



- B = Mounting point for viewing indicator at distributor (if point A is occupied)
- H = Input line
- K = Proportioning volume distinctive colours (see technical data)
- S = Note to proportioning volume distinctive colours
- X = Outlet screwing for pipe outer diameters 4 or 6, connection hole in distributor for double-cone ring 6 DIN 3862 and ALL6 male fitting DIN 3871 with thread M10x1

of outlets	"a"	VPB-B	VPB-H
6	73	0,39	0,97
8	90	0,49	1,19
10	107	0,59	1,41
12	124	0,69	1,63
14	141	0,79	1,83
16	158	0,89	2,04
18	175	0,99	2,26
20	192	1,09	2,47

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Note: In case of heavy vibration or

shock load, install the distributor such that piston axes are situated vertically to

The distributer must not be distorted

Make sure that the flatness error of the

mounting surface does not get larger

than 0,2 mm related to the supporting

surface of the distributor, when fixing

the distributor on its supporting surface.

the main direction of shock impact.

while being mounted!

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# Visual check "S":

In a translucent polyamide receptacle, a red pin being fixed to the piston shows the piston's movement.

Receptacle material:	Polyamide,
	translucent
Ambient temperature:	-10 +80 °C
Weight:	0,035 kg
Mounting point at distributor:	AorB

## Electrical check with proximity switch:

A pin being connected with the piston attenuates a proximity switch once per cycle.

Material

Holder:	
VPB-B:	Aluminium
VPB-H:	Bronze
Indicator pin:	1.4521

<sup>1)</sup> On the functional checking device "M", the metering volume at the last point (opposite the proximity switch side) decreases by 25% for design-related reasons.

## Version proximity switch "M1" with cable:

Operating voltage:	8 30 VDC
Residual ripple:	≤10%
Output: NO contact	, plus switching PNP
Load current:	at max. 400 mA
Protection system:	DIN EN 60529 IP67
Connection:	Cable 2 m
Connection diagram:	I <u>BK</u>

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Version proximity switch "M3" with unit plug 4-pin (M12x1): (for matching cable jack see auxiliaries)

Operating voltage: Residual ripple: Output: NO contact.	-		80 VD ≤10°	%
Load current at max .:	DIN EN 6	4 6052	lõ0 m	A 55
Connection diagram:	I		4 3	

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# Electrical check with reed contact:

A magnet connected with the piston switches a reed contact once per cycle.

Switching voltage: Switching current:	10 36 VUC at max. 25 mA
Switching power:	at max. 0,9 VA
Ambient temperature:	-5 +80 °C

# Version "RK" with cable:

Material (receptad System of protect Cable		
Length: Cross section Material:	: 2x0,75	10 m mm² ilflex
Connection diagram:	100 Ω BN	— BU

# Version "RS"

with unit plug 4-pin (M12x1): (for matching cable jack see auxiliaries)		
Material (receptac	:le):	PA or 1.4305
Connection diagram:	1 🚍 —	100 Ω 

# Auxiliaries:

Cable jack for functional check "RS" and proximity switch "M3" (state order no., please)



## Cable jack with LED and cable:

Order no.: Operating voltage: Cable	<b>913.404-19</b> 10 30 VDC
Cross section: Length:	3x0,34 mm² 5 m
System of protection:	DIN EN 60529 IP68

# Cable jack with terminal clamps: (without LED)

Order no.:	<b>913.404-24</b>
Connection type:	Screws
Connection cross section:	at max. 0,75 mm <sup>2</sup>
Cable diameter:	4 6 mm
System of protection:	DIN EN 60529 IP67

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### Note:

When a functionality checking device is to be mounted, the proportioning volume must be 0,20 cm<sup>3</sup> at the last point! On the functional checking device "M", the metering volume at the last point (opposite the proximity switch side) decreases by 25% for design-related reasons.



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# <sup>1)</sup> ATTENTION!

The proportioning volume 0,05 cm<sup>3</sup> is not possible at the last point! Informations regard data sheet S0378!

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<sup>2)</sup> without cable jack (see auxiliaries)

# Order example:

(for the distributor shown)

Progressive distributor VPB, outer body anodised, 14 outlets, for pipe outer diameter 6, without visual check, with reed contact (cable), proportioning volume 14, 20, 20, 09, 09, 14, 20, gasket material FPM.

# Order designation:

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VPB-B/00/14/6/0/RK/14/20/20/09/ 09/14/20/V Side A(R):V/O/B/B/B/B/O Centre:K/Z/K/K/Z/K/K Side B(L):O/O/V/O/O/B/B



#### Combinaton of outlets, doubling the proportioning volume at an outlet:

Connect opposing outlets by removing the "Z" screw. Close any of the outlets by means of a locking screw. Without "Z" screw removal, no outlet must be locked.

Assembly of the screw "Z" from the output side "A" with Allen® wrench, size 2.



# Auxiliaries:

Progressive distributor	Bridge	Locking screw
VPB-B	205.507-65	<b>205.505-47</b> (Torx 30)
VPB-H	205.507-61	<b>205.505-41</b> (Torx 30)

Plug screw connections <sup>1)</sup>

Material	Pipe AD	straight screw-in union	swivel equal-elbow-fitting	Further informations: Data sheet P0354	
Brass nickel plated	4	943.600-60		Fastening torque max. 12 Nm To be used with flexible pipes only.	
	6	943.600-56	943.600-57		

# Check valves 1)

Material	Pipe AD	Outlet	Order-no.	Further informations
	4	Cutting ring union	501.078-65	Data sheet P0319
Steel galvanized	6	Cutting ring union	501.077-65	
	6	ALL	501.085-65	Data sheet P0370

<sup>1)</sup> Beneath monitoring elements, can be used only with extension **505.096-45**!



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#### Functional process fig. 1 ... 4:

The lubricant flows from the main line through the right-side ring groove of piston III as well as the bypass line (right) and to the left side of piston I and moves it into its home position. The lubricant displaced by piston I is ejected via the left bypass line through outlet no. 6.

After shifting of piston I, lubricant flows to the left side of piston II and pushes it into its right-side home position. The displaced lubricant is ejected via outlet no. 1.

After shifting of piston II, lubricant flows to the left side of piston III and pushes it into its right-side home position. The displaced lubricant is ejected via outlet no. 2.

After shifting of piston III, lubricant flows to the right side of piston I and pushes it into its left-side home position. The displaced lubricant is ejected via outlet no. 3. The continuation of that process is evidenced in the scheme described. Monitoring of progressive distributors:

As for instance due to soiling, the flow through a lubricant point line may be prevented. This will cause a piston to get blocked. By virtue of the forced control as depicted in figures 1 up to 4, the other pistons will be stopped as well.

Due to this configuration, the proportioning at all outlets of the distributor can be monitored by means of a sensor at one piston only.

#### Setting of the proximity switch:

- 1. Switching on the pump (distributor circulates).
- Screwing the proximity switch in as far as a permanent occurs, then turning back the proximity switch as far as an alternating signal occurs.
- Turning back the proximity switch until no signal is released.
- Setting the proximity switch between the limit values "2 (alternating)" and "3 (no signal)".
- Secure the proximity switch with a counter nut.

#### Mounting note:

The pistons are provided with an extremely small fitting clearance. Therefore, the pistons, after the dismantling of a distributor, must never be interchanged.

# Formula for calculating the lubricant available per lubrication point:

A progressive distributor allocates the delivered lubricant to the individual lubrication points in forced order. Due to the functional process as described herein, a safe proportioning is ensured.

The lubricant  $q_i$  delivered to a lubrication point i can be calculated as follows

$$q_i = \frac{K_i}{2*(K_1 + K_2 + K_3...)} * Q$$

Q = Lubricant delivered to the distributor,

K<sub>i</sub> = Distinctive number of the outlet i

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