

Filter Regulator Type 3999-0096

for filtering and control of compressed air



General

The reliability and efficiency of a pneumatic instrumentation and control system depends largely on the condition of the supply air. Supply air conditioning to meet the operational requirements is essential for the functional reliability of pneumatic components.

The Type 3999-0096 Filter Regulator is used for the compressed air supply of pneumatic volume boosters for large actuators. It removes dirt, water and oil from the compressed air. At the same time, the air pressure is regulated to a constant output pressure.

The Type 3999-009X Service Unit (see Data Sheet T 3999-6 EN) can be used for the compressed air supply of pneumatic transmitters, controllers and positioners.

Version

Filter regulator with bracket

comprising filter, pressure regulator and pressure gauge, condensate drainage over drain valve **Order no. 3999-0096**

Principle of operation

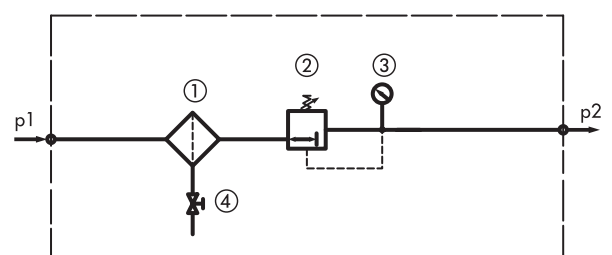
The compressed air flows across a filter ① with a maximum input pressure p_1 of 16 bar. The air is cleaned of coarse dirt particles larger than $8\ \mu\text{m}$ as well as water and oil, while the pressure is reduced to a constant output pressure p_2 of 0.5 to 10 bar by a pressure reducer ②. The output pressure p_2 is indicated on a pressure gauge ③.

The filter ① is fitted with a drain valve. The condensate receptacle must be drained at regular intervals by unscrewing the drain plug, depending on the degree of contamination of the compressed air.



Fig. 1 · Type 3999-0096 Filter Regulator

Block diagram



- ① Filter
- ② Pressure reducer
- ③ Pressure gauge
- ④ Drain valve

Fig. 2

Technical data

General data		
Attachment	Pipe or wall mounting	
Mounting position	Upright, condensate drainage downwards	
Ambient temperature	-40 ... +60°C	
Degree of protection	IP 54	
Connection	G 1/2 female	
Weight, approx.	1.8 kg	
Bracket		
Material	Steel, chromated	
Filter unit		
Version	Filter, pressure reducer with secondary venting, pressure gauge	
Material	Filter cartridge	Sintered bronze
	Condensate receptacle	Aluminium, powder-coated, gray-beige RAL 1019
Medium	Compressed air, free of corrosive particles	
Input pressure p1	Max. 16 bar	
Output pressure p2	0.5 ... 10 bar, adjustable	
Flow rate	According to characteristic (see Fig. 3)	
Filter mesh	8 µm particle size	
Receptacle volume	65 cm ³ condensate	
Condensate drainage	Manual over drain valve	

Flow rate diagram

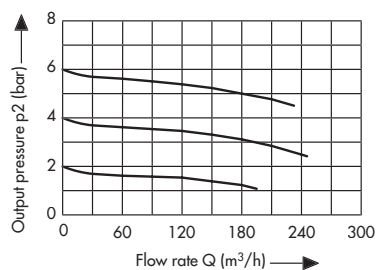
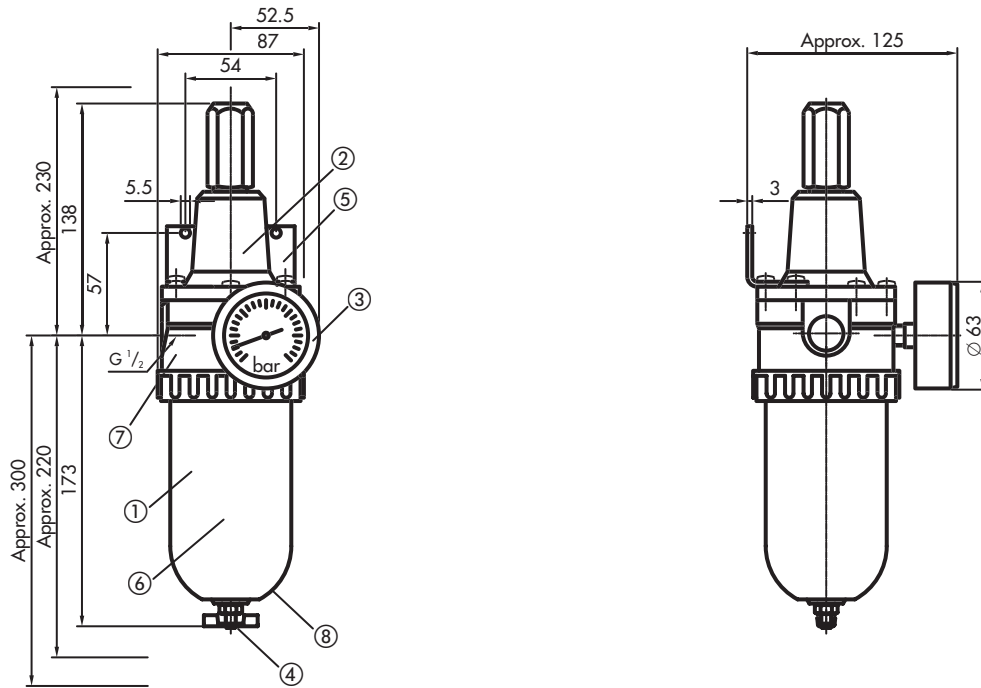


Fig. 3 · Flow rate Q at an input pressure p1 of 8 bar

Dimensions



Designation	Order no.
① Filter	-
② Pressure reducer	-
③ Pressure gauge	0790-6967
④ Drain valve	-

Designation	Order no.
⑤ Bracket	-
⑥ Filter cartridge 8 µm	0790-6691
⑦ Diaphragm	0790-6694
⑧ Condensate receptacle	0790-6693

Fig. 4 · Dimensions in mm

Installation instructions

Mounting position

The filter regulator must be installed in the output pressure pipe with the condensate drainage in the upright position facing downwards. It must be installed at the lowest point of the output pressure pipe so that condensate can flow always to the filter regulator.

Output pressure pipe

The output pressure pipe must be adequately sized so that the pressure loss is negligible.

Operation



The maximum permissible input pressure p_1 of 16 bar must not be exceeded!

Maintenance instructions

The following maintenance must be performed at regular intervals, depending on the degree of contamination of the compressed air (see Fig. 4):

Filter cartridge

Check filter cartridge ⑥ for contamination and replace when heavily contaminated.

Condensate drainage

Drain the condensate receptacle ⑧ over the drain valve ④ by unscrewing the drain plug. The condensate receptacle ⑧ must be then resealed by retightening the drain plug.

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