

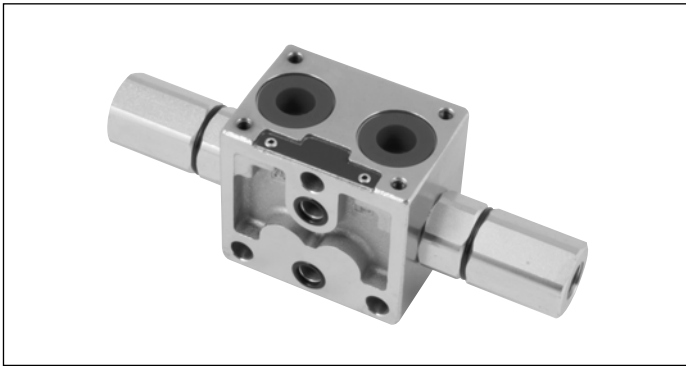
## 4/3 Directional valve elements with proportional control and with or without LS connections

L8\_P5... (ED-IP)

**RE 18301-07**

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Size 6

Series 00

Maximum operating pressure 310 bar (4500 psi)

Maximum flow 45 l/min (11.9v gpm)

Port connections G 3/8 - G 1/2 - SAE6 - SAE8

### General specifications

- Valve element 4 ways, 3 positions.
- Hydraulically direct operated spool.
- Hydraulic operating element bolted on.
- Hydraulic operating element available with inlet port:  
G1/4 DIN 3852; 9/16-18 UNF 2-B.
- The control spool is held in the central position by  
return springs.

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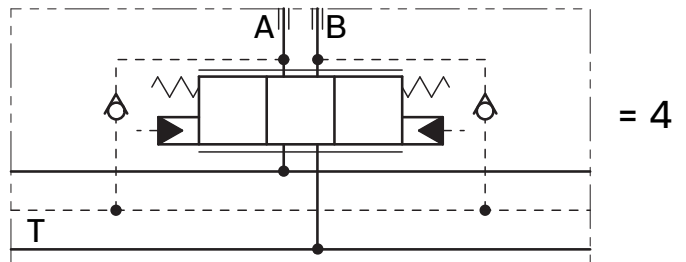
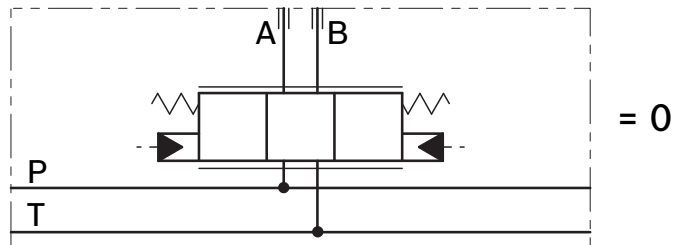
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### Ordering details

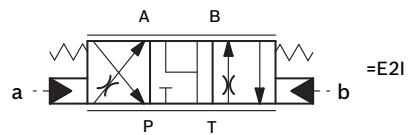
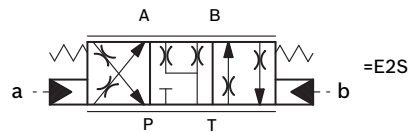
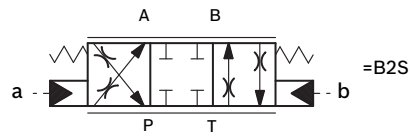
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<b>L</b>	<b>8</b>		<b>P5</b>				<b>00</b>	<b>00</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Family</b>									
01	Directional Valve elements ED							<b>L</b>	
<b>Type</b>									
02	Size 6 proportional							<b>8</b>	
<b>Configuration</b>									
03	Standard							<b>0</b>	
	With Load Sensing control							<b>4</b>	
<b>Operation type</b>									
04	Direct hydraulic proportional							<b>P5</b>	
<b>Spool variants</b>									
05	4/3 operated both sides a and b; P - T closed in neutral							<b>B2</b>	
	4/3 operated on both sides a and b; A and B to T in neutral							<b>E2</b>	
<b>Flow pattern</b>									
06	Both meter in and out							<b>S</b>	
	Meter in							<b>I</b>	
<b>Nominal flow <sup>1)</sup></b>									
07	10 l/min (2.64 gpm)							<b>2</b>	
	20 l/min (5.28 gpm)							<b>4</b>	
	30 l/min (7.9 gpm)							<b>6</b>	
<b>Hydraulic control pressure</b>									
08	10-21 bar (145-305 psi)							<b>00</b>	
<b>Ports</b>									
09	G 3/8 DIN 3852							<b>0</b>	
	9/16-18 UNF 2-B (SAE6)							<b>1</b>	
	G 1/2 DIN 3852							<b>2</b>	
	3/4-16 UNF 2-B (SAE8)							<b>3</b>	

1) With  $\Delta p$  ( $P > T$ ) 10 bar (145 psi), corresponding approx. to  $\Delta p_{P>A,B}$  5 bar (73 psi).

### Symbols

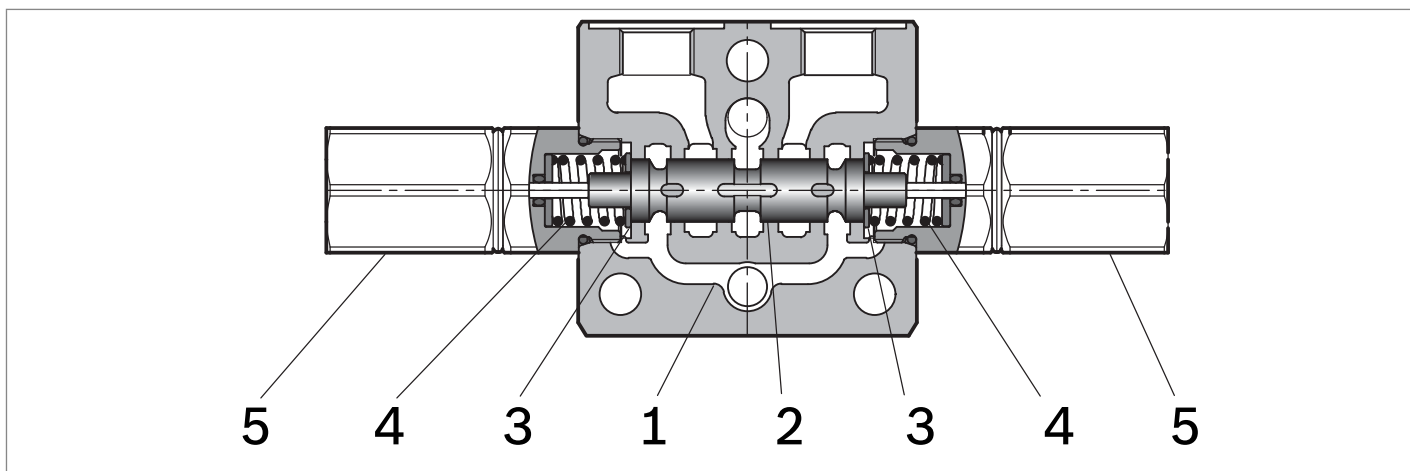


### Spool variants



In neutral position, the valves cross section are as follows:  
 $E_I \geq 20\%$  of nominal cross section.  
 $E_S \geq 2\%$  of nominal cross section.

## Functional description



The sandwich plate design directional valve elements L8\_P5... are compact direct hydraulic operated valves which control the start, the stop and the direction of the oil flow. These elements basically consist of a stackable housing (1) with a control spool (2), two hydraulic operating blocks (5), and two return springs (4).

The hydraulic pressure in one of the blocks (5) pushes the

control spool (2) from its neutral-central position "0" to the required end position "a" or "b", and the required flow from P to A (with B to T), or P to B (with A to T) is achieved. When pressure is removed from either one of blocks (5), the return spring (4) pushes the spool thrust washer (3) back against the housing and the spool returns in its neutral-central position "0".

## Technical data

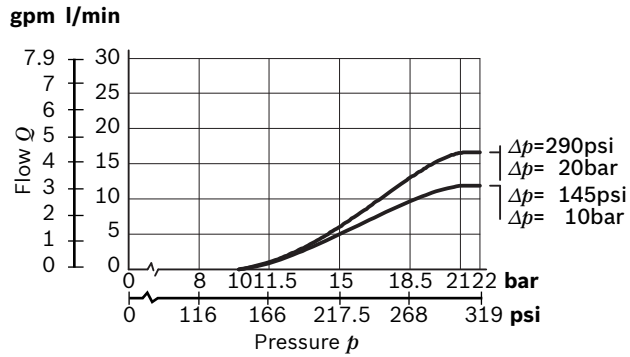
General		
Valve element with 2 hydraulic controls	kg (lbs)	1.23 (2.71)
Ambient Temperature	°C (°F)	-20....+50 (-4....+122) (NBR seals)
Hydraulic		
Maximum pressure at P, A and B ports	bar (psi)	310 (4500)
Maximum pressure at T to prevent damages	bar (psi)	100 (1450)
Reccomended maximum pressure at T during operation	bar (psi)	10 (145)
Max. pilot pressure	bar (psi)	35 (508)
Min. pilot pressure	bar (psi)	refer to page 4
Maximum inlet flow	l/min (gpm)	45 (11.9)
Hydraulic fluid		
General properties: it must have physical lubricating and chemical properties suitable for use in hydraulic systems such as, for example:		Mineral oil based hydraulic fluids HL (DIN 51524 part 1). Mineral oil based hydraulic fluids HLP (DIN 51524 part 2). For use of environmentally acceptable fluids (vegetable or polyglycol base) please consult us.
Fluid Temperature	°C (°F)	-20....+80 (-4....+176) (NBR seals)
Permissible degree of fluid contamination		ISO 4572: $\beta_{x \geq 75} X = 10 \dots 12$ ISO 4406: class 19/17/14 NAS 1638: class 8
Viscosity range	mm <sup>2</sup> /s	20....380 (optimal 30....46)

### Note

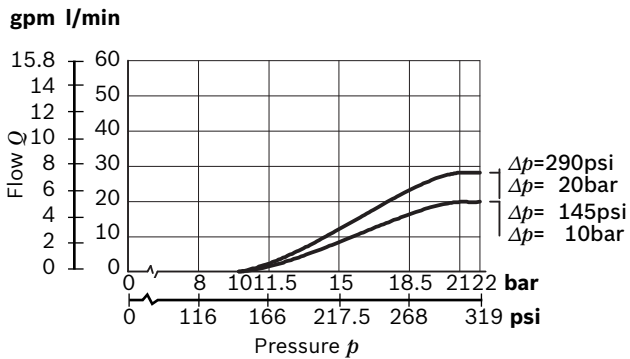
For applications with different specifications consult us

### Characteristic curves

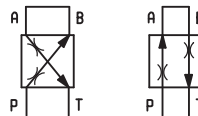
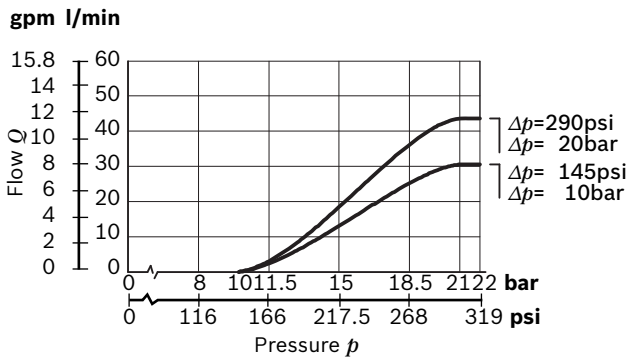
**Ordering code S2: 10 l/min (2.64 gpm).**



**Ordering code S4: 20 l/min (5.28 gpm).**

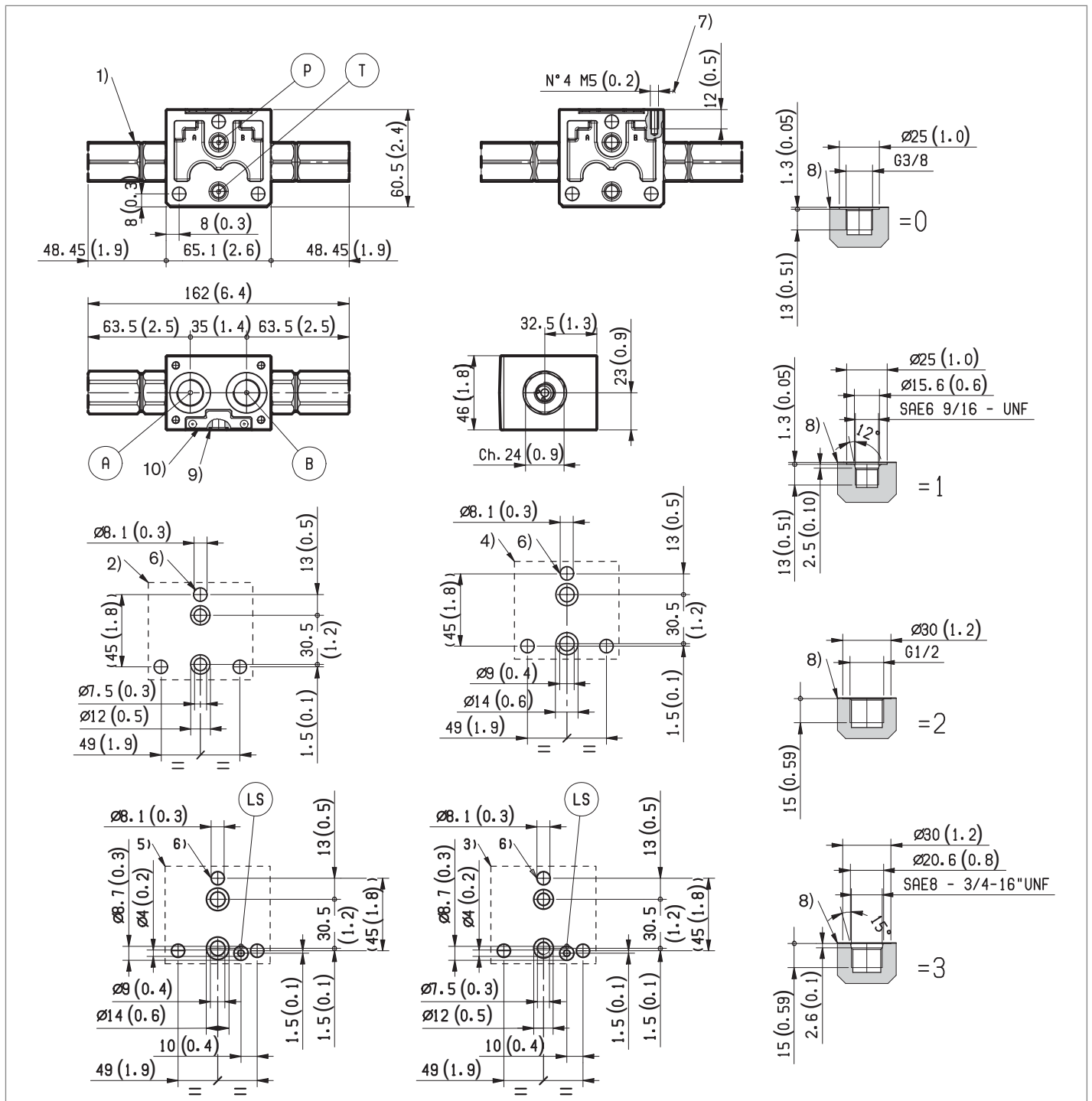


**Ordering code S6: 30 l/min (7.92 gpm).**



The performance curves are measured with flow going across and coming back, like  $P > A$  and  $B > T$ , with symmetrical flow areas and with back-pressure in  $T \leq 10$  bar (145 psi).

## External dimensions and fittings



- 1 Hydraulic operating element available with inlet port: G1/4 DIN 3852; 9/16-18 UNF 2-B (SAE 6).
- 2 Flange specifications for coupling to ED intermediate elements with ports G 3/8 and SAE 6.
- 3 Flange specifications for coupling to ED intermediate elements with LS channels and with ports G 3/8 and SAE 6.
- 4 Flange specifications for coupling to ED intermediate elements with ports G 1/2 and SAE 8.
- 5 Flange specifications for coupling to ED intermediate elements

- with LS channels with and ports G 3/8 and SAE 6.
- 6 For tie rod and tightening torque information see data sheet RE 18301-90.
- 7 Four threaded holes M5 for fitting a secondary flangeable element (only for elements with ports G 3/8 and SAE 6). For screws and tightening torques see data sheet RE 18301-90.
- 8 A and B ports.
- 9 O-Rings for P and T ports.
- 10 Identification label.

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