# CONTROL DEWAR VALVE CALCULATIONS

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### **Summary**

This engineering note documents the calculations that were done to support the valve size selection for the magnet flow control valve, EVMF in the solenoid control dewar. The size selected was a control valve with a  $C_V = 0.32$ .

### **Explanation of Calculations Done**

(SEE APPENDIX FOR RAW CALCS.)

### A. ISOLATION VALVES

There are three valves in the control dewar. Two are simply isolation type valves which direct the solenoid helium return either to the control dewar helium reservoir (PV-3209-H) or to the suction header during quench recovery or cooldown (PV-3201-H). These valves are Cryolab model CV1997B valves with an on/off bullet of  $C_V = 6.0$ . At the design flowrate, a negligible pressure drop is expected at these valves. Having these valves on hand, I measured the stroke to 9/16". The maximum flow cross section in these valves is about 3/4" dia. If 300 psig acted on this area, a force of 132 lbs. is required to counteract this. We are planning on using 1/2" size Badger actuators with 11.3 in^2 of diaphragm area. An I/P control pressure 11.7 psi on the diaphragm will supply 132 lbs. of force. The actual maximum pressure either of these two valves should see is 60 psig, the set point of the quench relief valve immediately upstream.

### B. MAGNET CONTROL VALVE

### 1. Steady state requirements:

A design flow rate of 2.5 g/s was determined from Toshiba's latest design report (Oct. 1995). The fluid thermodynamic state (Pressure and Temperature) on either side of this valve was taken from D-Zero EN-351, "Control Dewar Subcooler Heat Exchanger Calculations". Plugging the flowrate, density and 3.675 psi pressure drop into the standard  $C_V$  equation for a non-vaporizing liquid, a design  $C_V = 0.06$  was obtained. A design philosophy of being able to operate at 20 g/s has been taken through out the refrigerator design. Based on this, a  $C_V = 0.32$  bullet size was chosen. A pressure drop of 8.3 psi is expected at this flow and  $C_V$ . This is at the borderline of an acceptable pressure drop. If required, the trim set is interchangeable and can be modified in situ.

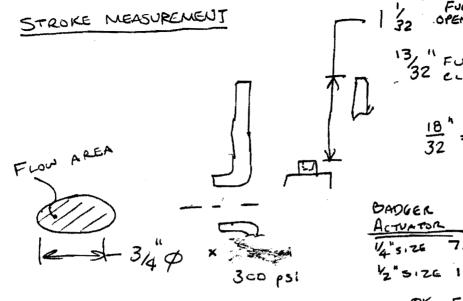
### 2. Cooldown requirements:

The seat orifice is only 5/32". As referenced from D-Zero EN-416 "Pipe Sizing for Solenoid/VLPC Cryogenic Systems" this orifice will choke flow to 2 g/s at the very start of cooldown with 300K, 1 atm Helium. Also from calculations in EN-416, the most demanding flow rate required for a 5 K/hr cooldown is 7 g/s with a helium supply temperature of 200 K and a supply pressure of say 43 psig or so. A pressure drop of 18 psi is expected at this flow and C<sub>V</sub>. This is an acceptable pressure drop.

### 3. Physical valve:

The valve is a modified Cryolab model CV1997B valve given a special Cryolab project part #CV2288. It incorporates a badger bullet and seat that can be removed and changed. The original order (PO#B80660) called out a Valtek actuator. Due to the space limitations, a 1/2" size badger actuator has been used. Both the isolation valves and control valve were ordered with a liquid nitrogen intercept and a design heat load of less than 0.4 watts per valve.

## BLOCK VALUE CV1997B



132 lbs. Force

 $\frac{18}{32}$  FULL  $\frac{18}{32}$  =  $\frac{9}{16}$  STROKE.

DADGER

<u>ACTUATOR</u>

<u>V4"size</u> 7.3, N² → 18psi

V2"size 11.3 N² → 11.7psi

OK. EITHER SIZE SUPPLY 1/2" BADGER SIZE

# SIZE VALVE

STATE (1)

SUBCOOLED LIRUID  $12.606\frac{1}{9}$  T = 4.64 K h = 17.53 M P = 1.45 ATM = 14.70 M P = 1.7 ATM = 0.172 M P = 1.7 ATM = 0.172 M P = 1.46 M P = 1.45 ATM = 14.45 ATM =

△P= 1.7-1.45 = 0.25 ATM = 3.675 psi

FLOWRATE  $Q(gpm) = 2.5 \% \times \left[\frac{1}{119 \text{ Kg}}\right] \times \left[\frac{1 \text{ kg}}{1000 \text{ g}}\right] \times \left[\frac{1000 \text{ Liter}}{1 \text{ m}^3}\right] \times \left[\frac{1}{3.745329} \text{ Liters}\right]$  Q = 0.333 gpm



INTERPOLATING DENSITY P.

P= .16 MPa

P = . 18 MPa

13.69 P= 122.9 3 K=12.606 P= 117.7

P=.172, P= 119.1 kg, 3 = 7.4414 16,3

Cv = Q \ \frac{P}{1.24 AB} \ \text{Non vaporizing ELVID}

 $C_v = .333 \sqrt{\frac{7.4414}{62.4(3.675)}} = 0.06$ 

TRY CV = 0.32 OR 0.20

EVJT IN VERTICAL HX = 0.20 LINEAR

GO WITH CV = 0.20

SEAP DIA . = . 1563"

TRIM SIZE G FROM BADGER.

WILL THIS RESTRICT FLOW?

Qmx = 209/5 = 20 = 8 TIMES HIGHER 5.5



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WHAT OP FOR CV = 0.20 & FLOW = 20 %?

$$\left[\frac{Q}{C_{v}}\right]^{2} = \frac{62.4 \, \Delta P}{S}$$

$$\Delta P = \int_{62.4} \left[ \frac{Q}{C_V} \right]^2 = \frac{7.4414}{62.4} \left[ \frac{2.664}{0.2} \right]^2 = \frac{21.16}{62.4} \text{ psi}$$

DRIVING PRESSURE AVAILABLE. NOT

WHAT ABOUT CHOKING FLOW DURING COOLDOWN?

AT START OF COOLDOWN.

NEED 79/5 @ T = ZOOK, P= 43 psig. ( FOR 5 1/ HE COOLDONN) m chokep = P Vs (#)d2

$$m_{\text{CHOKEO}} = (0.9601 \frac{1}{M^3})(834.3 \frac{m}{5})(\frac{\pi}{4})(\frac{5}{32} \text{M}.)(\frac{0.254 \text{M}}{1 \text{IN}.})^{16}$$

AP FOR THIS FLOW RATE? 25 psi ? OR 50.

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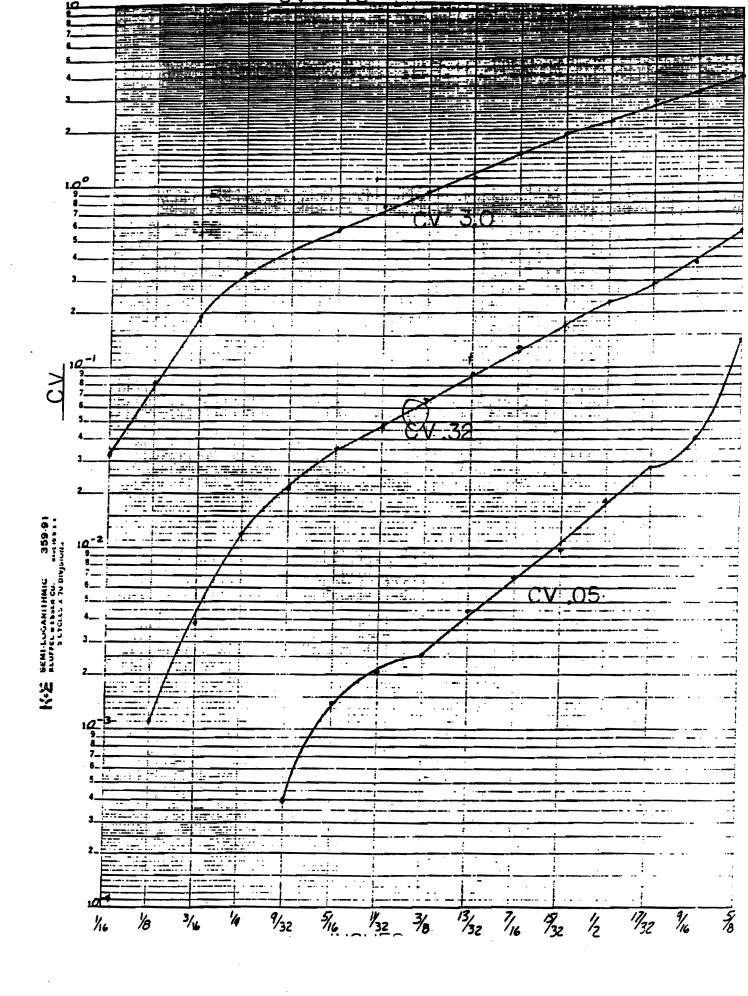
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$$\Delta P$$
 FOR  $C_V = 0.32$ ,  $T = 200K = -99.7 \,^{\circ}F$   
 $p = 0.40MP_g$   
 $m = 79/5$ 

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$$C_V = \frac{5 \text{CFH}}{1360} \sqrt{\frac{460 + ^{\circ} \text{F}^{\circ}}{5.6}}.$$

$$\Delta P = \left[\frac{5 \text{CFH}}{1360} \left(\frac{5.6.}{C_V}\right)^2 \cdot \left[\frac{460 + ^{\circ} \text{F}}{P_1}\right]^2\right]$$

$$5 \text{CFH} = 7 \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{36005}{1 \text{Hz}} \times \frac{213.2 \text{ scf}}{1000 \text{ g}} = 5372.6 \text{ sePhI}$$

$$\Delta P = \left[ \frac{(5372.6)(.138)}{1360(.32)} \right]^2 \left[ \frac{460-99.7}{58 \text{ psia}} \right] = \frac{18.0 \text{ psi}}{7}$$



# **Cryolch** Bellows-Sealed Cold Box Valve



### Cryolab CV1997B

The CV1997B valve series has been designed for a long service life and to meet or exceed the specifications of the Superconducting Super Collider magnet test lab facilities. In liquid helium service, the CV1997B features a formed 321 stainless steel bellows, mass-spec helium tight seals to 1 x 10-9 scc/sec, low heat leak, 300 psig (20.7 bar g) allowable working pressure, 304 stainless steel bar stock and tube construction, and a thermal-acoustic oscillation (T.A.O.) barrier.

### The Design

The design is simple and reliable. Internal components are identical so that conversion to manual or pneumatic operation is achievable without valve disassembly. The bellows and seals are designed and tested for service in excess of 20,000 cycles. A sample port is provided to monitor internal bellows pressure. The extremely low heat leak of this series can be further reduced by 70% with the addition of a liquid nitrogen thermal intercept. All valves are supplied with 20 layers of superinsulation to assure minimum radiant losses.



### **Features**

- liquid helium service
- bellows-sealed stem
- · superinsulation
- 300 psi MAWP
- · T.A.O. barrier
- 304 stainless bar stock construction
- redundant upper seals of Viton® and Fluorogold™
- · bellows pressure port
- · butt-weld ends

#### Benefits

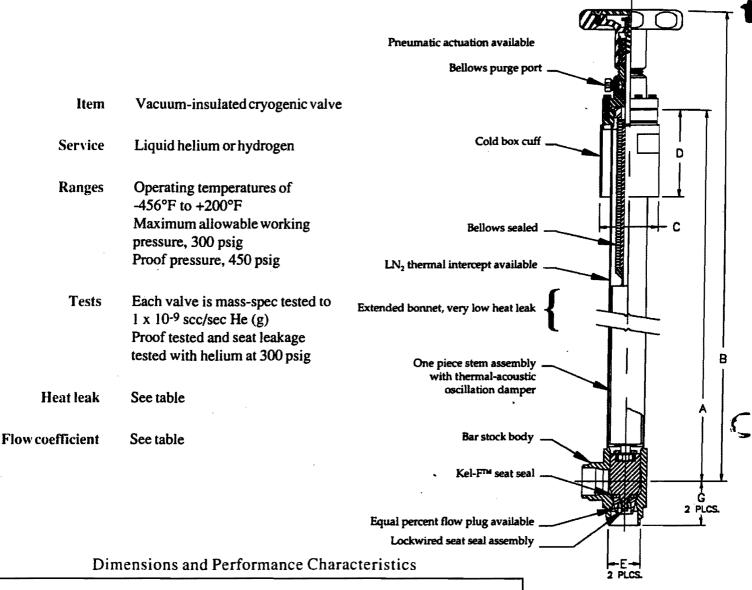
- simple and reliable
- mass-spec seal to 1 x 10<sup>-9</sup> scc/sec He (g)
- minimum 20,000 cycle life
- · thermally efficient
- · excellent flow coefficient

### **Options**

- · manual or pneumatic operation
- special flow control plugs
- · simple actuator adaptor
- · liquid nitrogen intercept
- · cold-box cuff or fully jacketed
- · socket-weld ends



## Bellows-Sealed Cold Box Valve CV1997B Technical Data



Dimensions (inches)									Flow			
IPS size	Dash #	A	В	С	D	E	F*	G	coefficient C <sub>v</sub>	Weight (kg) lbs.	leak (watts)	
.5	-084	24.0	29.0	2.38	3.5	.85	.15	1.50	8	(3.4) 7.5	1.07	
.75	-086	24.0	29.0	2.38	3.5	1.06	.25	1.38	17	(3.6) 8.0	1.43	
1.0	-088	24.0	29.0	2.38	3.5	1.32	.25	1.75	17	(3.6) 8.0	1.43	
1.5	-812	24.0	31.0	4.0	3.5	1.92	.25	2.50	41	(6.8) 15.0	2.25	
2.0	-816	24.0	31.0	4.0	3.5	2.39	.25	3.0	60	(6.8) 15.0	2.69	
3.0	-824	27.7	45.0	5.56	3.5	3.52	.50	4.0	145	(34.0) 75.0	7.27	

\*Socket-weld only



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