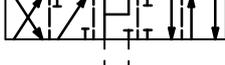
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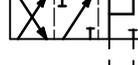
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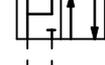
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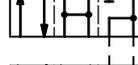
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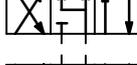
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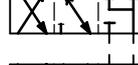
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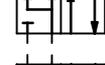
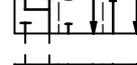
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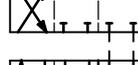
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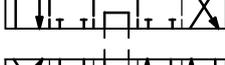
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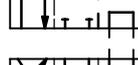
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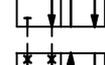
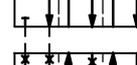
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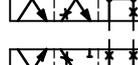
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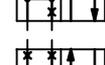
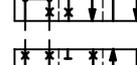
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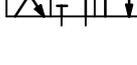
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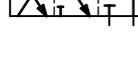
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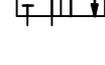
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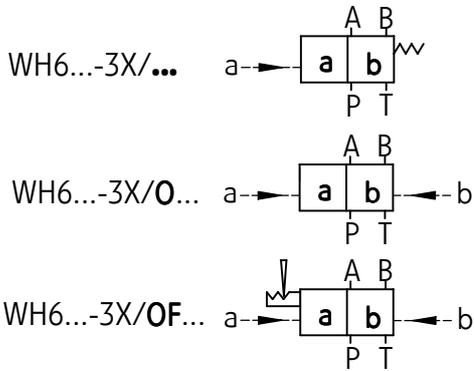
Flow sections in 0 (central) position achieved with spools:  
Q and W - according to technical data on page 3.

# SCHEMES

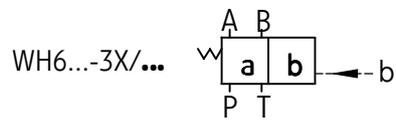
## Directional spool valve - hydraulically operated type ...WH6...-3X/...

### Graphic symbols of 2-position directional spool valves

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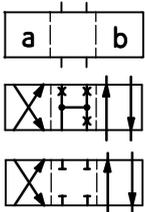
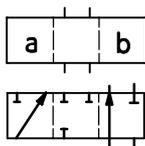


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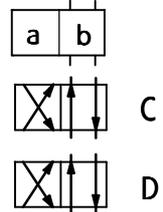
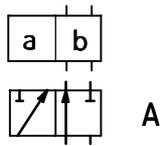


### Graphic symbols of spools

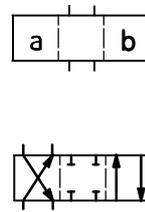
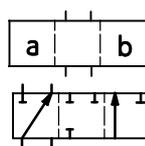
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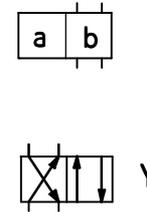
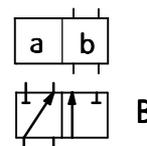
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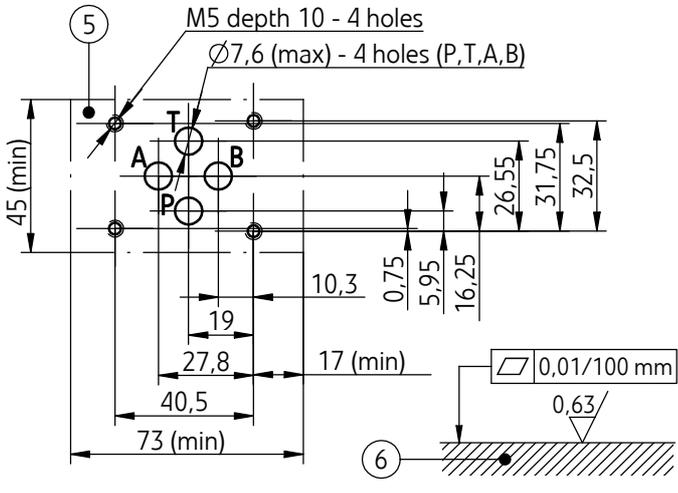
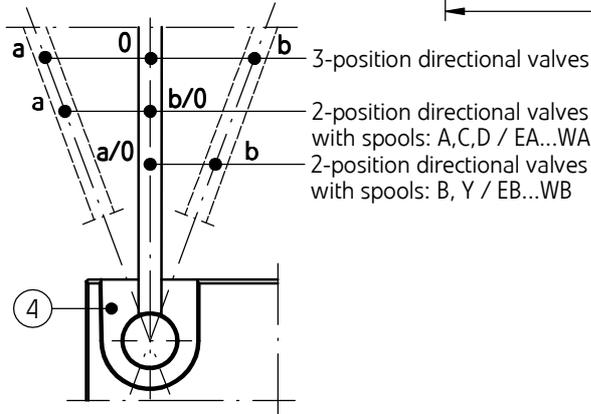
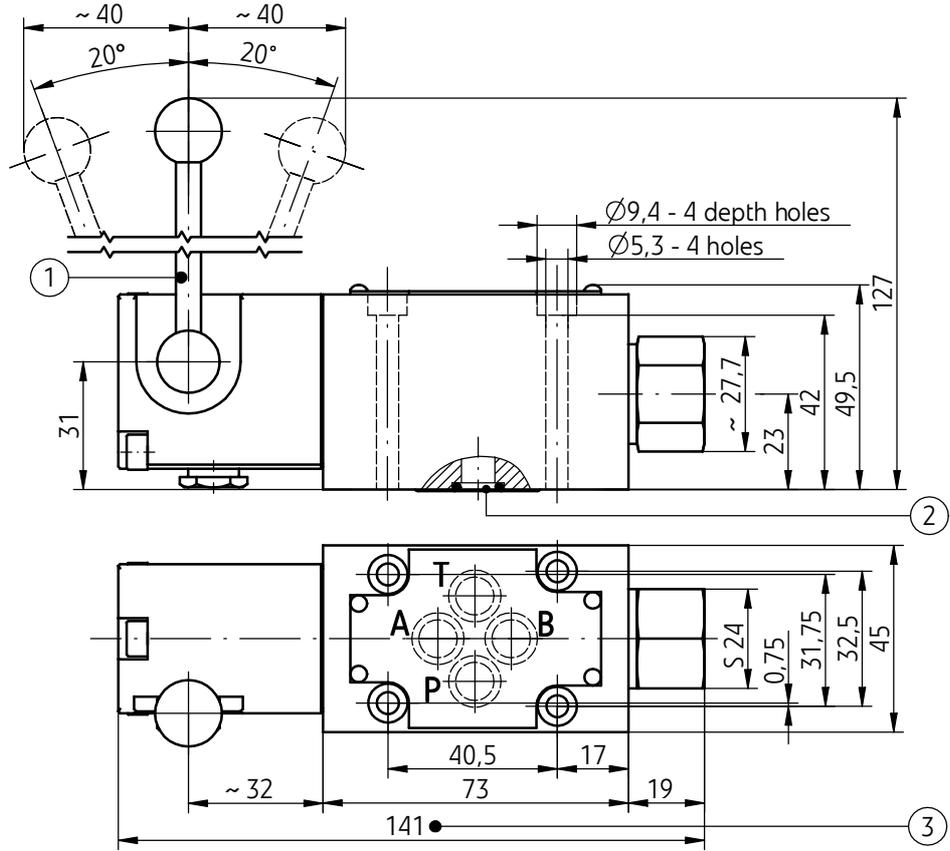


working positions



# OVERALL AND CONNECTION DIMENSIONS

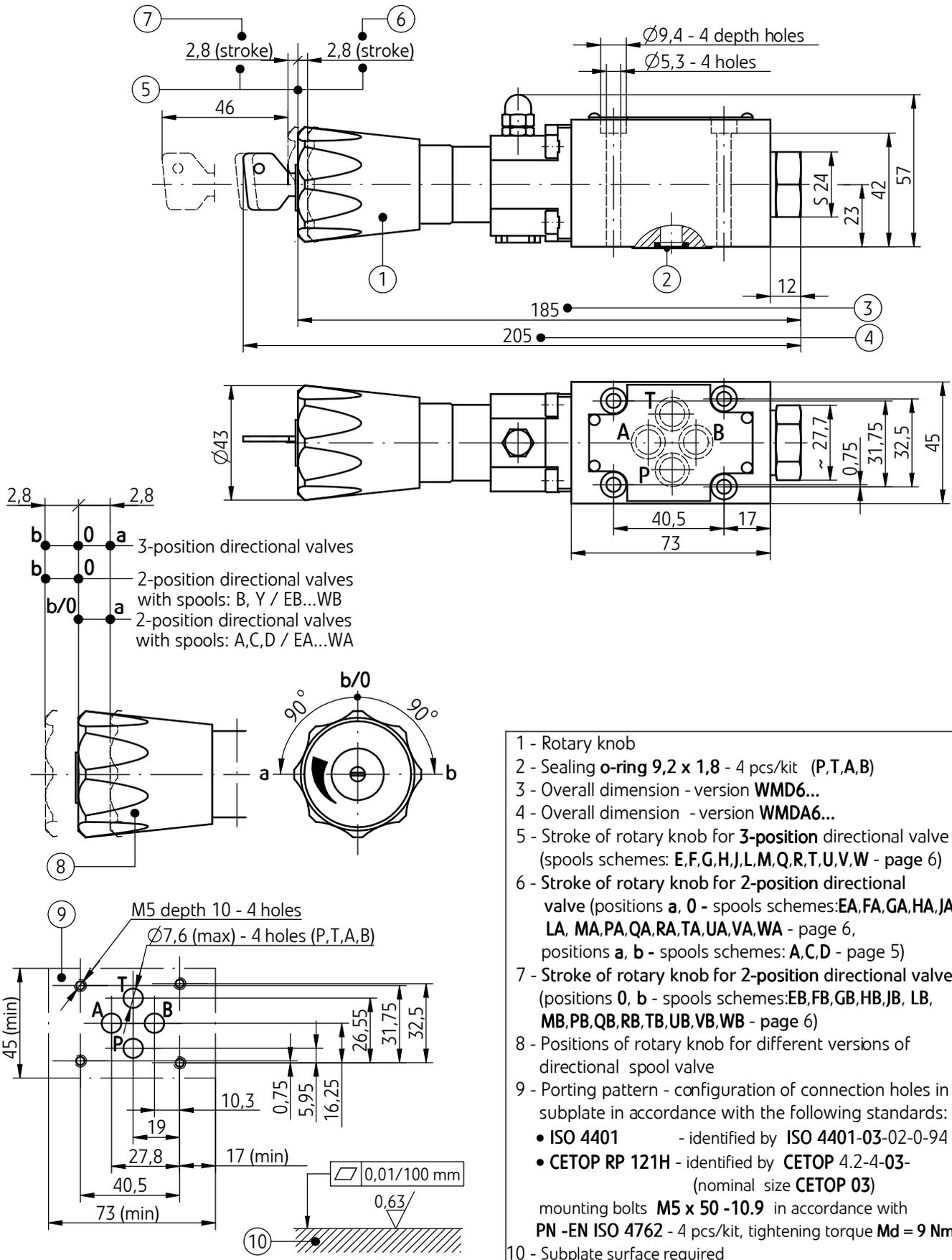
Directional spool valve - hand lever operated  
type ...WMM6...-3X/...



- 1 - Hand lever
- 2 - Sealing o-ring 9,2 x 1,8 - 4 pcs/kit (P,T,A,B)
- 3 - Overall dimension:
  - 3-position directional spool valve springs centered
  - 3-position directional spool valve positioned with detent (spool schemes: E,F,G,H,J,L,M,Q,R,T,U,V,W - according to page 4)
  - 2-position directional spool valve positioned with return spring
  - 2-position directional spool valve positioned with detent (positions a, 0 - spool schemes: EA,FA,GA,HA,JA,LA,MA,PA,QA,RA,TA,UA,VA,WA - according to page 4) (positions 0, b - spool schemes: EB,FB,GB,HB,JB,LB,MB,PB,QB,RB,TB,UB,VB,WB - according to page 4) (positions a, b - spool schemes: A,C,D,B,Y - according to page 5)
- 4 - Positions of hand lever for different versions of directional spool valves
- 5 - Porting pattern - configuration of connection holes in subplate in accordance with the following standards:
  - ISO 4401 - identified by ISO 4401-03-02-0-94
  - CETOP RP 121H - identified by CETOP 4.2-4-03 (nominal size CETOP 03)
 mounting bolts M5 x 50 -10.9 in accordance with PN -EN ISO 4762 - 4 pcs/kit, tightening torque Md = 9 Nm
- 6 - Subplate surface required

# OVERALL AND CONNECTION DIMENSIONS

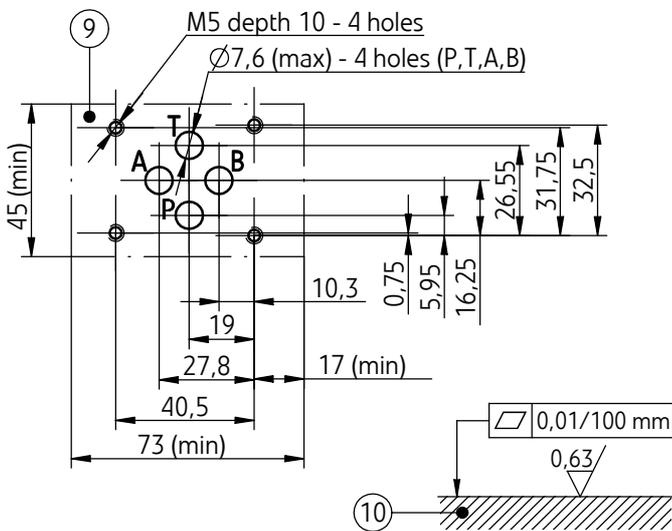
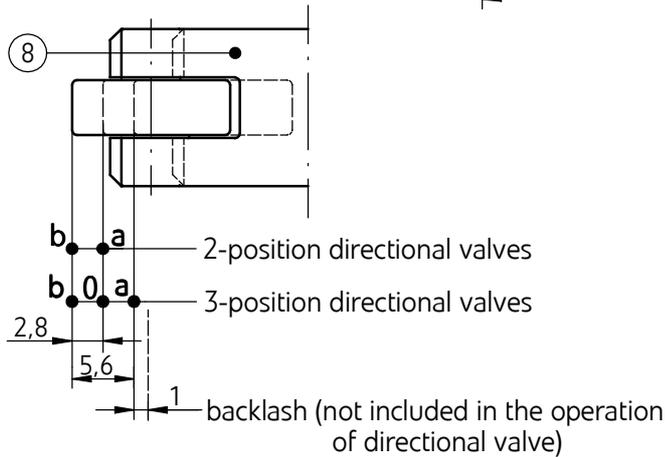
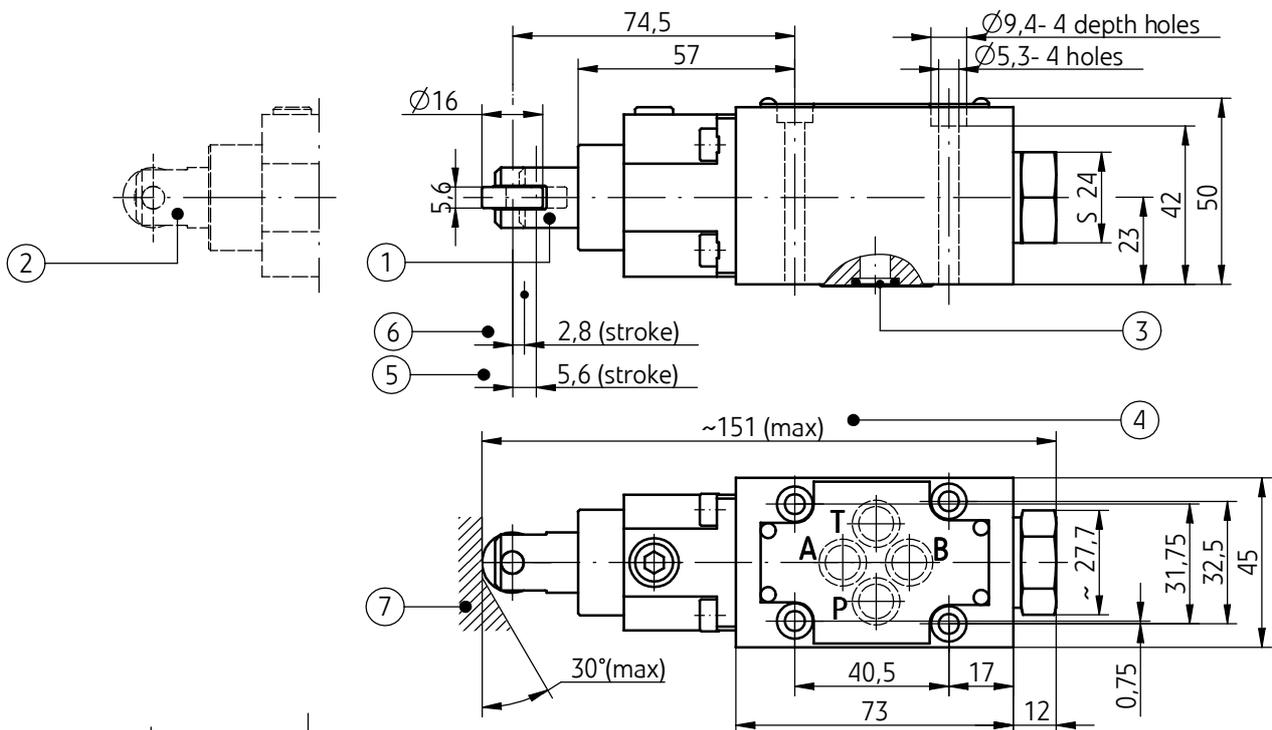
Directional spool valve - rotary knob operated  
type ... WMD6...-3X/... ; ...WMDA6...-3X/...



- 1 - Rotary knob
- 2 - Sealing o-ring 9,2 x 1,8 - 4 pcs/kit (P,T,A,B)
- 3 - Overall dimension - version WMD6...
- 4 - Overall dimension - version WMDA6...
- 5 - Stroke of rotary knob for 3-position directional valve (spools schemes: E,F,G,H,I,J,L,M,Q,R,T,U,V,W - page 6)
- 6 - Stroke of rotary knob for 2-position directional valve (positions a, 0 - spools schemes: EA,FA,GA,HA,JA, LA, MA,PA,QA,RA,TA,UA,VA,WA - page 6, positions a, b - spools schemes: A,C,D - page 5)
- 7 - Stroke of rotary knob for 2-position directional valve (positions 0, b - spools schemes: EB,FB,GB,HB,JB, LB, MB,PB,QB,RB,TB,UB,VB,WB - page 6)
- 8 - Positions of rotary knob for different versions of directional spool valve
- 9 - Porting pattern - configuration of connection holes in subplate in accordance with the following standards:
  - ISO 4401 - identified by ISO 4401-03-02-0-94
  - CETOP RP 121H - identified by CETOP 4.2-4-03- (nominal size CETOP 03)
 mounting bolts M5 x 50 - 10.9 in accordance with PN - EN ISO 4762 - 4 pcs/kit, tightening torque Md = 9 Nm
- 10 - Subplate surface required

# OVERALL AND CONNECTION DIMENSIONS

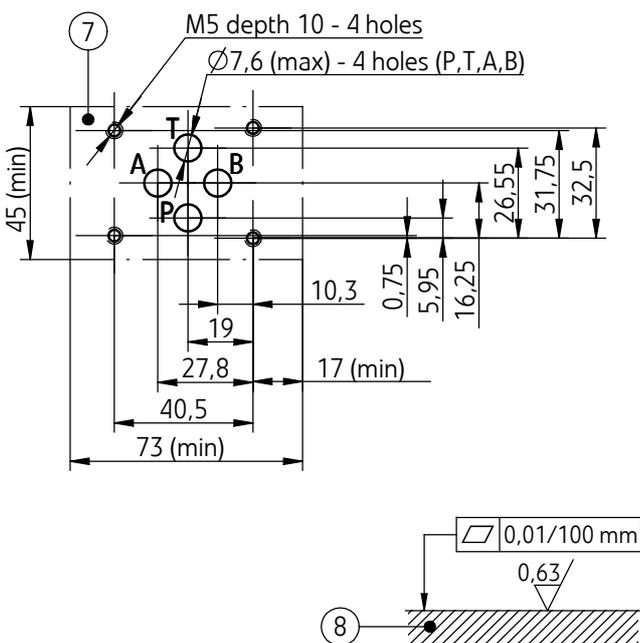
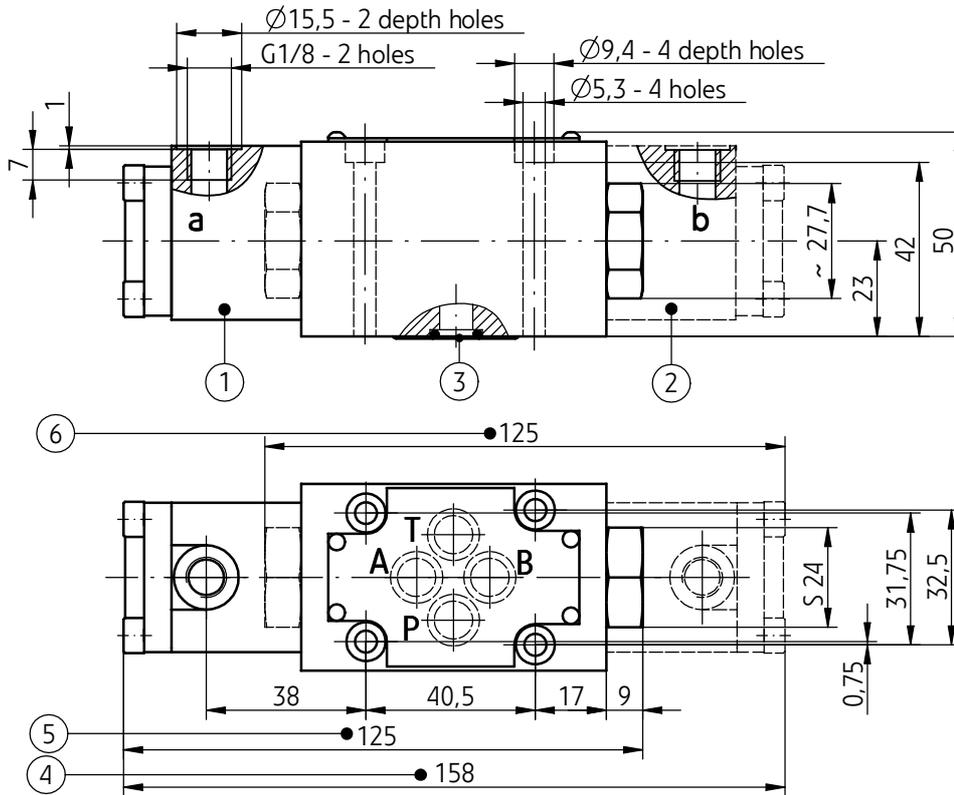
**Directional spool valve - roller operated**  
**type ... WMR6...-3X/... ; ...WMU6...-3X/...**



- 1 - Pin with roller - position for valve type **WMR6...**
- 2 - Pin with roller - position for valve type **WMU6...**
- 3 - Sealing ring **o-ring 9,2 x 1,8** - 4 pcs/kit (P,T,A,B)
- 4 - Overall dimension of valves:
  - type **WMR6...** (2 and 3-position versions)
  - type **WMU6...** (2 and 3-position versions)
- 5 - Stroke of roller for **3-position directional spool valve** (spools schemes: E,F,G,H,I,J,L,M,Q,R,T,U,V,W - page 7)
- 6 - Stroke of roller for **2-position valve**(spools schemes: A,C,D - page 7)
- 7 - Max angle of control cam
- 8 - Position of pin with roller for different versions of directional valves (type **WMR6...** and **WMU6...**)
- 9 - Porting pattern - configuration of connection holes in subplate in accordance with the following standards:
  - **ISO 4401** - identified by **ISO 4401-03-02-0-94**
  - **CETOP RP 121H** - identified by **CETOP 4.2-4-03** (nominal size **CETOP 03**)
- mounting bolts **M5 x 50 - 10.9** in accordance with **PN -EN ISO 4762** - 4 pcs/kit; tightening torque **Md = 9 Nm**
- 10 -Subplate surface required

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Directional spool valve - hydraulically operated  
type ...WH6...-3X/...



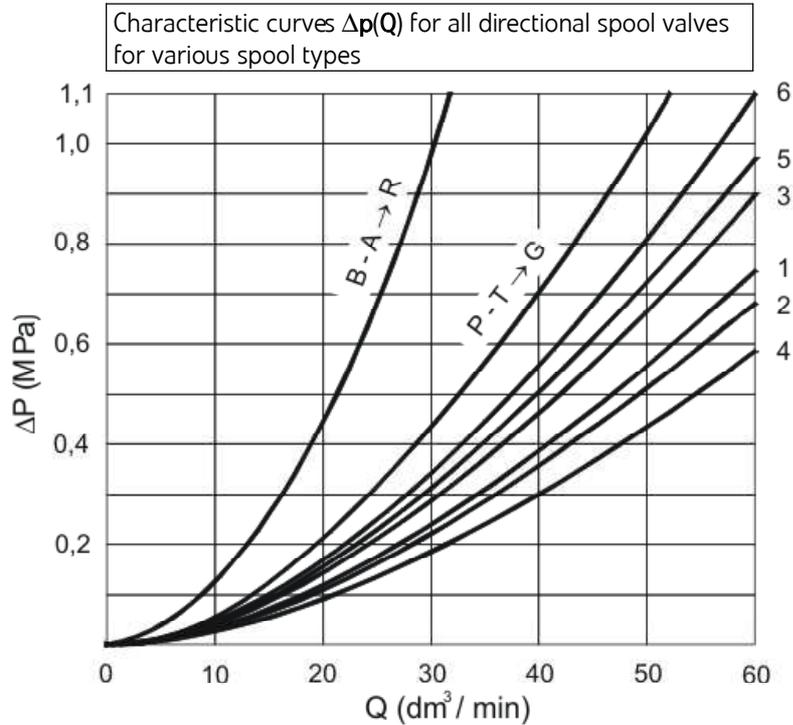
- 1 - Cap with control port **a**
- 2 - Cap with control port **b**
- 3 - Sealing **o-ring 9,2 x 1,8** - 4 pcs/kit (P,T,A,B)
- 4 - Overall dimension of valve:
  - **3-position directional spool valve springs centered d** (spools schemes: E,F,G,H,J,L,M,Q,R,T,U,V,W - page 8)
  - **2-position directional spool valve without return springs and without detent**
  - **2-position directional spool valve without return springs with detent** (positions: **a, b** - spools schemes: A,C,D - page 9)
- 5 - Overall dimension of directional spool valve:
  - **2-position directional spool valve spring positioned** (positions **a, b** - spools schemes: A,C,D - page 9; positions: **a, 0** - spools schemes: EA,FA,GA,HA,JA,LA,MA,PA,QA,RA,TA,UA,VA,WA - page 8)
- 6 - Overall dimension of directional spool valve:
  - **2-position directional spool valve spring positioned** (positions: **a, b** - spools schemes: B, Y - page 9; positions: **0, b** - spools schemes: EB,FB,GB,HB,JB,LB,MB,PB,QB,RB,TB,UB,VB,WB - page 8)
- 7 - Porting pattern - configuration of connection holes in subplate in accordance with the following standards:
  - **ISO 4401** - identified by **ISO 4401-03-02-0-94**
  - **CETOP RP 121H** - identified by **CETOP 4.2-4-03** (nominal size **CETOP 03**)
- mounting bolts **M5 x 50 - 10.9** in accordance with **PN-EN ISO 4762** - 4 pcs/kit; tightening torque **Md = 9 Nm**
- 8 - Subplate surface required

## PERFORMANCE CURVES

measured at viscosity  $\nu = 41 \text{ mm}^2/\text{s}$  and temperature  $t = 50^\circ\text{C}$

### Flow resistance curves

- type WMM6...; WMM6.../F...
- type WMD6.../F...; WMDA6.../F...
- type WMR6...; WMU6...
- type WH6...; WH6.../O...; WH6.../OF...

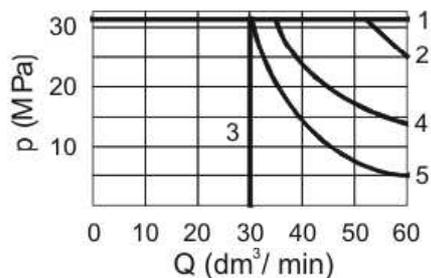


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P - A	3	3	1	5	3	2	5	2	1	1	2	2	1	5	5	3	1	1	5
P - B	3	3	1	5	3	3	3	4	1	1	4	3	1	5	3	1	2	1	5
A - T	-	-	3	3	1	3	6	2	2	2	3	3	2	4	6	3	1	2	3
B - T	-	-	1	3	1	5	6	2	1	2	3	5	1		6	3	1	2	3

### Flow limits curves

- type WMM6 ...

Flow curves  $p-Q$  for directional spool valve type WMM6 ... - versions with various spools springs centered



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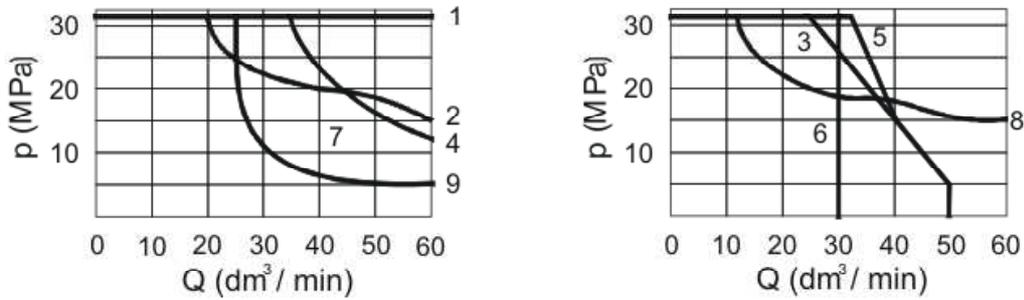
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### Flow limits curves

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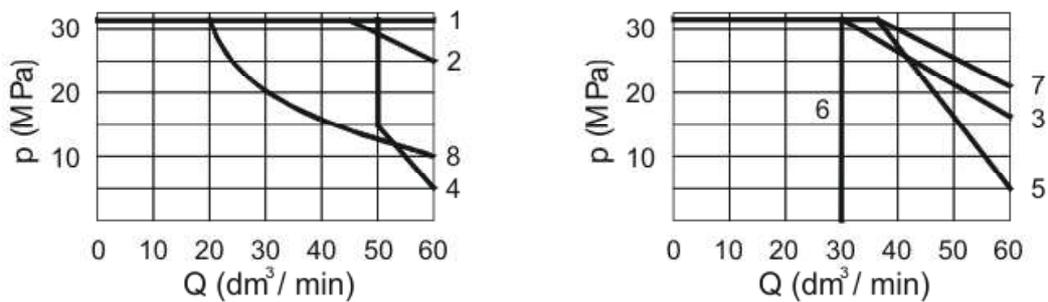
Flow curves **p-Q** for directional spool valve type WMM6.../F... - versions with various spools positioned with detent



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- type WMD6.../F...
- type WMDA6.../F...

Flow curves **p-Q** for directional spool valve type: WMD6.../F...; WMDA6.../F... versions with various spools positioned with detent



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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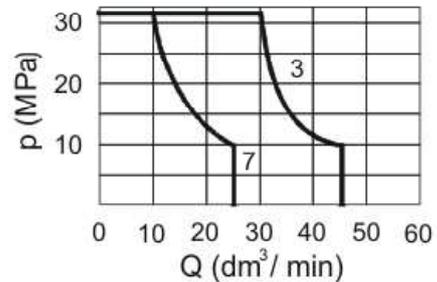
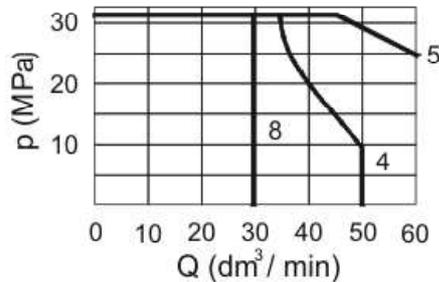
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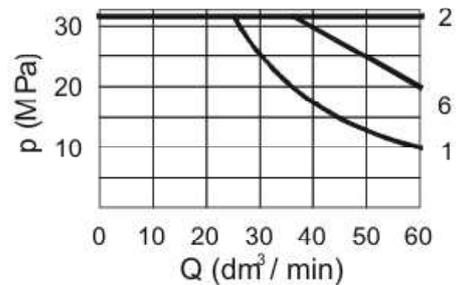
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- type WMR6...
- type WMU6...

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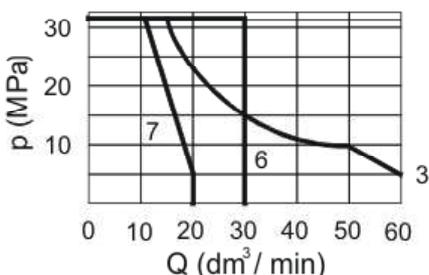
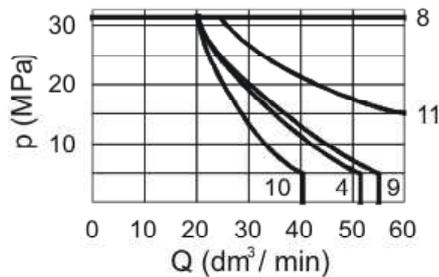
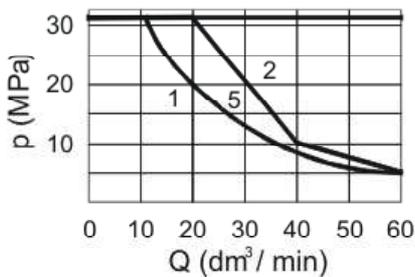


1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
A	C, D, E, E1, H, M, Q, U, W	F, P	G	J, L	R	T	V



- type WH6...
- type WH6.../O...
- type WH6.../OF...

Flow curves p-Q for directional spool valve type: WH6 ...; WH6.../O...; WH6.../OF... versions with spools springs centered, positioned with detent and without detent



p = 0,6 MPa		p = 1 MPa	
1	A, B	1	A, B
2	C, D, Y	8	C, D, Y, E, G, H, J
3	E, J, L, U, M, Q, V, W	8	L, U, M, Q, V, W
4	F, E	9	F, P
5	T	10	R
6	G, H	11	T
7	P	-	-
8	A/O, C/O, D/O	8	A/O, C/O, D/O, A/OF, C/OF, D/OF

## HOW TO ORDER

		<b>6</b>	<b>+</b>	<b>/</b>			<b>*</b>
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<b>Number of service ports</b> <b>3-way</b> - for spools A, B = <b>3</b> <b>4-way</b> - for the other spools = <b>4</b>
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<b>Type of operation</b> hand lever operated = <b>WMM</b> rotary knob operated = <b>WMD</b> lockable rotary knob operated = <b>WMDA</b> roller operated (roller positioning according to page12) = <b>WMR</b> roller operated (roller positioning according to page12) = <b>WMU</b> hydraulically operated = <b>WH</b>
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<b>Nominal size (NS)</b> <b>NS6</b> = <b>6</b>
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<b>Spool type</b> spool schemes for directional spool valve: type <b>WMM</b> - according to page <b>4, 5</b> type <b>WMD/WMDA</b> - according to page <b>5, 6</b> type <b>WMR/ WMU</b> - according to page <b>7</b> type <b>WH</b> - according to page <b>8, 9</b>
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<b>Series number</b> (30-39) - connection and installation dimensions unchanged = <b>3X</b> <b>series 32</b> = <b>32</b>
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<b>Spool positioning</b> <b>spring centering</b> - possible for directional spool valves type: <b>MM, WMR/WMU, WH</b> = <b>no designation</b> <b>with detent</b> - possible for directional spool valves type: <b>WMM, WMD/WMDA</b> = <b>F</b> without return springs, without detent - possible for directional spool valves type WH = <b>0</b> without return springs, with detent - possible for directional spool valves type WH = <b>OF</b>
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<b>Throttle insert</b> (in port P) <b>without throttle insert</b> = <b>no designation</b> throttle insert $\phi$ 0,8 = B 08 throttle insert $\phi$ 1,0 = B 10 throttle insert $\phi$ 1,2 = B 12
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<b>Sealing</b> <b>NBR</b> (for fluids on mineral oil base) = <b>no designation</b> FKM (for fluids on phosphate ester base) = <b>V</b>
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Further requirements in clear text (to be agreed with the manufacturer)
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Directional spool valve should be ordered according to the above coding.

**The symbols in bold are preferred versions in short delivery time.**

Coding examples: 4WMM6 E -32/B08; 4WMD6 E -32/F B08; 4WMR6 E -32/B08; 4WH6 E -32/B08

## SUBPLATES AND MOUNTING BOLTS

Subplates must be ordered according to the data sheet **WK 496 480**. Subplates:

G 341/01 - threaded connection G 1/4

**G 342/01** - threaded connection **G 3/8**

G 502/01 - threaded connection G1/2

G 341/02 - threaded connection M14 x1,5

G 342/02 - threaded connection M16 x1,5

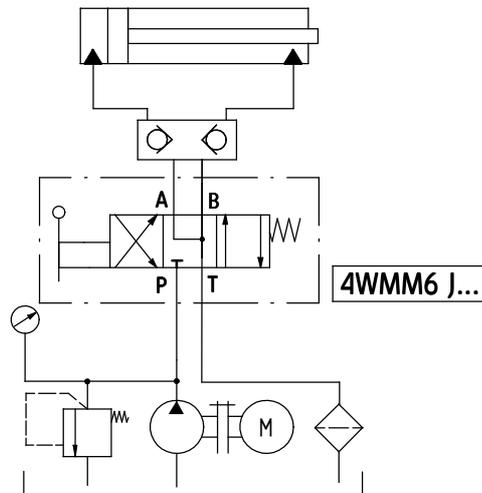
Subplates and fixing bolts **M5 x 50 - 10,9** in accordance with **PN -EN ISO 4762** - 4 pcs/kit must be ordered separately.

Tightening torque for bolts **Md = 9 Nm**

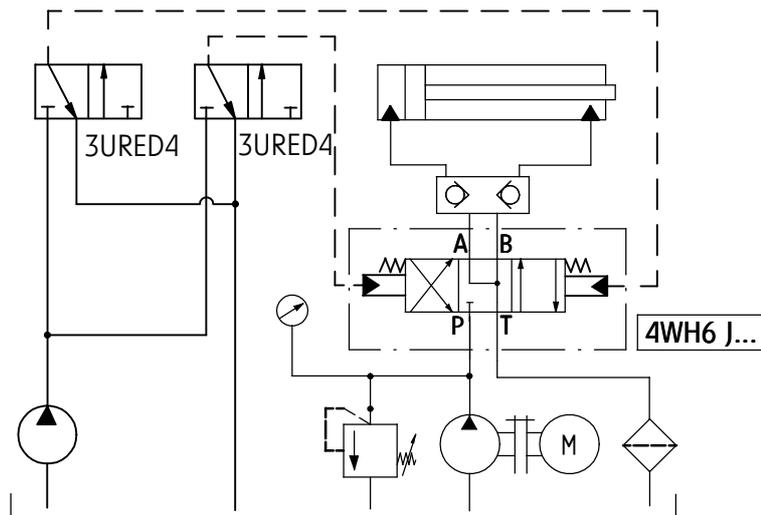
**Subplate symbol in bold is the preferred version available in short delivery time.**

## EXAMPLE OF APPLICATION IN HYDRAULIC SYSTEM

**Directional spool valve - hand lever operated  
type WMM6**



**Directional spool valve - hydraulically operated  
type WH6**



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