

# MONITORED VALVES

-INTERFACING FLUID POWER OPERATION WITH ELECTRICAL SAFETY CIRCUITS-

- Compliant fluid power control is achievable with our extensive range of approved Monitored Valves.
- Essential for fluid power systems interfaced with electrical safety circuits.
- The Monitored Valves are solenoid operated, pneumatic spool valves integrated to positive-opening electro-mechanical switches.

## FEATURES

Product range available in a variety of:

- Port sizes.
- Flow rates.
- Spool configurations.

Product range available in both single and dual monitored configurations:

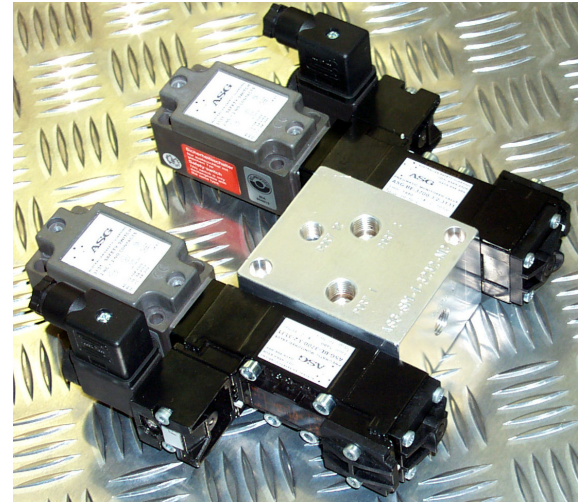
- 'Single units' (suit Category 1 & 2)  
1 Monitored Valve on 1 sub-base
- 'Safety package systems'  
2 Monitored Valves on 1 series ported manifold (dual redundant)  
(suit Category 3 & 4)

## WHY USE MONITORED VALVES?

- Protect operator life/wellbeing, machinery and product quality.
- Enhance machinery, process reliability and safety integrity of systems and processes.
- Prevent un-detectable intermittent failure, permanent failure, failure to danger and a single fault leading to the loss of the safety function.
- Comply with regulations and requirements contained in the Australian Standards and the legal duty of controlling risks.
- Eliminate the exposure to risks and hazards associated with pneumatics.



**SAFETY PACKAGE SYSTEM**  
ASG ISO 1 5/3 COMPONENT BLOCK



**SAFETY PACKAGE SYSTEM**  
ASG ISO 1 3/2 SYSTEM DUMP



**Suitable for Category 4 applications  
in accordance with AS 4024.1 and EN 954.1**

## BENEFITS

- Compliant fluid power control.
- Produce a safety system where both fluid power and electrical systems meet their risk category requirements.
- Increase the safety integrity of fluid power systems.
- Safe control and isolation of pneumatic power.
- Comply with requirements in AS 4024 and AS 1219.
- Replace non-monitored valves/regular solenoid valves in safety circuits or in circumstances where they are controlling critical processes.
- Enhance existing systems which require a safety upgrade, by retro-fitting into the existing circuit.
- Integrate into new system designs.
- Use in conjunction with the latest technologies of programmable safety systems.

## APPLICATIONS

Monitored Valves can be used in any application:

- Where control system integrity is dependent upon valve operation.
- Wherever safety and reliability are concerned.
- All pneumatic safety applications.

Emergency stop	Two hand control	Light curtains
Safety gates	Guard lockout	Pinch point
Presses	Palletizers	Access gates
Robot cells	Process control	Packing

## TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

<b>Models</b>	Single valves and Dual redundant valve systems in 4 ISO sizes and a number of spool configurations and flowrates. (Refer to 'Technical Handbook' for complete details such as part no.'s and descriptions).		
<b>Configurations</b>	2/2, 3/2, 4/2, 5/3 (open & closed centres)		
<b>Design</b>	Solenoid operated, monitored, floating spool system valves.		
<b>Approvals</b>	EC Machinery Directive 98/37/EC (CE compliance). Suitable for use with Category 4 control system in accordance with AS 4024 and EN 954.1		
<b>Mounting</b>	Manifold (single or dual redundant)		
<b>Connection (Port sizes)</b>	<b>Size</b>	<b>Pilot Port</b>	<b>Port Size</b>
	1	G 1/8	G 1/4
	2	G 1/8	G 3/8
	3	G 1/8	G 1/2
	4	G 1/8	G 3/4

### Pneumatic data - Valve

<b>Performance</b>	<b>Medium</b>	Compressed air, filtered (50µm) and lubricated		
	<b>Valve operating pressure</b>	1 – 10 bar		
	<b>Pilot pressure</b>	4 – 10 bar		
	<b>Ambient temperature</b>	-10°C – +50°C		
	<b>Fluid temperature</b>	-20°C – +50°C		
	<b>Flowrates</b>	<b>Size</b>	<b>Q<sub>N</sub> (NI/min)</b>	<b>C<sub>v</sub> (G/min)</b>
		1	1480	1.5
		2	2300	2.4
		3	4200	4.4
		4	6600	6.9
	<b>Response time range (on/off)</b>	17 – 74 (ms) (For individual response times refer to 'Technical handbook').		
	<b>Life</b>	Long life – 10 million operations		
<b>Materials</b>	<b>Housing</b>	Die-cast aluminium		
	<b>Body</b>	Acetalic resin		
	<b>Endcap</b>	Anodised aluminium		
	<b>Spool</b>	Hard anodised aluminium		
	<b>Seals</b>	Nitrile rubber		
	<b>Lubricant</b>	Shell Alvania RL2		
	<b>Manifold</b>	<b>Single</b>	<b>Dual Redundant</b>	
		Zamak	Aluminium	

### Electrical data - Switch

<b>Performance</b>	<b>Design</b>	Euchner 4 pole positive driven plunger type safety switch pre approved to Category 4 applications.			
	<b>Ambient temperature</b>	-25°C – +80°C			
	<b>Switching principle</b>	Slow-action contact element			
	<b>Mechanical service life</b>	30x10 <sup>6</sup> switching cycles			
	<b>Protection</b>	IP 67			
	<b>Rated impulse withstand voltage U<sub>imp</sub></b>	4 kV			
	<b>Rated insulation voltage U<sub>i</sub></b>	250 V≅			
	<b>Short-circuit protection (control circuit fuse)</b>	slow 10/fast 20 A			
	<b>Utilisation category to IEC 947-5-1</b>	AC	AC-15 U <sub>e</sub> 230 V I <sub>e</sub> 6 A		
		DC	DC-13 U <sub>e</sub> 24 V I <sub>e</sub> 6 A		
<b>Wiring</b>	<b>Cable entry</b>	M20			
	<b>Connection type</b>	Screw terminal			
	<b>Cable cross-section max.</b>	1.5mm <sup>2</sup>			
	<b>Contacts</b>	2 Normally Closed (positively driven) + 2 Normally Open contacts			
	<b>Terminals</b>	<b>21-22</b>	<b>41-42</b>	<b>13-14</b>	<b>33-34</b>
	N/C	N/C	N/O	N/O	
<b>Materials</b>	<b>Housing</b>	Anodized die-cast light alloy			
	<b>Contact</b>	Silver alloy, gold flashed			

### Electrical data - Coil

<b>Performance</b>	<b>Rated voltage</b>	AC	24, 110, 220 V AC / 50 – 60 Hz			
		DC	12, 24 V DC			
	<b>Consumption</b>	AC	5 VA			
		DC	3,5 W			
	<b>Tolerance (tension)</b>	± 10%				
	<b>Ambient temperature</b>	-10°C – +50°C				
	<b>Coil winding</b>	H class				
<b>Protection class</b>	IP 65					