# VK41../VK81..SERIES

## GAS CONTROLS FOR COMBINED VALVE AND IGNITION SYSTEM

#### **PRODUCT HANDBOOK**



### **APPLICATION**

The Combined Valve and Ignition (CVI) system has been developed for application in gas fired domestic central heating boilers, combi boilers and warm air furnaces or water heater appliances with an automatic ignition system.

For this system, the VK41../VK81.. series gas controls have been designed to have the S4565/S4575/S4585 series ignition control attached directly on to the valve.

The combined system then provides programmed safe light up, flame supervision and regulation of gas flow to the main burner and/or pilot burner of the appliance.

The VK41.5/VK81.5 series gas controls (without pilot outlet) can also be used alone in direct burner ignition applications. A plug (order number 45.900.441-) with integrated rectifier circuit then has to be used on the gas control.

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## DESCRIPTION

#### Valves

The **C**ombined **V**alve and **I**gnition (**CVI**) system controls and performs all the functions required for safe ignition, flame supervision and for safely regulating the gas flow to the pilot and/or main burner.

The **CVI** consists of a gas valve of the VK41../VK81.. series and a dedicated ignition control of the series S4565/S4575/S4585 which is connected directly on to it.

The gas control comprises a standard body to which a range of features can be factory included to give various functional options. These functional options include: servo pressure regulation, throttle valve regulation, fully adjustable SOFTLITE, gas/air control 1:1 or amplified, electrical high-low or modulating control to fulfil the complete range of control applications.

The gas control has a first direct on/off operator for opening the safety valve of class A or B according to EN 161 and a second electric on/off servo operator for control of the main valve of class B,C or J according to EN 161 (for explanation class J, see chapter Standards and approvals page 36).

The pressure regulator is in accordance with class B requirements of EN 88

The gas control can handle the three gas families, manufactured gas, natural gas and LP gas.

#### General

All measurements are carried out under standard conditions listed below unless otherwise is indicated.

#### Standard conditions

- P<sub>inlet</sub> 25 mbar nominal pressure, dry air of 20°C
- P<sub>ambient</sub> 1013 mbar
- T<sub>ambient</sub> 20°C
- Outlet orifice 2.8 mm
- Flow indication in m<sup>3</sup>/<sub>h</sub>
- Recording of outlet pressure with a transducer connected to a 1/2" pipe with a length of 10 times the diameter of the pipe with a short hose at a length of 5 times the diameter of the pipe.
- Nominal voltage
- Upright position, i.e. the position when the operators are on top.

## FEATURES

#### General

- All burner control safety functions concentrated in one reliable and optimized system.
- Specially designed to provide the optimum system solution in gas appliances with a DBI or IP system to light the main burner.
- Both gas control and ignition control incorporate time proven design concepts assuring reliability.
- ON/OFF control of main burner by electric operator and electric servo operator directly energized from ignition control.
- Easy assembly of ignition control on gas control by plugging it on from the top.
- Mounting orientation may be within 90\_ in any direction from the electric on/off operator upright position.

#### Gas control

- Inlet Ø 18.6 mm and outlet Ø 18.6 mm connections are straight through and can receive flanges.
- The following closing force models are available: B + J; B + C; B + B; A + J; A + C; A + B.
- Servo pressure regulator provides stable outlet pressure.
- Pressure feedback ensures constant burner pressure in relation to combustion chamber pressure.
- · All adjustments are accessible from the top.
- 9 mm diameter pressure taps on top face for checking inlet and outlet pressure
- An internal fine mesh screen is incorporated at the inlet of the gas control. This screen is not removable for cleaning.
- An outlet screen is optional.
- Two mounting holes for self tapping screws are at the bottom of the gas control for rigid attachment to the appliance.

#### **Functional options**

- Fast open and SOFTLITE versions
- Fully adjustable SOFTLITE option to facilitate the smooth light-up of burner and for changing over from one gas to another.
  - NOTE: SOFTLITE opening is not always available when the second valve is classified as a class B valve.
- 100 mbar inlet pressure versions available on request
- Throttle valve versions
- Electrical modulation (Modureg) or CVI-m.
- Electrical High-Low control.
- Pilot outlet for IP system
- Gas/Air ratio version available.

#### Gas connection options

- Internal thread (ISO 7-1):  ${}^{3}/_{8}$ " inlet and  ${}^{3}/_{8}$ " end outlet; body length 115 mm.  ${}^{1}/_{2}$ " inlet and  ${}^{1}/_{2}$ " end outlet; body length 115 mm.  ${}^{1}/_{2}$ " NPT inlet and flanged end outlet; body length 115 mm.
- External thread (ISO-R228): <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" inlet and <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" end outlet; body length 135 mm <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" inlet and standard flanged end outlet; body length 120 mm <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" inlet and <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" end outlet; body length 135 mm <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" inlet and standard flanged end outlet; body length 120 mm <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" inlet and standard flanged side outlet; body length 120 mm
- Side outlet option for both main and pilot gas.
- The side outlet for pilot and main gas can only be connected to a flanged burner manifold.
- Pilot gas connection for tubing with 4 mm outer diameter is located at the outlet end of the gas control.
- Pressure feedback fittings for 4 or 6 mm silicon tube can be mounted.

#### **Electrical connection options**

- The appropriate ignition control can be connected to the valve by plugging it on.
- Wired plug (IP 44) for connection with a remote ignition control.
- Rectifier plug (IP 44) for use with any standard DBI ignition system.
- 24 Volt versions available for use in conjunction with other ignition controls than S4565/S4585 series.

### DIMESIONAL DRAWING STANDARD CONNECTION







\* For 220 V DBI only



EN2R-9004 0311R16-NE

## DIMESIONAL DRAWING EXTERNAL THREAD CONNECTION







Tolerances according

to ISO 2768 mK

EN2R-9004 0311R16-NE

### **APPLICATION**

The VK41.. /VK81..series gas control have been specially developed for application in domestic appliances.

The VK41.. series gas control can be used in a system in conjunction with a S4565, S4575 or S4585 series ignition control to provide an optimised safety sub-system for programmed safe light-up and flame supervision of the main burner.

When connected with a Honeywell specified rectifier plug and lead the VK4105 series valve can be used with any standard 220/240 Vac DBI ignition system.

VK81.. series gas controls for 24 Vrac have been developed for application with other ignition controls with appropriate power supply.

## SPECIFICATIONS

NOTE: Specifications for electrical modulation, electrical high low, gas/air and other features are available on request.

#### Models

See model number chart on page 37

#### Main gas connection

- Standard see table 4, page 9.
- Optional see table 5, page 9.
- Side outlet can be fitted direct to a flanged burner manifold.

Inlet and outlet with  ${}^{3}\!/_{8}$ " or  ${}^{1}\!/_{2}$ " ISO 7-1 internal pipe thread and straight or elbow flanges with  ${}^{3}\!/_{8}$ " or  ${}^{1}\!/_{2}$ " ISO 7-1 internal pipe thread are according to the torsion and bending stress of EN126 group 2

Connections with G  $^{1}/_{2}$ " or G  $^{3}/_{4}$ " external thread fitted with nuts according to ISO 228-1 in combination with applicable sealing(s) withstand the torsion and bending stress of EN 126 group 1

#### Ambient temperature

0 ... 60°C -15 ... 60°C (on request)

Humidity

95% RH max. at 40°C

#### Storage

- 30 ... 70°C

#### **Pilot gas connection**

Standard at end outlet: M8 x 1 for 4 mm outer diameter tubing.

#### Pressure feedback connection

The servo pressure regulator has an M5 thread connection for pressure feedback.

Pressure feedback fittings for 4 or 6 mm silicon tube can be mounted as option.

Dimensions

See page 4 and 5

#### Outlet pressure range for ON/OFF regulators

1.5 ... 20 mbar 2 ... 37 mbar 5 ... 50 mbar

### Minimum regulation capacity

0.31 m<sup>3</sup>/h air

#### Minimum differential pressure

#### Table 1: Minimum differential pressure

Model	∆P min (mbar)
VK4105	2.5
VK4115	4
VK4125	4
VK4135	2.5
VK4145	4
VK4155	4

#### Maximum operating pressure

The Pmax indication on the housing of the gas control is the maximum pressure at which it functions safely. However, the maximum inlet pressure is limited by the pressure range of the pressure regulator concerned. (See table 2.)

#### **Table 2: Operating pressure**

Model	Pressure range (mbar)	Maximum inlet pressure (mbar)
with regulation	1.5 20	30
	2 37*	45
	5 50*	60
without regulation	-	60

This type can also be used for non regulation mode in LP applications when pressure regulator adjustment screw is clockwise turned down until it stops.

Versions up to 100 mbar maximum inlet pressure are available on request

#### Mounting holes

Two mounting holes for thread forming M4 screws are located on the bottom of the gas control.

For versions with external thread there are two additional mounting holes for thread forming screws at the inlet side of the gas control.

The four holes at inlet and outlet for mounting a flange on the gas control are provided with M4 thread with min. 6 mm full thread.

In case of side outlet the three holes for mounting the flange are provided with M5 thread with a minimum of 6 mm full thread.

#### Capacity

In m<sup>3</sup>/h air at pressure drop as shown below. See also the capacity curves concerned.

Model	Extention		ΔP (mbar) Capacity (m <sup>3</sup> /h air)		Capacity curve		
				Number	Page		
VK410X/VK810X	A, B, C, D, M, N, P, Q	3	3.4	H 10	13		
	Е, Т	3	2.8	H 160	21		
VK411x/VK811x	A, B, C, D, M, N, P, Q	5	4.4	H 20	14		
	Е, Т	5	3	H 170	22		
	V	5	3.4	H 140	19		
		10	5.1				
	VB	5	4.4	H 20	14		
VK412X	A, B, C, D, M, N, P, Q	5	2.2	H 150	20		
VK412X/VK812X	V	5	2.2	H 150	20		
		10	5.1				
VK413X	A, B, C, D, M, N, P, Q	3	2.5	H 40	15		
	Е, Т	3	2.5	H 220	23		
VK414X	A, B, C, D, M, N, P, Q	5	3	H 50	16		
	E,T	5	3	H 230	24		
VK414X/VK814X	V	5	3.1	H 90	17		
		10	4.6	1			
VK415X	A, B, C, D, M, N, P, Q	5	1.4	H 100	18		
		10	4.2	1			

NOTE 1.: Versions with side outlet connection have a 0.2  $\text{m}^{3/}_{\text{h}}$  air lower capacity. NOTE 2.: Increased capacity versions are optional for types with suffix letter E, T and V. NOTE 3.:  $^{3/}_{4}$  external thread versions have a 0.3  $\text{m}^{3/}_{\text{h}}$  air lower capacity.

#### Table 3: Valve classification

Model	1 <sup>st</sup> \	/alve	2 <sup>nd</sup>	valve
	Classification	Backpressure (mbar)	Classification	Backpressure (mbar)
VK4100/VK4105 VK8100/VK8105	В	50	J	0
VK4110/VK4115 VK8110/VK8115	В	50	С	10
VK4120/VK4125 VK8120/VK8125	В	50	В	50
VK4130/VK4135 VK8130/VK8135	A	150	J	0
VK4140/VK4145 VK8140/VK8145	A	150	С	10
VK4150/VK4155 VK8150/VK8155	A	150	В	50

#### Table 4: Standard valve connection

Inlet	End outlet	Side outlet	Body length (mm)
Flanged	Flanged		105
Flanged		Flanged	105
Internal <sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " ISO 7-1		Flanged	115
Internal <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " ISO 7-1		Flanged	115
Internal <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " ISO 7-1	Internal <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " ISO 7-1		115
Internal <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " NPT	Internal <sup>1</sup> /2" NPT		115

#### Table 5: External valve connection (optional)

Inlet	End outlet	Side outlet	Body length (mm)
G <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "	G <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "		135
G <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "	Flanged		120
G <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	G <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "		135
G <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	Flanged		120
G <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "		Flanged	120

<sup>1</sup>) Not applicable for VK4105G series

## **ELECTRICAL DATA**

Supply voltage	Coil indication	Rectifier circuit position	Coil connection (fig. 1)	Valve indication
24 Vac, 50/60 Hz	24 Vrac	External	Series connection pin1 and pin 5 or plug 45.900.441-029	VK 81.5
24 Vac, 50/60 Hz	24 Vrac	In plug	Select plug 45.900.441- with rectifier (See table 9)	VK 81.5
100 Vac, 50/60 Hz	100 Vrac	External	Series connection pin1 and pin 5	VK 41.5
110 Vac, 50/60 Hz 11	110 Vrac	In S4575	Select plug 45.900.441-033 without rectifier (See table 9)	VK 41.5
		In plug	Select plug 45.900.441-039 (See table 9)	VK 41.5
		External	Series connection pin1 and pin 5	VK 41.5
220 240 Vac, 50/60 Hz	220 240 Vrac	In S4565	Select plug 45.900.441-033 without rectifier (See table 9)	VK 41.5
		In plug	Select plug 45.900.441- with rectifier (See table 9)	VK 41.5
		External	Series connection pin1 and pin 5	VK 41.5

#### Table 6: Electrical connection for Direct Burner Ignition systems

#### Table 7: Electrical connection for Intermittent Pilot ignition systems

Supply voltage	Coil indication	Rectifier circuit position	Coil connection ( fig. 1 )	Valve indication
24 Vac, 50/60 Hz	24 Vrac	External	Parallel connection pin1/2 and pin 4/5	VK 81.0
220 240 Vac, 50/60 Hz	220 240 Vrac	In S4565 and S4585 types	S4565 and S4585 types	VK 41.0
220 240 Vac, 50/60 Hz	220 240 Vrac	External	Parallel connection pin1/2 and pin 4/5	VK 41.0

#### Table 8: Power consumption (W) and current (mA)

Supply voltage		Power consumption				Cu	rrent	
	Nomin	al voltage	110% nor	ninal voltage	Nomin	al voltage	110% non	ninal voltage
	1 <sup>st</sup> operator	1 <sup>st</sup> + 2 <sup>nd</sup> operator	1 <sup>st</sup> operator	1 <sup>st</sup> + 2 <sup>nd</sup> operator	1 <sup>st</sup> operator	1 <sup>st</sup> + 2 <sup>nd</sup> operator	1 <sup>st</sup> operator	1 <sup>st</sup> + 2 <sup>nd</sup> operator
DBI system								
24 Vac, 50/60Hz		9.2		11		424		466
100 Vac, 50/60Hz		9.75		11.9		105		115
110 Vac, 50/60Hz		8.8		10.8		89		98
220 Vac, 50/60Hz		9.4		11.4		48		52
240 Vac, 50/60Hz		11.2		13.6		52		57
IP system								
24 Vac, 50/60Hz	6.7	6.7 + 3.1	8.0	8.0 + 3.7	309	309 + 143	340	157
220 Vac, 50/60Hz	9.1	4.8	11	5.8	46	24	51	27
240 Vac, 50/60Hz	10.9	5.7	13.1	6.9	50	26	55	29
220Vac, 50/60Hz	7	7 + 3.5	8.3	8.3 + 4.2	31	31 + 18.0	35	35 + 18.2
240 Vac, 50/60Hz	8.0	8.0 + 4.0	9.6	9.6 + 4.4	35	35 + 18.5	38.4	38.4 + 18.6



#### **Rectifier plug**

The 220/240 V,110V and 24 V versions of the VK4105/ VK8105 series gas controls can be connected to any standard **DBI** control with a 220/240 Vac, 110V or 24 Vac output by using a rectifier plug 45.900.441- See table 9.

Electical protection of gas control with rectifier plug IP 44

Mounting of rectifier plug fig. 2 .

#### Mounting screw

Torque: 40 Ncm max.



#### Fig. 2. Mounting of rectifier plug

#### **IMPORTANT**

Warranty claims are not accepted if not the specified plug/rectifier circuit is used.

Order number	Supply voltage	Wires	Cable length		Plug			C	able end	
	Vac unless specified		(mm)	config	Rectifier	screw	config	strip length (mm)	Special	Finish
45.900.441-011	220/240	3	145	fig. 25	yes	in bag	fig 20	75		solder dip
45.900.441-012	24	2	500	fig. 25	yes	in bag	fig 22			
45.900.441-013	220/240	3	500	fig. 25	yes	in bag	fig 20	50		splices
45.900.441-014	220/240	3	620	fig. 25	yes	no	fig 20	80		solder dip
45.900.441-015	24	2	500	fig. 25	yes	in bag	fig 20	50		splices
45.900.441-016	220/240	3	240	fig. 25	yes	in bag	fig 20	150		solder dip
45.900.441-017	220/240	3	150	fig. 25	yes	in bag	fig 20	40		solder dip
45.900.441-018	220/240	3	800	fig. 25	yes	in bag	fig 20	75		solder dip
45.900.441-019	24	2	50	fig. 25	yes	inserted	fig 23			
45.900.441-021	24	2	720	fig. 25	yes	in bag	fig 20	80		solder dip
45.900.441-022	24	2	720	fig. 25	yes	inserted	fig 21			
45.900.441-023	24	2	1260	fig. 25	yes	in bag	fig 20	80		solder dip
45.900.441-024	24	2	1260	fig. 25	yes	inserted	fig 21			solder dip
45.900.441-025	220/240	3	600	fig. 25	yes	no	fig 20	130		solder dip
45.900.441-026	220/240	3	1500	fig. 25	yes	in bag	fig 20	50		solder dip
45.900.441-027	220/240	3	580	fig. 24	yes	inserted	fig 21 *		* earth wire = 6.5 faston female	
45.900.441-028 (as -027, but single packed in bag)	220/240	3	580	fig. 24	yes	inserted	fig 21 *		* earth wire = 6.5 faston female	
45.900.441-029	24 Vdc	2	500	fig. 24	no	in bag	fig 20	50		splices
45.900.441-030	220/240	3	500	fig. 25	yes	no	fig 20	50		splices
45.900.441-031 (for IP application)	220/240	4	700	fig. 25	double	in bag	fig 20	50		splices
45.900.441-032	220/240	3	1050	fig. 25	yes	no	fig 20	150		splices
45.900.441-033	220/240 Vdc	3	500	fig. 25	no	inserted	fig 20	50		splices
45.900.441-035	220/240	3	403	fig. 25	yes	inserted	fig 20	special	special earth wire	solder dip
45.900.441-036	220/240	3	570	fig. 25	yes	inserted			stocko connectors	
45.900.441-037	220/240	3	1800	fig. 25	yes	in bag	fig 20	50		solder dip
45.900.441-038	220/240	3	397	fig. 25	yes	inserted			stelvio connectors earth wire stripped	splices
45.900.441-039	110	3	500 mm	fig. 25	yes	in bag	fig 20	50		solder dip

#### **Table 9: Rectifier plugs**



## CAPACITY CURVE H10 (CVI)



## **CAPACITY CURVE H20 (CVI)**



## CAPACITY CURVE H40 (CVI)



## CAPACITY CURVE H50 (CVI)



## CAPACITY CURVE H90 (CVI)



## **CAPACITY CURVE H100 (CVI)**



## CAPACITY CURVE H140 (CVI)



## CAPACITY CURVE H150 (CVI)



## CAPACITY CURVE H160 (CVI)



## CAPACITY CURVE H170 (CVI)



## CAPACITY CURVE H220 (CVI)



## **CAPACITY CURVE H230 (CVI)**

## PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

#### Maximum allowable leakage

Each gas control is factory tested to meet the following leakage requirements:

- outerwall: 50 cm<sup>3</sup>/h at test pressure of 150 mbar.
- safety valve: 40 cm<sup>3</sup>/h at test pressure of 6 and 150 mbar.
- main valve (plus operator inlet valve): 40 cm<sup>3</sup>/h at test pressure of 6 and 150 mbar.

#### Outlet pressure adjustment range capability

Manuf./Natural/LP gas:

1.5 ... 20 mbar

2 ... 37 mbar with block function up to 50 mbar LP gas: 5 ... 60 mbar.

#### Minimum adjustable capacity

For versions with a throttle valve (suffix E/T) the minimum adjustable capacity is 0.6 m3/h air at  $\Delta P$  of 20 mbar.

#### **Pilot flow**

Pilot flow capacity is more than 0.1 m<sup>3</sup>/h at 9 mbar pressure drop.

#### Recovery time of servo system

The recovery time of the adjustable SOFTLITE system in minimum position is within 15 seconds from operator de-energization and in maximum position the recovery time shall be within 30 seconds from operator de-energization.

#### High pressure test

In the "OFF" condition, the gas control will withstand 3 bar (air) inlet pressure without damage. Attempts to operate the gas control, while in this fault condition will not damage it.

#### Operable voltage range

The gas control will function satisfactory between 85% and

110% of the rated voltage.

#### Table 10: Operable voltage range

Rated voltage	Operable voltage
24 Vac, 50/60 Hz	19.5 27 Vac
100 Vac, 50/60 Hz	85 110 Vac
220/240 Vac, 50/60 Hz	187 264 Vac

#### Valve closing characteristics

The gas control will close within 1 second from operator deenergization, (at an inlet pressure of 22.5 mbar and minimal 2.5 mbar pressure drop).

#### Main valve opening characteristics (measured with gas)

#### Fast opening versions

Under conditions where the supply pressure is at least 2.5 mbar above the outlet pressure setting, the dead time shall be 0.5 s maximum.

The outlet pressure will reach 80% of the rated flow within 1 second from start of flow.

Full outlet pressure will be reached within 5 seconds.

#### SOFTLITE versions (See table 11)

The adjusted outlet pressure will be reached between 5 and 15 seconds from start of flow (for LP gas between 4 and 10 seconds)

#### Adjustable SOFTLITE

NOTE: For SOFTLITE versions the SOFTLITE pressure can be adjusted from the rated SOFTLITE up to the desired value.

SOFTLITE	Inlet	Kind of gas	Dead time (s) max		Outlet pressure (mbar)	Outlet pressure (mbar)
number	pressure (mbar)		Upright positon	Horizontal position	1.5 s after start of flow (in min. position)	1.5 s after start of flow (in max. position)
3	20	G 20/25	1.8	1.5	1 3.5	> 12
5 7	20	G 20/25	1.2	1.0	2.5 6.0 4.5 7.5	> 12
7	37	G 30/31	1.5	1.2	2.5 6.5	> 16
7	50	G 30/31	1.2	1.0	2.5 6.5	> 19

#### Table 11: Main valve (class D only) opening characteristics softLite versions

#### Oscillation

Maximum oscillation under all circumstances:  $\pm 0.5$  mbar.

#### Tap sensitivity of outlet pressure set point

For all gases the maximum deviation may be 1 mbar.

#### Repeatability of outlet pressure set point

For all gases the maximum deviation from set point is:  $\pm$  0.3 mbar or  $\pm$  3% of the set point value, whichever is the greatest.

#### Design life

500.000 cycles for safety and main valve operator. Cycle frequency maximum 100 cycles /hour.

#### Total set point shift

## Table 12: Total set point shift servo regulator on/off version\*)

Pressure range	Tolerance
1.5 20 2 37	6% of the set point value or 1 mbar whichever is the greatest
5 50	6% of the set point value or 1.5 mbar whichever is the greatest

\*) For other versions see the applicable handbook

## INSTALLATION

### IMPORTANT

Take care that installer is a trained experienced service man.

Turn off gas supply before starting installation.

Disconnect power supply to prevent electrical shock and/or equipment damage.

Do not remove seals over inlet and outlet until the device is ready to be installed.

Take care that dirt cannot enter the gas control during handling.

#### Mounting position

The gas control can be mounted 0 to 90 degrees in any direction from the upright position (from the position when the operators are on top).

#### Main gas connection

#### Gas controls with internal thread

- Take care that dirt cannot enter the gas control during handling.
- Use a sound taper fitting with thread according to ISO 7-1 or a piece of new, properly reamed pipe, free from swarf.
- Do not thread or tighten the pipe or pipe fitting too far (see table below). Otherwise distortion and malfunction could result.

Pipe size (inch)	Max. length of pipe thread (mm)
<sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	14
1/2	18.6

- Apply a moderate amount of good quality thread compound to the pipe or fitting only, leaving the two end threads bare.
   PTFE tape may be used as an alternative.
- Tighten gas control using the right open end wrench. fig. 3

Fig. 3.

• Ensure the gas flows in the same direction as the arrow on the bottom of the gas control.

#### Gas controls for flange connection

- Insert "O"-ring in the groove of each flange. If necessary grease "O"-ring slightly to keep it in place.
- Mount gas control between flanges using the four screws for each flange.

#### Gas controls with external thread connection

#### **IMPORTANT**

Fastening torque flat sealing ring only applicable for type Klingersil C4324

Olives for this application are not supplied by Honeywell

Torque of olive applications may differ depending on olive dimensions.

Pipe end construction: see fig.: 7.

minimum 25 Nm

Pipe end construction: fig. 8.



Fig. 4. External thread connection with nut and flat sealing ring



- Fig. 5. External thread connection with nut and olive



Fig. 6. External thread connection with nut and "O"-ring



Fig. 7. Pipe (dia 14 mm) for flat sealing ring connection



Fig. 8. Pipe (dia 15 mm) for flat sealing ring connection



Fig. 9. Pipe end for "O"-ring connection



Fig. 10. Pipe (dia 15 mm) for flat sealing ring connection





Pressure feedback connection



To avoid decreasing of performance of pressure regulator by pinching off the pressure feedback tubing, it is recommended to use a tube material which will not kink.

#### Pilot gas connection (if applicable)

- Square off the end of tubing and remove burrs.
- Slip compression fitting over tubing.
- Insert tubing into gas control housing until it bottoms, slide fitting into place and turn finger tight.
- Use a wrench to tighten fitting about  $1^{1}/_{2}$  turn beyond finger tight to shear of the olive. Do not use jointing compound.

Connect other end of tubing to pilot burner according to the manufacturer's instructions.

#### <u>/</u>]\ CAUTION

Do not bend tubing at gas control after compression fitting has been tightened, as this may result in gas leakage at the connection.

Perform gas leak test



## 🖳 WARNING

FIRE OR EXPLOSION HAZARD CAN CAUSE PROPERTY DAMAGE, SEVERE INJURY OR DEATH Check for gas leaks with a rich soap and water solution any time work is done on a gas control.

#### Gas leak test

- Paint all pipe connections upstream of the gas control with ٠ a rich soap and water solution. Bubbles indicate a gas leak.
- If a gas leak is detected, tighten the pipe connection. •
- Stand clear while lighting the main burner to prevent injury caused from hidden gas leaks, which could cause flasback in the appliance vestibule. Light the main burner.
- With the main burner in operation, paint all pipe joints (including adapters) and gas control inlet and outlet with with a rich soap and water solution an approved leak detection fluid.
- If another gas leak is detected, tighten adapter screws, joints and pipe connections.
- Replace the part if gas leak can not be stopped.



Keep soap and water solution away from electrical connecctions.

### ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS AND WIRING

#### IMPORTANT

Wiring must be in accordance with local regulations. The appliance manufacturer's instructions should always be followed.

Before installing or replacing any control check that type number is correct for the application.

Ensure combustion chamber is free of gas before start up.

Conduct a thorough check out when installation is completed.

At the first start the ignition control can be in lock out; depress reset button to free control.



### WARNING

Take care that installer is a trained experienced service man. Turn off gas supply before starting installation. Disconnect power supply to prevent electrical shock and/or equipment damage.

### **IMPORTANT**

Warranty claims are not accepted if the specified plug/rectifier circuit is not used.

#### Wiring

- Use cable which can withstand 105°C ambient.
- Use cable which is proven against moisture.
- Wiring between ignition control and spark sensing probe should have good quality insulation, suitable for the temperatures encountered.

#### Assembling of the cable connector(s) for IP 20 protection

Follow the sequence as mentioned under Assembling of the cable connector(s) for IP 44 protection" except the assembling of the grommet.

#### Assembling of the cable connector(s) for IP 44 protection (fig. 12.)

- Use cable with Ø 5 ... Ø 7 mm.
- Strip length cable: 15 mm
- Grommet inlet numbers1, 2, 4 applicable for cable with Ø 5 ... Ø 7 mm.
- Grommet inlet number 3 applicable for cable with Ø 4 ... Ø 7 mm.
- Mount the connector(s) and bring the cable grommet in position over the cables and connector.





#### Assembly of cover with integrated strain relief (fig. 13.)

Position the cover on the ignition control. Then, when holding the cover down (in direction A) rotate it to mount the cable(s) in the strain relief (in direction B).

Finally fix the whole assembly (ignition control and cover) with a screw on the gas control with a torque of 40 Ncm max.



Fig. 13.

#### Disassembly of cover with integrated strain relief

- Loosen the cover screw.
- Pull up the cover screw by hand, lift the cover slightly and push it in the direction of the cables.

#### Fusing

In order to prevent unsafe conditions at too high current, the ignition controls S4565, S4575 and S4585 series have an integral non replaceable fuse.

This fuse will be blown long before the maximum 16 A external fuse switches off.

#### Spark gap

Max. allowable spark gap 3.5 mm

Supply voltage polarity



If ignition control seems to operate normally but does not detect flame, check for right polarity of power supply (line, neutral).

#### **Checking flame current**

- The minimum value should be in accordance with specified value.
- To check flame current connect a DC micro-Ampèremeter between flame sensing wire and flame sensing rod.
- If flame current is insufficient check that flame sensing rod is fully enveloped by the flame and that burner is reliable grounded to ignition control.
- If there is no sufficient flame current due to phase-phase mains it is recommanded to use a AT7030A or AT7030B flame detection transformer. See also instruction sheet EN1R-9136 for AT7030 transformer.

## 🖳 WARNING

Short µA meter during ignition, to prevent damage of the µA meter in single rod application.

## **ADJUSTMENTS AND CHECKOUT**

### IMPORTANT

Adjustments must be made by qualified persons only. If the appliance manufacturer supplies checkout and/ or service and maintenance instructions carefully follow them. If these instructions are not provided then use the procedure outlined below.

#### Pressure tap

The gas control is provided with a pressure tap of 9 mm outer diameter at inlet and outlet side.

When checking the pressure undo the screw a half turn and slip tube over nipple.

Ensure that screw is retightened after making test.

Pilot flame (VK4100/VK8100 only)

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It should be noted, that after a long time of stoppage (summer) it can take up to 60 s to come to an ignition of the pilot burner.

#### Outlet pressure adjustment on/off versions (see page 4)

- Disconnect pressure feedback connection (if applicable)
- Start-up appliance in order to have gas input to burner.
- Check gas input to the appliance using a clocking gas meter or alternatively a pressure gauge connected to the outlet pressure tap.
- Remove cap screw to expose pressure regulator adjustment screw.
- Slowly turn adjustment screw with a small screw driver until the burner pressure required is recorded on the pressure gauge. Turn adjustment screw clockwise to increase or counter-clockwise to decrease gas pressure to the burner.
- For non-regulating mode (LP gas) turn adjustment screw clockwise until it stops.
- Replace pressure regulator cap screw.
- Connect pressure feedback connection (if applicable).

#### Outlet pressure adjustment throttle versions (see page 4)

- Energize electric operators in order to have gas input to burner.
- Check input to the appliance using a clocking gas meter or alternatively a pressure gauge connected to the oultet pressure tap.
- Turn the flow adjustment screw with a screw driver in clockwise direction to decrease and turn counter clockwise to increase the gas flow.

#### Check of SOFTLITE

The SOFTLITE pressure is factory set.

Check burner performance at this pressure observing burner ignition and flame characteristics. Burner should ignite promptly and without flash back to orifice and all ports should remain lit.

Cycle burner several times (wait 15 seconds between cycles to allow servo system to resume slow open action). Repeat check of slow opening after allowing the appliance to cool down.

#### SOFTLITE adjustment (see page 4)

The SOFTLITE pressure can be increased from the rated SOFTLITE to optimise the ignition or to change over to another gas type.

- Check the ignition as described above.
- Turn the appliance off.
- Remove the dust cap. This can be done by turning it 45 degrees counter-clockwise and then lifting off the dust cap
- Turn the adjustment screw one step in the direction "MAX" to increase or in the direction "MIN" to decrease the SOFTLITE pressure.

NOTE: Change over from natural gas to LP gas by turning from mininimum to maximum.

- Start up the appliance and re check the ignition, and repeat the adjustment if needed.
- Replace dust cap.

#### Final checkout of the installation

Set appliance in operation after any adjustment and observe several complete cycles to ensure that all burner components function correctly and that cap screw and cover are fitted and secured.

#### Maintenance and service

Under normal circumstances no maintenance or service is required.

Screws on the gas control that have been sealed must never be removed.

### **CONSTRUCTION AND WORKING PRINCIPLES**

#### Servo pressure regulation

The VK4100/VK8100 series gas controls features the positive servo system, i.e. the main gas valve is closed by spring pressure in the normal shut down position and can only be opened when gas pressure is sufficient to overcome the spring force. This valuable built in safety feature ensures the main valve wil automatically close in the event of power or gas supply failure.

The heart of the system is the servo pressure regulator which consists of a pressure relief valve integrated in a regulator diaphragm which is fitted above and controls the main valve.

When the direct on/off operator and servo on/off operator are energized, inlet gas flows through the servo orifice and through the open operator valve into the servo system and the regulator. This servo gas moves the main valve diaphragm upwards enough to open the main valve. As soon as the main valve has opened, the outlet pressure will be sensed by the regulator diaphragm via the feedback channel.

When the force operated by the pressure is greater than that preset by the adjustment screw, the regulator valve opens

relieving some of the working pressure. This reduces the force against the main valve spring allowing the main valve to close proportionately. Thus the main valve limits the outlet (or burner) pressure to the preset level.

As a result, outlet pressure is continuously maintained by comparing it to the preset pressure and adjusting the position of the main valve accordingly. This means that a constant outlet pressure is maintained regardless of inlet pressure variations.

At shut down, the small volume of working gas in the regulator and the diaphragm chamber is dumped into the main outlet chamber.

A reference pressure feedback connection further regulates the outlet pressure by compensating for differences in the air pressure in the combustion chamber and at the valve.

If pressure regulation is not needed, the regulator spring can be blocked by turning the adjustment screw down until it stops or the pressure regulation is removed. In these cases the full servo gas pressure opens the main valve as far as the pressure drop allows.



Fig. 14. Servo pressure regulation working

#### SOFTLITE

Some burners function well using a fast opening valve with the pressure build up as shown in fig. 15. However, other burner/ appliance combinations need a means of improving their ignition characteristics by providing quieter ignition and reducing flame roll-out. The SOFTLITE mechanism achieves this by changing the profile of the outlet pressure curve as shown in fig. 15.

An extra diaphragm and spring are inserted below the main diaphragm. When the electric servo operator valve is opened, working gas enters the SOFTLITE chamber via the inlet orifice, and is fed into the space between the diaphragms. Working gas pressure rapidly increases to a preset level, partially opening the main valve (fig. 16.).

As soon as it reaches the start level it overcomes the SOFTLITE spring pressure. The resultant move of the SOFTLITE diaphragm inhibits the increase of working gas pressure on the main valve diaphragm. Only when the SOFTLITE spring has been totally compressed does the working gas pressure increase rapidly once again until the regulator set point pressure is reached.





#### SOFTLITE adjustment

The adjustable SOFTLITE feature allows for individual SOFTLITE setting from the rated min. setting upwards and for switching over from natural gas to LP gas pressures. An example is given in fig. 18.



SOFTLITE ON position, SOFTLITE gas only, main valve partially open

SOFTLITE ON position, main valve open





Fig. 17. Safety valve and main valve open position

#### Example: SOFTLITE curve VK41../VK81..

SOFTLITE spring:	5 mbar
Gas family:	LP Gas (G30, G31
Inlet pressure:	37 mbar
Adjustable SOFTLI	TE setting positioning





Fig. 18. Adjustable SOFTLITE

## **QUALITY ASSURANCE STATEMENT**

Products are manufactured under an ISO 9001 (1994) based and certified Quality System.

The quality system is described in the Honeywell Combustion Controls Center Quality Assurance Programme and its related operational procedures and instructions.

The quality system is approved by Gastec against certificate number 9.302/2.

The quality organisation is responsible for defining, maintaining, improving and verification of the quality systems in the field of design, production process and field quality service.

Assembly processes are guided by work instructions. Patrol inspections form part of the assembly processes.

At the end of the assembly phase, **all** gas controls are leakage and performance tested/adjusted.

Assembly inspection is performed by employees of the quality control department, using their own authorised equipment.

All inspections (incoming and assembly) are performed by trained personel and according inspection procedures.

### STANDARDS AND APPROVALS

#### Standards

The gas control has been designed to meet the European Standards:

EN 88: Pressure govenors

- EN 126: Multifunctional controls.
- EN 161: Automatic shut off valves

The safety shut off valve meets class A or B requirements depending on model number.

The servo operated main valve meets **class J** requirements in case of: VK4100/VK4105 and VK4130/VK4135

The servo operated main valve meets **class C** requirements in case of VK4110/VK4115 and VK4140/VK4145

The servo operated main valve meets  $\mbox{class B}$  requirements in case of VK4120/VK4125 and VK4150/VK4155

A class J valve as mentioned in EN 161; 1997 is equal or better than a class D' valve as mentioned in EN 297 and EN 483 and class D valves as mentined in other standards.

According to bending stresses the gas control meets the highest requirements (group 2).

The pressure govenor meets class B performance.

Regarding electric safety, the gas control can be used in appliances according to European Standard for household electrical requirements EN 60335 series.

The gas control also meets all Electro Magnetic Compatability standards for non-industrial appliances.

#### Approvals

The gas control conforms with the following EC - Directives:

- Gas Appliance Directive (90/396/EEC)
- Low Voltage Directive (73/23/EEC)
- Electro Magnetic Compatability Directive (89/336/EEC)

The fact that the gas control is certified to european standard EN 88 EN 126 and EN161 means that the gas control meets the requirements in all EC and EFTA countries.

Details per O.S. number can be found in the Approvals List.

## **ORDERING INFORMATION**

#### When ordering specify:

- Model number of CVI gas control component required: see model number chart below.
- The correct pilot burner for the installation concerned: refer to Honeywell ignition products guide EN0R-0038.
- NOTE: Complete gas control, replacement parts and accessories will be available under "TRADELINE" label. Ask your wholesaler for details.



Fig. 19. Model number chart VK series gas controls

## **REPLACEMENT PARTS AND ACCESSORIES**

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## **FLANGE ASSEMBLIES**

Connection size	Configuration		"O"-ring and	Packing quantity	Order number
	Straight	Elbow	screws	(pcs)	
<sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " BSP.PI	Х	-	YES	200	45.900.400-101
<sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " BSP.PI <sup>1)</sup>	-	X	YES	200	45.900.400-103
<sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " BSP.PI <sup>1)</sup>	-	X	Only "O"-ring	200	45.900.400-129
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " BSP.PI	Х	-	YES	200	45.900.400-102
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " BSP.PI	Х	-	NO	200	45.900.400-106
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " BSP.PI	Х	-	Only "O"-ring	200	45.900.400-131
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " BSP.PI	Х	-	YES	10	45.002.776-041
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " BSP.PI <sup>1)</sup>	-	X	YES	200	45.900.400-104
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " BSP.PI <sup>1)</sup>	-	X*	NO	200	45.900.400-108
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " BSP.PI <sup>1)</sup>	-	X*	Only "O"-ring	200	45.900.400-130
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " BSP.PI <sup>1)</sup>	Х	-	YES	10	45.002.776-042
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " NPT	Х	-	YES	200	45.900.400-122
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " NPT <sup>1)</sup>	-	X	YES	200	45.900.400-132
Ø 18.4 mm	Х	-	YES	200	45.900.400-123

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2)

Not applicable for mounting over pilot outlet. Applicable for mounting in all directions. Provided with 1/8" BSP. Tr pressure tap hole \*

## **FITTING**

Description	Material	Packing quantity	Ordernumber
Compression fitting M8 x 1 for 4 mm pilot tube connection	Brass	200	45.900.402-019
Compression fitting M10 x 1 for 6 mm pilot tube connection <sup>1)</sup>	Brass	200	45.900.402-020
Compression fitting M11 x 1 for 6 mm pilot tube connection <sup>1)</sup>	Brass	200	45.900.402-002
Pressure feedback fitting for 4 mm tube	Brass	200	45.900.402-010
Pressure feedback fitting for 6 mm tube	Brass	200	45.900.402-011
Pressure feedback fitting for 4 mm tube	Polyamide 6.6	100	45.900.402-031
Pressure feedback fitting for 6 mm tube	Polyamide 6.6	100	45.900.402-034

<sup>1)</sup> Only applicable for VK41../VK81..R

## **GAS PRESSURE SWITCH**

Description	Packing quantity	Ordernumber
Switch point ON: 15.5 $\pm$ 1; switch point OFF: 13 $\pm$ 1, gold plated contacts, $\;$ red sealing	48	45.900.438-107
Switch point ON: 15.5 $\pm$ 1; switch point OFF: 13 $\pm$ 1, AgNi contacts, blue sealing	48	45.900.438-109
Switch point ON: 12.5 $\pm$ 1; switch point OFF: 10 $\pm$ 1, AgNi contacts, green sealing	48	45.900.438-110
Switch point ON: 15.5 $\pm$ 1; switch point OFF: 13 $\pm$ 1, AgNi contacts, blue sealing	48	45.900.438-209 <sup>1)</sup>

1) With cover mounted

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

Description	Packing quantity	Ordernumber
Cap throtlle valve	1000	45.900.431-008
Gasket for mounting between the gas control and ignition control	2000	45.900.442-007
Gasket for mounting between the gas control and ignition control	192	45.900.442-011
Screw for plug rectifier (45.900.441-xxx)	8000	45.900.445-007
Plug for connecting on coil of the gas control	500	45.900.445-009

## PLUGS

#### **Cable wiring DBI applications**

3 pin rast 5 connector Lunberg nr. 362303K10 Brown wire connected to st 4-1 Blue wire connected to st 4-2

### Cable wiring IP applications

220/240 Volt applications:  $4 \times 0.75 \text{ mm}^2$ 

For details for specific plug codes, see table 9, page 12



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Fig. 21.

Hsg Molex 5557-4r with 2 terminals Molex 5556





Fig. 22.



EN2R-9004 0311R16-NE

- cable lenght →





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Fig. 24.

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