

Thank you for purchasing PISCO product. Please be sure to read this User's Manual before using this item in order to make sure the safety. Please keep this manual handy with care, so that you can refer to it whenever necessary. PISCO products catalogues include Common Safety Instructions for PISCO products and Vacuum equipment. Please confirm the Safety Instructions as well.

Safety Instructions

Warning
 [Product Handling]
 1. Do not step onto or place objects on the devices. These may cause falling accident, fall of devices, injuries from falling and malfunctions from device breakage.
 2. Do not wash or paint the devices with solvent or water. Solvent use may cause breakage of resin parts and malfunction by port clogs.

[Product maintenance]
 1. Carry out maintenance and checks of equipment only after turning power off, shutting air off and making certain that the residual pressure in the piping has dropped to zero.
 2. When installing wiring and piping, be sure to switch off the power and make sure there is no miswiring and mispiping before applying power and air.
 3. Each screw should be tightened with a proper tightening torque. The recommended tightening torque of the product is shown at "How to fix External Vacuum Controller VIP" and the one of solenoid valve is shown at "How to replace the filter element for atmosphere inlet". Improper tightening causes air leakage, drop of product, and damage of product.

[Product application]
 1. For the operation of the valve, make certain that the leakage current is less than 1mA. Leakage current exceeding it may cause malfunction.
 2. Avoid applying excessive vibration or shocks to the devices. It may damage devices and lead to malfunction of solenoid valve.
 4. The coil generates heat when the solenoid valve is energized in the following ① to ③ conditions. The heat may possibly lead to shorter operating life or system failure of the product. There are also possibilities of bad influence to peripherals or of burn injury by heat.
 If the product is energized in the following conditions, please consult with Pisco in such a case.
 ① Continuous energizing for about 2 hours or more.
 ② High cycle energizing.
 ③ The total energizing time of a day exceeds the total non-energizing time even if it is intermittent energizing.

Caution
 [Product Handling]
 1. Do not use the equipment other than the service pressure range. Operating it other than the specified pressure range may cause damage or deformation.
 2. Do not pull or bend lead wires of solenoid valve or vacuum switch excessively. Doing so may result in disconnection of lead wires or connector components broken.
 3. Compressed air contains plenty of drain (Water, oxidized oil, tar and foreign particles etc.). Since drain may cause performance drop, conduct air dehumidification by after-cooler and drier to improve air quality.
 4. Never supply lubricated air.
 5. Rust in piping and inflow of foreign particles cause malfunction and performance drop. Therefore, install an air filter (filtration capacity: max. 5µm) just before the air supply port. On top of it, Prior-to-use and periodical flushing is recommended.
 6. Do not use the product in locations where it is exposed to water drops, oil drops, dust, etc. Since this product is not drip or dust proof model, it may cause breakage or performance drop.
 7. The lead wires of solenoid valve is polarized. Therefore, the solenoid valve is not activated by wiring with wrong polarity.

[Product maintenance]
 1. The performance of product may deteriorate due to dust trapped in the filter elements. Therefore, we recommend frequent cleaning or replacing the elements at just the right time.
 [Product application]
 1. In selecting the piping to the vacuum (V) port, select piping bore and length to ensure saving enough effective cross sectional area. Insufficient effective sectional area may cause performance drop in characteristics such as suction flow and vacuum release airflow.
 2. In selecting the piping to the supply (PS,PV) port, select piping bore and length to ensure saving enough effective sectional area. Insufficient effective sectional area may cause performance drop due to short supply of compressed air and vacuum flow.
 3. This product is not equipped with a vacuum filter. Therefore, use PISCO vacuum filter at the same time. If the filter is not used, dust or other particles are accumulated inside the product and cause solenoid valve malfunction or air leakage. (Recommended filter: VFU series and VFJ series)
 4. As the series number of manifolds increases, there is limitation on the allowable simultaneous activation series depending on the condition of the vacuum supply (supply port size, piping length, vacuum regulator processing flow rate and etc.) and/or air consumption (vacuum characteristics) of ejector and other such problems may possibly be encountered. Consult PISCO sales office for such application.
 5. Vacuum breaking (blow-off) air may flow around to vacuum port of non-operating units even though the each unit has individual vent exhaust. Please consult PISCO if such flow creates problem.

Specifications

Fluid medium	Air
Operating pressure range	0.3 ~ 0.7MPa
Operating temperature range	5 ~ 50°C (Non freezing)
Working vacuum range	-90 ~ 0kPa
Vibration/Impact resistance	50m/s ² max. / 150m/s ² max.
Protective structure	IEC standard IP40 equiv.

Solenoid valve specifications

Pilot valve		
Item	Pilot valve for main vacuum valve	Blow-off (Vacuum breaking) valve
Valve operation	Direct operation	
Valve structure	Elastic seal, poppet valve	
Coil voltage rating	24VDC	
Allowable voltage range	24VDC ±10%	
Surge limiting circuit	Varistor	
Power consumption	1.2W (LED equipped)	
Manual control	Push and lock button	
Operating light	Provided	
Wiring	Connector cable (length: 500mm) Red: 24VDC, Black: COM(-)	

Vacuum supply valve		
Item	Main vacuum valve	
Valve operation	Pneumatic pilot operation	
Valve structure	Elastic seal, poppet valve	
Pressure resistance	1.05MPa	
Valve type	Normally closed	
Lubrication	Not required	
Supply vacuum flow rate (*1, *2)	10ℓ/min[ANR] (at -80kPa supply) Vacuum on (OFF→ON): 6.5msec Vacuum off (ON→OFF): 8msec	
Response time (*3)		

*1) The flow rate indicated in the above table is of product with ø4mm vacuum port, the flow rate is reduced by 15% for it with ø3mm vacuum port and 50% for it with ø1.8mm vacuum port.
 *2) When the following sensor type: "AD005" or "AD010" is selected, vacuum flow rate of vacuum port size ø4mm or ø3mm is decreased by 30%.
 *3) The response time is the time required to detect vacuum pressure at vacuum port when supplying 0.5MPa and 24VDC. vacuum response time and vacuum breaking time at the end of piping are different depending on the volume (pipe length), vacuum breaking airflow rate, and etcetera.

Blow-off (vacuum break) air function

Valve type	Normally closed
Blow-off airflow (*1, *2)	No airflow control needle model: 9.5ℓ/min[ANR] (at 0.5MPa supply) Built-in airflow control needle model: 0 ~ 9.5ℓ/min[ANR] (at 0.5MPa supply)
Response time (*3)	Vacuum breaking (OFF→ON): 3.5msec Vac. break stop (ON→OFF): 2.5msec

*1) Blow-off airflow is changed according to the vacuum piping length and bore size (pipe resistance and etcetera). The flow rate indicated in the above table is of product with ø4mm vacuum port, the flow rate is reduced by 15% for it with ø3mm vacuum port and 50% for it with ø1.8mm vacuum port.
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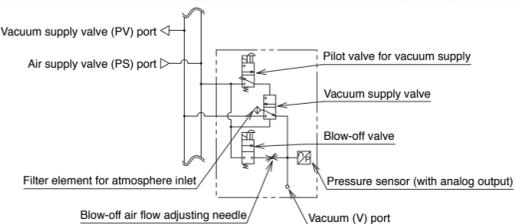
Pressure sensor specification

Pressure detection	Diffused semiconducting pressure switch
Power supply	10.8 ~ 30VDC (including ripple)
Current consumption	Max. 20mA (at no load)
Operating pressure range	-100 ~ 0kPa
Pressure resistance	1MPa
Storage temp. range	-20 ~ 70°C (no freezing)
Working temp. range	0 ~ 60°C (no freezing)
Working humidity range	35 ~ 85%RH (non condensing)
Output voltage	1 ~ 5V
Zero pressure voltage	1 ±0.04V
Output volt. @ max. rated pressure	5 ±0.04V
Temp. characteristics	Max. ±2%F.S.
Linearity	Max. ±0.5%F.S.
Repeat accuracy	Max. ±1%F.S.
Output impedance	1kΩ
Wiring	Connector cable (length: 500mm) Brown: 24VDC, Blue: COM(-)

Flow sensor specification

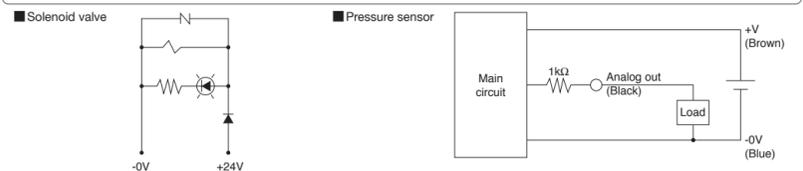
Power supply voltage	24VDC ±10%
Current consumption	Max. 30mA (at no load)
Operating pressure range	-90kPa ~ 0.2MPa
Pressure resistance	0.3MPa
Analog output	1 ~ 5V (non linear property, connected load impedance min. 50kΩ)
Pressure characteristics	Max. ±10%F.S. (-90kPa ~ 0.2MPa, 25°C, 0.1MPa reference)
Temp. characteristics	Max. ±0.6%F.S./°C (5 ~ 50°C, 25°C reference)
Repeat accuracy	Max. ±2%F.S.
Response time	Max. 5msec (sensor alone)
Output impedance	1kΩ
Wiring	Connector cable (length: 3,000mm) Brown: 24VDC, Blue: COM(-)

Example of Pneumatic air circuit diagram (as for 1 mounting unit)



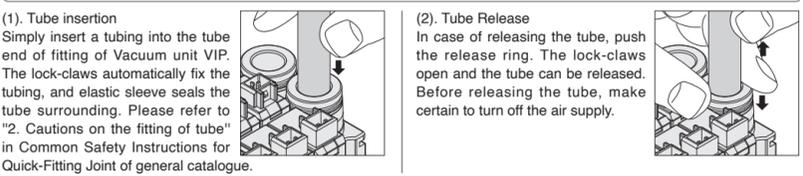
Electrical circuit diagram

Caution
 1. Do not pull or bend lead wire, connector cable, and sensor cable excessively or avoid excessive repeated motion. Such use may cause the disconnection of wire/cable or breakage of the product.



How to fit and release Tubing

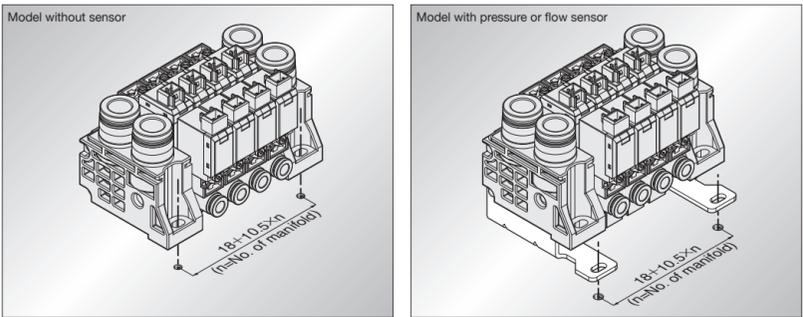
Warning
 1. When removing tubing from the unit, be sure to turn off the air supply and discharge residual air pressure completely.
 2. Install the piping by checking the location of air supply port, vacuum port and exhaust port in the catalogue.



How to fix External Vacuum Controller VIP

Caution
 1. Do not apply excessive vibration or shock to the unit. Using it in such condition can lead to malfunctions and/or errors.

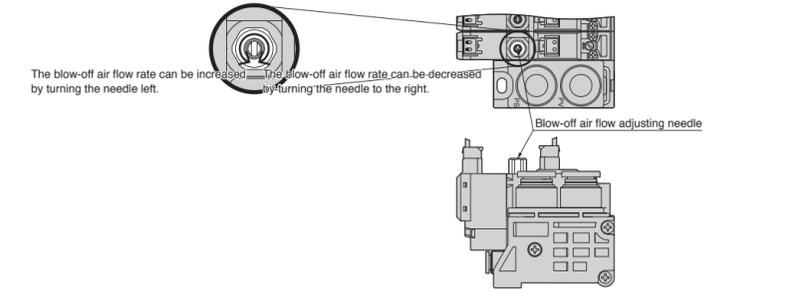
Use M3 screws to fix the unit with the two mounting holes by the recommended tightening torque of 0.3-0.5N.m. Use of a torque other than the recommended level may cause dropout or breakage of the products. (Please refer to the following drawing for the dimension of hole pitch).



How to adjust blow-off air flow

Caution
 1. Make sure to use an appropriate flat-blade screwdriver for adjusting blow-off airflow.
 2. This product incorporates an internal spring as the needle rotation lock. Therefore, a locknut is not equipped on the needle. Do not use a wrench on the hexagonal part. It may cause breakage.

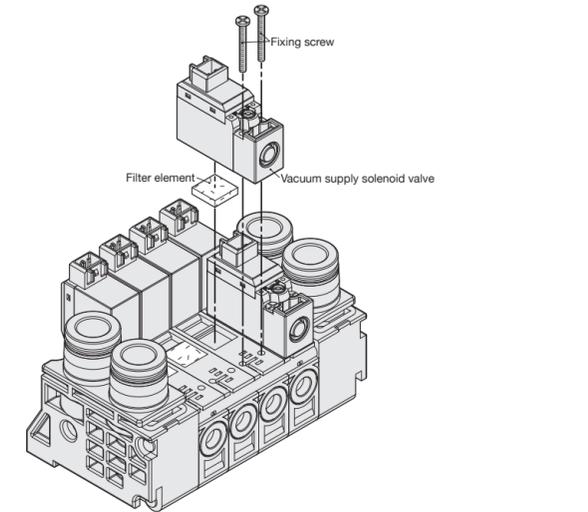
Turning the airflow adjustment needle clockwise decreases the flow rate of blow-off air, while turning the needle counterclockwise increases the flow.



How to replace the filter element for atmosphere inlet

Caution
 1. After replacing the filter element, be sure to fix the valve by fixing screws firmly with a tightening torque of 0.15 ~ 0.2N.m.

Replacement of filter elements (Model: VN013B19) of external vacuum controller is conducted by removing the fixing screws of vacuum supply valve by an appropriate Philips screwdriver. After new filter element has been put in place, confirm that filter packing for the vacuum supply solenoid valve is placed in right position, and fix the valve with the removed screws firmly at a tightening torque of 0.15-0.2N.m.



※) Please make inquiry about other details to the following.